

## Regionally Elected Councillor – RIBA EUROPE (excluding UK)

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#### Election Statement:

As RIBA has sought to expand its international presence and membership it created a new council position of EU representative. As a British born and raised architect who has worked in Helsinki, Finland for the last 10 years I believe that this is a fundamental move for the organisation as RIBA continues to adapt to the world after the establishment of ARB and the Brexit referendum.

I see RIBA's primary role is to be a champion of Architects, to highlight and to emphasise the importance of Architects as designers of the built environment. As your EU representative I will work hard to make your membership of RIBA more meaningful, important and beneficial, at a time when so much is changing in Europe and within RIBA. The role of EU representative is desperately needed and in that role I believe I can make a real positive impact on the future of RIBA. My focus:

EUROPE - Improve connectivity between RIBA members in Europe

BREXIT – Keeping members informed and contributing to the government's decision-making process. This should not be a missed opportunity!

The COUNCIL and RIBA - Clarify and develop the process of expanding RIBA's presence in Europe and around the world

ARCHITECTURE and ARCHITECTS - Increase the public's awareness of the role and value of architects.

DIVERSIFICATION

And promote and support architects as they expand their role in other fields and positions

To see a more detail of my primary council policy objectives please visit the following website: <https://www.saumacollective.com/tristan-riba>.

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