



MODERNIST ARCHITECTURE IN CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA

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SURVEY STANDINGS

As of January 9, 2019, 654 properties have been identified as meeting the survey criteria.

A list of exemplary properties is being selected from the findings. Here's a sample of what has been found thus far:

129 WEST TRADE (1009)

129 West Trade Street

Ca. 1958 commercial office tower

Designed by Harrison and Abramovitz with
A. G. Odell and Associates

Served as the Charlotte headquarters of Wachovia
Bank and Trust until 1974

First building in the nation to use prismatic pre-cast
concrete panels

Tallest reinforced concrete building in North
Carolina at the time of construction





GREEN OAKS GARDEN APARTMENTS (1043)

1400-1525 Eastcrest Drive
Ca. 1962 garden apartments



CHARLES BATES HOUSE (1085)

9331 Providence Road
Ca. 1960 glass house
Designed by architect Charles
Bates
Inspired by Phillip Johnson's iconic
1949 glass house



BRUCE AND MEG LAING HOUSE (1186)

501 Ellsworth Road
Ca. 1955 flat-roofed house
Designed by architect Harold
Cooler
Bruce Laing was a local sculptor



UNNAMED COMMERCIAL BUILDING (1349)

1431 Bryant Street
Ca. 1955 commercial building



RESURRECTION LUTHERAN CHURCH (1582)

2940 Commonwealth Avenue
Ca. 1958 church