



**TUESDAY, 14TH JUNE 2011**

11:00am followed by a Q&A session until 12:30  
**Principles and Processes Related to Sustainable Building Design**

Carolyn Moultrie and Dr David Grierson, University of Strathclyde Glasgow

Interviews with several Scottish architectural practices who describe their sustainable design philosophies and underlying principles of recently built projects.

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2:00pm followed by a Q&A session until 3:30  
**Learning from Scotland's Housing Expo: Making resilient buildings and neighbourhoods**

John Brennan, University of Edinburgh

Interviews with the planners of Scotland's Housing Expo 2010 and designers of some of the buildings at this exhibition will explain design options for resilient housing and neighbourhoods in Scotland.

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**WEDNESDAY, 15TH JUNE 2011**

11:00am followed by a Q&A session until 12:30  
**Flooding resilience: avoidance, resistance and recovery**

Prof. Sue Roaf, Heriot Watt University

Consideration of the issues related to the risk of flooding in built up areas in Elgin, Scotland, which could increase with climate change.

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**Resilience to Occupancy: Findings from recent Post Occupancy Evaluation projects**

Dr Tim Sharpe, Glasgow School of Art

The internal threats to the quality of built environment, arising from the way in which some recently built housing in Scotland is used, are explored and recommendations on some potential areas for improvement provided.

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**THURSDAY, 16TH JUNE 2011**

11:00am followed by a Q&A session until 12:30  
**The theory of self-organising built environments as a response to carbon levels**

Dr David Moore, Robert Gordon University

Interviews with representatives of Scottish organisations that are seeking to go beyond the minimum (as established by the legislative 'push') level of response to carbon will be presented along with the examples of ecology 'pull' such as the Woodland Carbon Code.

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**Urban Heat Island: Managing local climate change to enhance resilience of cities**

Dr Rohinton Emmanuel and Dr Craig Thomson, Glasgow Caledonian University  
Prof. Eduardo Krüger, Federal Technological University of Paraná, Brazil

Opportunities to use the mitigatory potential of urban fabric to reduce the effects of urban warming are examined through a study on the influence of urban morphology on local/micro-climate changes in Glasgow within the context of global climate change and efforts to adapt cities to such changes.

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**FRIDAY, 17TH JUNE 2011**

11:00am followed by a Q&A session until 12:30  
**Towards a Visible City for Visually Impaired Users**

Dr Robert White and Dr Mike Grant, University of Strathclyde Glasgow

A snapshot of the barriers inherent to the design of urban environments for individuals with different types and degree of visual field loss. Enhanced guidelines are presented that incorporate the findings of the research results.

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**Energy co-operatives as a means of achieving sustainability within the housing sector**

Sarah Borthwick and Prof. Tariq Muneer, Edinburgh Napier University

The co-operative approach to renewable energy is examined in terms of scale, risk management and capital raising whilst maintaining the benefits locally. The presentation includes examples of renewable energy co-operatives such as Boyndie Wind Farm in Aberdeenshire, Eaga in Newcastle, the Edinburgh Community Energy Co-operative, and the Isle of Eigg, a model community for renewable energy.

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- Optimization of economic, environmental and energy savings in buildings, Edinburgh Napier University and Eurocapita Investment Group
- Developing a template for quick start user guides, The Glasgow School of Art and The Property Log Book Company Ltd
- Tool to Calibrate Cost Effectiveness of Energy Efficiency, Glasgow School of Art, University of Sheffield and NRGSTYLE Ltd
- Energy Efficiency Improvements in Tenements, Edinburgh Napier University and Lanarkshire Housing Association
- Retrofitting Solar Photovoltaic Panels in Existing Housing Stock, Edinburgh Napier University and Easthall Park Housing Co-operative Ltd
- Retrofitting Solar PV in Housing Stock, Edinburgh Napier University and Malcolm Homes Ltd
- Benefits and options for retrofit of an 18th century traditional Scottish house using the Passive House standard, Edinburgh Napier University and SA Estates

**SUCCESSFUL APPLICATIONS FOR ACADEMIC CONSULTANCY**

- Environmental Design Teaching Model, Edinburgh College of Art and IES Ltd
- Testing and Evaluating Recycled Plasterboard Prototypes to assess Thermal and Moisture Performance for Suitability as Insulation Material, Glasgow Caledonian University and First Option Services

Funding is available for 27 feasibility studies and 9 academic consultancies. The next submission deadline for applications is 15th September 2011. Information and a video on how to apply are available at [www.cicstart.org](http://www.cicstart.org). If you have any questions, please contact Dr Branka Dimitrijevic at [branka@cicstart.org](mailto:branka@cicstart.org) or on 0141 273 1408.

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- **'member to member'** promotional seminars/interactive webinars to provide a showcase for your company's products or services for sustainable building design and refurbishment (held from 12.30-14.00)

- **promotional videos** (3-5 minutes) for inclusion in the webinar and for the member's independent use, e.g. on your website or marketing material.

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- Company logo and a link to website in the event summary that will be published in Innovation Review, our quarterly online magazine available at our website [www.cicstart.org](http://www.cicstart.org).

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