

**Westminster Education Forum Keynote Seminar:
Next steps for the schools estate in England - refurbishment, new schools, funding and design innovation**

Timing: Morning, Monday, 11th March 2019

Venue: 15Hatfields, Chadwick Court, London SE1 8DJ



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- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**
Huw Merriman MP (subject to Parliamentary requirements)
- 9.05 - 9.30 **Capital funding for schools: the current position and priorities going forward**
Rory Kennedy, Director of Capital, Department for Education
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.30 - 10.15 **Refurbishing the schools estate: funding, developing a cost effective approach and assessing progress in the Priority School Building Programme**
Claire Jackson, Education Director, GallifordTry
Edward Thomas, Estates Director, Academy Transformation Trust
Marcus Orlovsky, Founder, Bryanston Square Foundation
Headteacher
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.15 - 10.20 **Chair's closing remarks**
Huw Merriman MP (subject to Parliamentary requirements)
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Steve McCabe MP, Member, House of Commons Work and Pensions Select Committee
- 10.50 - 11.05 **'Funding school improvements from creative redevelopment of surplus school buildings and land'**
Sue Corbett, Senior Development Manager, LocatED
- 11.05 - 11.55 **Building new schools in England and meeting the demand for school places: land acquisition, meeting community needs and progress with the free schools programme**
Professor Alexi Marmot, Chair, Facility and Environment Management and Director, Bartlett Global Centre for Learning Environments, University College London
Paul Watkins, Framework Manager, ISG
John Godfrey, Delivery Programme Associate, New Schools Network
Senior representative, local authority
Questions and comments from the floor with **Guy Wheeler**, Senior Development Manager, LocatED
- 11.55 - 12.05 **Designing the next generation of school buildings**
Helen Taylor, Director of Practice, Scott Brownrigg
- 12.05 - 12.55 **Maximising the potential of existing school estates and delivering high quality design: resource efficiency, effective teaching space and pupil well-being**
Gladys Marr, Partnership & Quality Manager, Space Zero
Nigel Deacon, Sales Director, Streetspace Group
Andy King, Technical Chairman, Modular and Portable Building Association and Managing Director, WernickGroup
Dr Chris Ingate, Principal, Birchwood High School, Hertfordshire
Bob Groome, National Education Union
Questions and comments from the floor with **Helen Taylor**, Director of Practice, Scott Brownrigg
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Westminster Education Forum closing remarks**
Steve McCabe MP, Member, House of Commons Work and Pensions Select Committee
Sean Cudmore, Deputy Editor, Westminster Education Forum