



WX New York Women Executives in Real Estate (WX) welcomed Barry Bergdoll, the Phillip Johnson Chief Curator of Architecture and Design at the Museum of Modern Art (MoMA), as moderator of a panel entitled "Hurricane Sandy and Rising Currents." Panelists included Susannah Drake, principal, DLANDSTUDIO Architecture + Landscape Architecture PLLC; Thaddeus Pawlowski, Urban Designer, Mayor's Office of Housing Recovery; NYC Department of City Planning chief urban designer Clair Weisz, FAIA, principal, WXY Architecture and Urban Design and; Adam Yarinsky, principal, Architecture Research Office (ARO). Panelists discussed the effects of Hurricane Sandy as perceived through the lens of MoMA's Rising Currents exhibit, and presented five projects that offer creative solutions for mitigating damage from future storms and ensure the long-term resiliency of New York's coastal infrastructure. Speakers also explored the governmental agency issues and challenges involved in future planning.