

CIVIC CHARM: THE TRANSFORMATION OF HORNSEY TOWN HALL



nla.london



Tuesday 21 January 2020, 18:30 – 20:30

NLA, The Building Centre, 26 Store Street, London WC1E 7BT

PROGRAMME CHAMPIONS

L&Q

PROGRAMME

Undergoing meticulous restoration, Hornsey Town Hall is being transformed into an arts centre, hotel, co-working space and more. The iconic Grade II* Listed former civic headquarters in the heart of Crouch End will retain many of its original features, including the stunning grand staircases, terrazzo flooring, and original ironmongery to combine history, culture and modern living.

In this evening talk, you will hear from the project team behind the conversion of this 1935 modernist monument. How is it being sensitively designed to preserve its striking features? What new opportunities will it bring to the area and why are many of London's Town Halls being redeveloped?

18:30

Welcome from Chair

Benjamin O'Connor

Director, New London Architecture

18:35

Claire Brady

Historic Buildings and Areas Inspector,
Historic England

18:45

Anusha Le Vasan

Associate Director, Fulkers Bailey Russell

18:55

Regine Kandan

Partner, Make Architects

19:05

Panel discussion and Q&A

speakers above plus:

Elisabetta Tonazzi

Principal Conservation Officer, LB Haringey

19:35

Networking Drinks

20:30

Close

BIOGRAPHIES

Claire Brady

Historic Buildings and Areas Inspector, Historic England



Claire has worked in planning and conservation in London for over 20 years at various organisations including the London Borough of Camden, City of London and Historic England. Claire specialises in the regeneration of historic sites with the aim of celebrating their heritage whilst also providing vibrant new places that can be enjoyed by everyone. Projects that Claire has worked on include King's Cross and St. Pancras Stations, Granary Square, Alexandra Palace, Pitzhanger Manor and Poplar Baths.

@HistoricEngland

Benjamin O'Connor

Director, New London Architecture



Benjamin is a Director of NLA and started as Director of The City Centre in September 2015 developing several new streams of activity including an Education programme, Exhibitions, Public Events and a brand new Private Hire offer. Shortly after the Lord Mayor opened The City Centre to the public, Benjamin took on the role as Director of the One City project, a new digital platform for promoting the best the City has to offer to City workers. Benjamin comes to the City from his role as Head of Operations at the Garden Museum which is where he developed his interest and expertise in green infrastructure and public space, two key focal points for the Centre's activity. Prior to his role at the Garden Museum, Benjamin worked as a Gallery Manager for a private commercial gallery. He trained in Fine Art to MA level at Central Saint Martin's School of Art and Design, has been a Features Editor for an online lifestyle magazine and sits on a number of committees for Cultural Development.

@nlalondon

Regine Kandan

Partner, Make Architects



Regine joined Make in 2013 and brought with her experience in heritage and existing buildings in the culture and public sectors. She qualified as an architect in 2010 and is an RIBA Conservation Registrant with a portfolio of work includes numerous listed buildings, namely the Grade I-listed Gloucester Lodge, projects within the Grade II*-listed Harrods and the Grade II*-listed Hornsey Town Hall. At Foster + Partners, Regine worked on the major redevelopment of the Grade II-listed Imperial War Museum. Regine's ongoing involvement in Hornsey Town Hall includes conservation and repair, with a primary ambition to remove the building from the Heritage At Risk register. The proposals will also repurpose existing municipal rooms into flexible spaces including a theatre, cinema, studios and hotel. She is currently working on designs for the refurbishment of the Grade II-listed Billiter Building in the City of London.

@MakeArchitects

Elisabetta Tonazzi

Principal Conservation Officer, LB Haringey



An accredited conservation architect with 16 years EU & UK experience in restoration and adaptive reuse of historic buildings and places, Elisabetta has been working over the last years as conservation officer for various London's boroughs where she has contributed to shape the local historic environment in line with adopted policies and best conservation practice. In her current role at the London Borough of Haringey she is involved in the final stages of the planning consent for the refurbishment of the Hornsey Town Hall complex.

@haringeycouncil

Anusha Le Vasan

Associate Director, Fulkers Bailey Russell



Anusha Le Vasan is an Associate Director for construction consultancy firm Fulkers Bailey Russell and is based within the company's London office. She has over ten years' experience within the construction industry, working across a number of different sectors and with a variety of clients. Anusha specialises in complex projects requiring careful planning and engagement with key stakeholders. She manages projects from inception through planning, procurement and delivery stages, leading a team of ten staff and mentoring some of the more junior members of the team.

@Fulkersuk

NLA FORTHCOMING EVENTS

NEW LONDON NEIGHBOURHOOD TOURS

Walking Tours

Ticketed, £14-£18

Discover London's latest architecture on the New London Neighbourhood Tours.

The City – Wed 29 Jan, 10:30-12:30

Olympic Park – Sat 15 Feb, 14:00-16:00

Bankside – Wed 26 Feb, 10:30-12:30

King's Cross – Wed 11 Mar, 10:30-12:30

VISUALISING THE FUTURE – DIGITAL IMAGES OF THE CITY

Thursday 23 January, 08:30-09:30 – Breakfast Talk
Free

This breakfast talk brings together illustrators, producers and industry experts to discuss these new technologies and new graphic approaches to representing our changing city. How far do they actually influence the final physical place?

Programme Champion: City of London Corporation
Programme Supporter: VU.CITY

COMMUNITY IDEAS. POWERED BY PECHAKUCHA

Tuesday 28 January, 18:30-20:00 – PechaKucha
Free

An evening to showcase projects and illustrate best practice for community participation in the built environment.

DON'T MOVE, IMPROVE! 2020 – PRIVATE VIEW AND WINNERS ANNOUNCEMENT

Tuesday 11 February, 18:30-20:30 – Private View
Free – Members only

Join us as we reveal the exhibition, annual magazine and announce the winners of *Don't Move, Improve! 2020* Celebrating London's best-designed and most innovative home extensions completed in the last two years, this exhibition showcases over 100 of the best interventions from architects working with London's eclectic mix of building types.

Programme Champions: Day True, Timber Trade Federation, Wood Campus
Programme Supporters: Architects' Republic, Home Notes
Media Partners: Homes & Property, Wallpaper
Partner: RIBA London
Charity Partner: Article 25

THE LONDON BOROUGHS 2020

Friday 14 February, 08:30-09:30 – Breakfast Talk
Free

Launching NLA's 2020 report, 'The London Boroughs' this breakfast talk will explore some of the key developments and data in more detail.

Programme Champions: L&Q, Swan NU Living

LET'S TALK HOTELS

Wednesday 19 February, 18:00-20:30
– Evening Lecture

Free – Members only

This evening talk brings together local authorities and hotel operators to have a conversation on hotels social value, balancing diverse demands and planning for the future of hospitality in the city.

Programme Champion: Axiom Architects
Programme Supporter: Dexter Moren Associates

DISSECTING THE NEW LONDON PLAN

Wednesday 26 February, 09:00-13:00
– Half-Day Conference

£169 +VAT / Free for Members

This half-day conference presents the key aspects that the industry will need to consider when planning for the future of the city.

Programme Supporter: BECG

PUBLIC AMENITIES: WHAT ELEMENTS MAKE SPACES PUBLIC? POWERED BY PECHAKUCHA

Thursday 27 February, 18:30-20:30 – PechaKucha
Free

Toilets, water fountains, benches, wi-fi spots and bus stops. An evening of quick-fire presentations from London's most innovative and creative thinkers on the often-unnoticed small fundamentals that make spaces truly public.

To book or for more information about our upcoming events and exhibitions please visit nla.london