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A symposium entitled DESIGN AND SAFETY: TOWARD A RATIONAL AUTOMOBILE will be held at The Museum of Modern Art on Tuesday, November 15, at 8:30 p.m., in connection with the Museum's current exhibition The Racing Car: Toward a Rational Automobile.

The panel members will be:

Commissioner Harry H. Brainerd, Bureau of Traffic Safety, Harrisburg, Pa.

Dr. B. J. Campbell, Director, Highway Research Institute, University  
of North Carolina

James Hare, Secretary of State, Michigan

Roy C. Haeusler, Chief Engineer, Safety Engineering Department,  
Chrysler Corp.

William F. Milliken, Director, Cornell Aeronautical Laboratory

Dr. Henry H. Wakeland, Director, N.Y. State Safety Car Program

David Ash, Technical Director, The Racing Car: Toward a Rational  
Automobile exhibition

Arthur Drexler, Director, Department of Architecture and Design,  
The Museum of Modern Art

The Museum's exhibition of automobiles, models and large scale photographs, on view in the first floor galleries through November 27, attempts to demonstrate that excellence of design and performance -- major factors in determining safety -- are inherent in racing cars and that, therefore, these cars provide important guidelines for developing safe and handsome touring cars.

Tickets are on sale at the Information Desk in the Main Lobby: Museum members: \$2.25; non-members: \$3.00; industrial design and engineering students: \$2.25.

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