# International Congress on Architectural Technology Friday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2024, Atlantic Technological University Research Conference

#### Theatre 1000 - Welcome Address

Chair / MC: Irene Hayden ATU, Conference Chair

**Opening address:** Dr Orla Flynn, President ATU 9:30 – 9:40

Introduction: Dr Graham Heaslip, Head of Centre & Head of School of Engineering ATU 9:40 – 9:50

**Keynote Speaker:** Sean Canney TD 9:50 – 10:20

Break for Tea and Coffee in Café Foyer outside Theatre 1000 10:20-10:40

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#### **Theatre 1000 – Presentation of Conference Papers**

Chair #1: Emer Maughan, ATU

**Dr. Barry Mc Carron and Adrian Podgorski.** Bungalow Retrofit: The EnerPHit in the Room – Opportunity for Scale.

Presentation 10:40-11:00

Q&As 11:00-11:10

**Brian Considine, Ying Liu, and Aonghus McNabola.** *Determination of the optimum insulation thickness for dormer roof designs: An Irish case study.* 

Presentation 11:10-11:30

Q&A 11:30-11:40

**Lana Opeoluwa.** A comparison of energy-effective wall options.

Presentation 11:40-12:00

Q&A 12:00-12:10

**Chukwuweike Okom and Dr Tahar Kouider.** The impact of airtightness and low ventilation on air quality in domestic buildings and their effect on occupants.

Presentation 12:10-12:30

Q&A 12:30-12:40

**Lane Mooney.** Circular economy design strategies to achieve Enerphit and Passive House standards.

Presentation 12:40-13:00
Q&A 13:00-13:10

### **Theatre 994 – Presentation of Conference Papers**

Chair #2: Dr Malachy Mathews, TU Dublin

**Killian Markey, Sameer Mehra, David Palmer, Timothy O'Leary, and David Knight.** *An investigation on the physical and thermal properties of Irish hemp fibres as a loose fill insulation.* 

Presentation 10:40-11:00

Q&A 11:00-11:10

**Oisin Power and Dervilla Niall.** An Exploration of Limestone Calcined Clay Cement (LC3) as a Low-Carbon Alternative to Ordinary Portland Cement in an Irish Context.

Presentation 11:10-11:30

Q&A 11:30-11:40

Szymon Grabowski, Sameer Mehra, David Palmer, David Knight, Timothy O'Leary, and Darren Bergin. Cross Laminated Timber vs Concrete – A Comparative Life Cycle Assessment of a Residential Case Study Building in Ireland.

Presentation 11:40-12:00

Q&A 12:00-12:10

Brad Whyte O'Hara, Sameer Mehra, Timothy O'Leary, Darren Bergin, and David Knight. *An Evaluation of the Physical and Mechanical Properties of Concrete using Eggshell Waste and Glycerine.* 

Presentation 12:10-12:30

Q&A 12:30-12:40

Paul Andreas Jensen. Continuous Moisture control of building materials.

Presentation 12:40-13:00

Q&A 13:00-13:10

*Lunch break.* 13:10-14:10

#### Theatre 1000 - Presentation of Conference Papers

Chair #3: Gareth Alexander, Ulster University

**Seamus Farrell.** An Investigation into the Potential to Reduce the Impact of Extreme Flooding in Dublin, using Blue-Green Roofs with Smart Control Devices.

Presentation 14:10-14:30

Q&A 14:30-14:40

**Jack Dempsey.** An investigation into the solar analysis of the Columban Hall, Galway, to implement good daylight strategies and solar gains using a range of software tools.

Presentation 14:40-15:00

Q&A 15:00-15:10

**Joaquín López-Torres, Antonio Galiano-Garrigós, and Carlos Pérez-Carramiñana.** *Thermal comfort and energetic rehabilitation in elderly people buildings: Case study of a building in Alicante.* 

Presentation 15:10-15:30

Q&A 15:30-15:40

María Almagro-Lidón, Antonio Galiano-Garrigós, and Ángel González-Aviles. Comparative analysis of the perception of thermal comfort in children and adults: implications for the architecture of educational centers.

Presentation 15:40-16:00

Q&A 16:00-16:10

Samuel Sabatell Canales, Carlos Pérez Carramiñana, and Ángel Benigno González Avilés. Study and parameterisation of the effect of solar galleries on the thermal behaviour of dwellings in BShs climate.

Presentation 16:10-16:30

Q&A 16:30-16:40

# **Theatre 994 – Presentation of Conference Papers**

Chair #4: Andy Mc Namara, ATU

**Brian Hand.** Moving away from a Linear Economy towards a Circular Economy, Material Passports are seen as an essential tool to optimise design for greater circularity. How can BIM software aid this paradigm shift in an Irish architectural project?

Presentation 14:10-14:30

Q&A 14:30-14:40

**Rebecca O'Reilly.** History BIM Workflow Russborough House Interiors A Case Study.

Presentation 14:40-15:00

Q&A 15:00-15:10

**Eilis O'Hare.** The Potential for Digital Construction Technologies to Enhance Fire Evacuation Procedures.

Presentation 15:10-15:30

Q&A 15:30-15:40

**Mikkel Toppel Andersen, Ronald Ed Toliver, and Kasper Egel Andersen.** Realtime Digital Augmented Construction – A Technological Readiness analysis with a practical and technological approach.

Presentation 15:40-16:00

Q&A 16:00-16:10

**Chamara Panakaduwa, Paul Coates, and Mustafa Munir.** How artificial intelligence will change the housing retrofit process.

Presentation 16:10-16:30

Q&A 16:30-16:40

#### **Theatre 1000 – Presentation of Conference Papers**

Chair #5: Irene Hayden, ATU

**Olivia Golden.** A Methodological Framework for Conducting Qualitative Research to understand the Role of Design Professionals involved in Energy Retrofit and the associated Knowledge and Skills.

Presentation 16:40-17:00

Q&A 17:00-17:10

**Oliver Cleary.** An Investigation into Optimising the Visual Appearance and Thermal Performance of Windows in a Protected Structure with the aid of Modelling and Analysis Software.

Presentation 17:10-17:30

Q&A 17:30-17:40

**Cal Henderson and Dr. Malachy Mathews.** Augmented Reality in Deconstruction: Assessing the Potential for Advancing Circular Methods.

Presentation 17:40-18:00

Q&A 18:00-18:10

# Theatre 1000 – Awards and Closing Remarks

MC / Chair: Irene Hayden, ATU

Summary from Chair #1: Emer Maughan, ATU 18:10-18:02

Summary from Chair #2: Gareth Alexander, Ulster University 18:02-18:04

Summary from Chair #3: Dr Malachy Mathews, TU Dublin	18:04-18:06
Summary from Chair #4: Andy McNamara, ATU	18:06-18:08
Summary from Chair #5: Irene Hayden, ATU	18:08-18:10
Presentation of Awards: Dr Malachy Mathews, TU Dublin, ICAT Chair	18:10-18:25
Closing remarks: Dr Malachy Mathews, TU Dublin, ICAT Chair	18:25-18:30

## **Event Close**