

2016 Kinoshita Lecture in Architecture

School of Architecture
The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Thursday 18th February 2016, 5:30 pm

WHERE

Lau Chor Tak Lecture Theatre LT1 Yasumoto International Academic Park The Chinese University of Hong Kong

SUPPORT

Generously supported by Mr. James H. Kinoshita

TITLE

Negotiating a Private Agenda

DESCRIPTION

Thom Mayne founded Morphosis as a collective architectural practice engaged in cross-disciplinary research and design. As Design Director and thought leader of Morphosis, Mayne provides overall vision and project leadership to the firm. With permanent offices in Los Angeles and New York City, the firm currently employs over 60 architects and designers.

Mayne's distinguished honours include the Pritzker Prize (2005) and the AIA Gold Medal (2013). He was appointed to the President's Committee on the Arts and Humanities in 2009, and was honoured with the American Institute of Architects Los Angeles Gold Medal in 2000. With Morphosis, Mayne has been the recipient of 26 Progressive Architecture Awards, over 100 American Institute of Architecture Awards and numerous other design recognitions. Under Mayne's direction, the firm has been the subject of various group and solo exhibitions throughout the world, including a large solo exhibition at the Centre Pompidou in Paris in 2006. Morphosis buildings and projects have been published extensively; the firm has been the subject of 33 monographs.

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