

# ARCHITECTURE THROUGH FILM

FALL  
2019

Wednesday, October 9

## *100 Women Architects in the studio of Frank Lloyd Wright*

It was uncovered during the Guggenheim's 50th anniversary celebration that 100 women worked with Wright during his career: Who were these women?

At a time when women architects could find little work, Frank Lloyd Wright unhesitatingly employed women, providing them with both training and practice. Ultimately, over 100 women architects, designers and artisans worked with Wright, creating the foundation for remarkable careers of their own. The film features the work and words of architects **Marion Mahony, Isabel Roberts, Jane Duncombe, Lois Davidson Gottlieb, Eleanore Petersen, and Read Weber.**

6:30 PM  
117 Fayerweather Hall,  
**Amherst College**  
LUs 1.5

Wednesday, October 23

## *Gray Matters*

About Architect, Designer and Decorator: Eileen Gray

Gray Matters explores the long, fascinating life and complicated career of architect and designer Eileen Gray. In the early 20th century, she became a critically acclaimed and sought after designer and decorator before reinventing herself as an architect. Apart from the accolades that greeted her first building –persistently and perversely credited to her mentor—her pioneering work was done quietly, privately and to her own specifications. But she lived long enough to be re-discovered and acclaimed. Today, with her work commanding extraordinary prices and attention, her legacy, like its creator, remains elusive, contested and compelling.

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Wednesday, November 6

## *Making Space*

Presents 5 Women Changing the Face of Architecture and Designing our World. Does gender play a role in architectural design?

'Making Space' looks at dynamic, creative achievers who happen to be women. The documentary informs viewers how in a male-dominated field they've thrived thanks to their creative genius and tenacity. It follows the compelling stories and iconic designs of architects, **Marianne McKenna, Farshid Moussavi, Odile Decq, Kathryn Gustafson and Annabelle Selldorf.** Lively, engaging and character-driven, Making Space reveals the person behind the drafting table.

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