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The causes of construction disputes and how they can be avoided.

### Will Brexit shake construction?

Opinion is divided about whether Brexit will undermine mega projects.



### Affordable housing SPG

Sadiq Khan will fast-track affordable housing projects through planning.



### Places of work

Graduate Engineer Brittany Harris asks, what makes a great place to work?



### National Allotment Week

Could urban allotments improve health and wellbeing?



### Energy efficiency for the National Trust

The importance of understanding buildings before exploring technical solutions.



### Smart HVAC

Smart connected HVAC is revolutionising the US and could do the same elsewhere.



## Featured building



It has divided opinion since completion in 1955, but the PKIN is still Warsaw's most recognisable landmark.

## Around the web

### CITB, 17 Aug

CITB to revolutionise training for the next generation of plant operators.

### RIBA, 17 Aug

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Female A-level students – the industry needs you.

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