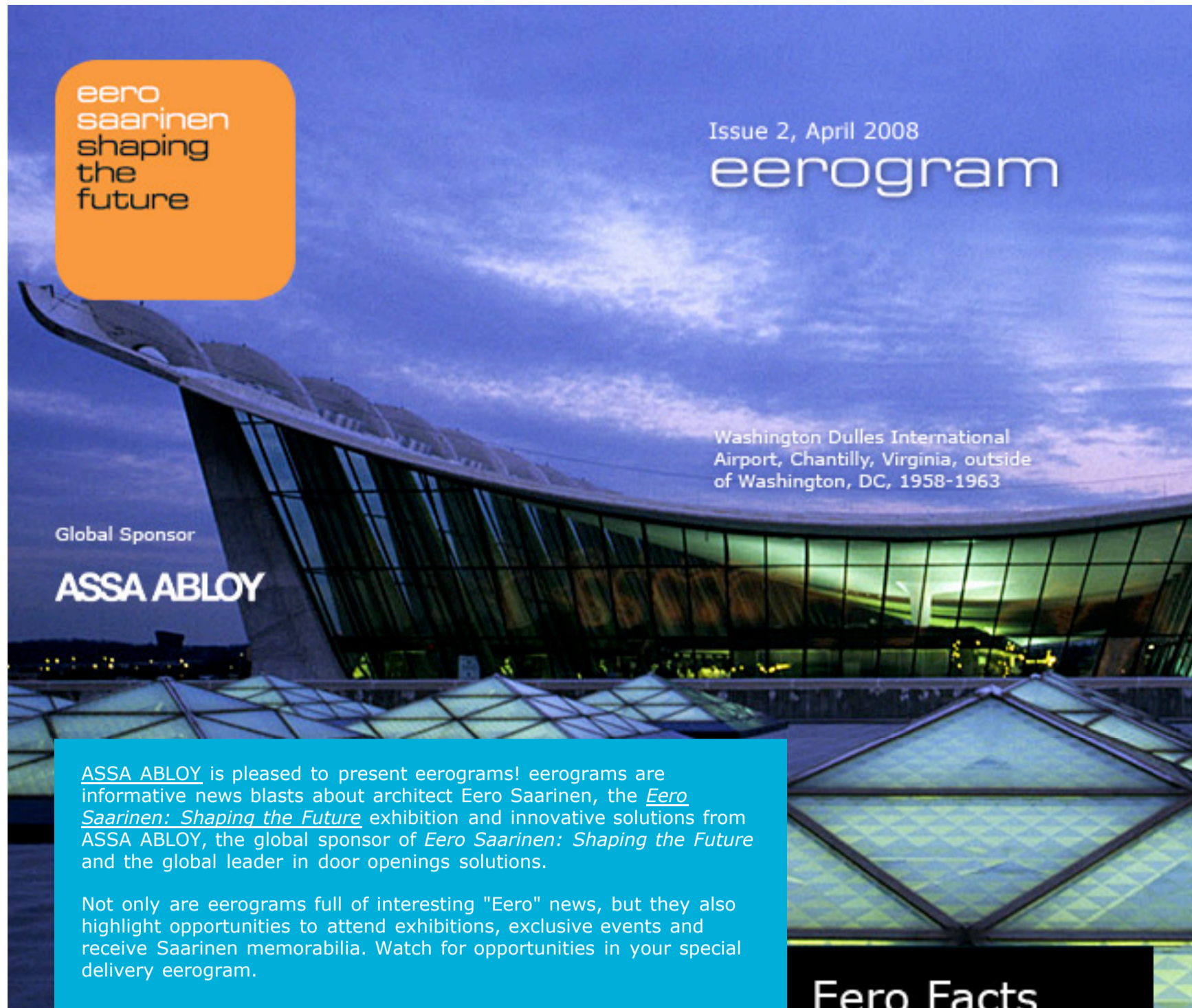


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ASSA ABLOY is pleased to present eeroograms! eeroograms are informative news blasts about architect Eero Saarinen, the *Eero Saarinen: Shaping the Future* exhibition and innovative solutions from ASSA ABLOY, the global sponsor of *Eero Saarinen: Shaping the Future* and the global leader in door openings solutions.

Not only are eeroograms full of interesting "Eero" news, but they also highlight opportunities to attend exhibitions, exclusive events and receive Saarinen memorabilia. Watch for opportunities in your special delivery eeroogram.

Eero Facts



Eero Saarinen: Shaping the Future wins Sir Banister Fletcher Award in 2007

The Author's Club in Mayfair, London presented its 54th annual Sir Banister Fletcher Award for the most deserving book on art or architecture to *Eero Saarinen: Shaping the Future*.

The book, part of a comprehensive Finnish-American research and exhibition project, started its international tour in 2006 in Helsinki, Finland, where it marked the 50th anniversary of the Museum of Finnish Architecture. The winning book, *Eero Saarinen: Shaping the Future*, studies the life of the Finnish-American architect and product designer, famous for his simple, sweeping, arching structural curves.

Lavishly illustrated, this major study shows how Saarinen gave his structures an expressive dimension and helped introduce modern architecture to the mainstream American practice. In his search for a richer and more varied modern architecture, Saarinen became one of the most prolific and controversial practitioners of his time.

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The Exhibition



Construction, United States Jefferson National Expansion Memorial (1947-65), St. Louis, Missouri, 1965
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After a successful North American opening at the Cranbrook Art Museum in Bloomfield Hills, Michigan, *Eero Saarinen: Shaping the Future* is headed to Washington, DC.

The [National Building Museum](#) appropriately will host the next stop on the tour schedule which opens on May 3 and runs through August 23, 2008. In addition to viewing the retrospective on the life and works of this 20th century master, the National Building Museum will feature Eero Saarinen related programming throughout the spring and summer.

Go to the National Building Museum on these dates for additional Saarinen educational opportunities:

Growing up Saarinen: Life and Legacy of an Architect – May 4 In collaboration with the Finlandia Foundation, landscape architect Susan Saarinen will discuss what it was like to grow up in this talented family and Mark Coir, director of the Cranbrook Archives, will examine Saarinen's architectural legacy.

Architecture Family Day – June 21 Families will explore Saarinen's structures and be invited to build with LEGOS®, soft blocks, bricks, and even their bodies in a hands-on Family Day at the National Building Museum.

Symposium: Preserving Modernism – June 30 This program will examine the legacy of modernism and the alarming demolition of significant buildings and landscapes from this period.

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