Getting up to Speed: The Evolution of Los Angeles’ Built Environment
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Abstract
Los Angeles’ architecture and design scenes are lauded as the most innovative and experimental in the world. This micro-seminar will present the history of Los Angeles’ architecture, urban design and real estate developments, over the course of the last 100 years. We will analyze the city’s evolution -- past, present and future -- and look at its world-renowned built cityscape, showcasing what makes Los Angeles a remarkable place to live, work and play.

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