



THE FRANK LLOYD WRIGHT HOUSE IN EBSWORTH PARK
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**Mike Lilek, Curator, Burnham Block American System-Built Houses
Frank Lloyd Wright's "American Home"**

Date: Friday, April 7, 2017

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Location: Saint Louis Art Museum Farrell Auditorium

Fee: Free and open to the public. Tickets are required. Advance tickets are available in person at Art Museum's Information Centers, through Metrotix.com (service charge applies), or by calling 314.534.1111. Same day tickets, if available, can be obtained on-site only.

In keeping with his vision of creating architect-designed homes for all Americans, Wright began designing small homes for moderate to low-income workers in 1911. Six of these modest homes, known as American System-Built houses, were constructed on West Burnham Street in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. As years passed, the homes fell into disrepair and their significance was almost forgotten. Mike Lilek, Curator Burnham Block American System-Built Houses, will speak about the current restoration process that is bringing back the original luster and charm of these tiny houses.

Lecture Information:

<https://www.facebook.com/events/1646966278931526/>

The Frank Lloyd Wright House in Ebsworth Park was formed as a non-profit organization in 1995 to purchase, restore and operate the Ruth and Russell Kraus House, designed by Wright and completed in 1955, as a house museum. The house is notable for its architectural integrity and original Wright-designed furnishings. The organization also offers programs to educate the public about architecture and design. More information about the Frank Lloyd Wright House in Ebsworth Park can be found at www.ebsworthpark.org. Guided tours are offered year-round, Wednesday through Sunday, by advance reservation by calling (314) 822-8359.

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