Architectural Drawing and Imaginative Knowledge in Islamic and Western Cultures



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This book explores the role of drawing in architectural design, focusing on the different ways in which drawing has been used to represent and understand architecture in Islamic and Western cultures. The book argues that drawing is not simply a technical tool, but a powerful medium for the development of imaginative knowledge, and that it has played a vital role in the development of architectural theory and practice. The book is divided into three parts. The first part examines the role of drawing in the development of architectural theory. It explores the different ways in which drawing has been used to represent and communicate architectural ideas, and it discusses the relationship between drawing and the development of architectural concepts.

The second part of the book examines the role of drawing in the design process. It explores the different ways in which drawing is used to explore design options and to develop design solutions. It also discusses the relationship between drawing and the construction of buildings.

The third part of the book examines the role of drawing in the documentation of the built environment. It explores the different ways in which drawing is used to document buildings and to record their history. It also discusses the relationship between drawing and the preservation of architectural heritage.

The book is richly illustrated with examples of architectural drawings from both Islamic and Western cultures. These drawings provide a unique insight into the creative process of architectural design, and they demonstrate the power of drawing as a medium for the development of imaginative knowledge.

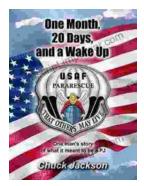
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