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SPECIAL TO SOCIETY EDITORS

Fourteen dinner parties will precede the special preview, Tuesday evening, of ARCHITECTURE WITHOUT ARCHITECTS, a new exhibition which will open to the public at The Museum of Modern Art on Wednesday, November 11, under the sponsorship of The International Council of The Museum of Modern Art. The dinners are being held in conjunction with the Eighth Annual Meeting of the International Council now being held in New York City.

The Council, composed of 138 art patrons and community leaders from 16 states, The District of Columbia and six foreign countries, has sponsored the Museum's international exchange program since 1957. Since the inception of that program in 1952 more than eighty exhibitions have been circulated to 58 ~~continents~~ ^{COUNTRIES} on every continent.

The Honorable and Mrs. Walter Dowling will ^{be to} host Mrs. Henry Potter Russell of San Francisco, Mrs. Eugenio Mendoza of Caracas, Venezuela, Madame C. Goldscheider of the Musée Rodin in Paris, Mr. and Mrs. F.^{A.}O. Schwarz, Mr. and Mrs. T. Reed Vreeland, and Mr. and Mrs. William M. Roth of Washington, D.C. Mr. Dowling, former Ambassador to Bonn and current Director-General of the Atlantic Institute in Paris, is Chairman of the International Council.

Mr. and Mrs. John de Menil, of New York and Houston, will be hosts to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bunshaft, Mrs. John Barry Ryan, Aline Saarinen, Mrs. Donald B. Straus and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Hirshhorn. Mr. de Menil is Vice-President of the International Council.

Guests of the Honorable and Mrs. William A. M. Burden will include Mrs. Vincent Astor, Mrs. Robert Low Bacon, Mrs. Samuel Bronfman of Montreal, the British critic, Raynier Banham, and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Rudofsky (he directed the exhibition). Mr. Burden, former Ambassador to Belgium, is President of The Museum of Modern Art.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Cowles will include Mr. and Mrs. Shirley C. Burden of Los Angeles, Mr. Clayton Fritchie, Mr. Nemesio Antunez, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Motherwell

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and the Honorable Dora Alencar de Vanconcellos of the Brazilian Consulate.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Aldrich, Mrs. Bliss Parkinson, Mr. and Mrs. John Diebold, Mrs. Henry Sharpe, Mr. and Mrs. A. Murray Vaughan of Montreal, and Mrs. and Mrs. Taft B. Schreiber of Beverly Hills will be among the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. List. Other hosts for the evening will be Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Angell, Mr. and Mrs. Armand P. Bartos, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll L. Cartwright, Mr. and Mrs. Allan D. Emil, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hochschild, Mr. and Mrs. R. Wolcott Hooker, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Staempfli, Mrs. Bertram Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zadok.

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