

# SCOP Architecture Cheat Sheet

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*Red-shaded rows represent the most frequent composers to appear in SCOP question sets.  
Architects are listed roughly chronologically.*

Architect	Works	Details
Sir Christopher Wren English	St Paul's Cathedral	Designed many London buildings after the Great Fire of 1666
Louis Sullivan American	Wainwright Building	Popularized "form follows function;" nicknamed "father of skyscrapers;" mentored Wright
Frank Lloyd Wright American	Fallingwater (A); Taliesin (B); Guggenheim Museum (C); Imperial Hotel (D); Robie House	Prairie School; (A) also called the Kaufmann House; cantilevered over Bear Run, a stream in Pennsylvania; (B) Wisconsin studio, site of a mass murder-arson in 1914, after which Wright built Taliesin West in Arizona; (C) in Manhattan (see Gehry below for the Guggenheim Bilbao); "inverted ziggurat" design with a ramp spiralling down the inside; (D) in Tokyo; survived a 1923 earthquake
Le Corbusier Swiss-French	Villa Savoye	Wrote <i>Toward a New Architecture</i>
Ludwig Mies van der Rohe German-American	Seagram Building	International Style; last director of the Bauhaus; said "less is more"
Eero Saarinen Finnish-American	Gateway Arch; TWA Flight Center at JFK International Airport; Dulles Airport	
I.M. Pei Chinese-American	glass pyramids at the Louvre; Rock and Roll Hall of Fame; Bank of China Tower	
Frank Gehry Canadian-American	Guggenheim Bilbao; Walt Disney Concert Hall; Experience Music Project; Pritzker Pavilion	Designs dominated by sweeping, curved sheets of metal