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## Designing Buildings Wiki

The construction industry knowledge base

### Featured articles and news

#### Jane Jacobs - discussion



Designing Buildings Wiki attended a discussion between Will Self and Owen Hatherley about the iconic urban thinker Jane Jacobs.

#### New digital tech

How ready are UK companies to adopt new digital technologies?



#### Battersea controversy

Sadiq Khan criticises council for letting developers slash affordable flats by 40%.



#### BREEAM in Russia

International partnership promises more sustainable construction in Russia.



#### Planning permission

A quick introduction to planning permission - what it is and what's involved.



#### Shotcrete

The techniques and practical uses of shotcrete technology.



#### Royal Academy prize

RSHP win RA prize for their extension at Geneva Airport.



#### Homes of the future

Sue Riddlestone suggests five building blocks for the homes of the future.



#### Global cabling market

BSRIA study reveals global cabling market growth in 2016.



### Featured building



The house that was wedged into Vienna's largest modern art museum.

### Around the web

#### CITB, 11 July

Ministers support a reformed CITB.

#### IHBC, 10 July

CAMRA Pub Design Awards are open for nominations.

#### Dezeen, 10 July

10 low-cost homes that could help tackle the global housing crisis.

#### BPF, 10 July

The UK needs to strike a deal before leaving the Single Market.

#### GCR, 10 July

Work begins on the world's riskiest railway line between Sichuan and Tibet.

#### BBC, 10 July

Sight-loss simulator helps designers improve buildings and public transport.

#### ICE, 7 July

The ICE President is to chair a review of civil engineering practices following the Grenfell tragedy.

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