

AECB Annual Conference Fabric Matters - Programme



25 SEPTEMBER 2026 | 9AM-6:00PM

9:00am	Registration & refreshments
9:30am	Welcome Session
9:45am	Lecture: Barnabas Calder - Fabric and energy: the long view
10:15am	Lecture: Beth Williams & Joe Garbett - Closing the Loop: How Reused Steel Can Drive Low-Carbon Design
10:45am	Panel Discussion: Barnabas Calder, Beth Williams, Joe Garbett, Marriane Heaslip, Helen Grimshaw, Nick Grant, Jon Broome
11:15am	Refreshments
11:45am	Workshops: Marianne Heaslip & Helen Grimshaw / Nick Grant & Jon Broome / Oliver Henshall
12:30pm	Lunch and chance to explore the museum
1:30pm	Sponsor Panel Discussion
2:00pm	Workshops: Ste Garlick & Angela Connelly / Sarah Naidoo-Banks / Tim Martel
2:45pm	Refreshments
3:15pm	Lecture: Prof David Glew - No Retrofit, No Heat Pumps; Why Retrofit and Heat Pumps Must Go Hand-in-Hand
3:45pm	Lecture: Evan Davis - Heat pumps in the UK: problems and possibilities
4:15pm	Panel Discussion: David Glew, Evan Davis, Ste Garlick, Angela Connelly, Sarah Naidoo-Banks and Tim Martel
5:00pm	Drinks reception 6pm

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25 SEPTEMBER 2026 WORKSHOPS

11:45am	Workshop 1	Workshop 2	Workshop 3	Workshop 4
	<p>Marianne Heaslip & Helen Grimshaw</p> <p>People First Retrofit</p>	<p>Nick Grant & Jon Broome</p> <p>Lessons from The Good Building Book: What Works, What Doesn't, and Why</p>	<p>Oliver Henshall</p> <p>AECB meets Tier 1 Contractors, what did we learn?</p>	<p>Local Group Leader Drop In</p>

Please note the programme is subject to change without notice

2pm	Workshop 1	Workshop 2	Workshop 3
	<p>Sarah Naidoo-Banks</p> <p>Practical Tools for Collaborative Conversations</p>	<p>Ste Garlick & Angela Connelly</p> <p>Beyond Carbon: Towards Place-Based Performance</p>	<p>Tim Martel</p> <p>PHPP, PHribbon and CarbonLite certification</p>



8 CPD Points



8 PHI Points

