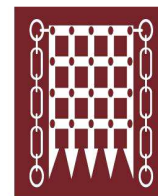


Westminster Social Policy Forum keynote seminar
The future of housing design and delivery in the UK

Timing: Morning, Wednesday 9th December 2020

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- 8.30 Registration
- 9.00 **Chair's opening remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 9.05 **Key issues for ensuring high-quality design and takeaways from the *Building Better, Building Beautiful Commission***
Paul Monaghan, Director, Allford Hall Monaghan Morris and Special Adviser, Building Better, Building Beautiful Commission
- 9.25 **Improving the quality of homes and implementing the National Design Code**
Andy Von Bradsky, Head of Architecture - Housing Supply and Planning Directorate, MHCLG
- 9.45 Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.10 Break
- 10.15 **Next steps for creating well-designed places - developing local guidance, community engagement, promoting more beautiful and sustainable developments, and implementing the Future Homes Standard**
Julian Higson, Director, Housing and Landlord Services, Bristol City Council
Sue Morgan, Director, Architecture and the Built Environment, Design Council
Senior speaker confirmed from **Energy Systems Catapult**
Senior representative, house building
Senior representative, community
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.05 **Chair's closing remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
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- 11.15 **The role of Modern Methods of Construction (MMC) and its potential to address challenges facing the housing sector**
Mark Farmer, Founding Director and Chief Executive Officer, Cast Consultancy and Champion, Modern Methods of Construction
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.40 Break
- 11.45 **Prioritising design capability and capacity for MMC delivery**
Dr Sonja Dragojlovic-Oliveira, Associate Professor, Architecture and Design Innovation, UWE Bristol
- 11.55 **Accelerating the delivery of off-site construction methods**
Edel Christie, Managing Director, Buildings, Arcadis
- 12.05 **Assessing the role of MMC and new innovative methods in meeting housing demand**
Rosie Toogood, Chief Executive Officer, Legal & General Modular Homes
David Sheridan, Executive Chairman, ilke Homes
Senior speaker confirmed from **Burges Salmon**
Senior representative, local authority
Questions and comments from the floor with **Dr Sonja Dragojlovic-Oliveira**, Associate Professor, Architecture and Design Innovation, UWE Bristol and **Edel Christie**, Managing Director, Buildings, Arcadis
- 12.55 **Chair's and Westminster Social Policy Forum closing remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
Michael Ryan, Deputy Editor, Westminster Social Policy Forum