

Programme

Friday 19 September

- 16:30 - 19:00 **Arrival**, Accommodation check-in Lecture Room 6, New College. Conference Registration, Old Bursary (badge and documentation). Any late arrivals (after 7pm) should go to Porters' Lodge, New College to collect their room keys. If you have pre-booked upgraded accommodation in the Gradel Quadrangles, you may go directly to the Porters' Lodge there to check in
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- 16:30 - 18:00 **Tea** will be available in the North Undercroft (next to the bar), New College
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- 17:00 **Newcomers' and 'Next Gen' tea** with the committee and sponsors in the North Undercroft
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- 18:45 **Local Authority Guests'** reception with sponsors, Cloisters, New College
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- 19:00 **Drinks reception** in Cloisters, New College
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- 20:00 **Informal Dinner** (smart/casual)
Keynote address by **Peter Freeman CBE**, Chair, Cambridge Growth Company and former Chair, Homes England
Chaired by **Robert Evans**, Conference Chair and Wellcome Genome Campus and Quod
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- 22:00 **Bar** (Beer Cellar), New College, open until 1am

Saturday 20 September

- 07:30 - 09:00 **Breakfast**, New College
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- 08:00 Barista made coffee is available for purchase from the Horse Box Trailer located in front of the Natural History Museum.
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- 08:30 - 09:30 **Coffee**, grazing tables and networking, Rhodes House
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- 09:30 **Conference**, Rhodes House, Chair's introduction: **Robert Evans**, Conference Chair
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- 09:40 **Ten reasons why Labour will fail to build 1.5 million new homes (revisited)**
What else can be done to help deliver this goal?
Speaker: **James Maurici KC**, Landmark Chambers
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- 10:15 **Questions and Discussion** chaired by **Claire Dutch**, Ashurst
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- 10:35 **Coffee**, grazing tables and networking, Rhodes House
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- 11:10 **A New Era for Strategic Planning**: will it help us return to a plan-led system?
Speaker: **Catriona Riddell**, Catriona Riddell & Associates

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11:45	Questions and Discussion chaired by Christine Thorby , University of Westminster
	Development Plans
12:05	A view from the Planning Inspectorate Speaker: Simon Berkeley , Planning Inspectorate
12:40	Questions and Discussion chaired by Melissa Murphy KC , Landmark Chambers
13:00	Lunch and Networking, Rhodes House
	Another Texan in England
14:10	Personal reflections on English Land use Speaker: Rachel Fisher , DEFRA
14:45	Questions and Discussion chaired by Sarah Cary , Imperial
15:05	Securing and Delivering Development in Challenging Market Conditions Speaker: Nicholle Kingsley , Mishcon de Reya
15:40	Questions and Discussion chaired by Duncan Field , Town Legal
16:00 – 17:00	Tea , grazing tables and networking - rest of the afternoon free
16:25 – 17:30	Optional walking tour of Oxford: Eureka Moments: “ <i>Oxford’s Greatest Discoveries - “By Accident and By Design”</i> ” (focusing on buildings in Oxford which have witnessed major discoveries). Please ask organisers for a free ticket (subject to availability)
18:45	Sweet & Maxwell Champagne Reception , Gardens in front of the Mound (good weather) or Founder’s Library (poor weather), New College
	Gala Dinner in Hall, New College (Black Tie or Traditional Dress)
19:30	Guest speaker: Paul Tucker KC , Kings Chambers Chair: Hashi Mohamed , Landmark Chambers
	Bar , New College (Beer Cellar)
22:00 - 01:00	Disco in the North Undercroft next to the Bar Live Music by ‘ Runaway Jukebox ’ ‘Red Room’ is open for a quiet drink

Sunday 21 September

- 07:30 - 09:00 **Breakfast**, New College Dining Hall Room check out by 10am. Luggage can be taken to the Rhodes House or stored with the Porters at New College
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- 08:00 Barista made coffee is available for purchase from the Horse Box Trailer located in front of the Natural History Museum.
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- 08:00 **Local Worship**
In previous years we have been able to offer a church service in college.
Unfortunately, this isn't possible this year. If you would like to attend worship, please speak to the organisers and we will be happy to connect delegates of all faiths with local services on request.
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- 09:30 **Conference**, Rhodes House
Coffee will be available from 0845
Conference Chair's introduction: **Robert Evans**
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- 09:40 **Flexibility is better than Prophecy**
(for consents underpinning Super Strategic Sites)
Speaker: **James Scott**, Urban & Civic
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- 10:15 **Questions** and Discussion chaired by **Virginia Blackman**, Avison Young
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- 10:35 **Legal Update**
Discussion of the key themes that emerge from case-law over the past year.
Speaker: **Constanze Bell**, Kings Chambers
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- 11:10 **Questions** and Discussion chaired by **Richard Ground KC**, Cornerstone Barristers
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- 11:30 **Conference close**
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