The Museum of the City of New York launched its Urban Design Council with a cocktail reception and viewing of its exhibition Elegance in the Sky: The Architecture of Rosario Candela. The event was sponsored by Kramer Levin, a Founding Member of the Urban Design Council. The Museum has raised $100,000 for this initiative through the generosity of its 30 Founding Members.

The Urban Design Council was formed in 2018 to bring together leaders in the industries of urban planning and design, architecture, real estate, construction, landscape architecture, and related fields in support of the Museum of the City of New York. The Council represents a partnership between the Museum and the real estate, construction, and design communities to preserve the vibrancy of New York City and the Museum. Through its three annual networking events, the Council explores new trends and innovations in New York’s built environment, while providing vital support to the Museum’s mission. The Council will also contribute ideas to the Museum’s programming and exhibition content to ensure that the Museum remains at the forefront of conversations in New York’s urban design.

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