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Invite You to a Talk & Reception on

The Scots Who Built New York -Andrew Carnegie's Contributions to Architecture and the Promotion of Ideas 1855–1919

presented by Historian & Architect **John Kinnear**

Wednesday, April 3, 2019

6.00pm

Carnegie Corporation of New York
31st Floor, 437 Madison Avenue, New York
(Between 49th & 50th Streets)

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Andrew Carnegie's Contributions to Architecture and the Promotion of Ideas 1855 – 1919, examines his vision and legacy in the shaping of New York in this, the centennial year of his passing. It is the seventh talk in an ongoing series of talks the American Scottish Foundation has undertaken, under the umbrella project of "The Scots Who Built New York"

In 2014, the American-Scottish Foundation was invited join the Landmarks 50 project to develop a project around on the role and impact of Scots to the building of New York.

The project was envisioned a series of talks but as ASF delved more deeply into the subject and the research became more extensive, ASF realized how little was known of the extent of the impact Scots had had in the developing of the leading landmarks of New York - and non more so than Andrew Carnegie, for without his vision and philanthropic support many of New York's most iconic institutions would not exist.

The project was titled The Scots Who Built New York and ASF determined that it was important to not only tell the story in a series of talks but to to look to develop this as a legacy project, preserving and expanding on the history of the llandmark buildings Scots and Scottish-Americans are responsible for in the creating of New York City, cross referencing to the the great Scots who also helped to develop the City and the United States.

A series of seven talks have been given to date, and an Aapp and Walking Tour Map are now being developed which will note over 90 sites linked to Scots and Scottish Americans.

JOHN KINNEAR

John Kinnear will present The Life & Impact of Andrew Carnegie on the Building & Shaping of New York.

Mr Kinnear is Principal of John Kinnear Architects and President of the American Friends of the Georgian Group. Mr. Kinnear has an architectural practice based in Manhattan, which undertakes projects throughout the United States.

The firm is noted for its historical preservation as well as new structures incorporating traditional design styles. Recent projects include the restoration of the Ruth Mansion in Delaware, 26 Commerce Street in Greenwich Village, and The Queen Elizabeth II September 11th Garden in Hanover Square for which he was the Project Architect.

The American-Scottish Foundation is an international not-for-profit organization, founded in 1956 by Lord Malcolm Douglas-Hamilton. The Foundation champions the extraordinary relationship between the people of Scotland and the United States – a bridge between the two great countries – seeking to strengthen and support the future of the Scottish American diaspora, and its legacy.

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