MAJOR PUBLICATION ACCOMPANIES LIGHT CONSTRUCTION

The Museum of Modern Art is publishing a catalogue to accompany the exhibition LIGHT CONSTRUCTION, on view from September 21, 1995, through January 2, 1996. With an essay by Terence Riley, Chief Curator, Department of Architecture and Design, and organizer of the exhibition, Light Construction identifies an emerging sensibility in contemporary architecture exemplified by the recent work of some thirty international architects and artists.

In the catalogue essay, Mr. Riley places the new work, which is characterized by transparency and translucency, in a broad historical and cultural perspective. In-depth descriptions of each project, written by Mr. Riley and Anne Dixon, Supervisor, The Lily Auchincloss Study Center for Architecture and Design, are accompanied by color illustrations.


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