

MIES VAN DER ROHE

A Critical Biography

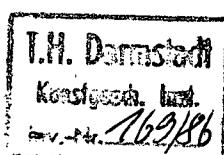
FRANZ SCHULZE

in association with the Mies van der Rohe Archive
of the Museum of Modern Art

EVO
mies / 8

The University of Chicago Press

Chicago and London



Contents

List of Illustrations	vii
Acknowledgments	xiii
Preface	xv
List of Buildings and Projects	xvii
1 Aachen: Youth in Imperial Germany, 1886–1905	3
2 Berlin: Problems of a New Century, 1905–18	20
3 Europe out of the Ashes: Response to the Modernist Challenge, 1919–25	83
4 Weimar at the Flood, 1925–29	131
5 Depression, Collectivization, and the Crisis of Art, 1929–36	174
6 Departure and Flight, 1936–38	205
7 Revival: Modernism without Utopia, 1938–49	218
8 America: The Triumph of Steel and Glass, 1949–58	239
9 Recessional, 1958–69	284
Notes	327
Selected Bibliography	345
Index	349