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Sky Scrapers Black Dog & Leventhal Pub
 The 'Tall Buildings: their problems and some ideas' publication humbly deconstructs and reconstructs what a tall building can be. Its content is informed by a half-day symposium held in 2018 that investigated new and radical approaches to vertical city-building, co-curated by Stephanie Macdonald from London-based 6a architects and Sofia von Ellrichshausen from Chilean art and architecture studio Pezo von Ellrichshausen and property developer Molonglo. The publication features interviews with 6a architects, Pezo von Ellrichshausen, essays and original photography.
[Multi-purpose High-rise Towers and Tall Buildings](#) Images Publishing

Throughout history, the story of the skyscraper has been defined by our desire for ascendance--politically, militarily, economically, religiously, culturally, and, of course, physically. These spectacular superstructures epitomise more than architectural aspiration, they excite the imagination and inspire awe. The scope of the book is deliberately broad with a thematic first section and a geographical second section. Conceptual chapters, introduce the origins of our desire to build high and explore the skyscraper's role in fuelling our imaginations through different modes of cultural expression. How To Read Skyscrapers offers a deep and rich understanding of the skyscraper by providing a comprehensive account of this unique and captivating building-type, from its origins in myth and legend to its future potential in satisfying humankind's needs and aspirations.

[The Tallest Buildings](#) New York : Knopf
 There are many books about tall buildings, but few focus on residential high-rises. Perhaps this is because they are traditionally not as tall as commercial high-rises. This book explores a selection of residential tall buildings from around the world, predominantly from North America and Asia.
The Tall Building Artistically Reconsidered Images Publishing
 Offers architects and creative services professionals exclusive insights and strategies for success from the former CEO of HOK. Designing a World Class Architecture Firm: The People, Stories and Strategies Behind HOK tells the history of one of the largest design firms in the world and draws lessons from it that can help other architects, interior designers, urban planners and creative services professionals grow bigger or better.

Former HOK CEO Patrick MacLeamy shares the revolutionary strategies HOK's founders deployed to create a brand-new type of architecture firm. He pulls no punches, revealing the triple crisis that almost bankrupted HOK and describes how any firm can survive and thrive. Designing a World Class Architecture Firm tells the inside story of many of HOK's most iconic buildings, including the National Air and Space Museum, Moscone Convention Center, Oriole Park at Camden Yards, the Houston Galleria and the reimagined LaGuardia Airport. Each chapter conveys lessons learned from HOK's successes—and failures—including: The importance of diversifying to depression-and-recession-proof your firm The benefit of organizing your firm around specialized leaders and project types The difference between leading and managing your people The value of simple financial metrics to ensure your firm's health and profitability The "run toward trouble" strategy which prevents problems from ballooning MacLeamy delivers his advice via inspirational stories such as how HOK survived when its home office in St. Louis went up in flames and humorous stories, like the time an HOK executive was mistaken for royalty on a trip to Saudi Arabia. In this tell-all guide, the driven architecture or design professional will find the tools needed to evolve or grow any firm.

[HOK Design Annual 2018](#) Heinemann-Raintree Library

Examines the history, design, construction, and uses of skyscrapers and describes some notable examples.

Skyscrapers Royal Academy Books
Interest continues to develop in the design and construction of high-rise towers and tall buildings, structures with heights ranging from 75m to 500m and even more. This volume presents the papers from the third in a series of international conferences on the subject, organised by the International Federation of High-rise Structures. The papers have been drawn together under the grand theme of the Conquest of Vertical Space in the 21st Century. The conference has been organised by the UK's Concrete Society, and sponsored by the IFHS and the Council on Tall Buildings and Urban Habitat and the Fédération Internationale de la Précontrainte (FIP). This prestigious collaboration has brought forth a body of high quality practical and research papers. [Skyscrapers](#) Images Publishing Group
This history of skyscrapers examines how these tall buildings affected the cityscape and the people who worked in, lived in, and visited them. Much of the focus is

rightly on the architects who had the vision to design and build America's skyscrapers, but attention is also given to the steelworkers who built them, the financiers who put up the money, and the daredevils who attempt to "conquer" them in some inexplicable pursuit of fame. The impact of the skyscraper on popular culture, particularly film and literature, is also explored.

Skyscrapers Oro Editions

Ho+kOro Editions

Where Is the Empire State Building?

Editions Norma

Ada Louise Huxtable offers here an energetic defense of cities and a brilliant consideration of the skyscraper as art, as business, as the product of politics and speculation.

[Sky High](#) RotoVision

The HOK Design Annual 2017 highlights this leading global design firm's most exceptional recent work in architecture, interior design, planning, and urban design, and product design. The projects demonstrate the intersection between HOK'S thought leadership in specialty areas--including aviation + transportation, sports, healthcare, science + technology, interiors, urbanism, tall buildings, and sustainability--and the firmwide commitment to design excellence. The projects are geographically diverse, represent a variety of scales, and are technologically advanced. They are examples of how great design can bring significant benefits to clients, building occupants and communities. This book is a valuable reference source on global trends for design professionals, students, and architecture enthusiasts. It provides insight into the creative process of the teams creating society's next generation of buildings.

[Second Century of the Skyscraper](#) Gareth Stevens Publishing LLLP

tenant is looming in importance. The owner is having more influence on the building. As Gerald D. Hines has said, there are indications that the desire for more discretionary time will lead to more residential high-rises close to or in the midst of downtown office buildings. Downtown living could become the desired alternative. Tall buildings will be approached increasingly from the standpoint of an urban ecology - that what happens to a part can influence the whole. Providing for public as well as private needs in a tall building project is just one example (facilities for schools, shops, religious, and other needs). More attention will be paid to maintaining streets as lively and interesting places. Will a new "world's tallest" be built? Will we go a mile high?

The answer is probably "yes" to the first, "no" to the second. With the recent spate of super-tall buildings on the drawing boards, going to greater heights was in the back of many people's minds at the Chicago conference. But in the United States, at least, buildings of 70 to 80 stories would appear to provide needed space consistent with economy. The future, then, is described in depth by papers that go into specific areas.

[Tall Buildings + Urban Habitat, Volume 4](#) Oro Editions

Discusses skyscrapers, from the first one constructed in Chicago in 1884 to those of today, and points out the problems skyscrapers have helped solve and create. [Tall Buildings](#) Springer

Highlighting the best tall building construction from 2014, [Best Tall Buildings](#) seeks to represent those projects with the most innovative design and those which strive to advance the profile of the tall building as an integrated sustainable element in cities across the world. Fascinating and inspiring reading for all those interested in the planning, design and construction of tall buildings.

Skyscrapers Council on Tall Buildings & Urban Habitat

Read this book to find the answers to all these questions, and more. It is packed with information, facts, photos, charts, and diagrams to help you find out all there is to know about skyscrapers. Book jacket. [Rise of the New York Skyscraper, 1865-1913](#) Heinemann-Raintree Library
The invention of the New York skyscraper is one of the most fascinating developments in the history of architecture. This authoritative book chronicles the history of New York's first skyscrapers, challenging conventional wisdom that it was in Chicago and not New York that the skyscraper was born. 206 illustrations.

[Skyscrapers](#) Oro Editions

Skyscrapers have been piercing the clouds since the end of the nineteenth century. As real estate prices soar, the only way to build is up, and developers are always trying to build bigger, better and higher than anyone else. [How to Build a Skyscraper](#) gives you the low down on the high buildings that loom over us in cities around the world. This is the most comprehensive collection of modern skyscrapers, and includes 45 new buildings including the current world's tallest tower - the Burj Khalifa (only due to be superseded in 2020). Each iconic building is accompanied by beautiful photography and bespoke illustrations that reveal the internal structure of the building, as well as detailed cross-sections,

information on the construction, historical context and architect, and fact boxes containing key dates and materials.

Second Century of the Skyscraper CRC Press

The Council on Tall Buildings and Urban Habitat (CTBUH) is the world's foremost authority on tall buildings. *Best Tall Buildings* chronicles the annual awards process, in which the CTBUH recognizes outstanding tall buildings and design innovations that advance the potential of integrated sustainability, economic productivity, and social prosperity in cities across the world. More than an awards book, this volume serves as a global overview of tall building construction and activity in a given year, providing in-depth description of the buildings' design and significance, accompanied by stunning images, detailed drawings, and plans. This book provides fascinating and inspiring reading for all those interested in the

planning, design, and construction of tall buildings. CTBUH bestows 11 awards annually, four of which are given to buildings in various geographical regions: Americas, Asia & Australasia, Europe, and Middle East & Africa. The title of overall Best Tall Building Worldwide is then presented to one of the four regional winners at the annual CTBUH Awards Symposium and Ceremony. Additionally, the Urban Habitat Award recognizes significant contributions to the urban realm, in connection with tall buildings. The 10 Year Award recognizes proven value and performance—across one or more of a wide range of criteria—after a building has been complete and in operation for a decade. The Innovation Award recognizes a specific area of recent innovation in the tall building industry that has been incorporated into the design of, or significantly tested in, the construction, operation, or refurbishment of a tall

building project. The Performance Award recognizes a building with proven value and performance over a minimum of three years. The CTBUH also gives two annual Lifetime Achievement Awards to individuals who have made significant contributions to the design or technical advancement of tall buildings.

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"Council on Tall Buildings and Urban Habitat."

Skyscrapers--skyprickers--skycities Prestel Publishing

Presents a spectacular selection of the tallest and most fascinating skyscrapers that have been constructed around the globe.

Skyscrapers Images Publishing

Examines the history of the world's tallest buildings, including some of the challenges faced in design and construction and how their builders tested the limits of technology.

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