Society of Architectural Historians Announces the 2024 H. Allen Brooks Travelling Fellows

CHICAGO, February 7, 2024 — The Society of Architectural Historians has named Michele Tenzon and Stathis G. Yeros as recipients of the 2024 H. Allen Brooks Travelling Fellowships. This unique fellowship provides the

California Press. He earned a PhD in architecture and a Master of Architecture from University of California, Berkeley.

For three months, Yeros will travel throughout the Deep South of the United States to collect evidence of queer and trans social life in the physical environment of a region where queer people's rights have historically been repressed and are currently under attack. He plans to partner with LGBTQ+ nonprofits and university departments in the region to organize six workshops for local LGBTQ+ people to share their stories and views about what constitutes queer space.

"These stories will provide material about sites that I will then visit and thereby understand how LGBTQ+ networks occupy space," said Yeros. "Hearing directly from queer and trans people who inhabit those spaces and following up on their stories aims to identify the characteristics of queer space at its intersection with race, religion and rurality."

Yeros will organize workshops in Columbia, South Carolina; Atlanta, Georgia; Birmingham, Alabama; Memphis, Tennessee; Hattiesburg, Mississippi; Shreveport, Louisiana; Panama City, Florida; Mobile, Alabama; and New Orleans, Louisiana. His travels will start in March 2024.



Tenzon and Yeros will document their fellowship journeys through monthly reports on the SAH Blog that will include written narratives, photographs, video, drawings, and other media. For more information on the H. Allen Brooks Travelling Fellowship, visit sah.org/brooks.

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