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[RIBA South Office Move](#)

[RIBA South Regional Office has moved!](#)

Our new office is located on the outskirts of Reading at the London Road campus of Reading University.

Our new address is:

**Room G01, Building L019,
University of Reading
London Road
Reading RG1 5AQ**

**Our new telephone number is 0118 987 4900
Our new fax number is 0118 378 6422**

For location details of the London Road campus please go to:
<http://www.reading.ac.uk/about/find/about-findindex.asp>

If you have any queries call Vicki on 0118 987 4900.

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.

RIBA South CPD Calendar 2008 at a Glance:

Milton Keynes

23 Oct **The Expanding Design Team**** MKeynes 5-8pm
Speaker: Tom Taylor, dashdot

11 Nov **Party Wall + The Architect**** MKeynes 5-8pm
Speaker: Malcolm Lelliott, Institute of Party Wall Surveyors

Oxford

15 Oct **Conservation Master Class 1 – Brickwork & Masonry** Oxford 2-5.30pm
Speaker: Ian Constantinides

22 Oct **Renewable Energy Systems**** Oxford 2-5pm
Speaker: Tony Almond

4 Nov **Networking to Generate Business**** Oxford 2-5.30pm
Speaker: Judith Gilmore, Effective Communications

12 Nov **Conservation Master Class 2 – Roofing** Oxford 2-5.30pm
Speaker: Ian Constantinides

20 Nov **Practical Planning**** Oxford 2-5pm
Speakers: Philip Waddy & Miles Thompson, West Waddy ADP

10 Dec **Conservation Master Class 3 – Heavy Oak Carpentry** Oxford 2-5.30pm
Speaker: Ian Constantinides

15 Jan 2009 **Conservation Master Class 4 – Traditional Lime Plasterwork** Oxford 2-5.30pm
Speaker: Ian Constantinides

Reading

3 Dec **Sustainable Concrete Construction & Thermal Mass for Housing**** Reading 2-5pm
Speakers: Tim Mealing & Jeff Dyson, The Concrete Centre

Winchester

25 Nov **An Anti-Recession Kit for Architects**** Winchester 2-5pm
Speaker: Tom Taylor, dashdot

Building Visits

23 Oct **North Wall Performing Arts Centre** Oxford 2-4pm
Tour conducted by Joanna Sutherland, Haworth
Tompkins Architects

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 987 4900

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

Branch Events

BERKSHIRE BRANCH:

Future events tba

HAMPSHIRE BRANCH:

- **RIBA Hampshire AGM 2008**
Date tbc

LECTURE: SAVING SEATON DELAVAL HALL

A lecture by Conservation Architect Michael Underwood (Lecturer in Historic Building Conservation, University of Portsmouth, and Associate with HGP Conservation) to encourage support for this Campaign will be given on **14 October 2008** at 6pm at The University of Portsmouth Portland Building (Lecture Room PO.027), Portland Street, Portsmouth.

Seaton Delaval Hall was designed by Sir John Vanbrugh and built from 1718 to 1729. This sublime 'castle' is perhaps his masterpiece – at least as important as Blenheim Palace.

The Hall and part of the estate is up for sale and the National Trust is campaigning to save it for the nation. A total of £13.2m is required.

Anyone interested is invited. This event is supported by the National Trust

For more information, tel: 01329 283225, Email: email@hgp-architects.co.uk

OXFORDSHIRE BRANCH:

- **RIBA Oxford AGM 2008**
Date tbc

BUCKINGHAMSHIRE BRANCH:

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

ISLE OF WIGHT BRANCH:

- Events to be confirmed
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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: tbc

RIBA SOUTH GREEN GROUP

Next RIBA South Green Group Meeting: tbc

RIBA SOUTH PLANNING GROUP

Next RIBA South Planning Group Meeting: tbc

1APP – HOW IS IT FOR YOU?

The RIBA South Planning Group is keen to hear members experiences of the new 1APP system for the submission of planning applications. How are you coping? Do you consider the new application form easy to complete? How many of you submit your applications electronically via the Planning Portal? Have you had problems with the on line system? Is registration of applications quicker or slower in your experience? What other problems/benefits can you report?

Please email your comments as soon as possible to Philip Waddy, Chair of RIBA South Planning Group : p.waddy@westwaddy-adp.co.uk

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.

WOKINGHAM DISTRICT COUNCIL

Asbestos was used extensively as a building material from the 1950s through to the mid 1980s. Around 4000 people die every year from asbestos related diseases.

It is a legal requirement to manage any asbestos in the building to protect people from exposure to asbestos fibres. A written record of any asbestos findings must be available at the premises at all times and shown to maintenance contractors and people working in your premises. Formal action may be taken if adequate documentation is not available.

Further details can be found at www.hse.gov.uk/asbestos.

If you have any queries, contact Leanne Dowsett tel. 0118 974 6765 or email:
environmental.health@wokingham.gov.uk

RIBA South Awards

RIBA SOUTH CONSERVATION AWARD FOR ARCHITECTS 2008 – Winners and Commendations Announced

Award Winners and Commendations of the RIBA South Conservation Award for Architects 2008 were announced on **1 September 2008**. Congratulations to all winners and commendations!

The Award Winners are:

- **Rowstock Barn**, Oxfordshire,
Architects: Woodfield Brady Architects
- **Headington Baptist Church**, Oxford
Architects: David Grindley Architects
- **North Wall Arts Centre**, St Edwards School, Oxford
Architects: Haworth Tompkins

The Commendations are:

- **The Crown Inn, Playhatch**, Reading, Berkshire
Architects: Brownhill Hayward Brown Architects
- **New House at 39 Radcliffe Road**, Oxford
Architects: Hess Kincaid Leach

The award –winning buildings and commendations will receive their awards and certificates on **14 October 2008** at the RIBA South Awards Ceremony at the National Film and Television School in Beaconsfield.

For more information contact Vicki Howe: tel. 0118 969 8051 or email
vicki.howe@inst.riba.org

News & Events

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 reception, tours of the building and talks from various key speakers, as well as the award presentations. For more information please contact Vicki Howe on 0118 969 8051 or email
vicki.howe@inst.riba.org

ACCORDIA WINS THE RIBA STIRLING PRIZE 2008

Accordia in Cambridge designed by Feilden Clegg Bradley Studios, Alison Brooks Architects, and Macreanor Lavington has won the 13th **RIBA Stirling Prize in association with The Architects' Journal**.

The presentation of the UK's premier architectural award took place at a glittering award ceremony on 11 October 2008 at the Arena and Convention Centre, Liverpool, and was televised live on Channel 4 at 9pm.

Sunand Prasad, RIBA President, announced the winner and Kieran Long, Editor of **The Architects' Journal** presented partner Keith Bradley with the prize and a cheque for £20,000.

Accordia beat off stiff competition from five other outstanding contenders:

Amsterdam Bijlmer Arena Station, Amsterdam, Netherlands – Grimshaw and ARCADIS Architecten; **Manchester Civil Justice Centre**, Manchester - Denton Corker Marshall; **Nord Park Cable Railway**, Innsbruck, Austria – Zaha Hadid Architects; **Royal Festival Hall**, London - Allies and Morrison and **Westminster Academy at the Naim Dangoor Centre**, London - Allford Hall Monaghan Morris.

For more information go to:
<http://www.architecture.com/NewsAndPress/News/AwardsNews/Press/2008/AccordiaWinsStirlingPrize.aspx>

RIBA ANNOUNCES FOURTEEN HONORARY FELLOWSHIPS

On 7 October 2008 The Royal Institute of British Architects' (RIBA) Council approved 14 new Honorary Fellowships of the RIBA, to men and women from a wide range of backgrounds, including journalism, art, engineering and property development.

RIBA Honorary Fellowships reward the particular contributions people have made to architecture in its broadest sense: its promotion, administration and outreach; its role in building more sustainable communities; and finally its role in the education of future generations. The lifetime honour, conferred annually, allows recipients to use the initials Hon FRIBA after their name.

For more information visit:
<http://www.architecture.com/NewsAndPress/News/RIBANews/News/2008/RIBAFourteenHonoraryFellows.aspx>

RIBA HQ

JOB VACANCIES ON RIBA JOBS WEBSITE

RIBA members can now place job adverts on a dedicated regional page of www.ribaappointments.co.uk 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

Place/No Place: Anish Kapoor in Architecture

15 October – 8 November 2008

Gallery 1 RIBA, 66 Portland Place, London

For more information, visit:

<http://www.architecture.com/WhatsOn/Exhibitions/At66PortlandPlace/2008/AnishKapoor%20.aspx>

Architecture Now
Until 1 December 2008

Victoria & Albert Museum

For more information, visit:

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

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

RIBA INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE 2008

This year's RIBA International Conference, in association with Emap, will focus on the theme of architectural identity. It will examine the ways in which architecture can both give and take away identity from places; at best adding character to the non-descript, at worst suppressing the local vernacular in favour of a global style. The event is on **24 – 26 October 2008**. Click the following for more information:

<http://www.architecture.com/WhatsOn/Conferences/Conference2008/RIBAINternationalConference08.aspx>

ARCHITECTS BENEVOLENT SOCIETY – DESIGN FOR THE FUTURE

On **3 November 2008** at 6.30pm Design for the Future - An evening with Ken Shuttleworth & colleagues with proceeds from the evening in aid of the ABS. Hear Ken's thoughts on architecture in the changing climatic & economic environments of the future. The event will take place at Make, 55-65 Whitfield Street, London W1T 4HE

To book a place: E: make@absnet.org.uk <<mailto:make@absnet.org.uk>> W: www.absnet.org.uk <<http://www.absnet.org.uk/>> T: 020 7580 2823

PANGBOURNE COLLEGE CAREERS FAIR

Pangbourne College is hosting a Careers Fair on **21 November 2008** for the fifth form and lower sixth (approx. 140 students). The event will provide the opportunity for students to talk to representatives from a broad range of professions.

If you are willing to attend the Careers Fair to give a talk to students on Careers in Architecture, please contact Dr Beth Raynaert, Head of Careers:

Tel. 0118 9767 452 or email: careers@pangcoll.co.uk

FARNBOROUGH U3A ARCHITECTURE APPRECIATION GROUP

The Farnborough U3A Group is looking for speakers on either a project or a particular type/period of Architecture. The group meets during the day and is unfortunately unable to pay a speaker fee.

The Group has good visual aids and can promise an interested audience of at least 60 people.

If you are interested in speaking at a meeting, contact Rob Lane Rob Lane: tel.

01252 545069 or email: rob.lane@ntlworld.com

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.

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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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