

RIBA, Institute of Education & London Met Schools Design CPD Course



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Are you involved in school design?

Do you, in your role as school leader, project manager or designer, face the challenge of designing, procuring or constructing a school through the Department for Children, Schools and Families Building Schools for the Future or the Primary Capital programmes and are you unsure how to deal with it?

London Metropolitan University Department of Architecture and Spatial Design and the Institute of Education of the University of London, in partnership with the Royal Institute of British Architects and the Department for Children, Schools and Families, have jointly set up a multi-disciplinary Schools Design CPD course. The 2 day programme includes a site visit, lectures, a social event and workshops. It will cover various aspects of school procurement, design and construction through the Building Schools for the Future and Primary Capital programmes, with a particular focus on how to achieve a successful and well designed school building.

The course is open to all those involved in the design and procurement of school buildings, in particular teachers, local authority officers, architects, educationalists, project managers and contractors.

The CPD course is a partnership between London Metropolitan University and the Institute of Education of the University of London and is accredited by the RIBA. Participants will receive a Certificate of Attendance.

Topics covered by the course include:

- the Primary Capital and Building Schools for the Future programmes.
- the history of school design.
- the importance of a well designed school building and current research on school design.
- the tools, language and presentation techniques used in the design process.
- the importance and role of a good brief.
- how sustainability and acoustics can be dealt with in a design proposal.
- the impact of time and cost on design

The next course will take place on **Thursday 11th and Friday 12th March 2010** at the Royal Institute of British Architects in London.

A further course is planned for Thursday 1st and Friday 2nd July 2010 in the Studio Daniel Libeskind designed Graduate Centre at London Metropolitan University.

For more information and course bookings, contact Anne Markey, ASD Projects, London Metropolitan University, at a.markey@londonmet.ac.uk or visit www.londonmet.ac.uk/architecture/asd-projects

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