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RIBA South CPD & Events

If you receive this email at a central practice address, we would appreciate it if you could circulate a copy to other members in your practice to ensure they are made aware of CPD opportunities.

REDUCED RATE CPD in Reading - Energy Efficient Housing Refurbishment

£40 + VAT (£47) if booked by 9 July

See below for details.

RIBA South CPD Calendar 2008 at a Glance:

Milton Keynes

15 Jul	Sustainable Buildings **	Milton Keynes	5-8pm
	Speakers: Howard Liddell, Gaia Ecological Architects		

Ralph Carpenter, Modece Architects

Oxford

1 Oct	Practical Planning **	Oxford	2-5pm
15 Oct	Conservation Master Class 1 – Brickwork & Masonry	Oxford	2-5.30pm
22 Oct	Renewable Energy Systems**	Oxford	2-5pm
4 Nov	Networking to Generate Business**	Oxford	2-5.30pm
12 Nov	Conservation Master Class 2 – Roofing	Oxford	2-5.30pm
10 Dec	Conservation Master Class 3 – Heavy Oak Carpentry	Oxford	2-5.30pm
14 Jan 2009	Conservation Master Class 4 – Traditional Lime Plasterwork	Oxford	2-5.30pm

Reading

2 Jul	Two TRADA Timber Talks ** Innovative Contemporary Timber Buildings & External Timber Cladding, Design & Specification Speaker: Paddy Hislop, TRADA Senior Lecturer	Reading	2-5pm
16 Jul	Energy Efficient Housing Refurbishment ** Speaker: John Willoughby, NHER Assessor	Reading	2-5pm
10 Sep	Damp & Timber Decay in Buildings ** Non-destructive inspection/environmental control Speaker: Dr Jagjit Singh	Reading	2-5pm

Conferences

17 Sept	Green Ideas for School Design Conference From conception to reality	Everest Community College, Basingstoke	9.30am – 4.30pm
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Those CPD Seminars marked with **are included in the CPD Series 2008

For more information on CPD events in your area [Click Here](#)

If you have any comments or suggestions on the RIBA South CPD Programme, please contact the RIBA South regional office at riba.south@inst.riba.org or call 0118 969 8051.

For more information on CPD events throughout the UK please visit <http://www.architecture.com/go/Events/CPDListing.html>

RIBA SOUTH SUMMER PARTY & AGM

Date: Thursday 17 July 2008
Time: 5.30 – 8.00pm
Venue: The Savill Building, Wick Lane, Englefield Green, Surrey, TW20 0UU

The RIBA South Council invites you to the Savill Building for wine and canapés at our Summer Party and AGM. There will also be an informative talk from the Savill Building's project architect, Jamie Webb of Glenn Howells Architects, with the opportunity to join him for a tour of the building. We hope to see you there.

For more information or to book your place, please contact Amanda West on 0118 969 8051 or email amanda.west@inst.riba.org

RIBA South CPD Series 2008 – still time to book and save money!

The Series offers exceptional value for money for a fee of just £35 for RIBA members/practices for each half-day session in an area close to you. A one-off fee of £210.00 (+ VAT) entitles you to six half-day CPD seminars. This offers exceptional value for money in the current training and development marketplace.

The CPD Series provides a structured approach to training and development for architects and other construction professionals to enable them to fulfil their development obligations. The following benefits are offered to all members:

- A place at six events in our region
- Free documentation and refreshments at each event
- Discounted price of £40 for one additional guest
- Free transfer of your place to another CPD Series/Seminar within the Region
- Complementary quarterly CPD Update
- Discounted rates at additional regional CPD events
- Two small practices can share the benefits
- 18 hours accredited training

If you would like to join please email amanda.hockley@inst.riba.org for a membership form.

Branch Events

BERKSHIRE BRANCH:

Future events tbc

HAMPSHIRE BRANCH:

- **RIBA Hampshire AGM 2008**
Date tbc

OXFORDSHIRE BRANCH:

- **RIBA Oxford AGM 2008**
Date tbc

BUCKINGHAMSHIRE BRANCH:

- **Buckinghamshire Society of Architects AGM 2008**
Date tbc

ISLE OF WIGHT BRANCH:

- **Building Visits**
Mainland RIBA members are welcome to join the Isle of Wight members on 19 September 2008 for two building visits: The Red House, Bexley Heath, and The Home Wood, Esher. A mini coach will leave from Portsmouth Hovercraft Terminal. Places are £10 per person, subject to availability.

- **Branch Meetings**

The next Isle of Wight Branch Meeting will be at 6pm on Thursday 4 September 2008 at Quay Arts Newport. Subsequent meetings are on the first Thursday of each month, same time and venue.

For more information regarding any Isle of Wight events please contact Gian Giblett tel. 01983 241159 or email gian.giblett@onwight.net

Special Interest Groups

Are you aware that RIBA South has the following special interest groups?

- **RIBA South Planning Group**
- **RIBA South Conservation Group**
- **RIBA South Green Group**

Keep up to date with what's going on in your area and nationwide - **RIBA Special interest groups keep you informed!**

If you are interested in joining a special interest group or receiving information from any of the groups, please contact:

RIBA South Planning Group: Philip Waddy tel.01235 523139 p.waddy@westwaddy-adp.co.uk

RIBA South Conservation Group: Bob Franklin 01865 311440 admin@franklindesign.co.uk

RIBA South Green Group: Isabel Carmona tel. 01635 41688 isabel@ca-sa.co.uk

Alternatively, contact the RIBA South office: tel 0118 969 8051 or email riba.south@inst.riba.org

RIBA SOUTH CONSERVATION GROUP

Next RIBA South Conservation Group Meeting: 2-4pm, Wednesday 10 September 2008 at English Heritage, Eastgate Court, 195-205 High Street, Guildford, GU1 3EH

RIBA SOUTH GREEN GROUP

Next RIBA South Green Group Meeting: tbc

RIBA SOUTH PLANNING GROUP

Next RIBA South Planning Group Meeting: Early Autumn 2008, date tbc

Regional Planning Group Objectives:

1. To shadow and respond to local development framework plans and spatial strategies.
2. To deal with issues of planning procedure both within individual local authorities and generally across the planning system.
3. To promote liaison between planners, architects and other stakeholders in the planning process.
4. To promote good planning practice to members and provide advice on policy issues.

Planning Department User Groups

If you are interested in getting involved, please contact the local authority or call your regional officer directly to have your name and details added to their database.

READING BOROUGH COUNCIL

Reading Central Area Action Plan: Representations on Site Allocations

A six-week consultation period of 'Site Allocation Representations' on The Reading Central Area Action Plan (RCAAP) are available to view in full on the Council's website:

www.reading.gov.uk

RIBA South Awards

RIBA SOUTH AWARDS PRESENTATION 2008

To celebrate the winners of the RIBA South Awards, the Conservation Awards and the Student Awards, a presentation will be held on 14 October 2008 at the RIBA Award winning National Film and Television School in Beaconsfield. The evening will feature a champagne reception, tours of the building and talks from various key speakers, as well as the award presentations. Invitations will be sent out shortly. For more information please contact Amanda West on 0118 969 8051 or email amanda.west@inst.riba.org

RIBA SOUTH AWARD WINNERS 2008

Oxley Park, Milton Keynes, Architect: Roger Stirk Harbour & Partners, London

National Film and TV School, Beaconsfield, Architect: Glenn Howells Architect

Winchester Discovery Centre, Architect: Hampshire County Council Architecture & Design Services

University Centre, Winchester University, Architect: Design Engine Architects

Pinewood Infant School, Farnborough, Architect: Hampshire County Council Architecture & Design Services

The Listed Wind Tunnels, Farnborough, Architect: Julian Harrap Architects

University College Boathouse, Oxford, Architect: Belsize Architects, London

North Wall Arts Centre, Oxford, Architect: Haworth Tomkins, London

Other Awards

RIBA WESSEX & SOUTH WEST TOWN & COUNTRY DESIGN AWARDS 2008

Entries are invited for the RIBA Town & Country Design Awards 2008. The award scheme looks at the impact of new and converted buildings in both rural and urban settings and aims to highlight the contributions made by any RIBA member or RIBA chartered practice working within the Wessex and South West regions or Channel Islands.

Closing date is 12pm on 3 July 2008

Entry forms are available from RIBA Wessex & South West on 0844 800 2767, by emailing riba.wessex@inst.riba.org or riba.southwest@inst.riba.org, or by downloading an entry form from www.architecture.com/ribawessex or www.architecture.com/ribasouthwest

News & Events

RIBA SOUTH WELCOMES LUCY MAYFIELD

Due to Amanda Hockley's departure from the RIBA later this month, RIBA South is pleased to welcome Lucy Mayfield to the team. Lucy will be taking over the role of CPD Events Co-ordinator, working closely on RIBA South's CPD seminars. She joins us from the

Embroiderers' Guild at Hampton Court where she was Exhibitions and Events Co-ordinator. You can contact Lucy on 0118 969 8051 or by email at <mailto:lucy.mayfield@inst.riba.org>

ARCHITECT IN THE HOUSE 2008

One in seven children in Britain lives in rundown, damp or overcrowded housing. Shelter, the housing and homelessness charity, provides services to support them, and fights to improve their education, health and wellbeing.

Over the past 12 years, RIBA chartered members have raised more than £700,000 for Shelter. We want this year to be the best yet, so please register by 8 July 2008. Thank you very much for your support.

For more information visit www.architectinthehouse.org.uk

You will also receive discounts at www.ribabookshops.com

RIBA SOUTH AWARD WINNER RECEIVES NATIONAL AWARD

North Wall Arts Centre in Oxford, already an RIBA South Awards 2008 winner, went on to receive an RIBA National Award at the dinner held on Friday 27 June at the Hilton Hotel in London. Designed by Haworth Tomkins, the architects were praised for their ability to unite an ancient stone boundary wall, a Grade II listed swimming pool and a new building, to create a place for innovation and creativity within a sensitive historic environment.

For more information contact Amanda West on 0118 969 8051 or email amanda.west@inst.riba.org

RIBA MEMBERS RECOGNISED IN QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY HONOURS 2008

Three chartered RIBA members have received awards in the Queen's Birthday Honours list. Lord Rogers of Riverside was made a Member of the Order of the Companions of Honour for public service and for services to Architecture. Graham Cartledge received a CBE for services to Architecture and to Charity. Anthony Paul Rossi received a CBE for services to Heritage and to Conservation. Michael Hayes, Chief Executive of the West Northamptonshire Development Corporation and RIBA honorary fellow also received a CBE for services to Local Government and to the Voluntary Sector. For more information go to:

<http://www.architecture.com/NewsAndPress/News/RIBANews/Press/2008/2008QueensBirthdayHonours.aspx>

WINNERS OF THE RIBA ICE McASLAN BURSARY 2008 ANNOUNCED

The RIBA and John McAslan announced the recipients of the RIBA ICE McAslan Bursary 2007/08 at a reception held on 11 June 2008 at the RIBA. Thirty nine applications were received from architecture and engineering students, graduates and newly-qualified practitioners committed to the progress of environmental and community issues in economically deprived areas in the UK or abroad. The six successful recipients were allocated a total of £20,350, the highest amount since the scholarship was launched in 2004. For more information click here:

<http://www.architecture.com/NewsAndPress/News/RIBANews/News/2008/JohnMcAslanBursary.aspx>

RIBA HQ

RIBA RESPONSE TO BERR PROSPEROUS PLACES CONSULTATION

The RIBA has prepared a response to the government's consultation on regional changes. To read the response online, click the following link:

<http://www.architecture.com/TheRIBA/WhatTheRIBADoes/PublicAffairs/ConsultationandLegislation/Otherresponses%20.aspx>

ARCHITECTS FOR CHANGE (AfC)

AfC, the RIBA's Equality and Diversity Forum, is seeking corresponding members to join their co-ordinating committee. Over the next year the committee will be working on projects looking at issues such as inclusion and disability, supporting young people entering the profession and keeping in touch with those taking a career break. For further information, please email lucie.gibson@inst.riba.org

JOB VACANCIES ON RIBA JOBS WEBSITE

RIBA members can now place job adverts on a dedicated regional page of www.ribajobs.com RIBA Appointments offer a good value service for web advertisement and the site is linked to the regional web site.

RIBA TRUST TALKS

Architecture Talks in the V&A+RIBA Study Rooms unless otherwise stated - these talks are free and no booking is required

Unless otherwise stated, tickets cost £8 (£5 RIBA members, students, concessions).

For month by month listings visit:

<http://www.architecture.com/WhatsOn/Talks/TalksArchive.aspx?CalendarMode=Month>

For further information or to book, download a ticket booking form from the website www.architecture.com/programmes or call the RIBA Trust booking line 020 7307 3699.

Tickets can also be purchased from the RIBA Bookshop, 66 Portland Place London W1B 1AD

RIBA TRUST EXHIBITIONS

MaXICO 20 June 2008 - 19 July 2008, Florence Hall, 66 Portland Place, London W1B 1AD, free admission:

<http://www.architecture.com/WhatsOn/Exhibitions/At66PortlandPlace/2008/MaXICO.aspx>

RIBA Tour of 66 Portland Place 03 - 05 July 2008, Tour times: 3 July 1pm-2pm and 5 July 11am-12pm, free admission but booking essential:

<http://www.architecture.com/WhatsOn/Exhibitions/At66PortlandPlace/2008/66tours.aspx>

Unseen Hands: 100 years of Structural Engineering Until 7 September 2008, V&A +RIBA Architecture Gallery

The RIBA exhibition spaces are open Monday to Friday 10am – 6pm and Saturdays 10am – 5pm. Entry to all exhibitions is free. Evening or weekend functions sometimes affect gallery opening times. If planning a visit on a Saturday or late weekday afternoon, it is advisable to call beforehand. Contact: Tel: 020 7942 2000 or visit www.vam.ac.uk

Other Events

JOINT PROFESSIONALS GROUP (JPG)

The JPG is a group of chartered professionals from all areas of business, including accounting, banking, law, surveying, marine and engineering, which works together to

circulate information to members of events that provide opportunities for training and career development, as well as organising other events for both professional and social networking. The next networking event is scheduled for 24 September 2008 to be held at the new Intech Planetarium in Winchester. For more information please contact Marietta Maidman at SOSCA on 01489 582838 or marietta.maidman@icaew.com

STONE INDUSTRY CPD

A four-day CPD course in Verona is now accepting bookings for 3-6 October 2008. Details are at http://www.marmomacc.com/corsi_en.asp UK architects can email Daniel De Castro at the Italian Chamber of Commerce decastro@italchamind.co.uk for further information.

CIVIC TRUST AWARDS

The Civic Trust Awards were established in 1959 and are one of the oldest built environment award schemes in Europe. They are given to outstanding projects in architecture, planning, environmental design, landscape, public art and urban design. For more information and a list of the 2008 winners, click here:

<http://www.civictrust.org.uk/our-work/civic-trust-awards/>

ARCHITECTS BENEVOLENT SOCIETY

The Society is a registered charity which helps architects, assistants, technologists and landscape architects and their dependants. The society helps people of all ages who have experienced illness or an accident or some other personal misfortune. The help includes grants, gifts, loans, advice and sometimes accommodation.

If you require help or advice you should contact the Society at 020 7580 2823 or write to the ABS at 43 Portland Place, London, W1B 1QH.

Advertising

If you wish to include news or promote events in this monthly e-bulletin please ensure all details are forwarded to our office by no later than 20th of each month. We aim to provide a comprehensive listing of events run by the RIBA and related organisations/CPD providers, but cannot accept liability for errors or omissions.

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