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ARCHITECTURE NOW! 5

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Advancement in architectural boundaries is brought to attention in this book, dedicated to the most recent structural developments. Worldwide architects' most famous pieces are featured in this read, which is fascinating to anyone with an interest in originality and difference. In its fifth edition, *Architecture Now!* has included a number of designers, implicating the fusion between the two. Featuring a biography of each architect's history and

inspiration, *Architecture Now! 5* incorporates copies of the architects' original sketches and the function and idea behind the design. The read also includes colour prints of upcoming projects, and set designs for movies such as *Star Wars*, where the designer is not limited by reality and physics.

This captivating read explores how architects are pushing boundaries, with a shift away from traditional style into more modern and almost futuristic plans, often a collaboration of both. Exquisite landscape architecture is a central feature, displaying creative manipulation and uses of landscape for architectural purposes. For an insight into the mind of a designer or architect, Philip Jodidio takes you on a wild and creative ride of some of the most interesting and complex masterpieces.