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Australian Sculptor at the American Institute of Architects

The Octagon Museum in Washington DC is hosting an exhibition of the works by Australian sculptor, John B. Mors from May 11 through June.

Titled *John B. Mors, Architecture: A Sculptor's Perspective* will be located in the gardens and courtyard of the American Institute of Architects Headquarters and consists of metal sculptures based on ethnic architecture. Mors started sculpting over twenty years ago and specialises in architecture and religious art. Inspired by structures including American Indian Anasazi cliff dwelling,

New Guinea Spirit houses and Christian churches, these sculptures reflect the artist's belief that architectural forms possess order.

Mr Mors is a University of Sydney (School of Architecture) graduate. After moving to the US, he completed a Masters in Fine Arts, majoring in sculpture at The George Washington University.

The Octagon Museum is located at the Institute of Architects Headquarters Building, 1735 New York Avenue, NW, Washington DC. For more information, please contact Linnea Hames (202) 688 8221.