

# Diary dates

Unless otherwise stated, technical meetings start at 18:00 with refreshments from 17:30 - they are free of charge to attend, unless stated otherwise. Registration for evening technical meetings is required via [events@istructe.org](mailto:events@istructe.org)

History Study Group meetings start at 18:15 with refreshments from 17:45. Registration is not required for History Study Group meetings except for the Annual business meeting held in January.



Note that more current information may be available from the Institution website: [www.istructe.org/events-and-awards](http://www.istructe.org/events-and-awards)

Regional Group Committee members should submit details of forthcoming events to: [regionsupport@istructe.org](mailto:regionsupport@istructe.org)

## MEETINGS AT HQ

47-58 Bastwick Street,  
London EC1V 3PS, UK

### Wednesday 6 April

Young Researchers' Conference 2016  
Speaker: Prof Ian Kinloch  
09:00 for 09:30 start  
(Registration required)

### Wednesday 20 April

Best construction methods for concrete bridge decks – cost data  
Simon Bourne  
(Concrete Bridge Development Group)

## HISTORY STUDY GROUP

**Tuesday 9 February**  
Restoration work at Dyrham Park, near Bath  
Margaret Cooke and Kim Collins

### Thursday 18 February

The Gothic Tower of Freiburg Minster: structural analysis and repair (Sutherland History Lecture)  
Dr Ing. Rainer Barthel

### Tuesday 15 March

The new HMS Victory support structure  
Richard Fenton

### Tuesday 19 April

Sir John Hawkshaw  
Martin Beaumont

### Tuesday 3 May

The Roman Walbrook and its legacy  
Tony Taylor

## REGIONAL GROUPS

### East Anglia

#### Monday 15 February

Designing in the historical environment  
Ray Makin  
Suffolk Golf Hotel & Spa,  
Fornham St Genevieve, Bury  
St Edmunds IP28 6JQ  
18:30 for 19:00

#### Wednesday 16 March

Offshore wind – meeting the challenges  
(Joint meeting with ICE)  
Rob Mattholie & James Rinkel  
The Oaklands Hotel, 89  
Yarmouth Road, Norwich  
NR7 0HH  
18:00 for 18:30

Secretary: Paul Wilson  
(tel: 01603 614 834; email:  
[paul.la.wilson@ntlworld.com](mailto:paul.la.wilson@ntlworld.com))

### East Midlands

#### Wednesday 10 February

Chairman's Installation Dinner 2016  
Andy Kenyon and CEO  
Martin Powell  
The Long Room, Trent Bridge  
Cricket Ground, Nottingham  
NG2 6AG  
Cost: £20 per head including service & VAT; student members £10 (Dress: lounge suits)  
18:30 for 18:45-23:30  
Details: Chris Leese ([cleese@jmsengineers.co.uk](mailto:cleese@jmsengineers.co.uk))

#### Wednesday 2 March

29th Annual Joint Institutions Prestige Lecture – Crossrail: the story so far  
Prof Gordon Masterton  
The Albert Hall Conference Centre, North Circus Street, Nottingham NG1 5AA  
Ticket price: £5  
19:30-21:30  
Details: [eric.wetton@ntlworld.com](mailto:eric.wetton@ntlworld.com)

Secretary: Mike Baker  
(email: [Mike.Baker@hspconsulting.com](mailto:Mike.Baker@hspconsulting.com); tel:  
0870 600 6090)

### Lancashire and Cheshire

#### Tuesday 16 February

Engineering victory: structural advances in WWI & II  
(Joint meeting with Manchester Association of Engineers)  
Allan Mann  
University of Manchester,  
Renold Building, PO Box  
85, Sackville Street,  
Manchester M1 3BB  
17:45 for 18:30

#### Tuesday 8 March

125 years of steel bridges in Britain  
Alan Hayward  
University of Manchester,  
Renold Building, PO Box  
85, Sackville Street,  
Manchester M1 3BB  
17:45 for 18:30

#### Thursday 17 March

Annual General Meeting  
Philip Nelson

Lancashire County Cricket Club, Old Trafford, Manchester M16 0PX  
18:00 for 18:30

### Wednesday 13 April

The Brian Bogle Memorial Lecture – Etihad Stadium Extension, Manchester  
Paul Hulme  
University of Bolton, Deane Lecture Theatre, Deane Campus, Bolton BL3 5AB  
17:45 for 18:30

### Tuesday 19 April

Designing in the historic environment  
(Joint meeting with ICE Merseyside)  
Andrew Burns and Ray Makin  
Liverpool John Moores University, James Parsons Lecture Theatre, School of Engineering, Byrom Street, Liverpool L3 4AF  
18:00 for 18:30

Secretary: Ian Tickle  
(email: [ian.tickle@nuvia.co.uk](mailto:ian.tickle@nuvia.co.uk))

## Northern Counties (Tyne Centre)

### Tuesday 2 February

Designing in the historic environment  
Andrew Burns and Ray Makin  
Central Square, Forth Street,  
Newcastle-upon-Tyne  
NE1 3PJ  
17:45 for 18:15  
Details: C.Vemury@tees.  
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### Tuesday 1 March

Royal Engineers  
Speaker: TBA  
Central Square, Forth Street,  
Newcastle-upon-Tyne  
NE1 3PJ  
17:45 for 18:15  
Details: C.Vemury@tees.  
ac.uk

### Tuesday 5 April

President's visit followed  
by "Skill and care  
vs. compliance with  
specifications"  
Alan Crossman and Robert  
Langley  
Crowne Plaza Hotel,  
Stephenson Quarter, Forth  
Street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne  
NE1 3PF  
17:45 for 18:15  
Details: C.Vemury@tees.  
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## Northern Counties (Tees Centre)

### Tuesday 9 February

Maintaining transport  
structures  
(Joint meeting with ICE)  
Stephenson Building,  
Teesside University,  
Middlesbrough TS1 3BA  
17:45 for 18:15  
Details: joe@structural.org.uk

### Tuesday 8 March

Brazil Olympics: design of  
water slalom  
(Joint meeting with ICE)  
Stephenson Building,  
Teesside University,  
Middlesbrough TS1 3BA  
17:45 for 18:15  
Details: joe@structural.org.uk

### Tuesday 12 April

Joining of composite  
materials  
Chris Worrall

Stephenson Building,  
Teesside University,  
Middlesbrough TS1 3BA  
17:45 for 18:15  
Details: joe@structural.org.uk

Secretary: Trevor Little  
(tel: 0191 255 7300; email:  
trevor.little@wyg.com)

## Northern Ireland

### Monday 22 February

Forth Replacement  
Crossing  
Stephen Knox  
The MAC, 10 Exchange  
Street West, Belfast BT1 2NJ

### Friday 11 March

Chairman's address and  
CEO's visit  
Michael Shaw and CEO  
Martin Powell  
Malone House, Barnett  
Demesne, Belfast BT9 5PB

### Tuesday 12th April

Conservation and  
restoration of St Mel's  
Cathedral, Longford  
(Joint meeting with IEI  
Northern Region)  
Kevin Fay and Jonathan  
Macauley  
Room ASH/GM/001, Ashby  
Building, Queen's University  
Belfast BT9 5AH

Secretary: John Hutchinson  
(john@hannaandhutchinson.  
com)

## Surrey

### Monday 8 February

Design – hidden dangers  
Dr Stuart Matthews  
Lecture Theatre M, Surrey  
University, Guildford, Surrey  
GU2 7XH  
18:00 for 18:30  
Details: edward.bromhead@  
btinternet.com

### Monday 7 March

Designing in the historic  
environment  
Andrew Burns and Ray  
Makin  
Lecture Theatre M, Surrey  
University, Guildford, Surrey  
GU2 7XH  
18:00 for 18:30  
Details: edward.bromhead@  
btinternet.com

### Monday 11 April

Report writing  
Brendan Brophy  
John Galsworthy Building,  
Kingston University, Penrhyn  
Road, Kingston-upon-  
Thames, Surrey KT1 2EE  
18:00 for 18:30  
Details: edward.bromhead@  
btinternet.com

Secretary: Andy Green  
(thegreenhouse1@  
btpopenworld.com)

## Thames Valley

### Thursday 11 February

Resurrecting the lost  
British Standards for  
geotechnical design  
Dr Andrew Bond  
Best Western Reading Moat  
House, Mill Lane, Sindlesham,  
Nr Wokingham, Berkshire  
RG41 5DF  
Details: ise-tvrg@outlook.  
com  
Prior registration: www.ise-  
tvrg.eventbrite.co.uk  
18:00 for 18:30

Secretary: Parmindar Mann  
(parmindarkmann@hotmail.  
com)

## Western Counties

### Thursday 18 February

Construction Products  
Regulation and CE  
marking update  
Dr David Moore  
Arup, 63 St Thomas St,  
Bristol BS1 6JZ  
18:00 for 18:30

### Tuesday 8 March

Structural behaviour – do  
you know your hogging?  
from your sagging?  
Dr AJ Crewe  
Queen's Building, Bristol  
University BS8 1TH  
Prior registration: http://bit.  
ly/ISE\_TG\_MAR\_16  
18:00 for 18:30

### Thursday 17 March

Forensic engineering and  
learning from defects,  
failures and damage  
Colin Richardson  
Arup, 63 St Thomas St,  
Bristol BS1 6JZ  
18:00 for 18:30

### Friday 13 May

Annual dinner  
Ashton Court Mansion, Long  
Ashton, Bristol BS41 9JN  
18:30 for 19:00  
Price: £35.00 up to 29  
February; £45.00 from 1  
March  
Formal dress: Lounge suit or  
black tie

### Thursday 19 May

Four Elms, Cardiff  
Pat Ruddock and Tom Martin  
Arup, 63 St Thomas Street,  
Bristol BS1 6JZ  
18:00 for 18:30  
Registration: http://bit.ly/  
ISE\_APR\_16

Secretary: Mahara  
Booshanam  
(maharabooshanam@gmail.  
com)

## Yorkshire

### Thursday 18 February

Operation GRITROCK –  
Building to fight Ebola  
Nick Francis  
University of Bradford,  
Richard Road, Bradford,  
Yorkshire BD7 1DP  
18:00 for 18:30  
Details: j.f.carr@sheffield.  
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### Wednesday 16 March

The Kelpies  
Tim Burton  
Bedern Hall, Bartle Garth,  
York, North Yorkshire  
YO1 7AL  
18:00 for 18:30  
Details: j.f.carr@sheffield.  
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### Wednesday 20 April

Highlights from the  
President's Address  
Alan Crossman  
Leeds Beckett University,  
The Rose Bowl, Portland  
Crescent, Leeds LS1 3HB  
18:00 for 18:30  
Details: j.f.carr@sheffield.  
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### Monday 16 May

New developments  
in cold-formed steel  
construction  
Dr Jurgen Becque and Dr  
Iman Hajirasouliha  
University of Sheffield,  
Western Road, Sheffield

### S10 2TN

18:00 for 18:30  
Details: j.f.carr@sheffield.  
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### Tuesday 14 June

Stanbrook Abbey  
Speaker: TBA  
Thorpe Park Hotel, 1150  
Century Way, Leeds  
LS15 8ZB  
18:00 for 18:30  
Details: j.f.carr@sheffield.  
ac.uk

Secretary: Nick Buxton  
(ncb@blandswift.com)

## INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES

### Newcastle, UK

### Wednesday 26 October– Friday 28 October

Novel Structural Skins –  
Improving sustainability  
and efficiency through  
new structural textile  
materials and designs  
Newcastle University,  
Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Tyne  
and Wear, UK  
Details: Alison Bird  
(tensinet2016@ncl.ac.uk)

### Brisbane, Australia

### Thursday 22 November– Sunday 25 November

Australasian Structural  
Engineering Conference  
(ASEC 2016) – The roles  
of structural engineers  
Speakers: Tristram Carfrae,  
Dr Sean Brady  
Brisbane Convention &  
Exhibition Centre (BCEC),  
Brisbane, Australia  
Details: asecc2016.org.au

## OTHER EVENTS

### Friday 27 May

Chartered Membership  
Exam one-day preparation  
course  
Peter Gardner and David  
Lowe  
Royal Institution of  
Naval Architects, 8–9  
Northumberland Street,  
London WC2N 5DA  
Cost: £250 (Group size limit  
24 – first come first served)  
Contact: David Lowe (01202  
748325)  
09:00–16:30