



Great Places Presents: Whitehorse Architect Jack Kobayashi of Kobayashi + Zedda Architects 7:00 PM, Thursday January 17th, The Broadway Theatre, Saskatoon Free Admission

Press Release

Great Places is pleased to present a lecture by Jack Kobayashi of Kobayashi + Zedda Architects, at 7:00 PM on Thursday, January 17th, 2013, at the Broadway Theatre in Saskatoon. Jack will be presenting architectural works focusing on sustainable buildings projects in cold weather climates and First Nations communities.

Kobayashi + Zedda architects ltd. is a Whitehorse-based architecture and planning firm and winner of the 2006 Professional Prix de Rome from the Canada Council. Together with their partner firm, 360° Design Build, KZA is a multi-disciplinary team of 10 personnel including urban planners, architects, general contractors and carpenters. Kobayashi + Zedda Architects is the largest Yukon Architecture firm. 360° Design Build is one of the Yukon's most active private developers, having constructed over \$9 million worth of multi-use commercial / residential projects in downtown Whitehorse in the past 8 years. Deeply involved in the transformation of downtown Whitehorse into a vibrant living and working community, KZA believe in compact pedestrian friendly built environment, where building design is a reflection of the conditions unique to this part of the world. The firm has a combined experience of 40 years working in the Yukon in every eco-region of the Territory. Recently, the firm has become recognized throughout Canada for its First Nations and sustainable architecture.

Great Places is a discussion forum that focuses on current issues related to the built environment in Saskatoon as shaped by architecture, urban planning, public art and landscape design. The group brings together visionary design professionals, government officials and citizens to discuss projects, initiatives, and precedents, locally and from abroad.

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