

CONFERENCE



Global Land & Property

Global challenges, local solutions: Reimagining land and property for the next decade

Thursday 13th November

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The Global Land and Property Conference brings together leaders from across real estate, finance, urban development, and policy to examine the forces reshaping land and property in a time of unprecedented change. From climate disruption, geopolitical instability, and inflation to AI, urbanisation, and resource scarcity, today's professionals face a convergence of challenges—and opportunities—that demand new approaches.

This year's programme explores global market outlooks, the financing of net-zero transitions, and innovations in land use planning, alongside emerging frameworks for valuing social impact and natural capital. Expert panels and case studies showcase practical solutions, from climate-adaptive affordable housing to circular construction and water resilience strategies.

Delegates will gain insights from world-class economists, investors, urban planners, and policy experts on navigating polycrisis risks while building long-term resilience. With perspectives spanning Europe, the Americas, and beyond, the conference is a platform for knowledge-sharing, collaboration, and leadership—helping professionals unlock sustainable value across the land and property lifecycle.

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Conference welcome and chair remarks

Grace Prowse, Interim Chair, L&NR PGP & Acquisition Lead (Property Advisory), HS2

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Global forces reshaping land & property

From climate disruption and conflict to AI and inflation – this session explores the global megatrends influencing the land and property profession and what professionals must prepare for in the next five years.

Speaker(s): Justin Young, CEO, RICS

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Global market outlook: Navigating Real Estate in a Polycrisis era

Gain insights into how geopolitical instability, supply chain disruption, inflation, and climate risk are converging to reshape global property markets.

Speaker: David Rea, Global Director of Macro Research & Chief Economist EMEA, JLL

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Virtual networking and exhibition break

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Financing net-zero – Blended capital and green bonds

A discussion with investment leaders on mobilising capital for climate-aligned development, including green bonds, carbon-linked financing, and public-private partnerships.

Speaker(s): Manuela Mangiagalli, CEO & Co-Founder, we2sure

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Reimagining urban density: Innovations in land use planning

Explore strategies for unlocking land supply, optimizing density, and balancing green space with housing needs in high-growth urban areas.

Speaker: Peter Lang, Planning Consultant, SFPlanning

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Virtual networking and exhibition break

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Valuation for social impact – Beyond traditional metrics

Valuers and public policy experts share approaches to assessing land and property based on social outcomes, affordability goals, and tenure diversity.

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Virtual networking and exhibition break

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Unlocking natural capital: Valuing nature in land and property

Explore how ecosystems, biodiversity, and natural assets are being recognised as critical drivers of long-term value. This session examines the integration of natural capital into land valuation, investment strategies, and planning frameworks to support sustainable growth and climate resilience.

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Americas registration and virtual networking

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Americas welcome from conference chair

Speaker(s): Jeffrey Climans, Sympatico & Member, Americas World Regional Board

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Water resilience: Access, infrastructure, and innovation

Case studies on managing water scarcity, flood resilience, and climate-adaptive infrastructure in cities under pressure. Speaker(s): Daniele Strippoli, Nature & Water Advisory Services, ERM

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Virtual networking and exhibition break

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Climate-adaptive affordable housing projects

Through practical examples, speakers will showcase how adaptive design, resource-efficient construction, and community-led planning can help deliver housing that remains affordable, sustainable, and robust in the face of climate change.

Speaker: Thandiwe Dhlamini, Programme Manager, African Union for Housing Finance

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Virtual networking and exhibition break

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International Land Performance Framework: Launch & Insights

Be among the first to hear about the new International Land Performance Framework, launching in October 2025. This session introduces its core principles and practical applications, offering guidance on how the framework will support sustainable land management, resilience, and investment decision-making worldwide. Speaker(s): Ian Bailey, Head of Economics, Beyond Zero

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Closing keynote: Leading through change in land & property

A call to action from a global thought leader on the professional mindset, collaboration, and innovation needed to lead in times of great transition.

Speaker(s): Susanne Eickermann-Riepe, Senior Vice President Elect, RICS

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Chair's closing remarks

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Close of conference

Delivering confidence

We are RICS. Everything we do is designed to effect positive change in the built and natural environments. Through our respected global standards, leading professional progression and our trusted data and insight, we promote and enforce the highest professional standards in the development and management of land, real estate, construction and infrastructure. Our work with others provides a foundation for confident markets, pioneers better places to live and work and is a force for positive social impact.

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