The AIA Committee on Design (COD) invites architects, students, and allied design professionals to submit sketches to the international 2009 COD Ideas Competition. In this unique sketch competition, submitters are asked to explore the legacy of Modernist design through a concept design problem.

**SUBMISSIONS**
Entries will be digital, consisting of drawings and renderings presented on two PowerPoint slides.

**CHALLENGE**
Design a new house to replace the recently demolished Raymond House (architect: Eleanor Raymond, FAIA). Regarded at the time of its construction as the first true Modern house in New England, and one of the earliest in the United States, the Raymond House was a signature work of one of the most prominent American women architects of the 20th century. Submissions to this competition must follow the same program as the original house, interpret the ideals of Modernism, and follow guidelines for sustainable design.

Award recipients will receive funding to attend the COD Spring Design Conference in Boston, and their work will be exhibited at the 2009 AIA National Convention in San Francisco. Selected entries will be displayed on the AIA Web site.

Visit [www.aia.org/cod_ideas](http://www.aia.org/cod_ideas) for complete competition requirements and submission instructions.

The studio will be taught by Jill Salter.

The studio project will follow the guidelines set forth by The Living Building Challenge and will require a significant effort in construction drawings.

Students will be expected to develop their designs to the level of wall sections and construction detail.

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