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Use of Stone in Building Course 2017

Thistle Holborn, The Kingsley, London
12 October 2017

Introduction

This popular course gives an overview and general knowledge of the design and use of natural stone and takes account of the current needs of those involved in specifying and working with stone. The course gives delegates assistance in selecting and using natural stone in many different ways.

Areas covered:

- Geology of stone, including selecting and quarrying
- Stone testing, British and European Standards and CE Marking
- Detailing of stone, including working drawings and fixings
- Masonry and architecture, including external masonry and rain screen cladding
- Stone for interiors
- External paving
- Ethical sourcing, environmental and sustainability of stone
- Technical Workshop.

The course is suitable for qualified and trainee architects, designers, specifiers, surveyors, planners, those who have recently entered the stone industry trade and others who wish to achieve a better understanding of natural stone and its use.

timetable

08.45

Registration

Coffee/tea and biscuits.

9.00 - 09.10

Introduction

David Ellis, Course Chairman.

09.10 - 9.55

Geology, selection and quarrying

David Ellis, Partner, Sandberg Consulting Engineers.

9.55 - 10.35

Testing and Assessment - British Standards, Codes of Practice and CE Marking

Dr Tim Yates, Technical Director, BRE.

10.35 - 10.50

Coffee/tea and biscuits.

10.50 - 11.40

Detailing of natural stone, including working drawings and fixings

Peter Harrison, Director, Harrison Goldman.

11.40 - 12.50

Masonry and architecture, including external masonry and rain screen cladding

Graham Lee, Architect, Graham Lee Consultancy.

12.50- 13.50

Lunch

Enjoy a buffet selection and a chance to talk to the speakers.

13.50 - 14.40

Natural stone for interiors

Chris Kelsey, Specification Manager, The Marble & Granite Centre.

14.40 - 15.25

External paving

David Burton, Managing Director, SteinTec.

15.25 - 15.40

Tea/coffee and biscuits.

15.40 - 16.10

Ethical Sourcing, environmental and sustainability of stone

David Richardson, Director, Diagenesis Consulting.

16.10 - 17.00

Technical workshop – an opportunity to discuss topics directly affecting the stone industry that might not have already been covered, with Q & A, including impact testing, CE Marking, swimming pools, wet rooms, resin backed stone, BS8298, etc:

Fee: £190 + VAT which will cover in addition to the course, three servings of tea/coffee, biscuits/pastries buffet lunch and provision of course materials.

Architects receive 20% discount and also one free place for bookings of ten or more people.

booking form

Please reserve me place(s) on the Use of Stone in Building Course on 12 October 2017.

Name(s):
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I enclose a cheque made payable to Stone Federation Great Britain for: £
..... places @ 20% discounted rate of £182.40 (£152 + VAT).

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location

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To reach Thistle Holborn, The Kingsley by road...

At Euston Square, turn right onto Gower Street (A400) which becomes Bedford Square. At the junction with New Oxford Street (A40) turn left onto Bloomsbury Way. The Kingsley hotel is on your left after St. George's Church. To programme your sat-nav, please use the postcode WC1A 2SD.

If you're travelling to Thistle Holborn, The Kingsley by car, you can benefit from a 40% discount on the standard parking tariff at the **Bloomsbury Square Car Park** when bookings are made online using code **Thistle40**.

If you're coming to Thistle Holborn, The Kingsley by rail...

London Kings Cross/St Pancras and Euston mainline stations are about a mile or a 10-minute cab ride from Thistle Holborn, The Kingsley. The nearest Underground stations are Holborn (Central and Piccadilly lines) and Tottenham Court Road (Northern and Central lines).

From the London airports...

London Heathrow: The Heathrow Express runs directly to London Paddington in 15 minutes (20 minutes from Terminal 5), with a train every 15 minutes. Nearest Underground stations are Holborn (Central and Piccadilly lines) and Tottenham Court Road (Northern and Central lines).

London Gatwick: Take the Gatwick Express to London Victoria (trains every 15 minutes, journey time 30 minutes). Then take the Victoria underground line, changing at Green Park onto the Piccadilly line which runs directly to Holborn.

London City: Take the DLR to Bank then change to the Central underground line to Holborn.

London Stansted: Take the Stansted Express to Tottenham Hale (trains every 15 minutes, journey time 36 minutes). Take the Victoria underground line to Kings Cross, then change to the Piccadilly line which runs directly to Holborn.

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