



**DESIGN
HOUNSLOW**

Design Review Panel

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Panel**

Panel Chairs and Members

**London Borough of Hounslow
2019**

PANEL CHAIRS



Jane Briginshaw

Architect

Jane is a workshop facilitator and panel chair with a focus on planning and community leadership. Consultant to local authorities specialising in built environment policy and delivery, championing design quality and sustainability. Major pieces of work include: founding Design England; advising schools ministers on Building Schools for the Future at the Department for Education; leading design and sustainability strategy and research for the Homes and Communities Agency, a career as practising architect and lecturer in architecture, and a term as Local Councillor.



Joanna Van Heyningen

Architect

Joanna van Heyningen formed van Heyningen and Haward Architects with Birkin Haward in 1982. She was involved on all their award-winning buildings, including those for higher education particularly in Oxford and Cambridge, further education and schools. She has worked with the National Trust, the RSPB, English Heritage and the Transport for London. Joanna has been involved the RIBA, including being a judge of the Stirling Prize, and now on the Awards Group. Over many years she has been a Design Review panellist at CABE (now Design Council), for which she co-chairs a number of panels, including the Oxford Design Review Panel. She is Governor Chair of the Building Committee of the Purcell School of Music. She was awarded an OBE for services to Architecture and the Built Environment in 2016.

PANEL MEMBERS



Alex Gore

Architect

Alex established Pricegore with Dingle Price in 2013 after 10 years experience in practice designing and delivering infrastructure, green links and public realm projects in the Thames Gateway, mixed use cultural buildings, galleries, housing & educational buildings with a significant amount of experience adapting and reusing old and listed buildings. Current and recent projects include housing developments in London and Somerset, artist studios and galleries in Harrow and the Summer Pavilion for the Dulwich Picture gallery 2019. Alex is a Design Advisor to the London Borough of Harrow and an experienced teacher, currently coordinating the 3rd year of the undergraduate architecture degree at Kingston School of Art.



Alex Graef

Architect

Alex Graef is an architect practicing in London and Vienna, owner and director of Alex Graef Associated Architects, and former architectural educator. He is a chartered member of the RIBA and holds professional qualification in Austria. He was Course Director at London Southbank University, Programme Leader MArch at the University of Lincoln, guest professor at American University Beirut, University of Innsbruck and University of Technology in Vienna, and held teaching posts at University of Greenwich and University of Reading.

Throughout his teaching career, he directed design studios focussed on systems, urban mix and density. These were informed by in depth research into urban regeneration and their local variants in international locations, resulting in 2-year design research programmes in, amongst others, Havana, Zurich, Beirut, Berlin, Vienna and London. Questions of locality, authenticity, viability and cultural and functional sustainability were constants in these studios, and are now drivers for his practice based research into new and newly interpreted European building typologies.



Amir Ramezani

Architect

Amir is an architect with over 25 years of professional experience across a range of building types. Under his leadership his practice has delivered a number of competition and award winning buildings in the education, residential, mixed use and conservation sectors. He is one of the industry's thought-leaders and his background as an engineer and architect places him in a unique position to provide creative and technically rigorous input. Amir is a member of Historic England's London Advisory Committee and also a Design Review Panel member for LB Enfield and LB Harrow. He has also served as an awards assessor for the Civic Trust Awards for the past 15 years. Amir has travelled widely in North America, Europe, China, Middle East and Brazil and his current research and concerns revolve around sustainable development in cities with increasing mass urbanisation.



Bridget Snaith

*Landscape Architect/
Urban Designer*

A chartered landscape architect, urban designer, social researcher and educator. Bridget has been partner in landscape architecture practice Shape since 2005. Her portfolio includes authoring the All London Green Grid framework for Brent Valley & Barnet Plateau, strategic studies of landscape character, play strategies, equalities impact assessment, designs for historic parks, habitat improvement, streetscape and wayfinding design for greater pedestrian and cycling connectivity, and design for parks, play spaces, and outdoor space for housing across several London Boroughs. Bridget's PhD (2015) investigated the reasons for under representation of people from minority ethnicities in UK parks. She now advises on equalities, inclusion and design quality as a Built Environment Expert for the Design Council. She is an educator, and currently leads Masters programmes in Landscape Architecture at the University of East London.



Chris Fellner

Architect

Chris studied architecture at the Bauhaus University in Weimar, Germany and the National School of Architecture of Montpellier in France.

He joined Haworth Tompkins in 2007 and became a Director in 2018. He is a leading member of our Housing and Higher Education team, co-lead of the Sustainability team and continues to work on R&D projects in these areas. In 2013 he qualified at the BRE as a certified Passivhaus Designer. Chris was Project Architect on the Sackler building for the Royal College of Art and on a number of residential schemes in London, such as Chobham Manor, Somerleyton Road, Blackwall Reach and Maydew House. Chris has been tutor and a visiting critic at a number of universities and is a member of the Harrow Design Review Panel.

Cristina Monteiro

Architect



Dan Jones

Architect

Dan is an architect and founder of architecture practice Civic (2005). Civic were awarded BD's Architect of the Year Award for Environmental Excellence in 2012, and two RIBA Awards for their work on the Gamlingay Eco Hub in 2016. Dan is a member of several Place & Design Quality review panels including for Enfield Council, Design Council Cabe and the GLA, and regularly makes contributions as a Built Environment Expert on community planning and environmental sustainability in particular.



David Ubaka

Architect/Urban Designer

A Chartered Architect, Urban Designer and Project Director with over 25 years' experience working in both the Private and Public sectors. His expertise covers Transport & Highways infrastructure, Healthcare, Housing, Heritage, Community, Retail, and Commercial projects. Also, Public realm, street design, Policy/Guidance document creation, Masterplanning, development viability appraisals and urban regeneration projects. For 10 years from 2002 within Transport for London and Design for London, he directed and Championed Design excellence on a wide array of delivered high profile TfL and GLA projects. Since 2012 he has been Managing Director of David Ubaka Placemakers (DUP Ltd) helping Private, Public and Third sector clients design and/or managing the delivery of their projects. In this time he has become an experienced panel member on Design Review Panels around the country.



Dinah Bornat

Architect

Dinah Bornat is co-director of ZCD Architects in Hackney. Their work includes a variety of projects, from single homes through to medium sized housing developments, office and commercial buildings and public realm design.

Dinah is a Mayor's Design Advocate for the Mayor of London and a design review panel member for Harrow. She is currently working with Lendlease, Museum of London, Hackney Council and a variety of other organisations on strategic and specific projects around London.

Dinah has published *Housing Design for Community Life* and *Neighbourhood Design: Working with children towards a child friendly city*. Both are available on the practice's website and have been well read in the UK and abroad.



Euan Macdonald

Architect

Euan is an architect with almost 20 years' experience of designing and delivering a diverse portfolio of award-winning projects across the residential, education, community, civic and arts sectors. He has been a partner at Hawkins\Brown Architects since 2010 where he leads a studio of architects and designers in London as well as overseeing the work of the practice's recently launched Edinburgh studio.

Euan has extensive expertise of working with existing buildings, organising complex briefs, liaising with clients and stakeholders and leading design teams. He recently led the design and delivery of the award-winning transformation of the Bartlett School of Architecture, and new multi-disciplinary teaching and research facilities at Here East in the Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park.

Euan is also a RIBA Advisor and a member of Harrow's Design Review Panel and has lectured and been a visiting critic at a number of schools of architecture across the UK.



Gareth Morris

Architect

Gareth is co-founder and director of the architecture practice what if: projects. Gareth led on the award-winning Mini Holland-Waltham Forest 'Villages' series of projects that have brought far-reaching improvements to the borough's cycle infrastructure, footways and public realm. He also delivered public realm schemes at Rainham Station, through The Coppermill Lane Design Framework at Walthamstow Wetlands and was co-creator of Lamlash Garden, a reclaimed street transformed into a new communal space in Elephant and Castle. He is now leading on the development of the adjacent 'Castle Place project' a neighbourhood hub combining workspace units with much-needed community facilities.

Gareth has taught degree-level architecture at UEL and the CASS and is currently a member of the Harrow and Croydon Design Review Panels.



Graeme Sutherland

Architect

Graeme is a co-founding director of Adams & Sutherland, an award-winning practice, best known for its work in the public realm across London, that brings together architectural, landscape and urban design skills. Clients are drawn predominately from the public or third sectors. Key published work includes the Olympic 2012 Greenway and Bow Riverside projects. Graeme is an experienced design reviewer, currently with Sutton, Harrow and the Old Oak Park Royal Development Corporation, has taught in many schools of architecture, and is also currently an external examiner. His experience of Hounslow includes authoring the Colne and Crane area framework for the GLA All London Green Grid. Adams & Sutherland was AYA 'Public Realm Architect of the Year' 2012 and was shortlisted for AYA 'Public Realm and Master-planning Architect of the Year' in 2017.



Hendrik Heynes

Architect

Hendrik trained at the University of the Free State, in South Africa, working in Johannesburg before joining Allies and Morrison in 1999. He became a Partner of the practice in 2015. Hendrik has been involved in a range of residential, retail and education schemes, and has extensive experience of delivering projects from inception through to completion. In recent years, Hendrik has concentrated on the practice's housing and regeneration work. He led the award-winning St Andrews project in Bromley-by-Bow, (964 units). Currently, Hendrik is working on a number of residential projects in London, including West Hendon, the Gascoigne Estate regeneration masterplan and Lampton Road.

Hendrik is a key member of Allies and Morrison's Housing Group and helped steer the practice's Housing Design Guide. He has also recently contributed a chapter and several case studies to the NLA's Housing Design Handbook.



Hiro Aso

Architect

Hiro is a Chartered Architect. He is a leading UK-based specialist in the masterplanning, architectural design and delivery of regenerative transport hubs. With over 25 years of experience, he has led major infrastructure projects in the UK and internationally, including as lead architect on the multi-award winning redevelopment of London King's Cross Station and Bond Street Station on the new Elizabeth Line. He is a Mayoral Design Advocate, supporting growth ambitions across London. An expert design panel member, he currently supports several London Boroughs including Lewisham, Harrow and Croydon, as well as Leeds City Council. Through his championing of well designed transport infrastructure as a driving force for growth, Hiro was also appointed to the Independent High Speed 2 Design Panel.



Jane Wernick

Structural Engineer

Jane is an engineer who likes to work on projects that give delight. At Arup since 1973, she ran their Los Angeles office from 1986-88. Her most notable project was the Millennium Wheel. In 1998 she founded Jane Wernick Associates (JWA). Projects include the Young Vic; the treetop walkway at Kew Gardens; and the Living Architecture Houses. In 2015 JWA was incorporated into engineersHRW, where she is now a consultant. Jane has taught at many architecture and engineering schools around the world. She won the 2013 CBI First Woman of the Built Environment Award. She is a member of various Design Review Panels, and think tanks, and edited the RIBA Building Futures book, 'Building Happiness – Architecture to Make You Smile'.



Je Ahn

Architect

Je is a founding director of Studio Weave and has been involved with all the practice's projects since its inception. Over the last ten years Je has gained extensive experience designing and delivering a range of projects, both large and small, as well as for a variety of clients including schools, charities, hospitals, museums, local authorities and housing associations. This has led to a diverse portfolio ranging from pavilions, public realm improvements and place-making strategies to large-scale housing schemes. Alongside art and architecture projects, Je has led numerous masterplans and development studies for London Boroughs such as City of London, Croydon, Hackney, Havering, Merton and Tower Hamlets, translating his 'bottom-up' knowledge into guidelines, frameworks and policies. Increasingly, in collaboration with 00, Je is leading broader strategic studies in relation to our built environment, including recently published "Living Closer: The many faces of co-housing", TfL's "Small Change, Big Impact" and Hull Vision 2037 "Learning without Borders".



John Milligan

Architect

Following completion of his studies at the University of Liverpool in 2008, John moved to Stuttgart to work for Wilford Schupp Architekten on range of projects at all work stages in Germany, Russia, and Malaysia. In 2013, John joined Allies and Morrison Architects in London where he worked on several award winning commercial and cultural schemes.

In 2015, along with his fellow Director Simon Knight, John established Milligan Knight Architects. Milligan Knight Architects are an RIBA chartered architectural practice that deliver quality, rational and honest architecture that is of its place. Their portfolio includes a diverse range of private and commercial project types in the UK, Ireland France and Germany.

As well as jointly running his own practice, John is a member of the Harrow Design Review Panel, St Albans Civic Society (Design Advisory Group) and has taught Technology and Design at the University of Hertfordshire.



Judith Loesing

Architect

Judith is a director of East, and is an experienced architect and skilled designer with a broad experience of architectural, urban design and landscape projects, recently working on housing and regeneration projects for the public sector, housing associations and private developers in Southwark, Hackney, Waltham Forest, Haringey, Newham and Havering. She has been on the Hackney Estate Regeneration Review Panel since 2014, on both the Islington and Harrow Design Review Panels and is an external critic for the Mayor's Design Advisory Group.

Judith has a Post Graduate Certificate of Teaching and Learning in Architecture and was leading a diploma unit at the CASS for twelve years, as well as being a supervisor on the MA Sustainable Urbanism at the Bartlett School of Planning.



Julian Lewis

Architect

Julie Futcher

Architect

Julie is an architect with interests in sustainable urban design and the role of buildings in modifying the climates of neighbouring buildings and the outdoors. She completed a Doctor of Philosophy at the College of Engineering and Architecture, University College Dublin, on the contributions of buildings and of urban form to the urban climate. Her research is multidisciplinary in its approach, drawing on the expertise of architects, engineers, geographers and climatologists. Julie applies her expertise to the study of the impacts of tall buildings in cities, and has developed novel approaches to link urban design with the experiences of pedestrians and urban dwellers. She is an independent consultant on applied urban climatology and co-founder of Urban Generation, an urban design studio concerned with the public realm.



Katy Marks

Architect

Katy is an Architect and Director of Citizens Design Bureau, established in 2013. She studied at the Mackintosh School of Architecture, ETSA Madrid and Cambridge University, where she also completed a Masters in Environmental Design. As well as offering affordable design surgeries to individuals, small charities and SMEs, Citizens Design Bureau have a diverse portfolio including arts centres, museums, libraries, places of worship and housing. They also develop business plans for social enterprise and new typologies for Civic Infrastructure. Currently working with the LLDC on concept designs for a new Library, workspace and Community Land Trust housing as well as a new building for Manchester Jewish Museum, refurbishment of St. Peter's Church in Epping Forest and Jacksons Lane Arts Centre.

Katy was previously co-founder and Architect of ImpactHub Islington in 2005. ImpactHub was a pioneer of the co-working model. Katy went on to Haworth Tompkins Architects where she was a project Architect for the Stirling prize winning Liverpool Everyman Theatre.

Mark Lemanski*Urban Designer*

Mark Lemanski is an urban designer with focus on participatory space planning and pioneering engagement processes. Trained as an architect in Berlin and London, Mark joined muf architecture/art in 2003 becoming associate in 2005. He has led design teams and worked within multi-disciplinary teams for a wide range of complex client bodies and many local authorities.

Recent projects include the re-generation of housing estates in Hackney: Kings Crescent, Tower Court and Marian Court. A play area on the Golden Lane Estate and a watersports building for the National Trust in the Lake District are currently on site. Mark has been combining urban design practice with research and academic teaching, both in Great Britain and abroad. Mark is a member of the ARB and the Hackney and Harrow Design Panels.

Martin Waters*Structural Engineer*

Martin is a structural engineer and one of the founding directors (in 2001) of engineersHRW. An award-winning practice, engineersHRW were recipients of the IStructE 'Supreme Award for Engineering Excellence' in 2007.

He gained his MEng in Architectural Engineering from Leeds University in 1994 and DipArch in Architecture from The University of East London in 1998 and has been a Chartered Engineer and Member of the Institute of Structural Engineers since 1998.

Martin was Lecturer in Structural Engineering at the School of Art and Architecture, Kingston University 2000-2007 and has been Visiting Lecturer in Technical Lecturer in Technical Studies at the Royal College of Art since 2017.

In addition to work in practice and teaching, Martin has been an 'External Expert' for a European Commission selection committee for a large architectural competition as well as sitting on a number of Design Review Panels.

Mellis Haward*Architect*

Mellis is co-Director of architecture practice Archio, a firm with a reputation for innovative and socially-focused housing design. They are currently working with community groups, Housing Associations and Local Authorities, including Barking and Dagenham's housing company Be First.

Archio won the commission from London Community Land Trust to design London's first ever purpose-built Community Land Trust housing through a public vote. Their inventive process of community engagement has been widely documented.

Mellis studied at Cambridge and the Architectural Association, gaining professional experience at Levitt Bernstein, Ash Sakula, FCBS and Gort Scott. She contributes her experience to the Harrow and Tower Hamlets Design Review Panels, advising the councils on current applications and policy in the borough.

Michael Gollings

Architect



Miranda MacLaren

Architect

Miranda joined Morris+Company in 2012 and after initially focusing on projects in the residential sector, she now oversees a number of schemes ranging in scale and typology. She is responsible for new business and the internal operation of the practice, and has a particular interest in developing methodologies to ensure design and technical excellence across Morris+Company's work.

Miranda runs a housing research group within the office, seeking new opportunities for pushing innovation within the sector. She has also taught an undergraduate unit at the Cass school at London Metropolitan University for a number of years, looking at new housing models to alleviate the poor quality housing offered to neglected user groups in London. Miranda sits on the Design Review Panel for Harrow and Merton, and is involved in several teaching and research groups, as well as awards judging. She has also given lectures and written articles on the work of the practice.



Pooja Asher

Architect

Pooja is an architect who has been involved in a series of creative and multi-disciplinary works and built a portfolio of residential, mixed-use, regeneration and education projects. The variety in projects has provided experience of engaging with communities and track record in delivering complex and politically sensitive projects. Recently she has focused on the education sector and led multi-disciplinary teams through the full spectrum of works (from conception to completion) on a variety of schemes ranging from a small scaled folly in the public realm to an award winning new Primary School and its associated Community Facilities. After working in a popular architectural practice for over 12 years, she set up in 2018 as an Independent Consultant advising on school designs. Currently working with the estates team of a number of Independent Schools to further develop their capital plans.



Rachel Bagenal

Urban Designer

Rachel works for Hackney Council in the Regeneration team – leading two large estate regeneration projects. Rachel is also co-founder of Naked House, a not-for-profit housing developer, pioneering a new model of affordable shell housing for London. She is one of the Mayor's Design Advocates, is an Urban Design London Wise Friend, a Public Practice mentor and is a regular visiting critic at London architecture schools.



Roland Karthus

Architect

Roland co-founded Matter with Jonathan McDowell in 2016. He leads on specialist housing, education and regeneration projects as well as research. He is a member of several national and local design review panels and advisory groups. Roland was previously principal of Karthus Design, a practice which developed an expertise in strategic client advice and participatory design in regeneration. Past positions include Programme Leader for the Professional Part 2 Architecture course at the UEL - where he continues to teach and research - and as Architect at leading London practices including Squire and Partners and McDowell+Benedetti. From 2005-2008 he worked for Lewisham Council as a public sector commissioning client on the New Cross Gate New Deal for Communities project. Roland has been a registered Architect since 2002. He is a Design Council CABE Built Environment Expert and member of the RIBA Planning Advisory Group. In 2018 he won an RIBA President's award for research with the Ministry of Justice to improve prison design for health and wellbeing.



Tim Riley

Architect

Tim is a founding director of RCKa, a London based architectural practice established to promote socially responsive design – creating buildings and places that realise both social and economic value for clients and communities. This approach has been endorsed by numerous awards: finalist for the Young Architect of the Year twice and winning the RIBA Emerging Practice of the Year in 2014. It has successfully been applied across a broad range of projects from art installations, community centres and galleries to laboratories and housing. He leads projects through early strategic design and urban design stages with an opportunity-led approach to design focused on community cohesion and social infrastructure. A keen interest in wellbeing has seen him deliver lectures and prepare manifestos on Social Wealth, Social Value and Community Wellbeing.

Tom Coward

Architect