The AIA UK Chapter proudly presents as part of its film series, Chad Friedrich’s:

The Pruitt-Igoe Myth
An Urban History

Wednesday, 22 October 2014
1900hrs
BFI Screening Room
21 Stephen Street, London W1T 1LN

The movie will be preceded by a short introduction.

Admission for AIA members: £3
General Admission/Non-members: £5
1.5 CES Credits

Seating is limited. RSVP required.
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This is a documentary about a large public housing estate project in St. Louis, Missouri. The estate was designed by architect Minoru Yamasaki, who also designed the World Trade Centre towers and the Lambert St. Louis International airport main terminal.

This moving documentary details the history of the Pruitt-Igoe housing estate - from the city's initial decision to replace 19th Century tenement housing with high-rise public housing, it's deterioration in the 60's and then the eventual decision to implode the entire complex in the late 70's.

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