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NEW OPPORTUNITIES AND INNOVATIVE SOLUTIONS
WOODBUILD WALES 2017 – Thursday 15th June 2017 – Metropole Hotel, Llandrindod Wells

Understanding the Opportunities

09.00 - 10.00: Registration, refreshments and networking in exhibition area

10.00: Welcome

Shayne Hembrow Deputy CEO of Wales and West Housing and Chair of Woodknowledge Wales

10.10: Keynote address - Rethinking timber housing for today and tomorrow:

Peter Wilson Timber Design Initiatives

10.40: MORE | BETTER: evaluating the potential of alternative approaches to inform housing delivery in Wales: Ed Green Cardiff University

10.55: Launch of the Powys Wood Encouragement Policy:

Simon Inkson Head of Housing, Powys CC

11.05: Update on the Welsh Government Innovative Housing Programme:

Speaker tbc Housing Dept, Welsh Government

11.15 - 11.35: Tea/Coffee & networking in exhibition area

11.35: The outlook for home-grown timber in Welsh housing:

Hamish Macleod BSW Timber Group

11.50: Everyone's talking timber frame – are they right?

Robin Lancashire Exova BM TRADA

12.05: Structural Timber Frame - the solution to the housing crisis:

Andrew Carpenter: Structural Timber Association

12.15: Radical simplicity – How to achieve high performance timber building, affordably:

Nick Grant Elemental Solutions

12.30 -13.00: Q&A on the morning session

13.00 - 14.00: Buffet lunch and networking in exhibition area

Innovative Timber Solutions

14.00: Introduction to the afternoon session:

Doug Hughes: Hughes Architects

14.10: Design and Build – removing the performance gap:

Jasper Meade: PYC Group

14.30: Strengthening Communities through sustainable building:

Adrian Farey: Elwy Woods

14.50: Lessons in Sustainability:

Glen Peters: Western Solar

15.10: Use of home-grown timber in sustainable low energy buildings

George Mikurcik: Architype

15.30 - 15.50: Q & A on the afternoon session

15.50 - 16.30: Networking in exhibition area

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