

# Regen 2018 Conference Programme – Wednesday 7 November

- 10.30                      Doors Open
- 11.30 – 1.00              **Conference Chair – Max Steinberg CBE – Chief Executive**  
**Liverpool Vision**  
Welcome to Regen 2018 and welcome to Liverpool – World Class City for Business
- Andrew Carter – Deputy Chief Executive, Director of Policy & Research**  
**Centre for Cities**  
Understanding and improving UK cities' economic performance
- Victoria Hills – Chief Executive**  
**The Royal Town Planning Institute**  
How to plan for growth across city and county regions
- Ojay McDonald – Chief Executive**  
**Association of Town & City Management**  
Developing shared visions, strategies and action plans for town and city centres
- Professor Cathy Parker – Chair**  
**Institute of Place Management**  
Classifying UK towns and cities by activity levels: Implications for placemaking
- Lunch Break 1 Hour -----
- 2.00 – 3.00              **John Alker – Campaign & Policy Director**  
**UK Green Building Council**  
Transforming places, for people and planet
- Mark Latham – Regeneration Director**  
**Urban Splash**  
Investing over a billion pounds in regeneration, creating beautiful places for people to live, work and play
- Euan Hall – Chief Executive**  
**The Land Trust**  
Sustainable land management – models for public space
- Coffee Break 20 Minutes -----
- 3.20 – 5.00              **Danielle Gillespie – General Manager North West**  
**Homes England**  
Investment programmes across housing, land and regeneration
- Nigel Wilson – Chair North West**  
**The National Housing Federation**  
Housing associations, regeneration, better housing and neighbourhoods
- Mike Glennon – Chair North West**  
**Chartered Institute of Housing**  
Key housing topics in 2018
- Frank Hont – Chair**  
**Foundations, Liverpool City Council**  
Delivering 10,000 new homes over the coming decade
- Tracy Harrison – Deputy Chief Executive**  
**The Northern Housing Consortium**  
Supporting housing providers and helping them make the North a great place to live
- 5.00 – 7.00              **Networking Evening & Champagne Drinks Reception**

# Regen 2018 Conference Programme – Thursday 8 November

09.45 Doors Open

10.30 – 12.10

**Conference Chair – Nigel Wilcock – Executive Director**  
**Institute of Economic Development**  
The value of economic development work for Northern communities

**Henri Murison – Director**  
**The Northern Powerhouse Partnership**  
Powerhouse 2050: Transforming the North

**Kate Willard – Chair**  
**Atlantic Gateway**  
North West Infrastructure and Assets; how joined up is joined up ?

**Mark Basnett – Managing Director**  
**Liverpool City Region Local Enterprise Partnership**  
Improving the economic prosperity of the City Region

**Philip Cox – Chief Executive**  
**Cheshire & Warrington Local Enterprise Partnership**  
Making Cheshire and Warrington a £50bn economy by 2050

Lunch Break 50 minutes -----

1.00 – 2.40

**Conference Chair – Michael Parkinson CBE**  
**Associate Pro Vice Chancellor for Civic Engagement, University of Liverpool**  
Liverpool is unrecognisable from the Liverpool of the early 1980s and by half way through this century, it will be unrecognisable again

**Mark Kitts – Assistant Director, Regeneration**  
**Liverpool City Council**  
A city of opportunity undergoing a £14bn regeneration led renaissance

**Darran Lawless – Development Director**  
**Liverpool Waters / The Peel Group**  
A pivotal time for the £5 billion regeneration project

**Richard Mawdsley – Project Director**  
**Wirral Waters / The Peel Group**  
Shaping a new future for the Wirral with the largest regeneration project in the UK

**Colin Sinclair – CEO**  
**Knowledge Quarter Liverpool**  
Spanning half of the city centre – over £1bn of new developments in the pipeline

Coffee Break 20 Minutes -----

3.00 – 4.00

**James Flannery – Chair**  
**Constructing Excellence – Liverpool City Region**  
The 'Hub' for information for the Liverpool area construction activities

**Anita Singh – Vice Chair, Manchester & National Director**  
**Forum for Tomorrow (fft)**  
Unrivalled networking opportunities in the infrastructure, property and construction industry

**Robbie Blackhurst – Managing Director**  
**Procure North West Framework**  
Supporting public sector bodies to procure contractors to deliver their capital projects

4.00

**Conference & Exhibition finishes**