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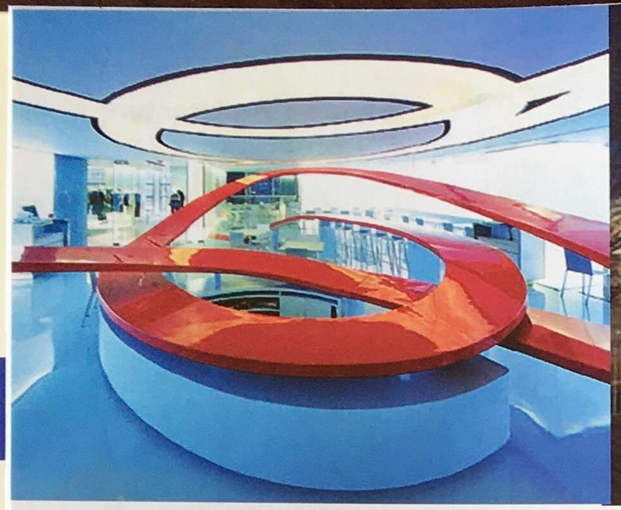

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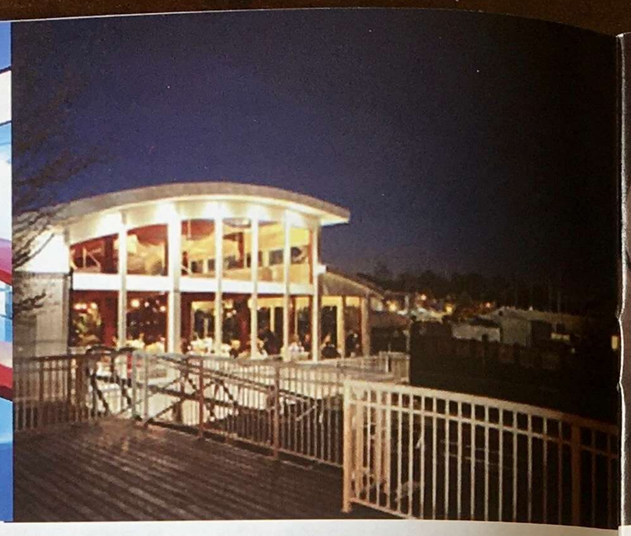

Marina Cafe by Salvadeo Associates Architects

Italian Architects

No less now than in ancient Rome, Italian architects are noted throughout the world as top designers of commercial and residential buildings, stunning in both beauty and engineering sophistication. There are a number of Italian architects today, either based here or in Italy, that are erecting great structures all over the world. They can design your home or commercial structure. PRIMO provides the following list of Italian architects who are able to provide Americans design work.

Alessio Patalocco
Projects: Conti Day Spa, Day S.p.a., Terni, Italy, 2007; Plus/Minimum, Eco-Pedonal Bridge, Magliano Sabina, Italy, 2006; In the whale's belly, floating pavilion for the biennial expo, Bilbao, Spain, 2006.
www.alessiopatalocco.eu

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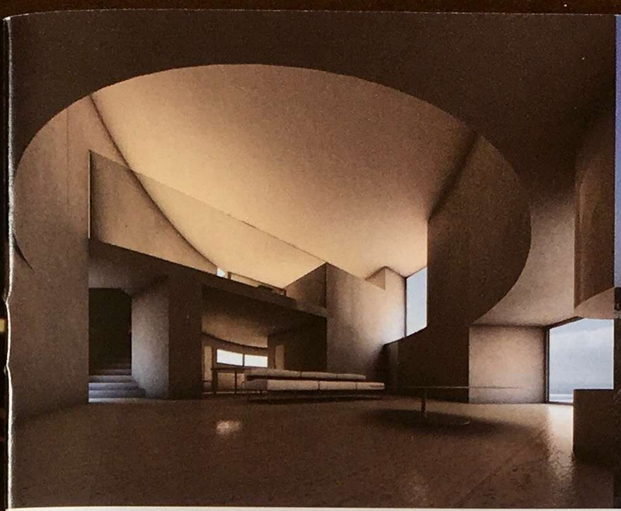
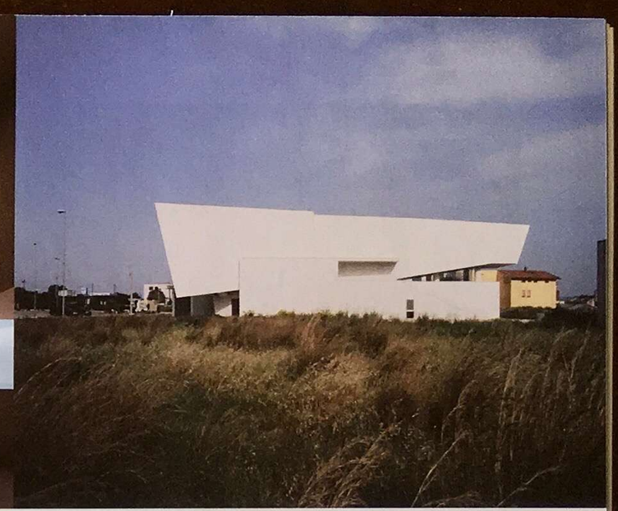
Headed by Annarita Emili, the firm defines its architecture as experimental in that they experiment the impact a particular space has on people. Those effects, mainly related to the phenomenological and perceptive aspect take their inspiration from a series of phenomena inherent to the contemporary reality that influence the conception of the living space. Projects: Bunker House, Anguillara, Rome (Italy), in progress, 2007, Single family house; Well house, Skyscraper 07 architectural competition, New York, 2007; The invisible house, international competition in Manchester, 1999. www.altro-studio.it

Antonino Cardillo Architect
An architect, he trained for five years with professor Iolanda Lima and contributed to her various scientific publications about the history of architecture at the University of Palermo. Between 2003 and 2004 he worked in Nonis Maggiore practice in Milan and Manfredi Nicoletti practice in Rome. Since 2004 his architectural practice based in Rome is working in the fields of architecture, interior design, urban design and landscape architecture. Lately, he has written an article about



Ellipse 1501 by Antonio Cardillo Architect



Services Center by Matrixassociati

Today In America

contemporary Italian architecture for UK Blueprint magazine and is also working as an article writer on the history of cities for Ulisse, the Alitalia airline magazine. Most of his design works are published in several international magazines. www.antoninocardillo.com

Antonino Treu, Architect
The multi-disciplinary firm is dedicated to design excellence with competent and loyal service to each and every client. Antonino Treu, an Italian architect and the team leader, brings to every project a commitment of cost conscious, sophisticated and elegant design in the tradition of excellence of Italian design. Projects: Rubinstein Residence, single family house, Ft. Lauderdale, FL, USA, 2007; Meadowoods, single family house, Kent, CT, USA, 2001; Quintero Residence, residential renovation, Ft. Lauderdale, FL, USA, 2002.
www.atadesign.com.

DA-A ARCHITETTI
The firm looks at the great potential of architecture as the realization of buildings, spaces, and objects. Projects: Bella fuori 2008; Regeneration of public spaces, St. Donato Quarter, Bologna, Italy, 2007; Public Eco-houses in Piazzola sul Brenta, Padua, Italy, 2007; New public sport center and swimming pool, Origgio (Varese), Italy, 2006. www.da-a.it

Giancarlo Zema Design Group
The future of architecture is on the water and man will be more and more inclined towards living a floating experience. For this reason, their efforts are towards creating innovative architecture in harmony with nature. They have partnered with ZLH (Pty) Ltd (South Africa) an engineering consulting company for the engineering of projects, collaborated with Underwater Vehicles Inc. (Canada) a leader in the development of underwater vessels.
www.giancarlozema.com

Giovanni Vaccarini Architects
Projects: Astra Building, Giulianova-Teramo, Italy, 2003-2007, Multi-Functional Building; Apm Pian Di Massiano, Perugia, Italy, 2007, International Competition (First Prize); Marina Rose Tower, Dubai, Uae, 2007, Residential Tower. www.giovannivaccarini.it

Giovanni D'Ambrosio
The architectural experience, obtained in Italy by working on design objects and houses, was fully developed during a 12-year period in Indonesia, where Giovanni realized several private building projects such as restaurants, art galleries and villas, learning more and more about primitive nature and sensuality. He won the first prize for the ENIT Italian Pavilion, the national tourism agency, in 1989. He obtained an honorable mention with