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Speaker Tom Armour

Vita Professional Experience and Contribution

Tom is a Director and Leader of Global Landscape Architecture at Arup. Tom founded the landscape business at Arup and has developed it into an award-winning practice with teams in the UK and internationally. He plays a key role in developing Arup research and thought leadership in the field of landscape architecture, green infrastructure, resilience and well-being particularly in relation to contemporary issues facing cities and urban environments.

With over 30 years international experience on large scale and complex projects, Tom has led multidisciplinary teams in high profile sustainable landscape design projects in the UK and internationally, from concept through to delivery. This include key leadership roles in the delivery of the landscape design for some of the biggest and most successful UK projects in recent years, the London Olympic Park (South) and the £8bn High Speed 1.

Tom is currently working on city resilience projects, a major botanic garden and large scale infrastructure projects through to people-centred design for public realm and urban environments.

He works with academic institutions on research projects, and is also involved in teaching, examination work and is a frequent presenter at national and international conferences, workshops and events. He founded the Cities Alive initiative in Arup which provides wider thought leadership and contemporary thinking on the development of future cities.

Tom believes in a creative and holistic design approach with a focus on integrating high quality landscape and environmental design with engineering, architecture and ecology and working with natural ecosystems to deliver far-reaching social, environmental and economic benefits on projects.

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