

HEDQF Digital Conference: Planning a sustainable future for universities

13th – 15th July 2021

Programme

Note that with changing circumstances, some last-minute changes may occur

Day 1: Global and University context

Chair: Ian Goodfellow, Deputy Chair of HEDQF and Partner at Penoyre & Prasad

16.00 – 16.05 Welcome and Introduction; Sean Woulfe, Director of Estates at Kingston University

16.05 – 16.20 HEDQF Research Update and Future Plans – Alex Grigull, Associate at Grimshaw and Interim Co-chair of the HEDQF Research Group, and Rupert Cook, Partner at Miltiadou Cook Mitzman architects and Co-chair of the HEDQF Research Group

16.20 – 16.40 Keith Clarke, Chair of the Active Building Centre and Constructionarium

- The global context and the imperative of Zero Carbon.

16.40 – 17.00 Chris Brink, Vice Chancellor Emeritus, University of Newcastle.

- What is the purpose of a university?

17.00 - 17.15 Discussion

17.15 – 17.35 Pooran Desai, CEO, OnePlanet.com

- One Planet Living

17.35 – 17.55 Ellie Cosgrove, Associate Professor in Urban Innovation, UCL

- The Just Sustainable University.

17.55 – 18.15 Tracy Meller, Partner RSHP

- Designing the city, buildings and public space

18.15 – 18.30 Q&A with speakers

Day 2: Towards Net Zero: Opportunities and Challenges for Universities

16.00 – 16.05 Ian Goodfellow

- Welcome and introduction to Professor Andy Ford as Chair for the day

16.05 – 16.30 Professor Andy Ford, London South Bank University

- Chair's Introduction, with an engineering and university perspective

16.30 – 16.50 Maria Smith, Director of Sustainability and Physics at Buro Happold

- Beyond Zero Carbon. How can we go further?

16.50 – 17.10 Dr Chris De Beer, Head of the Hydrogen Group, Mott MacDonald

- The Hydrogen economy

17.10 – 17.30 Sunad Prasad, Principal of Penoyre & Prasad

- How industry is gearing up, embodied energy and building renewal/replacement

17.30 – 18.00 Speaker Questions and discussion, at which we may also be joined by Prem Mahi, Strategy, Innovation and Development Director at Mott MacDonald's energy sector

Day 3: Designing for Zero Carbon: A university perspective

Chair's introduction: Julian Robinson, Director of Estates at LSE

The HEDQF Student Prize 2020 at the University of Sheffield

16.00-16.05 – Introduction to the Student Prize – Andy MacFee, Principal, AMA Andy MacFee Architects

16.05 – 16.35 The HEDQF Student Prize 2020 at the University of Sheffield

- Student Prize presentations from Kelubia Onaro, Charlie Perriam, Kristie-Lee McAreavey and Kanai Shah

16.35 – 16.45 Q&A

16.45 – 17.30 LSE's new building in the heart of the City: The Centre Building – a sustainable building reflects the importance of public space, landscaping and sense of identity

- Julian Robinson, Director of Estates at the London School of Economics and Political Science

- Lorna Edwards – Senior Associate, RSHP

- Frank Connolly, Operations Director, MACE

Chair: Ian Caldwell, former Director of Estates and Facilities at King's College London and Chair of the HEDQF Events Group.

17.30 – 17.45 Question and Answers

17.45 – 18.00 Closing Discussion

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