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Getty Foundation Announces Grants for 20th-Century Buildings

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As part of a new philanthropic effort focused on the conservation of 20th-century architecture around the world the Getty Foundation in Los Angeles on Wednesday announced the first 10 grants for significant modern buildings.

The projects selected under the initiative — called “Keeping It Modern” — include Louis Kahn’s Salk Institute for Biological Studies in the La Jolla area of San Diego, Alvar Aalto’s Paimio Sanatorium in Finland, Frank Lloyd Wright’s Robie House in Chicago, Ray and Charles Eames’s residence ‘The Eames House’ in Los Angeles, I.M. Pei’s Luce Memorial Chapel in Taiwan and Le Corbusier’s apartment and studio in Paris.

The program was created to complement the Getty Conservation Institute’s Conserving Modern Architecture Initiative. Criteria for the next round of applications will be announced at getty.edu/foundation.

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