



# Women Architects of Santa Barbara

Presented by: Rose Thomas

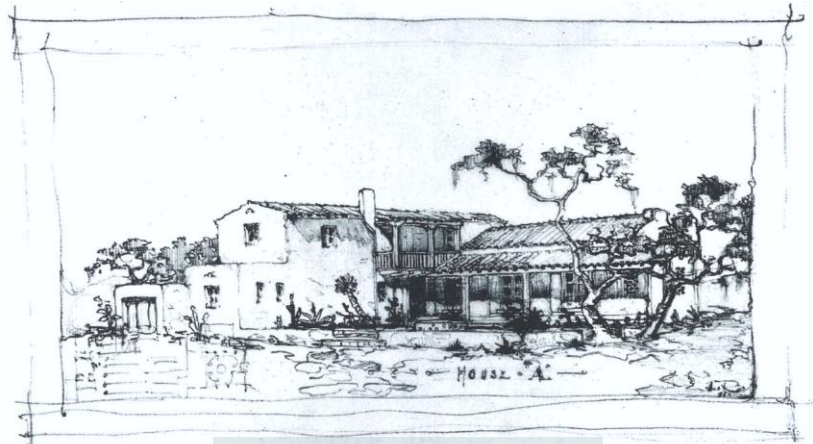
**Two Mondays: December 4 and 11, 2023**  
**1:00 – 3:30 p.m.**

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Bethany Congregational Church  
556 N. Hope Avenue, Santa Barbara

Santa Barbara holds an important position within the history of twentieth century community planning and architecture. It is known to be among the earliest American cities to commit to an expression of architecture related to its Hispanic past and Mediterranean climate. But many are unaware that numerous buildings and homes in our area were designed by forward thinking women who added to the city’s character. Join historian Rose Thomas as she shares the stories and structures of five creative individuals who followed their passion and contributed to the legacy of our beautiful city by the sea.

The first session will cover the careers of pioneer architects **Julia Morgan** and **Lutah Maria Riggs**. The second will examine the designers **Harriet Moody**, **Mary Osborne Craig**, and **Anna Louise Vhay**.



A residential design by Lutah Maria Riggs

**PLEASE REVIEW THE STATEMENT ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THIS FLYER REGARDING VACCINATION REQUIREMENTS.**

**Preferred registration deadline\*: November 27, 2023**

\*Early enrollment helps us with our planning; also, those who register by the preferred deadline will be given priority in case of over-enrollment.

## **Enrollment form: Women Architects of Santa Barbara**

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**VISTAS members \$30; non-members \$45**

➤ **EITHER pay online** on our website by secure credit card through PayPal:  
<https://www.vistaslifelonglearning.org/current-courses>

➤ **OR mail this form** and your check to: VISTAS Lifelong Learning, Inc.  
P.O. Box 23228, Santa Barbara CA 93121

Number of persons \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

*It is understood that attendance is limited to those who are fully vaccinated against Covid-19.*



Active in Santa Barbara’s rich cultural scene since the 1980s, Rose has held multiple positions at the Santa Barbara Museum of Art and coordinated artists’ studio tours as well as courses on Santa Barbara Architecture through Santa Barbara City College Continuing Education. As curator for the Santa Barbara Trust for Historic Preservation, Rose presented an exhibition on architect Reginald Johnson and later co-curated an exhibition on Lulah Maria Riggs for the Santa Barbara Historical Museum. She recently retired from Lotusland, where she held the position of research associate for ten years.



Julia Morgan



Lulah Maria Riggs



Harriet Moody



Mary Craig

### IMPORTANT COVID-19 POLICY

The health and safety of our attendees and their families are of utmost importance to us. **Accordingly, we are limiting attendance to those who are fully vaccinated.** Proof of vaccinations and boosters (digital Covid-19 Vaccination Card or a photo of your printed card) must be sent to our business manager via email ([vistas@vistaslifelonglearning.org](mailto:vistas@vistaslifelonglearning.org)) or text (805-967-6030). Participants may also be asked to show vaccination status on the first day of each course in case our records are incomplete. This needs to be done only once—your proof of vaccination will remain valid for all VISTAS events. We appreciate your understanding and cooperation.

## VISTAS Fall 2023 Calendar

**SUBJECT TO CHANGE; for up-to-date information, visit our website ([VistasLifelongLearning.org](http://VistasLifelongLearning.org)) frequently!**

Course / Event	Date(s)	Time	Venue
Annual Fall Picnic	Saturday, September 9	12:30 pm	Tucker’s Grove
Fiction Book Club / Sharon Alvarado	3rd Thursday monthly	10:00 am	Bethany Congreg. Church
Monday Nonfiction Book Club / Dawn McGrew	4th Monday monthly	1:30 pm	Via Zoom
Flight—Ups and Downs of Aviation / Bruce Phillips	Mon. Sep. 11 and 18	1:00 pm	Bethany Congreg. Church
Impact of Railroads on Am. Music / Norm Cohen	Wed. Sep. 13, 20, 27, Oct. 4	9:30 am	Bethany Congreg. Church
Legendary Foods of France and Italy / Larry Canepa	Fri. Sep. 15 and 22	10:00 am	Via Zoom
Women behind Walls / Bee Bloeser	Thur. Sep. 28	9:30 am	Bethany Congreg. Church
Rethinking Obesity / Dr. Fima Lifshitz	Tues. Oct. 3	9:30 am	Valle Verde
Money in America’s Political System / Ted Anagnoson	Mon. Oct. 16, 23, 30	9:30 am	Bethany Congreg. Church
The Nature of Time / Jim Hemmer	Wed. Oct. 18	9:30 am	Bethany Congreg. Church
Pirates! / Peter Beuret	Thur. Oct. 26	9:30 am	Bethany Congreg. Church
History and Development of the Bible / Norm Cohen	Fri. Oct. 27, Nov. 3, 10, 17	9:30 am	Venue TBD
The US in the World: A Top-10 Summary / D. Stowell	Tues. Oct. 31	10:00 am	Via Zoom
Thirty-Six Years in the CIA / Heidi August	Mon. Nov. 6	9:30 am	Bethany Congreg. Church
<i>Sitting Bull: In His Own Words</i> / J. Ferry & G. DeSoto	Wed. Nov. 8	9:30 am	Valle Verde Theater
Church Music in the 16th Century / Henry Michaels	Mon. Nov. 13, 20, 27	10:00 am	Via Zoom
“The Opulent Summer” Mural / C. Garfinkle	Wed. Nov. 15	9:30 am	Bethany Congreg. Church
Combating Human Trafficking / Florrie Burke	Fri. Dec. 1	9:30 am	Bethany Congreg. Church
<b>Women Architects of S.B. / Rose Thomas</b>	<b>Mon. Dec. 4, 11</b>	<b>1:00 pm</b>	<b>Bethany Congreg. Church</b>
Science Behind the Botanic Garden / S. Windhager	Wed. Dec. 6	1:00 pm	Santa Barbara Botanic Garden