



### PURPOSE OF THE AWARDS

- To recognise excellence and showcase examples that are leading the urban renaissance in London
- To raise expectations and standards and promote awareness of good practice
- To improve the profile of planning and the morale of those involved

### AWARD CATEGORIES

- BEST BUILT PROJECT
- BEST BUILT PROJECT – COMMUNITY SCALE SCHEME
- BEST CONCEPTUAL PROJECT
- BEST NEW PUBLIC SPACE
- BEST NEW PLACE TO LIVE
- BEST BUILT PROJECT – FIVE YEARS ON
- BEST HISTORIC BUILDING MANAGEMENT

From these seven categories the Mayor will select a winner for the MAYOR'S AWARD FOR PLANNING EXCELLENCE

### THE JUDGING PROCESS

The awards will be judged by a panel of three judges representing:  
Boris Johnson, Mayor of London  
Sir Adrian Montague, Chairman, London First  
Martin Willey, President, RTPI

Entrants should note that the judges will interview shortlisted candidates during the weeks commencing 30 November and 11 December.

The awards will be presented at City Hall in early 2010 by the Mayor of London.

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PREVIOUS WINNERS

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#### MAYOR'S AWARD FOR PLANNING EXCELLENCE

- 2008 High Speed 1
- 2007 Kings Cross Central
- 2006 Emirates Stadium/Arsenal on the Move
- 2005 Olympic and Paralympic Games and Legacy Project Teams
- 2004 Walthamstow Town Centre Revitalisation
- 2003 The Hothouse, Hackney

#### BEST BUILT PROJECT

- 2008 More London
- 2007 New Street Square, EC4
- 2006 Emirates Stadium/Arsenal on the Move
- 2005 Joint Winner – Bishops Square, Spitalfields
- 2005 Joint Winner – Imperial Wharf
- 2004 Paddington Central
- 2003 The Hothouse, Hackney

#### BEST BUILT PROJECT – COMMUNITY SCALE SCHEME BEST COMMUNITY OR PARTNERSHIP INITIATIVE

- 2008 Grassroots Centre, Newham
- 2007 Somerset Court, St Mary & St Pancras School
- 2006 Acton Town Centre
- 2005 Cross River Partnership
- 2004 Bow Church Masterplan
- 2003 Stockwell Partnership

#### BEST CONCEPTUAL PROJECT

- 2008 Aldgate Masterplan
- 2007 Brent Cross/Cricklewood – A New Town Centre
- 2006 Silvertown Quays
- 2005 Grahame Park Regeneration: Choices for Grahame Park
- 2004 Lower Lea Valley Olympic and Legacy Masterplans
- 2003 Ilford Town Centre

#### BEST NEW PUBLIC SPACE

- 2008 Cornmill Gardens
- 2007 Bishops Square

#### BEST NEW PLACE TO LIVE

- 2008 Adelaide Wharf
- 2007 Rubicon, Greenwich

#### BEST BUILT PROJECT – FIVE YEARS ON

- 2008 Paternoster Square



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CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES 19 OCTOBER 2009

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LIMITED TIME  
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# ENTRY FORM

## 2009/10 LONDON PLANNING AWARDS

ENTRY FORM CLOSING DATE 19 OCTOBER

### Title of project

(Please note this will be the title of the nomination throughout the Awards process. Should your entry be successful this will be the name quoted on all literature)

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### Name and address of organisation submitting the entry

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Postcode

### Contact name

Telephone

Fax

### Email

Planning Consultant (where applicable)

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Local Planning Authority lead officer (where applicable)

Please tick award category (You may apply for more than one.)

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HOW TO ENTER

- Completed entry forms should be submitted with **four** copies of a summary no longer than 1,000 words addressing the judging criteria overleaf.
- Entries should be type-written and provided in A4 or A3 (faxed and emailed entries will not be accepted).
- Additional **essential** supporting material such as reports, plans and photographs are welcome but please bear in mind that we cannot return any of this material.
- Where you are making a nomination, please provide contact details for the nominee so that further information can be obtained if necessary.
- Projects that progress to the second stage of the assessment will have the opportunity to provide further information.

### Entries must be submitted no later than 19 October 2009 to:

London Planning Awards, The Royal Town Planning Institute,  
41 Botolph Lane, London EC3R 8DL (Closes at 17:00)

Telephone enquiries: 020 7929 9473 (Judy Woollett RTPi)

JUDGING CRITERIA

Awards may be given to boroughs, developers, consultants, community groups, public agencies, partnerships and other teams. All entries will be expected to fulfill the objectives of the London Plan and demonstrate how they meet the specific criteria outlined under each of the award categories. You can enter your own work or nominate someone else's. The scale of development or position of the entrant is not necessarily relevant to the evaluation of achievement (except for the Built Project – Community Scale category). Entrants/nominees do not need to be members of the RTPi or London First. In the case of nominations, the judges will approach the nominees for further information.

Entries will generally be judged on their progress over the past two years (with the exception of the Best Built Project – Five Years On category) Criteria for individual awards:

### BEST BUILT PROJECT

#### Sponsored by CB Richard Ellis

Open to recently completed or substantially completed developments which have:

- Maximised the potential of the site
- Addressed climate change
- Delivered benefits for the wider public
- Achieved high quality design and enhanced the public realm

### BEST BUILT PROJECT – COMMUNITY SCALE SCHEME

#### Sponsored by Land Securities

Open to recently completed or substantially completed small scale developments (typically less than ten residential units or equivalent in other land uses) which have:

- Maximised the potential of the site
- Addressed climate change
- Delivered benefits for the wider public
- Achieved high quality design and enhanced the public realm
- Involved the local community in decision-making

### BEST CONCEPTUAL PROJECT

#### Sponsored by Berwin Leighton Paisner

Open to submissions such as masterplans, frameworks, concepts, planning briefs or policy documents (not planning applications or unimplemented permissions) which would:

- Contribute to London's World City status and/or regenerate areas of deprivation
- Maximise the potential of an area
- Address climate change
- Tackle long-standing planning problems

### BEST NEW PLACE TO LIVE

Open to recently completed residential developments which:

- Demonstrate good quality design and public realm
- Have access to a good range of facilities
- Include a diverse range of accommodation, especially family accommodation

JUDGING CRITERIA

### BEST NEW PUBLIC SPACE

#### Sponsored by Lovells

Open to anyone responsible for the provision of new or upgraded public space demonstrating:

- Successful integration with surrounding uses
- Cost-effective future maintenance
- Established management regime
- Access for all
- Respect for all stakeholders
- Achievements which can be used as a model for work elsewhere

### BEST BUILT PROJECT – FIVE YEARS ON

#### Sponsored by GVA Grimley

Open to developments completed between 1994-2004, the judges will be looking for projects that have stood the test of time by:

- Providing a good environment with appropriate maintenance
- Being in full use
- Maintaining a good standard of appearance
- Having acted as a catalyst for local development/regeneration

### BEST HISTORIC BUILDING MANAGEMENT

#### Sponsored by English Heritage

A new category for 2009, and open to projects which have led to investment and re-use of historic places in London. Eligible entries include characterisation projects, appraisals, design statements or management plans alongside investment programmes. The judges are looking for:

- Relevance to the Planning system (as opposed to the detail of the historic or architectural merit)
- Addressing planning challenges of bringing new uses to underused/disused buildings
- Improving the environmental performance of the historic building(s)

### MAYOR'S PLANNING AWARD

The Mayor will select the winner of his Award for Planning Excellence from the shortlisted entries.

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