

Upcoming Events

Sustainable Development on the Green Belt?

20th September 2017, 08:00 – 09:30
Central Hall, Westminster

Is sustainable development on the green belt possible? As local authorities across the country struggle to designate sufficient and appropriate development land, there has been growing pressure on Government to rethink its policies on the green belt.

The arguments for and against allowing development on land currently designated as green belt are well rehearsed. The issue is deeply political and is dominated by strong vested interests on each side.

This event by Planning Futures seeks to move the debate forward by putting the challenge of sustainable development to those in favour of green belt release. It poses the question: how can sustainable development on the green belt be achieved?

Chair

Trudi Elliott CBE, Chief Executive, RTPI

Speakers

Bernard Greep, Partner, PBA

Dr Alan Mace, Assistant Professor of Urban Planning Studies, LSE

Final Speaker TBC

This event is for Planning Futures Members.

The Future of CIL: A Q&A with Liz Peace CBE

19th October 2017, 08:00 – 09:30
Central Hall, Westminster

In February, the Government published its much-anticipated CIL Review, *A New approach to Developer Contributions*. Planning Futures is delighted to announce that the next event in our popular Q&A series will feature the CIL Review Chair, Liz Peace CBE. The hour-long session will explore the work of the CIL review group in reaching its recommendations, and pose a series of questions regarding the future of the levy.

This event is for Planning Futures Members.

Biannual Receptions

This Autumn, Planning Futures will be introducing a new events series as part of our membership offer. Our biannual drinks receptions will bring together key figures from the planning and development industry. These high-level networking events will take place in Central London and will each feature a prominent guest speaker from the planning and development sector. The first event in this series will take place in November, with details to follow shortly.

These events are for Planning Futures Members Only.



Join the conversation during this party conference season

In late September, we will publish our new report on Planning Department Capacity: Resource, Structure and Process. The report will feature the most extensive survey to date of planning department resourcing. It will also include key recommendations on how to deliver a more efficient and effective planning service in England. To coincide with the release of this new work, we will be hosting panel discussions at the Labour and Conservative party conferences. Please join us for what promises to be an exciting conversation on the future of planning in England.

Labour Party Conference

15:00 – 16:30,
25th September
Kielder
Durham Hall
Hilton Brighton

Speakers

Nick Kilby, CEO, Cratus
Cian Bryan, Director Planning Futures
Further speaker TBC



Chair

Roberta Blackman-Woods MP

Conservative Party Conference

19.30 - 21.00
3rd October
Exchange 8
Manchester Central

Speakers

Tbc



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