



### Editor's Comment

Hello all. In this edition we would like to extend our big congratulations to our Director Michael John (MJ) O'Shaughnessy, for becoming a Conservation Accredited Engineer.

We have our featured projects and an update on recent completions and new commissions.

Many of you will have noticed through recent correspondence that our Glasgow Office has a new home. A modern, design inspired office space in the City Centre. Our Edinburgh Office has also been through the first phase of refurbishment.

We also have some Staff promotions, in both our Glasgow and Edinburgh Offices to announce.

For further news, go to our website: - [www.ruddconsult.com](http://www.ruddconsult.com)

### CARE Accredited!

We would like to extend big congratulations to our Director Michael-John O'Shaughnessy, for becoming a Conservation Accredited Engineer.



The Conservation Accreditation Register for Engineers (**CARE**) identifies civil and structural engineers skilled in the conservation of historic structures and sites. It sets you apart as an Expert in this field, and is recognised by bodies such as Historic Scotland, Historic England, RIBA amongst others.

Through MJ's endeavours, he has been rewarded the distinction, as one of only 2 Chartered Engineers in Scotland, one of 42 in the UK, with the accreditation.

This builds on Will Rudd Davidson's track record in Conservation Engineering. Further information on our past projects can be sought at...

<http://www.ruddconsult.com/portfolio/refurbishment-conservation-engineering/>

### Featured Project – Conservation – Advocate's Close, Edinburgh

**Phase 1:** Market St, Edinburgh Full redevelopment of existing multi storey building with construction dates varying from 1800 to 1940. One townhouse is of 16th century vintage. Major refurbishment of old council offices into new hotel.

**Phase 2:** Advocates Close, Edinburgh Full redevelopment of historic area in Edinburgh Old Town including A and B listed Buildings. One townhouse is of 16th century vintage. Major refurbishment of old council offices into new restaurants, offices and apartments. The project involved significant and complex structural alterations in an extremely restricted site for access and storage. The alterations were sensitive to planning scrutiny, which involved negotiation on structural solutions and methodologies to preserve the heritage of this iconic city centre site.



**Awards:** Winner of RICS 2015 award for "Best Building"; Winner of RICS 2015 award for "Best Regeneration"; Winner of RIAS Andrew Doolan Best Building in Scotland Award 2014; Winner of RIAS Award 2014; Winner – Scottish Design Award 2014 – Regeneration Category; Winner of Development of the Year (Commercial Buildings) at the Scottish Property Awards 2014; Highly Commended in City Regeneration Project of the Year Category at the Scottish Property Awards 2014; Received Commendation at the Saltire Society's Awards for Civil Engineering 2013 for Structural Design & Conservation

For more information on this project please visit <http://www.ruddconsult.com/advocates-close-edinburgh/>



### Examples of Recent Completions

- Tiger Enclosure, Edinburgh Zoo
- Meerkat Enclosure, Edinburgh Zoo
- Premier Inn Hotel, York Place, Edinburgh
- ESMS New Music School
- Affordable Housing & Care Home Development, Mosspark Boulevard, Glasgow
- Mortonhall Memorial Garden
- Elliott House, Edinburgh
- SKY Skills Studio, Livingston
- Kirkliston Primary School & Nursery
- National Museum of Flight - Phase II Redevelopment
- Saltcoats Town Hall

### Further Examples of Ongoing Commissions / Projects on Site:

- University of St. Andrews Music School
- Bellevue chapel extension
- Turkish Consulate refurbishment, Edinburgh
- Hill Place Hotel, Edinburgh
- Northern Marine Training Facility, Clydebank
- Glennon Brothers Biomass Plant, Troon Harbour
- Norbord, Inverness Mill
- Birkenshaw Retail Park, Uddingston
- The Botany Phase 4, Glasgow
- Dumbarton Harbour Development
- National Marine Centre, North Berwick

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### Staff Promotions –



We would like to congratulate **Shirley Evatt** in our Edinburgh Office on her promotion to Associate. Shirley has been with the company for 18 Years, and is a great addition to the management team.

Also, well done to our other staff members advancing within the company:

<b>Stuart Fleming</b>	<b>Director (Ed)</b>
<b>Alan Lamb</b>	<b>Senior Engineer (Ed)</b>
<b>Ann Watson</b>	<b>Senior Engineer (Gla)</b>
<b>Gillian Mather</b>	<b>Senior Engineer (Gla)</b>
<b>Brian Gallagher</b>	<b>Project Engineer (Gla)</b>
<b>Craig Fay</b>	<b>Project Engineer (Gla)</b>
<b>Ahmed Dwiddar</b>	<b>Project Engineer (Gla)</b>