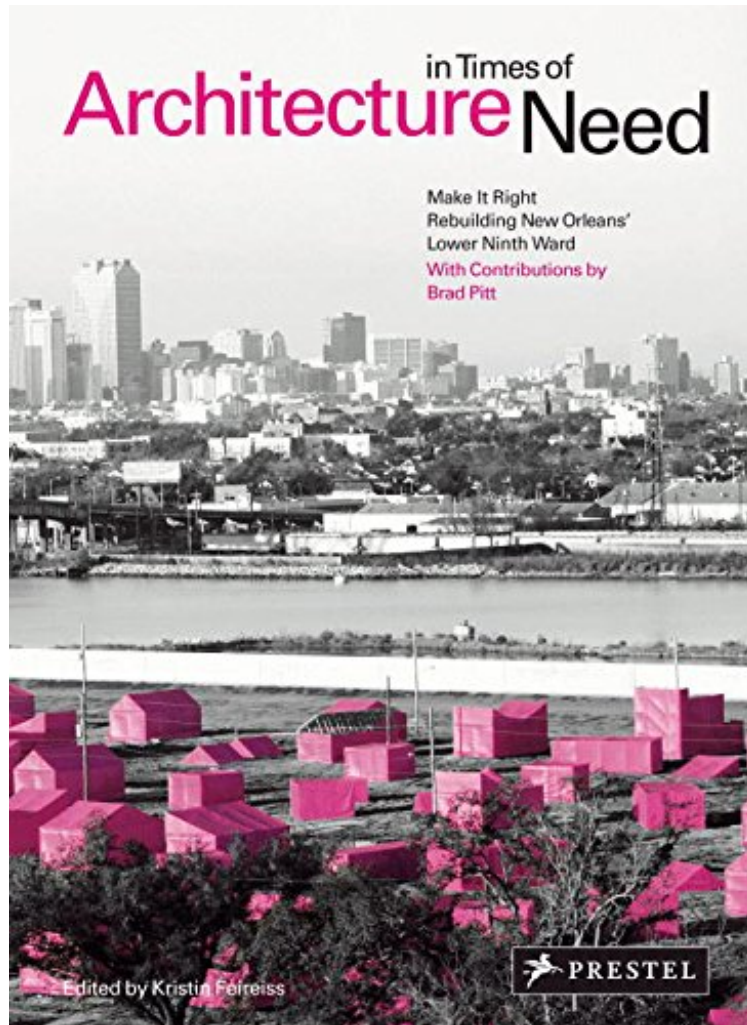


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hear of the progress and the quality of life afforded to the people. Both of our sons have been involved in sustainability. One has been certified as a Permaculture instructor and has lived a life centered on sustainability for 15 years and the other is currently a well known expert on corporate sustainability. I have purchased a second copy so I have one to give to each and I may get another one for myself to keep to re-read someday in the future to strengthen my conviction that there are a good many people out there who not only care about others but do it in an intelligent, environmentally concerned manner that helps the planet but also helps the people understand something wonderful they may not have been aware of before. I would recommended this book to people of a wide variety of tastes. And my kudos and high salute to Brad Pitt for his concern, contribution and determination! The world is a better place because of people like him.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Five StarsBy CustomerGreat book.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. innovative temporary architectureBy LEE Ming Fungthis book is innovative, it talks about rebuilding new orleans, the deconstructed city. this book is a good choice of temporary architecture.

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