

THE MANCHESTER PAVILION EVENTS PROGRAMME

Launch

MONDAY 09 MARCH 20

18:00-20:00

Manchester Pavilion: Opening Reception

Sir Richard Leese | Leader | Manchester City Council
Please note, this session is RSVP only.

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Day 1

TUESDAY 10 MARCH 20

09:30-09:50

The Growth is Greener: Securing Greener Cities for Future Generations

Cllr Andrew Western | Leader | Trafford Council & Green City Region Lead | Greater Manchester Combined Authority
Chris Oglesby | Chief Executive | Bruntwood
Conor Vallely | Director of Planning, Development & Regeneration | Avison Young
Moderator: Sara Todd | Chief Executive | Trafford Council

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10:00-10:45

City 4.0: The Co-created City

Sir Richard Leese | Leader | Manchester City Council
Anni Sinnemäki | Deputy Mayor | City of Helsinki
Elime van der Doe | Area Manager | Municipality of Rotterdam
Moderator: Professor Greg Clark CBE | Global Cities Advisor

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11:30-12:15

Mayfield: A 2020 Cultural & Creative Nexus

Joanne Roney | Chief Executive | Manchester City Council
Roger Madelin CBE | Head | Canada Water Development
Morag Myerscough | Artist & Creator | Studio Myerscough
Sacha Lord | Night Time Economy Advisor | Greater Manchester Combined Authority
Moderator: James Heather | Development Director | The Mayfield Partnership

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14:30-15:15

Health & Wellbeing at the Heart of Intelligent and Successful Regeneration & Placemaking

Joanne Roney | Chief Executive | Manchester City Council
Steve Bowcott | CEO | Sisk
Chris Roberts | Chief Development Officer | Bruntwood
Richard Roe | Corporate Director of Place | Trafford Council
Moderator: Brent Pope | All Blacks Rugby Legend and Ambassador for Health and Wellbeing

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15:30-16:15

Tackling the Climate Emergency: The Path to Carbon Neutral

Chris Oglesby | Chief Executive | Bruntwood
Robin Phillips | Site Director | Siemens Manchester
Tony O'Brien | Partner | Sheppard Robson
Moderator: Julie Hirigoyen | Chief Executive | UK Green Building Council

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16:30-17:15

Next Generation Leaders: Shaping the Future of our Cities

Joanne Roney | Chief Executive | Manchester City Council
Josie Chiasson | Director - Economic Development | City of Montreal
Tom Higgins | Director | Laing O'Rourke
Liam O'Grady | City Centre Development Coordinator | Manchester City Council
Simone Roche | CEO & Founder | Northern Power Women
Moderator: Alex Russell | Managing Director | Property Alliance Group

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19:00-22:00

Verriere Grand Auditorium: Rebalancing the UK: A Revitalised North Northern Powerhouse Evening Reception

Hear from Sir Richard Leese and other key speakers, regional representatives, LEP Chairs, Mayors and other key representations and members of the NPII in the Verriere Grand Auditorium, Palais Des Festivals. RSVP is required for this event.

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Day 2

WEDNESDAY 11 MARCH 20

09:00-09:20

A Conscious Future Economy: We are all Connected by our Roots

Eamonn Boylan | Chief Executive | Greater Manchester Combined Authority
Jessica Bowles | Director of Strategy | Bruntwood
Roger Frith | Head of Regeneration & Development | Oldham Council
Moderator: Helen Gribbon | Director | Renaissance

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09:30-09:50

New Generation of Urban Neighbourhoods: Creating Connected Communities

Pam Smith | Chief Executive | Stockport Metropolitan Borough Council
Jane Healey-Brown | Associate Director - Planning | Arup
Gary Jackson | Founder & CEO | DeTrafford
Moderator: Jessica Middleton-Pugh | Contributing Editor | Place North West

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10:00-10:45

City of Science & Art

Sir Richard Leese | Leader | Manchester City Council
Lars Brans | Director - Real Estate Marketing | City of Amsterdam
Albert Dalmau | Manager for Economy, Resources & Economic Promotion | Barcelona City Council
Dr Dorothee Stapelfeldt | State Minister for Urban Development & Housing | City of Hamburg
Moderator: Professor Greg Clark CBE | Global Cities Advisor

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11:00-11:30

Building the Factory

Sir Richard Leese | Leader | Manchester City Council
Mark Ball | Creative Director | Manchester International Festival & The Factory
Tom Higgins | Director | Laing O'Rourke
Tom Bloxham MBE | Chairman | House by Urban Splash & Manchester International Festival
Melanie Collett | Head of Asset Management | Aviva Investors
Moderator: Christine Cort | Managing Director | Manchester International Festival

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11:45-12:30

Future Manchester: Building for our Children

Chris Oglesby | Chief Executive | Bruntwood
Rachel Dickie | Director | Bruntwood SoTech
Eamonn Boylan | Chief Executive | Greater Manchester Combined Authority
Franky Russell | Co-Founder and Chief Executive | Julie Studio
Moderator: Sarah Weir | Chief Executive | Design Council

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Cities of Discovery

Sir Richard Leese | Leader | Manchester City Council
Anna Glasier | Chief Executive | Invest Stockholm
Moderator: Professor Greg Clark CBE | Global Cities Advisor

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15:30-16:15

Designs for Life: Building the Age-Neutral City

Pam Smith | Chief Executive | Stockport Metropolitan Borough Council
Victoria Russell | Director | Property Alliance Group
Rachel Haugh | Founding Partner | Simpson+Haugh
Moderator: Eamonn Boylan | Chief Executive | Greater Manchester Combined Authority

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16:30-17:15

Creating Connections: The Bolton Blueprint

Cllr David Greenhalgh | Leader | Bolton Council
Francis Glare | Head of Urbanism | BDP
Tim Newsam | Chief Executive | MIDAS
Steven Turner | Managing Director | Midia Group
Ono Odoalu | Technical Director | BCEGI Construction (UK) Ltd
Steven Knowles | Regional Director - North West | Harworth Group
Moderator: Sarah Beeny | Property Developer & TV Presenter

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Day 3

THURSDAY 12 MARCH 20

09:00-09:20

A Key Link in the Chain: How Rail Infrastructure is Transforming Greater Manchester

Steve Rumbelow | Chief Executive | Rochdale Borough Council
Anthony Dillon | Managing Director | Willmott Dixon
Zoe Davidson | Director | Deloitte LLP
Vacqa Farooq | Partner | Shoosmiths LLP
Moderator: Jessica Middleton-Pugh | Contributing Editor | Place North West

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09:30-10:00

Happiness & Placemaking: Global Cities, Happy Citizens

Jim Taylor | Chief Executive | Salford City Council
Montserrat Ballarín | Vice President for Social & Economic Development | Area Metropolitana de Barcelona
Alison McKenzie-Folan | Chief Executive | Wigan Council
Moderator: Jane Healey-Brown | Associate Director - Planning | Arup

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10:00-10:45

Decarbonising Greater Manchester's Energy: Meeting the 2038 Challenge

Peter Emery | Chief Executive | Electricity North West
Julie Hirigoyen | Chief Executive - Growth & Development | Manchester City Council
Jane Healey-Brown | Associate Director - Planning | Arup
Jessica Bowles | Director of Strategy | Bruntwood
Moderator: Helen Boyle | Strategic Decarbonisation Manager | Electricity North West

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11:00-11:20

Central Retail Park: Zero Carbon Growth

Eddie Smith | Strategic Director - Growth & Development | Manchester City Council
Will Lewis | Founding Director | OBI Property
Moderator: Jessica Middleton-Pugh | Contributing Editor | Place North West

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11:30-12:15

Chasing Zero: Residential Climate Change Challenge

Rupert Goddard | Partner | Sheppard Robson
Julie Hirigoyen | Chief Executive | UK Green Building Council
Claire Kober CBE | Chair | House by Urban Splash
Moderator: Martin Hilditch | Editor | Inside Housing

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14:30-15:15

The Space in Between: Connecting Regeneration in Manchester

Ian Simpson | Founding Partner | Simpson+Haugh
James Heather | Development Director | The Mayfield Partnership
James Sidlow | Senior Development Manager | Renaker
Helen Gribbon | Director | Renaissance
Moderator: Katie Wray | Assistant Director | Deloitte LLP

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Manchester Pavilion: Closing Reception

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