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Architectural Forum  
Architectural Record  
Better Homes & Gardens  
Good Housekeeping  
House Beautiful  
House and Garden  
House and Home  
Journal of the American Institute of Architects  
Ladies Home Companion  
Ladies Home Journal  
Sunset Magazines

**Websites**

The following list of websites offers a representative sampling of the readily available online materials about mid-twentieth century architecture and design trends. Please report broken links to lena.mcdonald@dhr.virginia.gov.


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Digital Archive of American Architecture: [http://www.bc.edu/bc_org/avp/cas/fnart/fa267/](http://www.bc.edu/bc_org/avp/cas/fnart/fa267/)


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World War II defined the global civilization in which we now live. It ended Europe’s imperial project, opened the door to American global power, created what was called the Third World and set the stage for the emergence of the Asian mainland as a significant global player. The war also bred a distrust of nationalism, gave rise to multinational institutions and turned an interest in technology into an obsession with its redemptive powers. We live in the shadow of World War II and are now in a global revolt against the world it created. Its access to these minerals depended on the willingness of suppliers to sell and ability to deliver them through waters controlled by the British and American navies. The newly emergent economic powers were both militarily insecure.