

RIBA London Touring CPD Programme 2009

a new wave of events at inspirational settings



Sunshine House
Allford Hall Monaghan Morris
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The Changing Face of Health

Kaleidoscope, SE6 4JF
Graham Spence from Community Health Partnership will give an overview on the changing face of health care delivery. Includes a tour of Kaleidoscope by the project architects from van Heyningen Haward Architects and a tour of Sunshine House by Tom Gardner, AHMM.

Monday 2 March, 14:00 - 18:00



Westminster Academy
Allford Hall Monaghan Morris
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Exemplary School Design in London

St Marylebone School, W1U 5BA
Paul Middleton from Partnerships for Schools will talk about transforming school environments through Building Schools for the Future. Includes a tour of St Marylebone by Philip Gumuchdjan and Westminster Academy by the project architect.

Thursday 2 April, 8.30 - 12.30

From Sewage to Water Supply: Water Management for City Survival

Abbey Mills Pumping Station, E15 2RW
The seminar will cover the affects of 19th century sewage disposal and 21st century water supply (drawing saline water from an area that would have been effected by the 19thC outfall). Includes a tour of Abbey Mills Pumping Station, a talk on the Great Stink in 1858 and a tour of the construction site of the desalination plant in Beckton.

Tuesday 28 April, 13:00 - 17:00



Abbey Mills Pumping Station
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But What is it Going to Cost?

Sir John Soane's Museum, WC2A 3BP
Joe Martin, Building Cost Information Services (BCIS) Executive Director, will advise on early cost, how to develop a cost plan, life cycle cost planning and demonstrate different tools by RIBA and BCIS. Bob Walton, Chartered Project Management Surveyor will examine the Plan of Work for cost control duties and suggest how client expectations can be met. Sue Palmer, Archivist to Sir John Soane's Museum, will introduce a historical perspective by talking about how Sir John Soane controlled costs within his architectural practice, illustrating her points with examples from Soane's financial and business records. Includes lunch and tour of the museum.

Tuesday 19 May, 11.00 - 15.00



Sir John Soane Museum
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Design Review Panels - The Barking Riverside Experience

Barking Riverside, IG11
Chris Baines, Chair of the Barking Design Review Panel, will explore the challenges of the innovative approach to the design management of Barking Riverside - a proposed development of 11,000 new homes, with particular emphasis on the need for individual design practices to work collaboratively in order to create a sustainable community. Includes a tour and a lunch on the site.

Thursday 25 June, 10:00 - 14:00



Barking Riverside
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The Muse
Bere Architects
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How Energy Efficient Can We Make Our Buildings?

Bere architects, N5 2SH
Justin Bere will present Passivhaus design techniques and the emerging European low energy design standard, including an insight into using the Passivhaus Planning Package (PHPP). David Kirkland of Kirkland Fraser Moor and Andrew Warrack of WSP Buildings Ltd will look at the issues of new technologies, building methods and appropriate designs or new buildings and the upgrade of existing ones. Includes a tour of Bere's office and house followed by an organic lunch.

Wednesday 1 July, 10:00 - 14:00



Sackler Crossing
John Pawson
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Designing New Buildings within a Historic Context

Kew Gardens, TW9 3AB
Timothy Jones from English Heritage will be stressing the need not only to have buildings which are of a quality appropriate to their important setting but also that their detailed design responds fully to the established context. Followed by a tour of Award winning buildings in Kew Gardens.

Tuesday 15 September 10:00 - 14:00



Sir John Soane Museum
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Manipulating Light

Sir John Soane's Museum, WC2A 3BP
Florence Lam from Arup Lighting will talk about the importance of lighting and the techniques used in the process. Artist David Ward will discuss six of his works involving artificial light in relation to different architectures and the changing light of day and night. Followed by a tour of the museum by Richard MacCormac.

Monday 26 October, 14:00 - 18:00



Richard Feilden House
Feilden Clegg Bradley Studios
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How to Attract New Clients and Win Their Business

Queen Mary, University of London, E1 1BB
Judith Gilmore will teach participants specific techniques and demonstrate how to create a networking strategy to get maximum value out of your personal investment. Following on from the skill of 'working the room' Judith's seminars include techniques for building relationships, client retention and finding new business. Followed by a tour of Richard Feilden House.

Thursday 5 November, 14.00 - 18.00



The Olympic Park
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Designing for Materials Resource Efficiency

The Olympic Park, E15
An interactive workshop by WRAP will cover the key principles of design that help identify and implement waste reduction options at the design stages of construction projects. Includes a tour of the Olympic Park.

Thursday 3 December, 9:30 - 13:30

