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PRESENTS: THE STORY TELLING SERIES

MAY 13TH | 6:30P with NMADILI OKWUMABUA

sharing thoughts and ideas for how we, as designers and architects, can play a more integral role in how we narrate the stories we tell through our design work and community, especially in DEFINING AFRICAN-AMERICAN ARCHITECTURE.



NMADILI OKWUMABUA
FOUNDER OF CPDI AFRICA
ATLANTA, GA | ABUJA, NIGERIA



WOOD EXPO NIGERIA 2021

Theme:
TIMBER, A TIMELESS BUILDING MATERIAL;
UNDERSTANDING ITS VERSATILITY. 5.0

DR MERCY SHENGE
HOST

ARC AGATHA ODIGIE
CO - HOST

ARC BRENDA UNUAVWORHO
MODERATOR

ARC TINA EGOBI
CO - MODERATOR

DIANA GBEFWI-GUYIT
GUEST SPEAKER

NMADILI OKWUMABUA
GUEST SPEAKER

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GUEST SPEAKER

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DATE: MAR. 27TH, 2021 | TIME: 10:00 AM WEST AFRICA
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OPEN HOUSE | SPRING 2021

Saturday, March 27, 2021

2:00 pm - 3:30 pm (Eastern Standard Time)

Monday, March 15, 2021
5:00 PM CST via Zoom



Africa Defines Architecture: The Quest for Defining New African Inspired Design Languages **Nmadili Okwumabua**

Professor of African Architecture & Urban Design | Founder of CPDI Africa - The Global Studio for African Centered Architecture
A Simpson & Jacquin Sponsored Lecture

2021 SPRING LECTURE SERIES | FRAMING THE FUTURE

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NATIONAL ORGANIZATION OF MINORITY ARCHITECTURE STUDENTS

AFRICAN ART & ARCHITECTURE EXHIBIT

SATURDAY APRIL 3RD, 2021
Register for Zoom Information
9:00AM-5:00PM CT

DISTINGUISHED SPEAKERS

NNAMDI ELLEH, Ph.D.
HEAD OF SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE AND PLANNING
UNIVERSITY OF WITWATERSRAND
JOHANNESBURG, SOUTH AFRICA

NMADILI OKWUMABUA
FOUNDER OF CPDI AFRICA
PROFESSOR OF AFRICAN ARCHITECTURE AND URBAN DESIGN
ATLANTA, GA

CHRISTIAN COLES
ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR
KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY
ARCHITECTURAL DESIGNER
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DWAYNE SMITH ALEXANDER
ARCHITECTURAL DESIGNER
URBAN ARCHITECTURAL INITIATIVES
NEW YORK CITY, NY



WOOD EXPO NIGERIA 2021

Theme:

TIMBER, A TIMELESS BUILDING MATERIAL; UNDERSTANDING ITS VERSATILITY. 5.0

TOPIC: THE ROLE OF WOOD-TIMBER IN PROMOTING AFROCENTRIC ARCHITECTURE

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Nmadili Okwumabua
Founder CPDI AFRICA
Community Planning/Design Initiative
Africa

GUEST SPEAKER



Speakers:

David Hughes,
Architect, FAIA, NOMAC

Nmadili Okwumabua,
Director, CPDI Africa Global Studio

PRESENTING

IMPORTANCE & IMPACT OF DEVELOPING NEW CURRICULUMS IN AFRICAN ARCHITECTURE

DATE: April 26th 2021
TIME: 6:00pm EST (11:00pm WAT)
LOCATION: Online - Kent State University

Video @ <https://www.kent.edu/caed>



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WEBINAR

THEME : *Architectural Education in the Post COVID Era*

DATE : *20th May, 2021*

TIME : *4pm*

SPEAKER : *Nmadili Okwumabua (Founder, CPDI Africa)*

TOPIC:

Importance and Impact of Developing New Curriculums in **AFRICAN ARCHITECTURE**

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sharing thoughts and ideas for how we, as designers and architects, can play a more integral role in how we narrate the stories we tell through our design work and community engagement.

MONUMENTS AND MEMORIALS: the process of commemorating and celebrating change through monuments

DAP COLLECTIVE
05/06/2021
6:30p est

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COMMUNITY PLANNING & DESIGN INITIATIVE AFRICA
05/13/2021
6:30p est

PATTERN LANGUAGE OF THE AFRICAN DIASPORA: reflecting the culture and landscape in the built environment

Africa Defines Architecture:
The Quest for Defining New African Inspired Design Languages

Founder of CPDI Africa - The Global Studio for African Centered Architecture
Professor of African Architecture and Urban Design
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Game Submission
By Jeryce Dianinga

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THE ART OF AFRICAN INSPIRED ARCHITECTURE
International Ongoing
Founder & Director: Nmadili Okwumabua
Firm Name: CPDI Africa - The Community Planning & Design Initiative Africa
Project Description:
CPDI Africa proudly presents The Art of African Architecture Exhibition, a celebration of Winning Designs from the CPDI Africa biannual Modern African Architecture Design Competitions! This special traveling exhibition features innovative contemporary Architecture Masterpieces inspired by traditional architecture across the continent of Africa. Research generated by participating scholars and architects is used for curriculum development, policy implementation and cultural preservation.
Georgia Based Designer
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AFRICA DEFINES ARCHITECTURE
Developing Architecture That is Culturally & Environmentally Sustainable

Nmadili Okwumabua
Founder, CPDI AFRICA

AFROCENTRIC ARCHITECTURE Revisited

PROFESSOR DAVID HUGHES

Congratulations to The National Association of Minority Architects - NOMA, on the 47th Annual International Conference & Exposition!

FRIDAY 18th OCTOBER 2019 4pm

The Community Planning & Design Initiative Africa, is proud to announce commencement of our USA Lectures and Exhibition Series, after a most successful CPDI West Africa 2019 EXPO highlighting Lectures, Architecture Tours and Workshops throughout Nigeria and Cameroon!

Join CPDI Africa Founder Nmadili Okwumabua, and CPDI Africa EXPO Keynote Professor David Hughes, NOMAC, FAIA, Architect, Author at the Annual NOMA National Conference this year in Brooklyn New York, USA!

Welcome to CPDI Africa, AFRICA DEFINES ARCHITECTURE!

Professor David Hughes
NOMAC, FAIA, Architect
PRESENTER:

47th Annual NOMA National Conference & Exposition
Brooklyn, New York, USA
October 16th - 20th, 2019
New York Marriott at the Brooklyn Bridge
333 Adams Street Brooklyn, NY 11201

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 Kenya. LUO Architecture
 Caribbean. HATTIAN Architecture
 Nigeria. YORUBA Architecture
 South Africa. XHOSA Architecture
 USA. AFRICAN American Architecture
 Nigeria. HAUSA Architecture
 Benin. TATA SOMBA Architecture
 Caribbean. JAMAICAN Architecture

CPDI AFRICA INTERNSHIP AWARDEES 2020



The Community Planning & Design Initiative, Africa Is The Premier Educational Platform for Developing New African Inspired Architectural Languages that are Culturally and Environmentally Sustainable. CPDI Africa teaches the Fundamentals for Preserving Heritage, Legacy and Cultural Identity in the Built Environment. #cpdiafrica

21 INTERNS
10 WEEKS
5 PRESENTERS

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Muruzini Art Centre
CPDI Africa 2017



PRESENTING COLLABORATORS

David Hughes
FAIA, NOMAC

Edouard DIN
PhD, Architect

Joseph Conteh
ARB, RIBA

Oluwatoyin Sogbesan
PhD, Professor, Architect



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Developing Theoretical Frameworks For African Centered Architectural Languages!
#AfricaDefinesARCHITECTURE

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A 10 WEEK VIRTUAL STUDIO!



Muruzini Art centre

6TH JUNE - 22ND AUGUST 2020

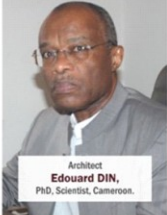
GUEST LECTURED BY RENOWNED EXPERTS IN AFRICAN ARCHITECTURE PEDAGOGY



Planner
Nmedilili Okwumabua
Founder, CPDI Africa, Educator, Curator, Developer, USA.



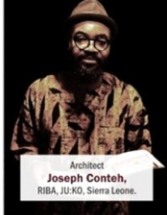
Professor
David Hughes,
FAIA, NOMAC, Architect, USA.



Architect
Edouard DIN,
PhD, Scientist, Cameroon.



Professor
Oluwatoyin Sogbesan,
Architect, Nigeria.



Architect
Joseph Conteh,
RIBA, JU-KO, Sierra Leone.

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MEET THE TEAM!

Developing African Inspired Architecture That is Culturally And Environmentally Sustainable!

21 INTERNS **5** PRESENTERS

10 WEEKS **9** AFRICAN ARCHITECTURES

VIRTUAL INSTITUTE!

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Congratulations

CPDI AFRICA INTERNSHIP 2020 GRADUATES!

Nmadili N. Okwumabua
Founder, CPDI Africa
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AFRICAN ARCHITECTURE COMPETITIONS!

ARCHITECTURE EXHIBITIONS & AWARDS!

PAN AFRICAN DESIGN PROJECTS

TOURS & SITE VISITS!

WORKSHOPS AND LECTURES!

2ND PRIZE WINNER CPDI AFRICA 2017

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2ND PRIZE WINNER CPDI AFRICA 2017

WINNING DESIGNER AND ARCHITECTURE

Nmadjli N. Okwumabua
 Founder, CPDI AFRICA

Creating New Architectural Languages for Africa & The Diaspora!



Welcome To The

CPDI AFRICA Architecture EXPO 2020!

- ★ CONFERENCES
- ★ DESIGN BUILDS
- ★ COMPETITIONS
- ★ EXHIBITIONS
- ★ STUDY ABROAD

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AFRICAN ARCHITECTURE COMPETITIONS

The ITAN Complex 2017 Competition winners: Olualekan Afolabi-gold, Olualekan Afolabi

PUBLISHED JOURNALS AND BOOKS

BOOK THE EXHIBITION AND LECTURE SERIES

REGISTER YOUR INTEREST TO ENGAGE WITH CPDI AFRICA!

DEVELOPING AFRICAN INSPIRED ARCHITECTURE LANGUAGES FOR AFRICAN AND THE DIASPORA THAT ARE CULTURALLY AND ENVIRONMENTALLY SUSTAINABLE

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CERTIFICATE COURSES ON AFRICAN ARCHITECTURE

HIRE AN AFROCENTRIC ARCHITECT

INTERNSHIPS & VOLUNTEERING

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AFRICA AWARENESS WEEK 2020
Building Beyond The Year of Return
SEPTEMBER 21-25

Virtual Conference
Joint with the National Technical Association Annual Conference

In Partnership with Akon Lighting Africa, Groove Phi Groove Fraternity, and HBCU Green Fund.
For more information: iclsmorehouse@gmail.com.

To Register Scan Here or visit www.africa-awareness.com

AFRICA AWARENESS WEEK 2020
Building Beyond The Year of Return
SEPTEMBER 21-25

What Africa Tells Us About Architectural Languages For Community Planning, Design And Sustainable Development.
(Accompanying Exhibition - The Art of African Inspired Architecture)
By CPDI Africa

WEDNESDAY, 23RD SEPT | 5:00PM

AFRICAN AMERICAN ARCHITECTURE DEFINED: Inspirations From African Culture, Technology and Community Development.

PRESENTER:
Nmadili Okwumabua, Founder
CPDI Africa
The Community Planning & Design Initiative African

GENTRIFICATION, AFROFUTURISM & COMMUNITY PRESERVATION IN THE DIASPORA
African Retentions as a Source for Solutions to Gentrification and Community Preservation in African Diaspora Communities.
By CPDI Africa

WEDNESDAY, 23RD SEPT | 6:30PM

WEBSITE: AFRICA-AWARENESS.ORG
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WHAT FUTURE WILL YOU CREATE?

Solar Shrine

Brought to you by the Chicago based team of Antwane Lee, lead artist & designer, Dan Brown, Neil Verplank, Weezel, Ben Gonzales, Austin Gutierrez, Fran X., Striz, Zachary Poling, Aaron Freeman, Artsy, Rocco Cataldo, Amy Guth, and John Alexander.



With support from Kevin Henriques, Suzie Marchellowitz, Charles Paddock, Karampal Kaur, Tiff Beatty, Glenance Green, Marjorie Southerland, Erin Douglas, Elle Ramel, Katherine Darnstadt, Paola Aguiere, Dr. Vanessa Davies, Michael Anthony Brown, Sam Lewis, Duane Powell, Nmadili Okwumabua, Dogon Lights, Heather Christie, and the Burning Man Lamplighters.

TUSKEGEE NOMA PRESENTS:

NMADILI OKWUMABUA

FOUNDER, CPDI AFRICA
AFRICANIST, DEVELOPER, EDUCATOR

NMADILI OKWUMABUA IS AN URBAN PLANNER, PROFESSOR OF AFRICAN ARCHITECTURE AND URBAN DESIGN. HER PASSION FOR DESIGN IS ROOTED IN A VISION WHERE COMMUNITIES IN AFRICA AND THE DIASPORA ARE DEVELOPED WITH NEW ARCHITECTURAL LANGUAGES THAT CELEBRATE THE AESTHETICS AND CULTURE OF THE PEOPLE TODAY.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2020

TSACS STUDENTS: \$2
NON-TSACS STUDENTS: \$8

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ARCREATE 1.0

UNIVERSITY OF LAGOS ARCHITECTURE STUDENTS' EXHIBITION

WEDNESDAY **26th** FEB. 2020

The exhibition is designed to celebrate students' creativity and design ideas outside the restrictions of academic work.

ARCREATE hopes to encourage a wide range of creative abilities from students of both undergraduate and postgraduate programmes

Time : 4pm
Venue **THE QUADRANGLE**
Department of Architecture
University of Lagos

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RYG MENTORSHIP INITIATIVE (CoVID Edition)

RYG GUIDE 2020

Task Categories
Architecture and Product Design

Task: Creating viable interventions and contributions to this CoVID-19 fight through design proposals.

Eligibility: Undergraduate and Postgraduate Students in Nigeria (Architecture and design enthusiasts included).

Commencement Date - Monday 27 April, 2020

Mentors

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Submissions

Preliminary Submission- Sunday 3rd May , 2020
 Shortlisted Entry - Wednesday 6th May , 2020
 Final Submissions- Sunday 17th May , 2020
 Winning Entries - Monday 25th May , 2020

Awards:
 Cash compensations to Top Entries
 Adoption and Building of Design Intervention

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Architecture and Urbanism Research Hub

University of Lagos, Akoka, Lagos
 2020 Virtual Interactive Series

Culture, Architecture and Design

Series 3:

DATE THURSDAY
June 18, 2020
TIME - 2.00PM

Sequence

- Importance of culture
- Culture dictates architecture
- Architecture design culture and society
- Cultural influenced technology
- Sustainability responsive architecture
- Afrocentrism and contemporary architectural design

JOIN US <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81959753825?pwd=NyYtNR9PNVl5XNiaHBSRTdDRGFUdz09>

Panelists

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DREAMS ON MLK:
DEFYING RACISM AND SOCIETAL NORMS THROUGH AFROFUTURISM

PANELIST
Kevin Sipp
Visual artist, Writer, Graphic Novelist, Cultural Curator, & Art Administrator
Naz Pankey
Author, screenwriter, producer, mother, daughter, sister, & woman.
Nmadili Okwumabua
Founder of CPDI AFRICA, Urban planner, Professor of African Architecture, & Urban Design
Addae Moon
Writer, Dramaturg, Director, Educator

Featuring a Song and Scene from the Original Musical Production: *A Song for Adeaaze*
- written by Chiwuzo Ife Okwumabua and Sunni Williams

To register & to support this online festival Visit: <https://atlantabf.org/>

WEDNESDAY 30TH SEPTEMBER 12PM (EST)

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NOVEMBER 23 - 27 2020

CPDI Africa 2020 EXP

CPDI Africa Welcomes you to Nigeria, West Africa

CPDI Africa Expo 2020 Features!

- Welcome Ceremony
- 3 Days of Lectures & Workshops by Leading Afrocentric Architects
- 3 Days of Architecture Tours
- Ancient Palaces & Shrines
- Architecture by Award Winning Designers
- Art, Culture & Celebrity Events!

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Nmadili Okwumabua
Founder CPDI

Online Lecture
Africa Defines Architecture: The Quest for Defining New African Inspired Design Languages that are Culturally and Environmentally Sustainable.

Thursday, September 17, 2020
9 am MDT/11 am EDT

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**PANEL DISCUSSION:
NIGERIAN ARCHITECTS PERSPECTIVES
ON AFRICAN DESIGN LANGUAGES**

FEATURED SPEAKERS:
ARC BOFU UGBODAGA, ARC NINAH BRIGGS, ARC MORADEKE
OKUNRIGBOYE, ARC LAPE SALEH

**THURSDAY APRIL 25, 2019
4:00PM**

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**ANOTHER APPROACH TO AFRICAN
ARCHITECTURE: THROUGH CUBISM**

PRESENTED BY CPDI AFRICA GUEST SPEAKER
ARCHITECT EDOUARD DIN, PHD
SCIENTIST, PROFESSOR, AUTHOR

THURSDAY APRIL 25, 2019 2:30PM

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**AFROCENTRIC ARCHITECTURE:
SUSTAINABLE ATTRIBUTES OF CULTURE, AESTHETIC AND
MATERIALITY**

PRESENTED BY CPDI AFRICA KEYNOTE SPEAKER
PROFESSOR DAVID HUGHES FAIA, NOMAC, ARCHITECT

THURSDAY APRIL 25, 2019 1:00PM

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Programme Agenda

0930 – Arrival of Guests, Attendees, Visitors
 1000 – Opening Remarks (NIAABC) – 2mins
 1002 – Welcome Address, Introductory Presentation (NBRI) – 13mins
 1015 – CPDI introduction of Prof. David Hughes FAIA – 5mins
 1020 – David Hughes presentation – 1hr
 1120 – Q&A Interactive – 25mins (Drinks served)
 1145 – Sponsor Presentation (SAGETO) – 15mins
 1200 – ThinkLab introduction – 5mins
 1205 – BIM + Nigerian Army University Presentation – 1hr
 1305 – Q&A Interactive – 20mins
 1325 – Interactions continue (Lunch served)
 1350 – Closing remarks + Vote of Thanks (NIAABC)



**NIAABC
CAPACITY BUILDING
INTERACTIVE**

date:
Tuesday 23rd April 2019

time:
10.00AM (Prompt)

venue:
Nigerian Building & Road Research Institute (NBRI), No 10 IT Igbani Street, Jabi District, Abuja FCT.

TALKS | PRESENTATIONS | Q & A



AFRICAN INSPIRED & SUSTAINABLE ARCHITECTURE


APRIL 23-26 2019 **1 - 5PM DAILY** **5PM OPENING CEREMONY APRIL 23**


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The Curators Welcome,

It is with both humility and pride that I announce this years CPDI Africa Exposition 2019: *AFRICA DEFINES ARCHITECTURE*. This years platform celebrates the two mentors who shaped my journey in this pioneering movement.

First we welcome Afrocentric author and theorist, professor David Hughes FAIA, NOMAC, Architect to Nigeria as keynote on our amazing tour of professional organizations and universities. *This calendar of events is simply Herstory in the making!* Next is our special visit with master builder Demas Nwoko, as we tour his built works that embody the theoretical frameworks critical to developing African centered Architecture & Design.

You are part of the Legacy, and so we welcome your presence and participation in dialogues with these pioneering Elders in our professional community. I look forward to welcoming you all to AFRICA DEFINES ARCHITECTURE with *The Community Planning & Design Initiative, Africa!*

Nmadili N. Okwumabua
Founder, CPDI Africa



CPDI Africa Expo 2019 Tour LECTURE & EXHIBITION SCHEDULE

April 23rd - 27th 2019, Tuesday - Friday
CPDI Africa – ONE ENVIRONMENT
 Abuja FCT, Federal Capital Territory, Nigeria

April 23rd 2019, Tuesday
Nigerian Institute of Architects
 Abuja FCT, Federal Capital Territory, Nigeria

April 24th 2019, Wednesday
ARCON – Architects Colloquium
 Abuja FCT, Federal Capital Territory, Nigeria

April 29th 2019, Monday
Amadu Bello University, Department of Architecture
 Zaria, Kaduna State, Nigeria

May 3rd & 4th 2019, Thursday-Friday
Demas Nwoko - New Culture Studios
 Idumuje Ugboko, Delta State, Nigeria

May 9th & 10th 2019, Thursday-Friday
University of Lagos, Department of Architecture
 Lagos, Lagos State, Nigeria



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Curators Welcome

We Are Extremely Proud To Announce Our Dynamic Calendar of Events, Featuring Lectures, Tours & Exhibits That Promote Theoretical Frameworks For Building Afrocentric Architecture. I Look Forward To Welcoming You All To Our Special Host Organizations And Universities Throughout Nigeria, West Africa. Come and Contribute Your Voice To This History Making Dialogue!

Founder CPDI Africa - **Nmadili N. Okwumabua**

CPDI AFRICA Expo 2019 Tour Schedule

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The Art of AFRICAN ARCHITECTURE EXHIBITION

- EVENT LAUNCH PROGRAM - CPDI AFRICA EXPO 2019: AFRICA DEFINES ARCHITECTURE**
- CPDI Africa's Art of African Architecture Exhibit & Opening Ceremony: 6pm Tuesday, April 23rd
 - Keynote Presentation by CPDI Africa Speaker, Professor David Hughes, FAIA, NOMAC, Architect: 1pm, Thurs, April 25th
 - CPDI Africa Presenter, Professor Edouard Din, PhD, Digitalite, Inc. kmitspace.com Cameroon. 3pm, Thurs, April 25th
 - Panel Discussions - Nigerian Architects Perspectives on Contemporary Design Languages. 4pm, Thurs, April 25th
 - Workshop for African Model Community Design, Nmadili Okwumabua & OE Partners: 9-5pm, Friday April 26th
 - Showcase: The Art of African Architecture Exhibition - CPDI Africa Competition Winning Designs
 - Host: **ONE ENVIRONMENT: Africa Inspired Sustainable Architecture & Renewable Energy Conference**
 - Time: 1 - 5pm Daily. Location: CEDDI Plaza, 264 Tafawa Balewa Way, CBD, Abuja FCT, Federal Capital Territory, Nigeria
- Presentations & Meetings with CPDI Africa Keynote Speaker, Professor David Hughes, FAIA, NOMAC, Architect**
- ARCON - Architects Colloquium. Architects Registration Council of Nigeria. Wednesday, April 24th
 - Location: Shehu Musa Yar'Adua Conference Center, Abuja FCT, Federal Capital Territory, Nigeria
 - Showcase: The Art of African Architecture Exhibition - CPDI Africa Competition Winning Designs
 - Nigerian Institute of Architects, Abuja Chapter, NIA Secretariat, Katampe, Abuja, 10am Tuesday, April 23rd
 - Location: NIA Secretariat, Plot 215, Muazu Madaki, Katampe Extension, Abuja FCT, Nigeria
- Afrocentric Architecture Revisited: 25 Years Of Thought, Theory And Practice.**
- Presented by CPDI Africa Keynote Speaker, Professor David Hughes, FAIA, NOMAC, Architect, Kent State University, USA
- Showcase: The Art of African Architecture Exhibition - CPDI Africa Competition Winning Designs
- Host: Amadu Bello University, Department of Architecture. April 29th
- Time: 10am - Location: Department of Architecture, Zaria, Kaduna State, Nigeria
- Quest for Curriculum, For a New School of Design.**
- Hosted by Demas Nwoko, Master Builder & Architect David Hughes, FAIA, NOMAC, Convened by Nmadili Okwumabua, Founder, CPDI Africa and Architect Joseph C. Conteh.
- Showcase: The Art of African Architecture Exhibition - CPDI Africa Competition Winning Designs
- Host: Demas Nwoko New Culture Studios. May 3rd - 4th
- Time: 9am - 6pm Daily - Location: Demas Nwoko private Residence and Studios, Idumuje Ugbo, Delta State, Nigeria
- RSVP: newculturegroup@gmail.com
- International Conference of Architecture & Urbanism: Architecture of Place**
- Convened by University of Lagos, Department of Architecture
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- Time: 12noon - Location: Ade Ajayi Main Auditorium, University of Lagos, Lagos State, Nigeria

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Quest for Curriculum: For a New School of Design

May 3rd - 4th 2019

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Event Agenda

9am to 5pm daily

Friday May 3rd

Private Tours - Demas Nwoko's Family Residence - Royal Palace of Idumuje Ugbo - The African Designs Development Centre and other celebrated works by Demas Nwoko.

Opening of the ART of African Architecture Exhibition by CPDI AFRICA

Saturday May 4th

David Hughes and Nmadili Okwumabua presentations of their works, and dialogue between Demas Nwoko, David Hughes, all our Guests and Conveners on

'The Form of a New School of Design'

Join me as we celebrate the Masters whose ideologies gave birth to The Community Planning & Design Initiative Africa - CPDI Africa - and whose theoretical frameworks became the Design Briefs that inspired THE ART OF AFRICAN ARCHITECTURE EXHIBITION! We look forward to welcoming you all to Idumuje - Ugbo for this true Masters with Demas Nwoko, David Hughes, academics, professionals, students and connoisseurs of African Inspired Architecture!

Nmadili Okwumabua, Founder, CPDI Africa

Lodging Reservations / Event

RSVP :

May 3rd - 4th, 2019

- Joseph Conteh: Tel -08058726493
- Nmadili Okwumabua: Tel -08091556480
- Hotel / Lodging: Tel -08034003698 / 08147420079
- Hotel Address: **OJARE HOTEL, Onicha-Ugbo, Delta State**
- Time: 9am Prompt Daily, May 3rd & 4th, 2019
- Event Address: New Culture Studios - African Design Development Centre, Idumuje Ugbo, Delta State, Nigeria

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AFROCENTRIC ARCHITECTURE: SUSTAINABLE ATTRIBUTES OF CULTURE, AESTHETIC AND MATERIALITY

April 23rd, 2019

Presented by CPDI Africa Keynote Speaker

Professor David Hughes

FAIA, NOMAC, Architect

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CPDI AFRICA EXPO 2019: Africa Defines Architecture

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- HOST - ONE ENVIRONMENT: Africa Inspired Sustainable Architecture & Renewable Energy Conference
- Time: 1 - 5pm Daily - Location: CEDDI Plaza, 264 Tafawa Balewa Way, CBD, Abuja FCT, Nigeria

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Another Approach to African Architecture: Through Cubism

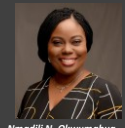
April 25th, 2019



Presented by CPDI Africa Guest Speaker, Architect Edouard Din, PhD Professor, Author, Developer



Winning Designs from the CPDI Africa Architecture Competition!



Greetings Colleagues,

Join me in welcoming pioneering scientist, architect, and developer Edouard Din, PhD, to Nigeria from Cameroon as our Guest speaker at the CPDI Africa Expo 2019 - AFRICA DEFINES ARCHITECTURE! Professor Din will bring perspectives to the dialogue on the evolution of African architecture through mathematical lens, the true fabric upon which all African creativity is birthed! Din is long time mentor and sponsor of our research and development. Join me in welcoming Dr. Edouard Din to Nigeria, and engaging with him in the most dynamic of discussions!

Welcome to The Community Planning & Design Initiative Africa, 2019

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Afrocentric Architecture Revisited:

May 9th 2019 25 Years of Thought, Theory And Practice



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Keynote Presentation by CPDI Africa Speaker, Professor David Hughes, FAIA, NOMAC, Architect: 12noon Thurs May 9th Art of African Architecture Exhibit Opening: 10am Thurs May 9th - 10th Time: 12noon - Location: Ade Ajayi Main Auditorium, University of Lagos, Lagos State, Nigeria Contacts: +234 805 460 0022, +234 809 155 6480



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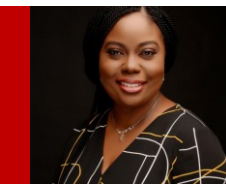
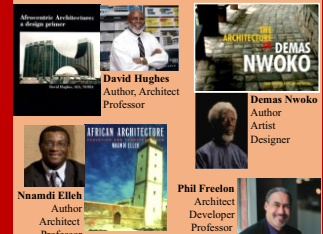
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Celebrating Master African Authors, Architects & Builders

For a full Bibliography on Afrocentric Architecture & Design visit cpdiafrica.org



The Curators Welcome,

It is with both humility and pride that I announce this years CPDI Africa Exposition 2019: AFRICA DEFINES ARCHITECTURE. This years platform celebrates the two mentors who shaped my journey in this pioneering movement.

First we welcome Afrocentric author and theorist, professor David Hughes FAIA, NOMAC, Architect to Nigeria as Keynote on our amazing tour of professional organizations and universities. This calendar of events is Simply History in the midwest! Next is our special visit with master builder Demas Nwoko, as we tour his built works that embody the theoretical frameworks critical to developing African centered Architecture & Design.

You are part of the Legacy, and so we welcome your presence and participation in dialogues with these pioneering Elders in our professional community. I look forward to welcoming you all to AFRICA DEFINES ARCHITECTURE with The Community Planning & Design Initiative, Africa!

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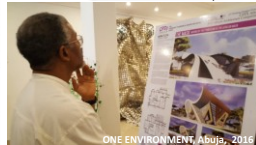
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ONE ENVIRONMENT, ABUJA, 2016

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The Curators Welcome!

It is My Ultimate Pleasure, to welcome you to The CPDI Africa Expo 2019: Africa Defines Architecture! This year marks a Milestone in a journey of self discovery, identity, and how we translate our sacred elements of African culture, aesthetics and materials in the built environment.

We are therefore excited to celebrate two of our most impactful elders in the movement of Afrocentric Architecture – master builder Demas Nwoko and professor David Hughes, architect. These two geniuses have mentored our progress and development at CPDI Africa for over 25 years.

Join us as we Change the Face of Africa through Lectures, Workshops, Think Tanks, Curriculum Development, Design Competitions and Architecture Exhibitions! We remain committed to our belief that the redevelopment of Africa's built environment will be as it has always been, as a collaborative effort between the community members and designated master builders.

My name is **Nmadili Okwumabua**, Founder of CPDI Africa, and I look forward to you joining this celebration of creative genius as CPDI Africa Defines Architecture!

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The Art of African Architecture

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The Community Planning & Design Initiative Africa (CPDI Africa) is a culture-inspired, research-based, design-build competition, created to inspire the development of successful neighborhoods and communities on the continent, with modern African architecture that is both culturally and environmentally sustainable. CPDI Africa engages participation from the design community in Africa and the Diaspora at large, for the accomplishment of its vision.



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BIOGRAPHY

PROFESSOR DAVID HUGHES
FAIA, NOMAC, ARCHITECT

He began 50+ years of world travel to architectural sites in 1967, visiting Paris, London, Berlin, and in 1969 spent a year abroad, which included his first trip to Africa, including Egypt.

He obtained his architects license in 1979 and began his independent practice, DHC Architects, and completed over 50 built projects.

In 1985 he was appointed to the Faculty of Architecture, Kent State University. He earned the rank of Full Professor in 1999 and over 34 years, his responsibilities included 5 terms as the Director of the Foreign Studies Program. Professor Hughes has written papers and contributed to a wide body of research focused on Africa contribution to world architecture, including the extraordinary work of CPDI Africa!

In 1990, he received a Fulbright Scholar Award-Senior Appointment for Research and Teaching in Africa. He traveled the continent- from Dakar to Dar and Cairo to Capetown, including Nigeria, Benin, Togo and other culturally rich nations. This journey established the base of his research and the formulation of his theory-Afrocentric Architecture.

Professor Hughes taught at the Copperbelt University, Kitwe, Zambia for two years and invited two noted scholars and architects from the United States- Harry Robinson, FAIA and John Spencer, FAIA- to lecture and critique his students. He also taught at Makerere University in Uganda. In 1994 he authored the book-Afrocentric Architecture: A Design Primer, and has been a keynote speaker at conferences and universities around the world.

Professor Hughes has been a member of the National Organization of Minority Architects and the American Institute of Architects over a forty year span and was elevated to the College of Fellows of the AIA in 2017 and to the Council of NOMA in 2018.



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10:00am - 12 noon
14 MARCH 2019

INTRODUCTION TO AFRICAN INSPIRED DESIGN

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THEME
ARCHITECTURE OF PLACE

Urban form addresses the physical characteristics that constitute human settlements including shape, size, order, density and spatial definition that responds to population growth. Such ordered morphology is not fragile in sub-Saharan African cities in spite of participation in previous global sustainability conventions. Arising from preparative meetings towards 2016 Habitat III, African nations collectively emphasized localism as the much needed catalyst for sustainability to be meaningful on city scale. The recent redefinition of cosmopolitan ideals has given a new meaning to the word localism. Cosmopolitan localism was coined by Wolfgang Sachs as solutions to global problems on local scale driven by place making principles but linked to global networks in the sharing of compatible resources, information and technology (Manzini 2011).

SUBTHEMES

- Architecture of Place — Driving Philosophies and Theories
- Architecture of Place and Sustainable Framework
- Architecture of Housing
- Place Making in Urban Architecture
- Essence of Place in Human Landscapes
- Fundamentals in Architecture

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

Bayo Amole
Architect / Professor
Nigeria

Mick Pearse
Architect / Topicalist
Zimbabwe

Hitesh Mehta
Architect / Researcher
USA

Joseph Igwe
Architect / Professor
Nigeria

David Hughes
Architect / Professor
USA

9th-10th May, 2019
Ade Ajayi Main Auditorium, University of Lagos

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Architecture by Aisha Aminu, Graphic Design by Asabe Mamza!

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CPDI Africa @ Design Week 2018
 100 MADAY AVENUE, 30303 ATLANTA, GA

FRIDAY, APRIL 19TH 2014
 100 Edgewood Ave., Atlanta, GA 30303
 Reception, Keynote Lecture, Exhibition

Winning Designs
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The Art Of AFRICAN ARCHITECTURE EXHIBITION

Georgia Institute of Technology Welcomes CPDI Africa!
 "The Art of African Architecture Exhibition"

WAINWRIGHT GALLERY - 2ND FLOOR, G. WAINWRIGHT COLLEGE UNDERGRADUATE LEARNING CENTER
 100 Edgewood Ave., Atlanta, GA 30303
 Reception, Keynote Lecture, Exhibition

Exhibition Dates: September 17th - 18th, 2014
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The Art Of AFRICAN ARCHITECTURE EXHIBITION

KSU Marietta Campus

KSU KENNESAW CAMPUS

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27TH 2014
 100 Edgewood Ave., Atlanta, GA 30303
 Reception, Panel Discussion, Exhibition

Exhibition Dates: February 27th - 28th 2014
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Time: 2pm Monday
Date: Monday, February 26th, 2018
Wilcox C Building Rm 130
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Founder, CPDI Africa



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February 16th – March 2nd 2018
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Date: Tuesday September 25th, 2018
Location: Atlanta City Studio
2311 Cascade Rd, SW, Atlanta, GA 30331
Time: 6:30pm – 8:00pm

The ITAN Complex
Architect: O. Afolabi & O. Reola-gold
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The Art Of African Architecture Exhibition.

DATE: March 19th – 22nd 2018
TIME: Daily 8am – 11pm
LOCATION: The Atrium, Social Science Building,
Kennesaw Campus, KSU, Atlanta, Georgia

Exhibition Features Winning Designs from CPDI Africa Competitions:
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By Architects O. Afolabi & O. Reola Gold

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Visualizing A New Pan-Africanism through
Afrofuturism and the Emergence of
Modern African Architecture

PRESENTED BY:
Nmadili Okwumabua, Founder
The Community Planning & Design
Initiative Africa

SPECIAL PANELISTS:
Dr. Victor Oziye, Atlas 84 LLC
Artist Chuks Okoye, APEL Art Company
Deba, Udee K. Onyiah, The African Calendar

Panel Discussion: (Tue: Monday, March 19th, 2018
Time: 7pm - 9pm - Location: K230108
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Designing Sustainable Communities with Modern African Architecture: An Expose on Standardizing Local Materials for Development in Africa.

DATES: Tuesday, July 4th, 2017

LOCATION: British Council, Maitama, Abuja, Nigeria

TIME: 12:30PM

Presenter: Nmadili Okwumabua, Founder The Community Planning & Design Initiative Africa- CPDI Africa

Guest Speaker: Prof Peter Azikiwe Onwualu, HOD Material Science & Engineering, AUST / Fmr. DG Raw Materials Research and Development Council

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The Art of African Architecture!
 Exhibition & Seminar

With CPDI Africa Founder, Nmadili Okwumabua & Partners.

DATE: July 6th @ 1pm CPDI Africa Presentation!
LOCATION: Thought Pyramid Art Gallery, Abuja
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Monday **02.08.2016**

6pm, The Pit, N-building and Architecture Gallery

Panel Discussion with:

- Nmadili N. Okwumabua**, Founder, CPDI Africa
- Boye Akinola**, Principal, Boye Architecture, Inc.
- Nadine Levy**, AIA, Director, Upbuild Design
- Nony Mbaezue**, Principal Partner, AIM Partners, PLC
- Emmanuel Odai**, Director, The ONNO Group
- Chuks Okoye**, Artist, Curator, Okoyes Art Gallery
- Anthony Rizzuto**, PhD, Assoc. Prof., Chair of Architecture, KSU

followed by a reception and exhibition opening at the Architecture Gallery

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AND MATERIALS FOR NIGERIA'S ENVIRONMENT

Debate organized by the Institut français du Nigéria and Green Habitat Initiative
in the context of "One environment Festival"

VENUE
TRANSCORP HILTON, Ogun / Nasarawa Hall

WEDNESDAY MAY 31ST 2017 | 10AM PROMPT | ADMISSION: FREE

SPEAKERS
Dr. Armetia Chopin, Senior lecturer in geography and urban planning,
Researcher at the Institut de recherche pour le développement (IRD)
Nmadili Okwumabua, CEO, Community Planning & Design Initiative Africa
Stéphane Pouffary - Founder & Honorary President, ENERGIES 2050 INGGI
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Exploring A New Genre of Artistic Expression inspired by
Modern African Architecture & Cityscapes.

Presented by
Nmadili Okwumabua, Founder
The Community Planning & Design Initiative Africa.
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HOST: Abdullahi S. Muku, DG
THE NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART
DATE: Thursday 6th July 2017
TIME: 10am - 3pm
VENUE: Nile University,
Room 201 Multipurpose Hall
Abuja, Nigeria

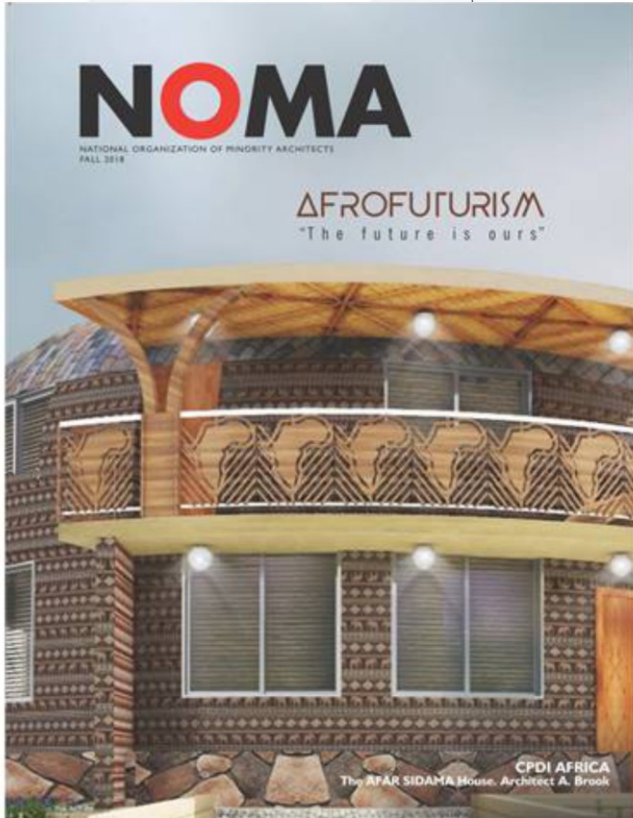
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...Black African people, and begin to create new design languages that are healing, maturing and celebratory of how we naturally interact with space? Yes we all belong to the same human race, but within the human race, there are a myriad of cultures, and it is these cultures that define architecture and the diversity of its languages. What are the architectural languages of the Black race?

Today, we design the agendas of tomorrow, and set out on the special mission to integrate this evolving research into our architecture school curriculums. We set out to articulate those 'bits of parts' design elements that once assembled manifest into the built landscape of Africa Jamaica, 'Africa Beatz', 'Africa Kenya' and 'Africa America'. We set out to influence policy makers to be sensitive to planning and building codes that build up sustainable and culturally significant communities that nurture its Black citizens. We empower our architects and students in our claims the budget for architecture that celebrates the rich diversity of Black culture

and aesthetic, in all the old and new lands we find ourselves. We witness the legacy of Booker T. Washington's Tuskegee University, that was built by the hands of Africans who came to the Americas with thousands of years of science embedded in their DNA, not only the science of tilling the soil for nutrients for our bodies, but scientific knowledge of shaping the soil into architectural monuments that still stand today in Tuskegee Alabama, and hidden in plain view throughout the Americas. We marvel at the Wakanda Colours that King T'Challa has envisioned for his Oakland campus, and all the Diaspora communities he intends to build and empower with that same of the African Self. Who will Black architects build with this recognition to our African wealth, our science and technology? It is our responsibility, as the African shapers and creators of Earth's places and spaces. It is for us to witness the awe and reverence on the faces of those who venture into our space. For indeed...

The Pyramids were just the beginning



Nmesiri Okunribunba, Founder CPDI Africa is an African, architect, historian, and professor of African & African America Studies. She resides in Atlanta Georgia and Abuja Nigeria, and she provides international consultancy services in community planning, real estate development and urban design.

CPDI Africa works through annual African design competitions, where students and practitioners in the global design community develop proposals, guided by a 'bit of parts' database of African architectural elements. Our interdisciplinary juror select winning designs for the CPDI Annual design-build events, and for the publication of our annual design compendium. Designs which best fit integrations of modern African architecture receive cash prizes, feature in international exhibitions, and participate in Pan-African design-build projects. The competition is open to any race, religion or creed, and encourages collaborative ventures between developers professionals in Africa and the Diaspora.

The MASK House / Architect M. Ryleeva
CPDI AFRICA 2015



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The PUULAK House / Architect O. Ileola-Gold
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Dates: October 4th, 5th and 6th 2016

SCHEDULE: Intelligent Urbanization Forum!

	Event Title	Tuesday October 4 th 2016	Wednesday October 5 th 2016	Thursday October 6 th 2016
Intelligent Urbanization FORUM	Lecture/Wining Architecture from CPDI Africa	TIME: 15:00 – 15:50 FORUM: IJ HALL: A1 STAND: 134	TIME: 16:00 – 16:50 FORUM: IJ HALL: A1 STAND: 134	TIME: 12:00 – 12:50 FORUM: IJ HALL: A1 STAND: 134
Intelligent Urbanization GALLERY	The Art of African Architecture Exhibition- Guided Tour	TIME: 11:00 – 11:50 FORUM: IJ Gallery HALL: B1 STAND: 220	TIME: 14:00 – 14:50 FORUM: IJ Gallery HALL: B1 STAND: 220	TIME: 11:00 – 11:50 FORUM: IJ Gallery HALL: B1 STAND: 220

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Join CPDI Africa and Partners as we celebrate built environment professionals from 29 countries, with wining architecture from The Republic of Togo, Puerto Rico, Vietnam, Russia, Nigeria, Japan, USA, Ethiopia and more! Meet CPDI Africa Founder, Ms. Nmodili Okwumabua, and discuss this pioneering initiative at the Expo Real AFRICA PAVILION, Intelligent Urbanization Forum. Join us for an Exhibition Tour after each Forum!

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Resource Persons & Topics of Discussion

- Ms. Nmadili Okwumabua**
Founder, Community Planning & Design Initiative Africa
African Interior Design
- Mr. Abdulmalik Mahdi**
Managing Partner, Modern Shelter Systems & Services Limited
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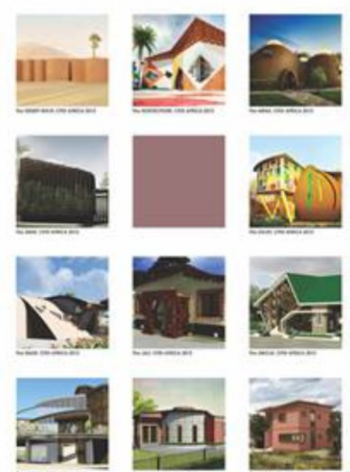
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The CPDI Africa 2nd Modern African Architecture Competition Opens January 1st, 2017



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 Exhibition & Presentation
 Friday April 15th 2016 Time: 5:30 – 7:30pm
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David Hughes
Keynote Speaker
Author, *Afrocentric Architecture: The Community Planning & Design Primer*

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Opening Reception:
February 5th 2016

Venue:
The Gallery, School of Architecture, Moreland Campus, Kennesaw State University, Atlanta Georgia

Time:
6pm - 8pm

Exhibition Dates:
February 5th to 17th, 2016

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In preparation for our February 2015 EXHIBITION. A call for Artists participation in the 'Arts of Modern African Architecture Exhibition'. Come join us as we explore expressions in the arts of a new African architectural language. A must attend for architects, artists, graphic designers, photographers, and all creative professionals of the built environment!

THE EVENT
DATE: Friday October 31, 2014
TIME: 6:00pm

VENUE: International Institute for Creative Development (IICD)
ADDRESS: 4 Oguda Close, off Lake Chad Crescent, Maitama

Curated by:
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Date: Wednesday 3rd December 2014
Time: 6-9pm
Location: Clary Theater at the Student Success Center, Georgia Tech, Uncle Heinie Way NW, Atlanta GA, 30332

For Information:
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AFRICA ATLANTA 2014



Art of African Architecture Exhibition
Atlanta, GA, USA
December 4th 2014
Contact: Southern Sahara / CPDI Africa
Tel: 0817-812-0056 / 0817-812-0056
<http://africaatlanta.org/event/what-africa-will-you-build/>

Commission Details:
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Subject Matter: Architecture / African Houses
Oil, Acrylic, Water color on canvas, 1.5m x 2.5m, no framing required
Images of buildings to be provided by CPDI Africa
Artists may propose other buildings if approved by CPDI Africa
Buildings should be placed near the Ocean, with Palms, and Tropical plants only.
Day or night views, few or no people, No cars, No animals
Creative license to encourage regrettably aesthetics, patterns, motifs, colors.
Creative artists may choose to design Modern African Houses of their own!

For More Inquires Attend:
Date: Saturday, 23rd August, 2014
Time: 2pm prompt
Venue: 4 Ingalls Spring Close, off Katina Ave, Marietta, Atlanta
Contact: Ms. Okwumabua, 0817-812-0056 for personal Consultation on the opportunity.

Selected Buildings & Supporting Images
Main Subject Matter Highlighted in Gold

The houses on the right may be buildings in the far distance of your painting.

This set may be drawn as an evolutionary process, starting with the traditional building in the distance, the middle image in the center, and then ending with the architectural rendering as the main focus of the painting.

All the photos in this set may be included, and form a street scene along the beach.

This building can have the sources of its inspiration (the Ashanti stool) cleverly inserted into the painting.

These buildings may be done as individual works. The house on the far right is the only residential building in this set.

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