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Chicago Architecture Foundation Launches Update to *A View from the River*

*Revised edition is a companion to the CAF River Cruise aboard Chicago's First Lady Cruises;
includes new buildings and the popular Chicago Riverwalk*

Chicago, IL (06.20.2017) — Chicago Architecture Foundation (CAF) has launched a complete update to [*A View from the River: The Chicago Architecture Foundation River Cruise aboard Chicago's First Lady Cruises*](#), the essential guide to more than sixty significant buildings and structures along the Chicago River. This visual tour — filled with stunning contemporary photography and a variety of historical images as well as a map of buildings along the Chicago River — serves as a companion to the CAF River Cruise aboard Chicago's First Lady Cruises.

Chicago is synonymous with breathtaking, cutting-edge architecture and a visit to Chicago is not complete without a tour of its architecture on the [CAF River Cruise aboard Chicago's First Lady Cruises](#), led by CAF docents — experts with nearly 100 hours of training in Chicago architecture. Chicago is a city in constant reinvention. New towers rise along the Chicago River each year, taking their place alongside Chicago classics like Marina Tower, Merchandise Mart and Tribune Tower.

Joining these buildings are “instant” classics like 150 North Riverside, completed in 2017 and nicknamed “the tuning fork” by Chicagoans for its narrow base that flares out as it rises, resembling a tuning fork when viewed from the sides. In addition, in 2016 the Chicago Riverwalk extended west to the South Branch, completing a dramatic promenade that opens up the river to foot traffic.

Author Jennifer Marjorie Bosch has updated the entire text and the photographer Angie McMonigal has provided a complete set of new images. *A View from the River* was published by Pomegranate, the publisher of award-winning illustrated and fine art books. The book is available in bookstore nationwide and

through the CAF Shop (224 South Michigan Avenue in Chicago) which is open 7 days a week, 9 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. The CAF Shop includes the CAF Box Office where tickets are available for any of our 85 tours. In addition to *A View from the River*, the CAF Shop features unique home décor and Chicago-themed gifts, books, wall art, local artist jewelry, educational toys and other gifts. Copies of *A View from the River* are also available online at shop.architecture.org.

A View from the River: The Chicago Architecture Foundation River Cruise aboard Chicago's First Lady Cruises, Revised Edition

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