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architecture in context analyzes contemporary architecture projects that exemplify their architects creative vision and connection with surrounding spaces the architect s primary source for information on designing for egress evacuation and life safety egress design solutions emergency evacuation and crowd management planning is written by proven experts on egress issues meacham and tubbs are engineers with arup an international firm with a stellar reputation for quality design and engineering their book examines egress solutions in terms of both prescriptive and performance based code issues a portion of the book focuses on techniques for providing egress design solutions and for coordinating egress systems with other critical life safety systems another part reviews historic and recent tragic life loss fire events as such this is easily the most comprehensive take on the subject written especially for architects outrigger systems are rigid horizontal structures designed to improve a building s stability and strength by connecting the building core or spine to distant columns much in the way an outrigger can prevent a canoe from overturning outriggers have been used in tall narrow buildings for nearly 500 years but the basic design principle dates back centuries in the 1980s as buildings grew taller and more ambitious outrigger systems eclipsed tubular frames as the most popular structural approach for supertall buildings designers embraced properly proportioned core and outrigger schemes as a method to offer far more perimeter flexibility and openness for tall buildings than the perimeter moment or braced frames and bundled tubes that preceded them however the outrigger system is not listed as a seismic lateral load resisting system in any code and design parameters are not available despite the increasingly frequent use of the concept the council on tall buildings and urban habitat s outrigger working group has addressed the pressing need for design guidelines for outrigger systems with

this guide a comprehensive overview of the use of outriggers in skyscrapers this guide offers detailed recommendations for analysis of outriggers within the lateral load resisting systems of tall buildings for recognizing and addressing effects on building behavior and for practical design solutions it also highlights concerns specific to the outrigger structural system such as differential column shortening and construction sequence impacts several project examples are explored in depth illustrating the role of outrigger systems in tall building designs and providing ideas for future projects the guide details the impact of outrigger systems on tall building designs and demonstrates ways in which the technology is continuously advancing to improve the efficiency and stability of tall buildings around the world this book gathers the latest advances innovations and applications in the field of building design and construction by focusing on new design solutions for buildings and new technologies creation for construction as presented by researchers and engineers at the 3rd international conference building innovations icbi held in poltava baku ukraine azerbaijan on june 1 2 2020 it covers highly diverse topics including structures operation repairing and thermal modernization in existing buildings and urban planning features machines and mechanisms for construction as well as efficient economy and energy conservation issues in construction the contributions which were selected by means of a rigorous international peer review process highlight numerous exciting ideas that will spur novel research directions and foster multidisciplinary collaborations expert technical guidance for the earliest stages of building design this laborsaving resource reduces complex engineering and building code information to simple approximations that can be easily incorporated into initial design explorations it helps architects prepare buildable preliminary designs as a realistic basis for the more detailed design development stage that will follow completely revised to reference the new international building code this fully updated

third edition responds to the growing interest in sustainable design solutions with a new section on daylighting like its predecessors this new edition offers quick access to reliable rules of thumb that offer vital help for selecting configuring and sizing the structural system selecting heating and cooling systems configuring and sizing mechanical and electrical systems configuring and sizing egress systems designing within building code height and area limitations the architect s studio companion third edition is a recommended study reference for the building planning section of the architect s registration exam and an invaluable sourcebook that can save architects time and effort throughout their careers why are buildings detailed the way they are why do architects and engineers seem to come to the same kind of solutions to their detailing problems are we satisfied with such a situation with environmental concerns so high on designers agendas the answer to this third question has to be no collectively architects engineers and specifiers need to revisit how they detail the built environment and address the most important and potentially difficult area of the joint between materials and components in principles of architectural detailing the authors question the way in which buildings are detailed and in particular challenge familiar joint solutions they offer practical guidance and a number of tools to help the student of architectural detailing in the decision making process the emphasis throughout is on using knowledge of construction in a creative and productive way to contribute towards a built environment that enhances our well being and which is also sustainable learn how to build a design system framed within the context of your specific business needs this book guides you through the process of defining a design language that can be understood across teams while also establishing communication strategies for how to sell your system to key stakeholders and other contributors with a defined set of components and guidelines designers can focus their efforts on solving user needs

rather than recreating elements and reinventing solutions you'll learn how to use an interface inventory to surface inconsistencies and inefficient solutions as well as how to establish a component library by documenting existing patterns and creating new ones you'll also see how the creation of self-documenting styles and components will streamline your ux process building design systems provides critical insights into how to set up a design system within your organization measure the effectiveness of that system and maintain it over time you will develop the skills needed to approach your design process systematically ensuring that your design system achieves the purpose of your organization your product and your team what you'll learn develop communication strategies necessary to gain buy-in from key stakeholders and other teams establish principles based on your specific needs design build implement and maintain a design system from the ground up measure the effectiveness of your system over time who this book is for all teams large and small seeking to unify their design language through a cohesive design system and create buy-in for design thinking within their organization ux visual and interaction designers as well as product managers and front-end developers will benefit from a systematic approach to design this important reference from the American Institute of Architects provides architects and other design professionals with the guidance they need to plan for security in both new and existing facilities security is one of the many design considerations that architects must address and in the wake of the September 11th 2001 events it has gained a great deal of attention this book emphasises basic concepts and provides the architect with enough information to conduct an assessment of client needs as well as work with consultants who specialise in implementing security measures included are chapters on defining security needs understanding threats blast mitigation building systems facility operations and biochemical protection important reference on a design consideration that is

growing in importance provides architects with the fundamental knowledge they need to work with clients and with security consultants includes guidelines for conducting client security assessments best practices section shows how security can be integrated into design solutions contributors to the book represent an impressive body of knowledge and specialise in areas such as crime prevention blast mitigation and biological protection an inside view of how one of the world's leading architecture and engineering practice does business sustainable built environments principles and practice offers detailed environmentally sound design solutions to a wide range of building engineering challenges the text uses case examples and project data provided by engineers and designers at arup associates it covers a broad range of relevant issues with focused commentaries and explanations presented in an accessible format for use by students busy practitioners and informed clients whilst this book stresses the importance of a unified approach to design the text is divided into six principal chapters each addressing an important aspect of sustainable architecture and engineering these chapters master planning transport energy the building envelope environmental services and materials may be read on their own or in sequence as part of a narrative throughout the book photographs architectural and engineering drawings and diagrams examples and other data illustrate the case studies numerous web links are provided to additional information this inspirational book focuses on the work of arup associates the award winning architectural and engineering practice uses real life examples of functioning buildings and structures to provide information and guidance on the development of sustainable solutions is packed with informative illustrations sustainable built environments principles and practice is a unique text that will inform and inspire architects and engineers as well as students of those disciplines around the globe an accessible climate diverse guide that transforms readers from sustainable design novices to

whole solution problem solvers sustainable design basics is a student friendly introduction to a holistic and integral view of sustainable design comprehensive in scope this textbook presents basic technical information sustainability strategies and a practical step by step approach for sustainable building projects clear and relatable chapters illustrate how to identify the factors that reduce energy use solve specific sustainable design problems develop holistic design solutions and address the social and cultural aspects of sustainable design requiring no prior knowledge of the subject the text s easy to follow methodology leads readers through the fundamental sustainable design principles for the built environment sustainably constructed and maintained buildings protect the health and improve the productivity of their occupants as well as help to restore the global ecosystem the authors leading practitioners and educators in sustainable design have created a resource that provides a solid introduction to broad level sustainability thinking that students can take forward into their professional practice topics include space planning for sustainable design integrative and collaborative design standards and rating systems real world strategies to conserve energy and resources through leveraging renewable natural resources and innovative construction techniques and their impact on our environment usable and useful both in and beyond the classroom this book covers building location strategies building envelopes and structures integration of passive and active systems green materials and project presentation examines cultural factors social equity ecological systems and aesthetics provides diverse student exercises that vary by climate geography setting perspective and typology features a companion website containing extensive instructor resources sustainable design basics is an important resource aimed at undergraduate architecture and interior design students or first year graduate students as well as design professionals wishing to integrate sustainable design knowledge and

techniques into their practice construction projects once they are completed are intended to exist in the skylines of cities and towns for decades sustainable technologies seek to take these existing structures and make them environmentally friendly and energy efficient design solutions for nzeb retrofit buildings is a critical scholarly resource that examines the importance of creating architecture that not only promotes the daily function of these buildings but is also environmentally sustainable featuring a broad range of topics including renewable energy sources solar energy and energy performance this book is geared toward professionals students and researchers seeking current research on sustainable options for upgrading existing edifices to become more environmentally friendly this book provides in depth results and case studies in innovation from actual work undertaken in collaboration with industry partners in architecture engineering and construction aec scientific advances and innovative technologies in the sector are key to shaping the changes emerging as a result of industry 4 0 mainstream building information management bim is seen as a vehicle for addressing issues such as industry fragmentation value driven solutions decision making client engagement and design process flow however advanced simulation computer vision internet of things iot blockchain machine learning deep learning and linked data all provide immense opportunities for dealing with these challenges and can provide evidenced based innovative solutions not seen before these technologies are perceived as the true enablers of future practice but only recently has the aec sector recognised terms such as golden key and golden thread as part of bim processes and workflows this book builds on the success of a number of initiatives and projects by the authors which include seminal findings from the literature research and development and practice based solutions produced for industry it presents these findings through real projects and case studies developed by the authors and reports on how these technologies made a real

world impact the chapters and cases in the book are developed around these overarching themes bim and aec design and optimisation application of artificial intelligence in design bim and xr as advanced visualisation and simulation tools design informatics and advancements in bim authoring green building assessment emerging design support tools computer vision and image processing for expediting project management and operations blockchain big data and iot for facilitated project management bim strategies and leveraged solutions this book is a timely and relevant synthesis of a number of cogent subjects underpinning the paradigm shift needed for the aec industry and is essential reading for all involved in the sector it is particularly suited for use in masters level programs in architecture engineering and construction addresses the need for design guidelines based around the role and impact of outrigger systems in tall buildings written by ctbuh experts in tall building technologies this new edition features updated design considerations to reflect current practices expanded systems organisation and examples and updated recommendations and suggestions for future research the council on tall buildings and urban habitat s outrigger working group has addressed the pressing need for design guidelines for outrigger systems with this guide now in its second edition providing a comprehensive overview of the use of outriggers in skyscrapers this guide offers detailed recommendations for analysis of outriggers within the lateral load resisting systems of tall buildings for recognising and addressing effects on building behaviour and for practical design solutions it also highlights concerns specific to the outrigger structural system such as differential column shortening and construction sequence impacts in this edition a new chapter explores the use of hybrid outrigger systems that can tune the stiffness of outrigger trusses use leverage of the outrigger arms to drive non linear damping devices and use yielding materials that absorb seismic energy several project examples are explored

in depth illustrating the role of outrigger systems in tall building designs and providing ideas for future projects the guide details the impact of outrigger systems on tall building designs and demonstrates ways in which the technology is continuously advancing to improve the efficiency and stability of tall buildings around the world the new second edition features updated design considerations to reflect current practices expanded systems organisation and examples and updated recommendations and suggestions for future research graphic design solutions is the most comprehensive how to reference on graphic design and typography covering print and interactive media this book examines conceiving visualizing and composing solutions to design problems such as branding logos web design posters book covers advertising and more excellent illustrations of historical modern and contemporary design are integrated throughout the fifth edition includes expanded and updated coverage of screen media including mobile tablet desktop web and motion as well as new interviews showcases and case studies new diagrams and illustrations a broader investigation of creativity and concept generation visualization and color and an updated timeline accompanying this edition coursemate with ebook brings concepts to life with projects videos of designers in the field and portfolio building tools additional online only chapters chapters 14 through 16 are available in pdf format on the student and instructor resource sites for this title accessed via cengagebrain.com search for this book then click on the free materials tab important notice media content referenced within the product description or the product text may not be available in the ebook version the central focus of this book involves the strategies and processes that are based on the universal design philosophy and principles from three different areas architecture product design and information and communication technologies ict the book examines a key question what is meant by a universal design strategy and how can these approaches be developed understood

and practiced within the different design disciplines to examine this question architects product designers educators and ict researchers were invited to reflect on their own thoughts and practices and to write about the design processes and principles they use to create universal design solutions inclusive buildings products and services will be of interest to postgraduate students in design and architecture as well as professional designers architects engineers and business leaders or managers who are working with universal design in some capacity temporary structures are a vital but often overlooked component in the success of any construction project with the assistance of modern technology design and operation procedures in this area have undergone significant enhancements in recent years design solutions and innovations in temporary structures is a comprehensive source of academic research on the latest methods practices and analyses for effective and safe temporary structures including perspectives on numerous relevant topics such as safety considerations quality management and structural analysis this book is ideally designed for engineers professionals academics researchers and practitioners actively involved in the construction industry this book applies a behavioral point of view to individuals fire safety in historic buildings it outlines theoretical and operative issues based on recent studies and international guidelines firstly critical issues for building heritage fire safety are widely discussed by including the modelling of human factor and man environment fire interference in these architectural spaces a significant part of the book includes a discussion on emergency modeling and simulation a source code for representing the fire evacuation process including man evacuation facilities interactions is offered to the reader methods for effectiveness assessment of risk reducing solutions are provided and tested in a case study being a structured approach to occupants related problems during a fire in heritage buildings it offers an innovative methodology and practical examples that

researchers and designers can use as a guide when proposing and testing solutions evaluation indexes for effectiveness assessment also useful for future guidelines or handbooks are included readers are encouraged to understand these indexes within the proposed approach so as to extend their applications and possibilities of how to introduce human behaviors based solutions in other fields lastly attention is focused on the proposal and evaluation of low impact and not invasive strategies such as ones based on wayfinding elements from this point of view the pros and cons of wayfinding systems are discussed these are important today especially for fire safety designers because of the ongoing innovations in this field this book compares two buildings with different technologies and distinct environment from the combined viewpoints of civil engineering and architecture the first is the most recent building of columbia university in new york the northwest science building a project designed by rafael moneo and dan brodtkin of ove arup the second one is the burgo tower in oporto by eduardo soute moura and rui furtado of afa a building that brings a new perspective to the use of prefabrication technologies with local traditional construction systems with the detailed analyses of recognized researchers in civil engineering and architecture this book is a reflection upon the problems and solutions in the design and construction process of a prefabricated building system this volume like those to follow brings together building research and building design practice to enhance the knowledge of complementarity areas involved in construction engineering and architecture this is the first book in a new series building research design construction and technologies which aims to bridge scientific research and professional practice to understand the building design problems in each edition one or two case studies recognized buildings in the international design panorama are analyzed with their authors to assess the design process and the construction development to understand the problems involved researchers

engineers and architects are asked to contribute to this analysis with essays on building research issues as building technology construction management acoustics maintenance or prefabrication content experimental results have shown a significant decrease in the interfacial fracture toughness of concrete epoxy bond with selected levels of moisture and temperature conditioning of the specimens the strength of adhesive joint degrades as implied by the failure mode shift from concrete decohesion in controlled specimens to interface separation in conditioned specimens in this thesis primary data on the mixed mode fracture toughness of concrete epoxy interfaces are presented as a basis for use in the design improvement of material systems containing such interfaces for better system durability and issues related to the structural implications are also discussed a monograph on the work of this uk based architecture firm global multidisciplinary environmentally aware sustainable these are words that many architectural firms would like to have used to describe them atkins can lay honest claim to them all atkins has 60 offices in 25 countries the world from aberdeen to abu dhabi stockholm to sydney they have worked in over 175 countries and in doing so have established a reputation for consistently delivering professional practical and innovative building planning and design solutions many firms claim to be multidisciplinary atkins truly is combining engineering design and architecture disciplines in a seamlessly functioning whole to provide their clients with all the services information and knowledge needed to complete any project along with their many other achievements atkins have developed the trademark and standard of carbon critical design and in doing so have become world leaders in sustainable design sustainable and environmentally aware design is a core consideration in every project they undertake features over 150 spectacular projects lavishly illustrated in full colour includes such iconic world first buildings as the burj al arab the bahrain world trade center and

the anara tower many different building typologies are featured including hotels residential offices and commercial mixed use sport and leisure education transportation masterplanning and urban design and healthcare science and technology net zero energy buildings have been the object of numerous studies in recent years as various countries have set this performance level as a long term goal of their energy policies this book presents a unique study of 30 nzeb's that have been constructed and have had their performance measured for at least 12 months the study is based upon an international collaborative research initiated by the international energy agency the solar heating and cooling programme shc it is the first book to evaluate building strategies in houses educational buildings and offices that have been demonstrated to work in practice it examines how the design challenges of climate and building type have been addressed and to what extent the various design approaches have been successful this book presents convincing evidence that a careful re thinking of conventional design norms can achieve a far greater performance benefit than is normally feasible it identifies solution sets that work at the whole building level and at the individual building design challenge level for each climate and building type in doing so the book provides guidance as to how to improve the design by learning from these cases unusually for a book of this type it has examples of buildings in what are conventionally labeled hot and cold climates a simple process is proposed for the reader to commission the analysis of their own climate to assess not only the conventional measure of how hot or cold or humid it is but also to assess its suitability to support other nzeb technical challenge solutions sets such as daylight or natural ventilation or comfort based climate conditioning this book provides in depth results and case studies in innovation from actual work undertaken in collaboration with industry partners in architecture engineering and construction aec the sixth in a series of essential resources for today s woodcrafters this latest

volume includes over 20 chapters covering every aspect of furniture making from designing new projects to building each piece to last more than a lifetime along with specific options for tables cabinets and chairs with the improved efficiency of heating cooling and lighting in buildings crucial to the low carbon targets of all current governments building science concepts and applications provides a timely and much needed addition to the existing literature on architectural and environmental design education taking a logical and didactic approach the author introduces the reader to the underlying concepts and principles of the thermal lighting and acoustic determinants of building design in four integrated sections the first section explores the thermal building environment and the principles of thermal comfort translating these principles into conceptual building design solutions the author examines the heat flow characteristics of the building envelope and explains steady state design methods that form the basis of most building codes he discusses the sun as a natural heat source and describes the principles of active and passive solar building design solutions the second section introduces the scientific principles of light color and vision stressing the importance of daylight in building design presenting the daylight factor design concept and methodology and discussing glare conditions and their avoidance it also addresses artificial lighting delving into the prominent role that electricity plays in the production of light by artificial means and comparing the efficacy and characteristics of the various commercially available light sources in terms of the energy to light conversion ratio life span available intensity range color rendition properties and cost the third section deals with the various aspects of sound that impact the design of the built environment discussing the nature of sound as a physical force that sets any medium through which it travels into vibration and laying the foundations for the treatment of sound as an important means of communication as well as a disruptive disturbance the final section discusses the

foundational concepts of ecological design as a basis for addressing sustainability issues in building design solutions these issues include the embedded energy of construction materials waste management preservation of freshwater and management of graywater adoption of passive solar principles energy saving measures applicable to mechanical building services and the end of lifecycle deconstruction and recycling of building materials and components covers the fundamental building science topics of heat energy light and sound takes a logical and didactic approach tracing the historical roots of building science includes summaries of new technologies in solar energy and photovoltaic systems features a section on the principles of sustainable architecture website with answers to mc questions testing students learning just like building physics performance based building design was hardly an issue before the energy crises of the 1970ies with the need to upgrade energy efficiency the interest in overall building performance grew the term performance encompasses all building related physical properties and qualities that are predictable during the design stage and controllable during and after construction the term predictable demands calculation tools and physical models that allow evaluating a design whereas controllable presumes the existence of measuring methods available on site the basis for a system of performance arrays are the functional demands the needs for accessibility safety well being durability energy efficiency and sustainability and the requirements imposed by the usage of a building in continuation of vol 1 this second volume discusses light weight construction with wooden and metal elements roofing systems façades and ends with finishes and the overall risk analysis most chapters build on a same scheme overview overall performance evaluation design and construction the work is absolutely recommended to undergraduates and graduates in architectural and building engineering though also building engineers who want to refresh their knowledge may benefit the

level of discussion assumes the reader has a sound knowledge of building physics along with a background in structural engineering building materials and building construction where and when needed input and literature from over the world was used reason why each chapter ends listing references and literature a practical guide mock exam for the site planning design spd division of the are every july ncarb begins to recreate the architect registration examination are questions based on a new guide and scope we always incorporate this latest information into our books to become a licensed architect you need to have a proper combination of education and or experience meet your board of architecture s special requirements and pass all seven divisions of are this book provides an are exam overview suggested reference and resource links exam prep and exam taking techniques tips and guides and a realistic and complete mock exam with solutions and explanations for the site planning design spd division of the are more specifically this book covers the following subjects are idp and education requirements are exam content format and prep strategies principles codes and regulations environmental social economic issues materials technology project practice management site grading site design four graphic vignettes with step by step solutions using the ncarb practice program software instructions on installing alternate dwg files for use with ncarb software instructions on saving and installing various solution files for use with ncarb software the mock exam includes 65 challenging questions of the same difficulty level and format as the real exam multiple choice check all that apply and fill in the blank and four graphic vignettes solutions this book will help you pass the spd division of the are and become a licensed architect can you study and pass the are site planning design exam spd in 2 weeks the answer is yes if you study the right materials if you have zero experience but read the right materials you can pass with 2 weeks of prep if you study our book site planning design

are mock exam you have an excellent chance of studying and passing the are site planning design spd exam in 2 weeks we have added many tips and tricks that will help you pass the exam on your first try our goal is to take a very complicated subject and make it simple site planning design are mock exam will save you time and money and help you pass the exam on the first try about the author gang chen holds a master s degree from the school of architecture university of southern california usc los angeles and a bachelor s degree from the school of architecture south china university of technology he has more than 20 years of professional experience many of the projects he was in charge of or participated in have been published extensively in architecture architectural record the los angeles times the orange county register and more he has worked on a variety of unusual projects including well known large scale healthcare and hospitality projects with over one billion dollars in construction costs award winning school designs highly acclaimed urban design and streetscape projects multifamily housing high end custom homes and regional and neighborhood shopping centers gang chen is a leed ap bd c and a licensed architect in california he is also the internationally acclaimed author of other fascinating books including building construction planting design illustrated the are mock exam series and the leed exam guides series which includes one guidebook for each of the leed exams for more information visit greenexameducation.com an important consideration for energy efficient buildings is their primary energy requirements over the entire life cycle how to determine this what integrative factors influence the performance of a healthy and sustainable building this while it may be important for clients and architects to know is frequently not very transparent this book has been written to assist with clarifying target criteria and expanding horizons when it comes to ecological buildings it is meant as a handbook and source of reference for clients architects planners and building operators to provide them with pertinent information

about their design construction and operation how to do this in the most energy efficient and economical manner also there is feedback and documentation about prominent buildings like the hamburg dockland or the landesbank baden wuerttemberg in stuttgart they provide excellent architectural examples for detailed construction and design solutions further there are insightful interviews with architects and clients about many important buildings which help turn this book into an integrated source of reference for sustainable architecture a guideline for planning construction and operation of sustainable buildings a source of reference for clients architects planners and building operators innovative architectural examples with sustainable concepts and design transform an ordinary ranch into the home youve always wanted with ranches the latest entry in taunton s acclaimed updating classic america series the ranch can be found everywhere on both coasts and in americas heartland too the ranch is simple functional and unassuming and homeowners are rediscovering just how flexible and affordable ranches can be m caren connolly and louis wasserman provide a unique combination of outstanding designs and proven ideas for renovating remodeling and building a ranch style home featuring more than 20 examples of updated homes and new ranches the book is illustrated with inspiring original color photography and before and after floor plans in this book youll discover a wealth of successful design solutions to problems faced by the millions of people who own or build ranch style homes options for a variety of budgets styles and sizes a history and overview of the form as well as a glossary of typical design elements details for people who want to restore their homes this revised updated and expanded colour edition of a book first published in 2011 under the title design primer for hot climates has an additional 72 pages and includes 14 relevant projects from around the world this highly practical book has been written to encourage design solutions that are in harmony with local climate and stresses the

need to design for climate change the initial chapters explain the fundamentals of climate comfort subsequent sections set out environmental design techniques methods of dealing with hazards such as earthquakes lightning and termites and guidance on the use of locally available materials technology the emphasis throughout is on illustrated and tabulated practical advice with many drawn examples of building form construction and lists of suitable plant species in ultra crowded japan the constraints of space and form inspire rather than confound that is readily apparent in this fascinating volume featuring impossibly tiny narrow odd shaped habitats that have been transformed into peaceful elegant oases through the innovative use of light openness and visual harmony this research book aims to conceptualise the scale and spectrum of building information modelling bim and artificial intelligence ai approaches in energy efficient building design and to develop its functional solutions with a focus on four crucial aspects of building envelop building layout occupant behaviour and heating ventilation and air conditioning hvac systems drawn from theoretical development on the sustainability informatics and optimisation paradigms in built environment the energy efficient building design will be marked through the power of data and bim intelligent agents during the design phase it will be further developed via smart derivatives to reach a harmony in the systematic integration of energy efficient building design solutions a gap that is missed in the extant literature and that this book aims to fill this approach will inform a vision for future and provide a framework to shape and respond to our built environment and how it transforms the way we design and build by considering the balance of bim ai and energy efficient outcomes the future development of buildings will be regenerated in a direction that is sustainable in the long run this book is essential reading for those in the aec industry as well as computer scientists continuing in the holistic philosophy of the technologies of architecture series this volume examines

the various layers of knowledge skills and mechanisms that make up the many approaches to the essential function of technical design in the creation of successful buildings well illustrated with case studies the author draws on his extensive experience in architectural education to provide a detailed description of the development process acknowledging traditional solutions whilst also encouraging designers to consider innovative alternatives attention is paid to materials choices detail design and specification writing students of architectural technology in particular but also of architecture building surveying and construction will find this syllabus relevant title an invaluable asset in embracing their environmental responsibilities as designers and actively participating in the development of technical design language the thesis represents a design investigation that seeks to reconsider the high rise building with changing uses and technologies high rise office towers may have become obsolete given the recent capabilities for communications networking the need for businesses to occupy exclusive use buildings in central city locations may be questioned instead the mixed use building type often encountered in southeast asia may point at a way of rethinking the typology of tall buildings as such when taken to an extreme mixed use buildings could include use and occupation patterns as comprehensive as cities themselves these would need to be supported by a skeletal structure of building systems that would include structural transportation service climate control and inhabitation systems amongst designers and engineers there exists much discussion about building super tall buildings yet there may be a need for departing from the current type of central core high rise buildings in this light the thesis proposes conceptual solutions for building systems that may provide for sustaining more than 122 000 people the idea is based on the concept of a triangulated mega frame structure of roughly 49 700 sqm footprint that rises at a 1 5 aspect ratio to 1560m of height the building is organized

hierarchically in components of varying sizes interspersed between habitable modules are lobbies and spaces that act much like public places of a city the basic module is an adaptable and suspended eight story unit pod clusters of 30 such pods connected in pairs by common atria form one planning unit of 242 m height this unit is serviced by a centrally suspended structure which acts much as a public plaza square five of these planning units rise to make up the building woven into this assembly of modules lobbies and plazas are vertical and horizontal connections like streets these again are hierarchically organized to provide for movement at different speeds and distances much like horizontal streets or rail networks the result is a building that provides an intense concentration of resources and delivers a degree of control connectivity and adaptability that could suggest an alternative form of thinking about growing cities under such dense urban conditions as are prevalent in hong kong the construction and operation of buildings is responsible for 41 percent of all primary energy use and 48 percent of all carbon emissions and the impact of the demolition and removal of an older building can greatly diminish the advantages of adding green technologies to new construction in building reuse kathryn rogers merlino makes an impassioned case that truly sustainable design requires reusing and reimagining existing buildings additionally merlino calls for a more expansive view of preservation that goes beyond keeping only the most distinctive structures based on their historical and cultural significance to embrace the creative reuse of even unremarkable buildings for their environmental value building reuse includes a compelling range of case studies from a private home to an eighteen story office building all located in the pacific northwest a region with a long history of sustainable design and urban growth policies that have made reuse projects feasible reusing existing buildings can be challenging to accomplish but changing the way we think about environmentally conscious architecture has the potential to

significantly reduce energy consumption carbon emissions and waste design like you give a damn 2 is the indispensable handbook for anyone committed to building a more sustainable future following the success of their first book architecture for humanity brings readers the next edition with more than 100 projects from around the world packed with practical and ingenious design solutions this book addresses the need for basic shelter housing education health care clean water and renewable energy one on one interviews and provocative case studies demonstrate how innovative design is reimagining community and uplifting lives from building material innovations such as smog eating concrete to innovative public policy that is repainting brazil s urban slums design like you give a damn 2 serves as a how to guide for anyone seeking to build change from the ground up praise for design like you give a damn 2 startfragment the resourcefulness of the projects in the book is inspiring its information practical see stohr s chapter on financing sustainable community development and its numerous factoids sobering tmagazine blogs nytimes com based on practical knowledge of building converting and operating a wide range of premises used by people with some form of visual impairment this text is intended to fill a gap in the range of literature available on this subject

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