

Trees in hard landscapes - getting it right in Greater Manchester

Thursday, January 29, 2015 | 1:45 PM to 5:00 PM (GMT) | The Manchester Museum

A planner, a civil engineer and an arboriculturist will discuss how Greater Manchester can meet its sustainable growth ambitions using urban trees to deliver multiple benefits and returns on investment.



The event will discuss the opportunities to deliver a sustainable integrated infrastructure as explored in the Trees and Design Action Group's new publication '*Trees in Hard Landscapes: A Guide for Delivery*'. These include above- and below-ground solutions for traffic calming; sustainable transport; surface water management; high street regeneration and climate change adaptation. >>> Detailed programme provided overleaf.

Speakers

- > **Jeremy Barrell**, Managing Director, Barrell Tree Consultancy and co-author of BS 8545
- > **Anne Jaluzot**, Green Infrastructure Planning Consultant and lead researcher and writer for Trees in Hard Landscapes
- > **Tony Hothersall**, Director, Red Rose Forest
- > **Stephen O'Malley**, Director, Civic Engineers

Cllr Derek Antrobus will chair this event. Cllr Derek Antrobus is, Assistant Mayor for Strategic Planning at Salford City Council, Chair of the NW Regional Flood and Coastal Committee, Chair of the Red Rose Forest Partnership, member of the GM Planning and Housing Commission and member of the GM Natural Capital Group.

>>> See overleaf for more background on speakers.

Date & time

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Venue

The Manchester Museum
Oxford Road
Manchester
M13 9PL

CPD

This event is endorsed by the Chartered Institution of Highways and Transportation for CPD and the Landscape Institute will accept the event for CPD with attendees completing their own CPD records.

Book your spot

The event is free but space is limited. Make sure to RSVP through our 'Event Brite' page: <https://eventbrite.com/event/15154601822/>

If you have any queries regarding this event please contact Anne Carpenter at Red Rose Forest on 0161 872 1660 or anne@redroseforest.co.uk

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Programme

1:45pm	Doors open	
2:00pm	Greater Manchester's urban forest and what it could deliver for the city region	Cllr Derek Antrobus
2:15pm	An introduction to <i>Trees in Hard Landscapes: A Guide for Delivery</i>	Anne Jaluzot
2:30pm	An civil engineers' perspective on the renewed role for street trees	Stephen O'Malley
2:50pm	An arboriculturists' perspective on the need for improved collaboration for effective working with trees	Jeremy Barrell
3:10pm	Refreshment break	
3:30pm	More details on what <i>Trees in Hard Landscapes: A Guide for Delivery</i> has to offer	Anne Jaluzot
4:00pm	Q & A	
4:45pm	Potential next steps to develop Greater Manchester's urban forest and maximise its benefits for the city region	Cllr Derek Antrobus Tony Hothersall
5:00pm	Close	

Speakers' bios



Jeremy Barrell

Jeremy started his career working for the Forestry Commission in 1978, establishing his own tree contracting business in 1980.

Fifteen years later he started Barrell Tree Consultancy, which is now one of the UK's largest tree consultancies, based in southern England.

He heads a team of six consultants specialising in the legal and planning aspects of urban tree management. Jeremy is a prolific public

speaker and has authored numerous papers and articles on tree management.

He is an accomplished expert witness in the field of risk management, focused on using his extensive practical background to bring a common sense perspective to providing expert evidence. He was one of the first practitioners to voice concern in 2007 that UK urban canopy cover was declining, subsequently working to identify the causes and promote solutions for reversing that trend.



Anne Jaluzot

Anne is an urban planner, with 13 years of experience primarily gathered in the US and the UK in environmentally led approaches to urban policy, design and regeneration. She has worked for the City of Chicago supporting the development, implementation and monitoring of the City's innovative urban greening programmes. In the UK, as part of the Commission for Architecture and the Built Environment (CABE),

she has led CABE Space's input into a wide range of local green infrastructure planning initiatives and associated national knowledge building and policy efforts. Anne now works as an independent consultant continuing to advise on, assess, facilitate or lead the development of tools, strategies, projects and knowledge on urban greening. This brought her to conduct the research and writing of the [Trees and Design Action Group \(TDAG\)](#)'s two latest publications: *Trees in the Townscape: A Guide for Decision Makers* (2012) and *Trees in Hard Landscapes: A Guide for Delivery* (2014) – two action-oriented urban forestry best practice guides on using trees in 21st century cities.

**Stephen O'Malley**

Stephen has an engineering degree from a Dublin university and extensive experience of working on large civil and infrastructure projects. Stephen joined Martin Stockley Associates in June 2001 and was made a Director in April 2005.

He set up Stockley Broster O'Malley Ltd in 2009, and trading as Civic Engineers this practice has completed a number of high quality civil,

structural and urban infrastructure projects.

He has a passion for and a belief in the importance of public realm and place making using design techniques and methods that rely on character, culture and environment, changing how people respond and engage with spaces.

He has particular expertise in the planning, design and delivery of major public realm projects and urban infrastructure associated with the regeneration of village, town and city centres across the UK. Stephen became a fellow of the Institute of Civil Engineers in 2013 and a Member of the CIHT in 2014. In 2014 Stephen led on the practice's appointment to the GLA's Specialist Assistance Team. This GLA panel was assembled to help London authorities shape and inform funding bids for capital projects for high street improvements. He is also a Design Forum Panel member for Architecture & Design Scotland.