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# SHEFFIELD SOCIETY OF ARCHITECTS NEWSLETTER JAN/FEB 2017

## SSA AGM, CHRISTMAS SOCIAL & QUIZ

Thank you to everyone who attended our AGM and Christmas Social on 14th December 2016, with a special mention to SUAS and SHarc for organising an enjoyable and challenging post-AGM quiz.

Outgoing President, Lucy Plumridge, outlined the wide range of successful events that SSA has arranged or participated in throughout 2016 including: the Sheffield Design Awards; urban design workshops; building visits; and CPD events.

Officers were unanimously voted into position as below and all look forward to further developing the work of SSA over the coming year:

- **President:** Dan Brown
- **Senior Vice President:** Leanora Simmonite
- **Treasurer:** Neil Orpwood
- **Honorary Secretary:** Lucy Plumridge
- **Joint Vice Presidents of Media:** Sarah Foxwell & Anya Sutton
- **Vice President of Building Visits:** Mariam El-Sayed

## CALL FOR IDEAS

SSA is a branch of RIBA Yorkshire and aims to support its members and champion better buildings, communities and the environment through architecture. There is no charge for membership which is open to all RIBA members within Sheffield, South Yorkshire and North-East Derbyshire, employees of Chartered Practices and students/lecturers involved in architecture.

New President Dan Brown, is keen to hear from practices and individuals with ideas for increasing involvement in and relevancy of SSA activities. Whether the focus is on social, professional or something else, please email him (email below) with any thoughts you have for how SSA might help to augment the future of our local area, architects, affiliated professionals and public.

## FIND OUT MORE:

**FACEBOOK:** [www.facebook.com/sheffieldsocietyofarchitects](http://www.facebook.com/sheffieldsocietyofarchitects)

**BLOG:** <http://sheffieldsocietyofarchitects.blogspot.co.uk>

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## EVENTS

17.01.17 17:45-C.21:00

### Flockton Archive Cataloging & SSA Steering Group Meeting

In 2015 the society purchased the Flockton Collection of architectural drawings. Flockton's were a series of Sheffield architectural firms, who were responsible for a number of significant buildings in the city. The collection consists of a portfolio of drawings that were reviewed and partially sorted by SSA in 2015 and will be finished at this session.

Please email us if you plan to attend, drinks will be available.

## BUILDING VISITS

24.01.17 13:00-14:00

### Blackburn Meadows Plant

A tour of the award winning building hosted by E.ON & BDP. [www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/ssa-building-visit-blackburn-meadows-renewable-energy-plant-tickets-30870184553](http://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/ssa-building-visit-blackburn-meadows-renewable-energy-plant-tickets-30870184553)

TBC.02.17 13:00-14:00

### Parkway Firestation

Keep a look out on our Social Media outlets for more information about forthcoming visits.

## CPD

SSA organises a monthly CPD seminar and the rest of the 2017 programme will be confirmed soon.

26.04.17 13:00-14:00

### 'Getting Paid'

Presented by BLM via Skype. Venue and eventbrite details tbc, see our social media for more information.