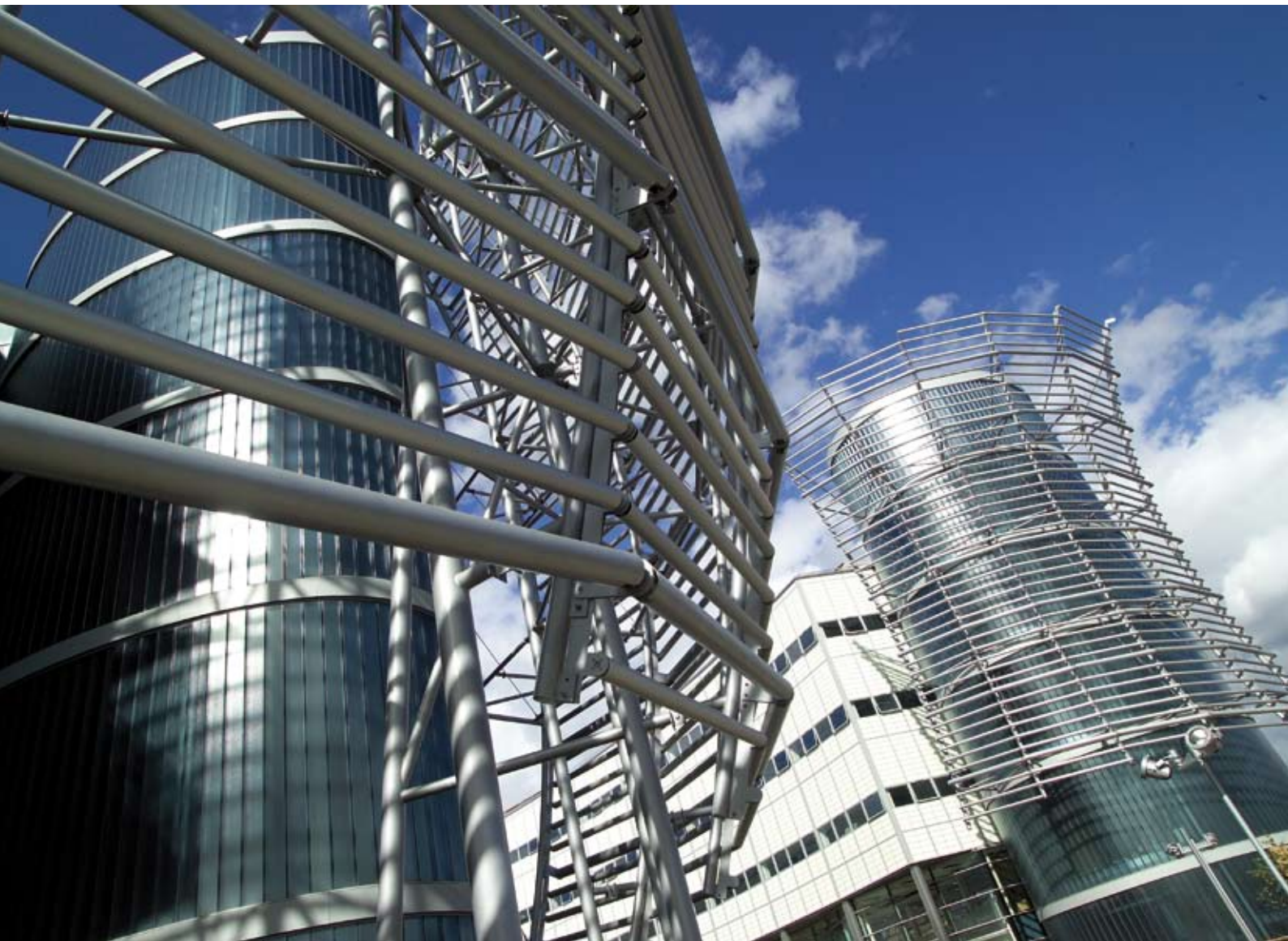


# Engineering the UK's Prosperity

## ACE Annual Conference 2010

Grange St Paul's Hotel, London  
Wednesday 14 April 2010



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ACE's national annual conference takes place in London on Wednesday 14 April 2010. This one-day conference, a mix of plenary and breakout sessions, will focus on a range of issues under the central theme of Engineering the UK's Prosperity. As ACE's flagship national event of the year, this is a must-attend event for all consultants and engineers.

This conference will bring together key players in the consultancy and engineering industry to explain and discuss and to update delegates on business issues affecting the industry. A choice of three themed workshops addressing the most current topics in the sector gives delegates the opportunity to debate, learn and obtain advice from key industry speakers.

## Why should you attend this conference?

- Key plenary sessions with high-profile speakers designed to meet the needs of the consultancy and engineering industry
- Cutting-edge workshops delivered by key industry speakers
- An excellent networking opportunity

The conference has been designed specifically to address topical business issues affecting consultants and engineers working in the built and natural environment. Key speeches will be on issues such as an economic update, and how to kick start private development, as well as other sessions on recruitment, client management, legal and funding. All of these issues are to help delegates gain an insight of what the future holds for the industry and how it can engineer the UK's prosperity.

## Who should attend?

This conference has been specifically designed to meet the needs of consultancy and engineering professionals of all disciplines from any size of firms and will appeal to:

- CEOs;
- Managing Directors;
- Head of Departments;
- Project Managers;
- Engineers;
- Consultants;
- Managers;
- Executives;
- Young Professionals and other professionals working in the built and natural environment.



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## AGENDA

9.00am Registration and refreshments

9.30am Welcome from ACE Chair, Michelle McDowell

- Keynote speaker: World class infrastructure for a world class city  
Kulveer Ranger, Adviser on Transport to the Mayor of London
- Keynote speaker: revitalising private sector development

10.45am Coffee break

11.15am Public policy question time: funding the UK's infrastructure

12.15pm Lightning speed presentations:

- The future engineering workforce  
Jenifer Burden, National STEM Centre
- Construction law update: beware the implications  
John Henderson, Beale and Company
- Maximising the business opportunities of a low carbon economy  
Myles McCarthy, Carbon Trust

1.00pm Lunch

2.00pm **WORKSHOP SESSIONS** Choose one workshop to attend

Workshop 1: **Access to capital funding**

Find out how to raise funds, grants, loans, credit allowances and much more.

Alan Bramwell, Clancy Consulting

Workshop 2: **Managing your clients**

Find out how to more effectively persuade your client to reduce their carbon footprint, manage expectations and address procurement issues.

Sue Kershaw, Olympic Delivery Authority

Noel Foley, Buro Happold

Workshop 3: **Everything you wanted to know about entering overseas markets but were afraid to ask**

Gavin English, WSP

3.00pm Coffee break

3.30pm Workshop summary

4.15pm Closing Keynote address

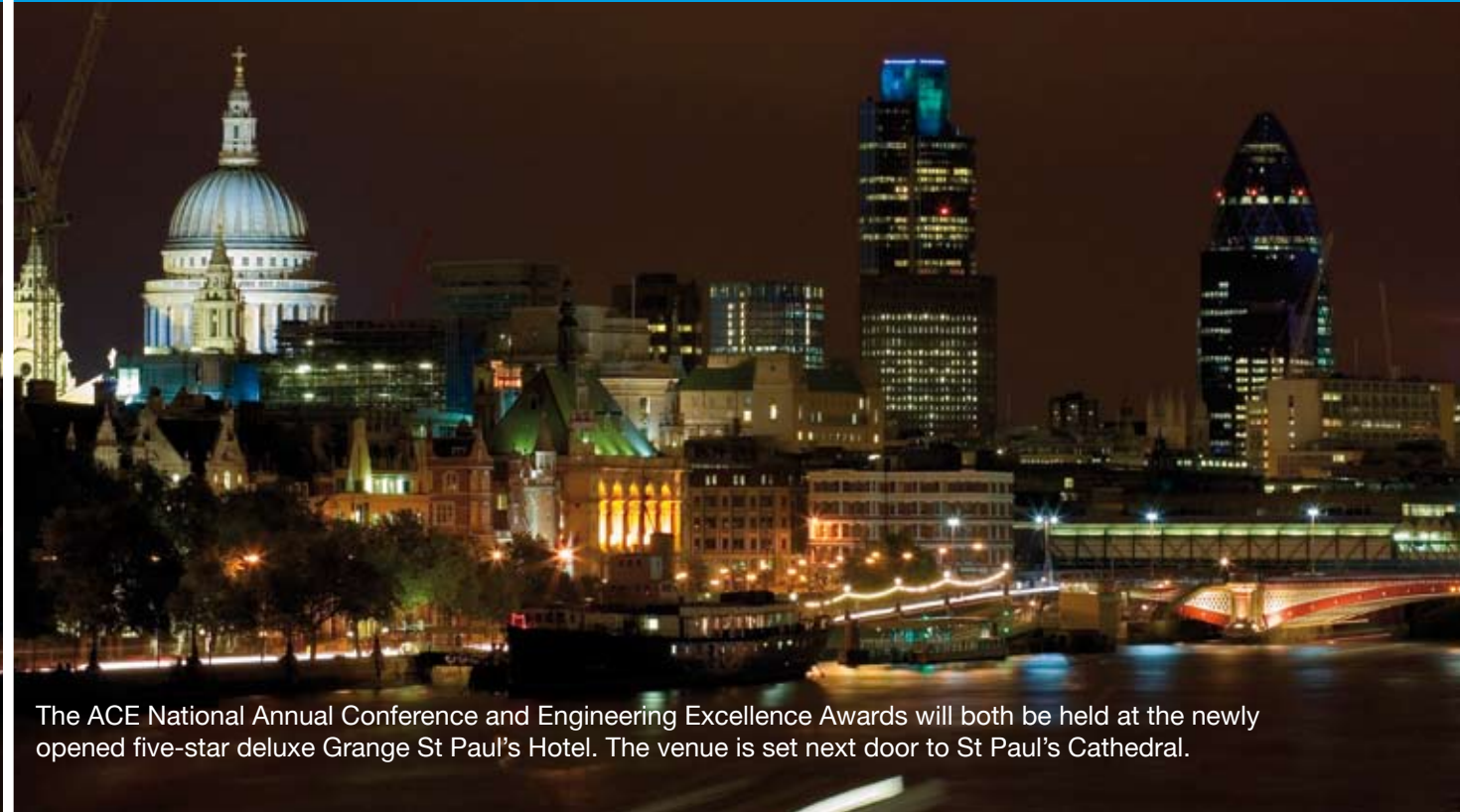
Paul Morrell OBE, Government Chief Construction Adviser

4.45pm Closing remarks

5.00pm Conference conclusion

NB. Timings are approximate and ACE has the right to change the speaker at any time.

# About the venue



The ACE National Annual Conference and Engineering Excellence Awards will both be held at the newly opened five-star deluxe Grange St Paul's Hotel. The venue is set next door to St Paul's Cathedral.

## Engineering Excellence Awards

The Engineering Excellence Awards are now in their third year and have become a well recognised symbol of success within consultancy engineering.

Winners and commendable mentions highlight the high standards the sector can achieve all around the world. They recognise the best in the business whether the best is a large, medium or small firm.

Those who attend will enjoy a three course meal, drinks and the awards ceremony at the beautiful Grange St. Paul's Hotel in central London. The awards are a highlight of the 2010 calendar, and provides a great opportunity for consultants and engineers to celebrate their successes and to meet fellow peers in an enjoyable setting. The awards will be hosted by a well-known presenter.

Call for entries are now open. For more information about entering go to [www.acenet.co.uk](http://www.acenet.co.uk)



## How to book

You can book online at [www.acenet.co.uk](http://www.acenet.co.uk) or complete this booking form and either fax or post back to ACE. **Please complete one booking form per delegate.**

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Dietary requirements:	
Any other special requirements:	

Invoice details (if different address from above)
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Please select which workshop session you would like to attend: 1  2  3

Please note these will be allocated on a first-come, first serve basis

Fee - All fees are subject to VAT	Early bird rate until 12 March 2010	Regular fee	Total cost
Conference place ACE-member	£170	£195	£
Conference place non-member	£225	£245	£
Awards dinner ACE-member	£125	£145	£
Awards dinner non-member	£165	£185	£
Conference & Awards ACE-member	£275	£295	£
Conference & Awards non-member	£375	£395	£
Awards table ACE-member (table of 10)	£1,250	£1,350	£
Awards table non-member (table of 10)	£1,450	£1,550	£
		Sub total	£
		VAT@17.5%	£
		Grand total	£

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