“In Motion and Repose: Louis Kahn’s Memorial to Franklin D. Roosevelt”
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About:

The Executive Director of the Franklin D. Roosevelt Four Freedoms Park on Roosevelt Island, Gina Pollara had earlier served as associate director of the Irwin S. Chanin School of Architecture Archive at The Cooper Union. She co-curated a number of exhibits while there including one in 2005 on the proposed FDR Park designed by the renowned architect Louis I Kahn. That exhibit was written up in the NY Times, drawing the attention of the park’s soon-to-be major funder, the Alphawood Foundation Chicago. The park opened to great acclaim in spring 2010. Until 2001, Pollara had an active practice in residential design. She also served as a consultant to the NYC Department of Education and as an analyst in several city agencies. She holds a BA from Cooper Union as well as a BA from Bennington College.

Books:


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Web Sites:

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