

Richard Brindley is a chartered architect with 25+ years' experience in architectural practice in London and the West Indies, specialising in residential design and urban regeneration in the UK and internationally. He is former Executive Director of the Royal Institute of British Architects (2003-2015). He was Chairman of the London region of the RIBA from 1994-1996 and elected member and a Vice President of the RIBA Council from 1996-2001.

He now leads 'R Brindley Consult Ltd', an independent consultancy company providing strategic management advice to the UK and International construction and property industries. He recently completed a strategic review for the Construction Industry Council.

His other professional interests currently include Course Director of post-graduate Professional Studies at the Bartlett School of Architecture (University College London), Trustee of the Architects Benevolent Society, Executive Board member of the Architects Council of Europe, Finance and Development Committee member for FamilyMosaic housing association.

Richard has a life-long commitment and career devoted to developing excellence in the architects' profession and promoting the value and capability of the UK's professional services. He is now championing London as the Global Hub for architecture and related professional services. His theme for his WCCA Master's year focuses on this important issue for post-Brexit UK:

"Advancing Architecture, in our own Company and out there in the City and the World".