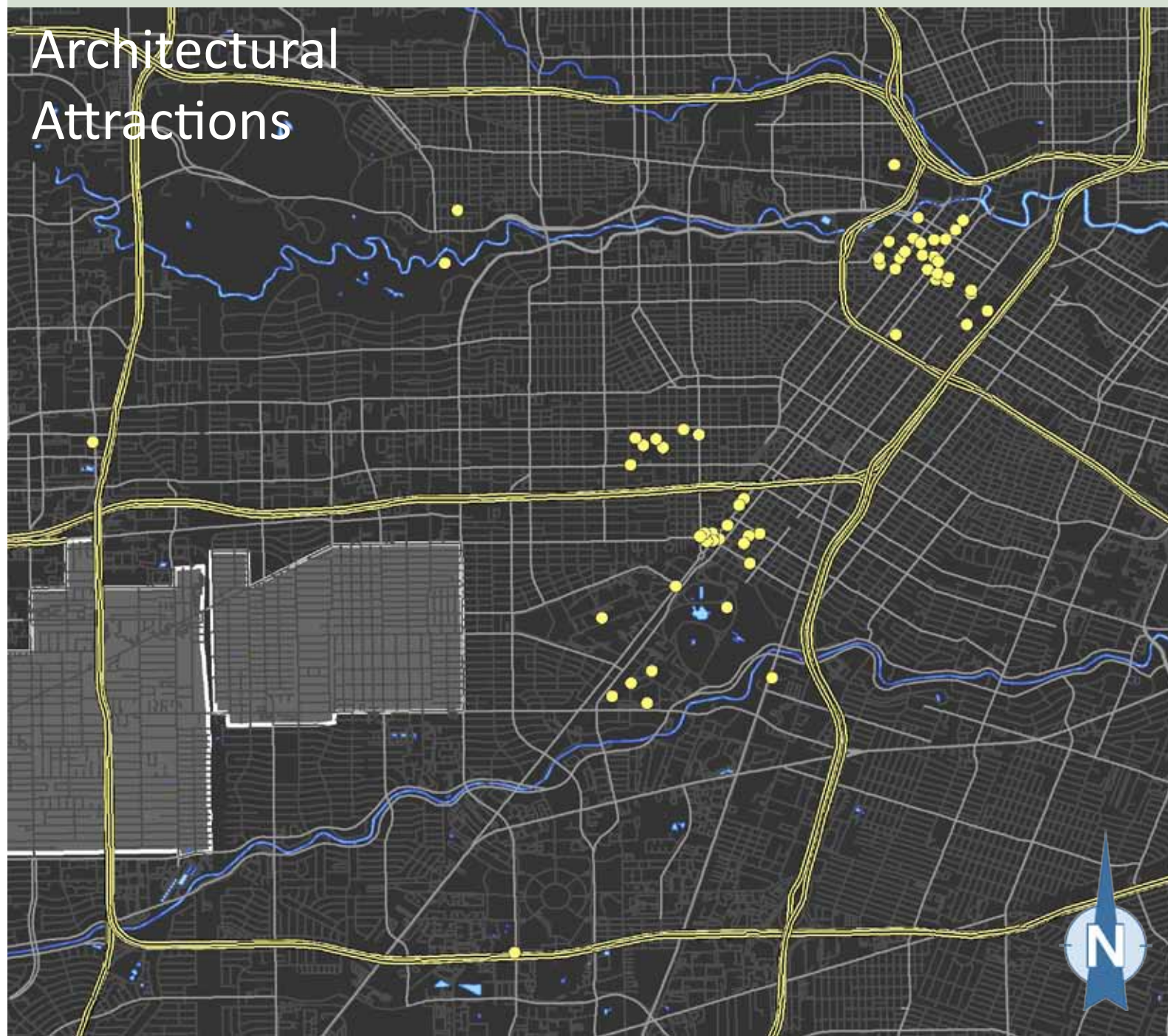
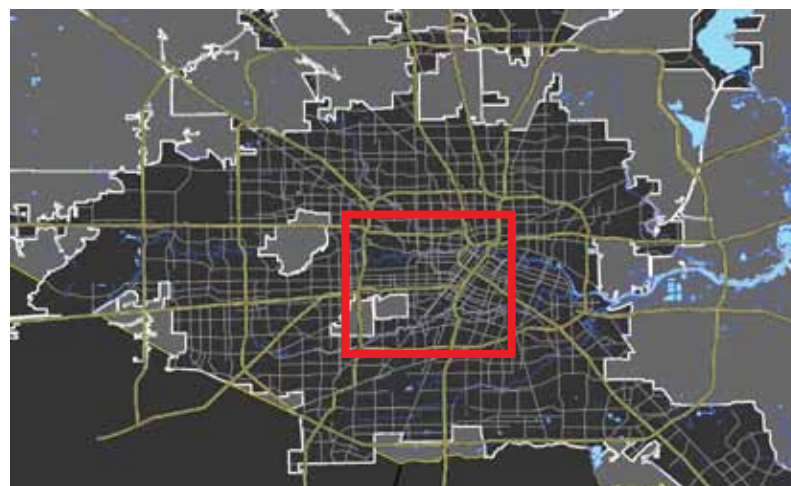


Architectural Attractions



The American Institute of Architecture is a short excerpt from the produced an Architectural Guide for the City, which displays a comprehensive list of all architecturally significant buildings and place in Houston. This brochure “Phillip Lopate has described and our analysis of the the complexity of Houston Architourist City of Houston as yeilding an inner richness, deciphers their 850 entries unsuspected from the into these 60 Architectural perspective of the freeway, Attractions which illustrate unilluminated in the refracted what the City has to offer, and light of mirror-glass-clad those “must see” works for office towers. Since the



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1970's, painters, sculptors, purposeful architectural and writers have begun to invention. Houston thus explore and disclose these presents a broad array other Houstons - funky, of typological and formal marginal, subversive-tendancies rather than inworks that treat well defined, patiently Houston as an archeology, distilled, and conciously a compilation of urban applied local traditions. experiences heretofore Such traditions have unexcavatedandanalyzed. existed, but they fall into Architecture has hardly disuse, go unrecognized attempted to share this and uncatalogued, and introspective tendency. so lose their connection Instead it reflects, as to the present. This it customarily has, the phenomenon occurs not city's extroversion. over centuries, but well Because Houston has within an architect's span looked beyond itself for of practice”

architectural direction, eclecticism, and formalism have been recurring traits. Typological developments have depended more on externally imposed determinates, usually economic, than on



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Asia Society
1370 Southmore Blvd.
Yoshio Tanaguchi
2012



2

Astrodome
Loop 610 & Kirby Drive
H. Lloyd & W.B. Morgan
1965



3

Bank of America Center
700 Louisiana Street
Johnson/Burgee Arch.
1983



4

Bayou Bend
2940 Lazy Lane
J. Staub & B. Briscoe
1928



5

Beer Can House
222 Malone Street
John Milkovich
1968



6

BG Group Place
811 Main Street
Pickard Chilton
2011



7

Brochstein Pavilion
6100 Main Street
Thomas Phifer
2010



8

Byzantine Fresco Chapel
4011 Yupon Street
Francois De Menil
1997



9

Carter Building
806 Main Street
Unknown
1911



10

CenterPoint Energy Tower
1111 Louisiana Street
Richard Keating
1972



11

Chevron Tower
1301 McKinney Avenue
Caudill Rowlett Scott
1982



12

Childrens Museum
1500 Binz Street
Robert Venturi
1992



13

Clayton Library Center
5300 Caroline Street
Maldonado Architects
2008



19

First City Tower
1001 Fannin Street
Morris Aubry Arch.
1981



25

Hess Tower
1501 McKinney Street
Gensler
2010



31

Houston Museum of
Natural Science
One Hermann Park Dr.
George Pierce
1964



37

MFA - Audry Jones Beck
Building
5601 Main Street
Rafael Moneo
2000



43

One City Center
1001 Main Street
SOM
1960



49

Richmond Hall
1500 Richmond Avenue
Dan Flavin
1996



55

Methodist Research
Center
6670 Bertner Avenue
KPF
2011



14

Contemporary Art
Museum
5216 Montrose Blvd.
Gunnar Birkerts
1972



20

First Presbyterian
Church
5300 Main Street
H. Upjohn & M. Sullivan
1949



26

Hilton Americas
1600 Lamar Street
Arquitctonica
2003



32

JP Morgan Chase Tower
600 Travis Street
I.M. Pei
1981



38

MFA - Cullinan Hall &
Brown Pavillion
1001 Bissonet Street
Mies Van Der Rowe
1974



44

One Houston Center
1221 McKinney Street
S.I. Morris Assoc., 3DI
1978



50

Rothko Chapel
1409 Sull Ross Street
Phillip Johnson
1971



56

Two Houston Center
909 Fannin Street
William L. Pereira Assoc.
1974



15

Cullen Sculpture Garden
Montrose Blvd. &
Bissonett Street
Isomu Noguchi
1987



21

General Services Admin
Building
Unknown
Page Sutherland Page
2010



27

Holocaust Museum
5401 Caroline Street
Ralph Appelbaum
1993



33

Lawndale Art &
Performace Center
4912 Main Street
L. Barry Davidson
1997



39

Museum of Fine Arts
1001 Bissonet Street
William Ward Watkin
1924



45

One Shell Plaza
910 Louisiana Street
SOM
1971



51

Sacred Hearts Co-
Chapel
Address
Address
Address



57

Union National Bank
220 Main Street
Mauran, Russell, &
Crowell
1912



16

CY Twombly Gallery
1501 Branard Street
Renzo Piano
1995



22

George R. Brown
Convention Center
1001 Convention Blvd.
Mario Bolullo
1987



28

Houston Ballet
501 Texas Avenue
Gensler
2011



34

MD Anderson Cancer
Center
1515 Holcombe Blvd.
HKS
2011



40

New Texas Children's
Hospital Maternity
Center
6701 Fannin Street
FKP
2012



46

Pennzoil Place
711 Louisiana Street
Johnson/Burgee Arch.
1976



52

St. Basil Chapel
3802 Yoakum Blvd.
Phillip Johnson
1995



58

Wabi Sabi House
Unknown
Olsen Kundig Architects
2008



17

Discovery Green
1500 McKinney Street
Hargreaves Associates
2008



23

Heritage Plaza
1111 Bagby Street
M. Nasr & Partners
1987



29

Houston Center for
Contemporary Crafts
4848 Main Street
Unknown
2001



35

Menil Museum
1515 Sull Ross Street
Renzo Piano
1987



41

Niels Esperson Building
808 Travis Street
John Eberson
1927



47

Post Rice Lofts
909 Texas Avenue
Mauran, Russell, &
Crowell
1913



53

St. Mathew's Lawrence
5315 Main Street
J.W. Northrop Jr.
1927



59

Wells Fargo Plaza
1000 Louisiana Street
SOM
1983



18

Elder Artists Lofts
1101 Elder Street
Studio Red Architects
1930's



24

Herman Miller Outdoor
Theatre
100 Concert Drive
Eugene Werlin & Assoc.
1968



30

Houston City Hall
901 Bagby Street
Joseph Finger
1938



36

Methodist Research
Center
6670 Bertner Avenue
KPF
2011



42

One Allen Center
500 Dallas Avenue
Wilson, Morris, Crane,
& Anderson
1972



48

Public National Bank
402 Main Street
James Ruskin Bailey
1925



54

St. Paul's United
Methodist
5501 Main Street
Alfred C. Finn
1930



60

Williams Tower
2800 Post Oak Blvd.
Morris Architects
1983