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Giving professional advice to friends

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E-procurement

Paul Heming, founder of procurement platform C-Link discusses the benefits of E-procurement.



BSRIA Soft Landings Conference 2017

Soft Landings is the golden thread that runs through the design and delivery process.



ACM cladding tests

The third round of testing has been completed at BRE and again the system tested has failed.



Security Assurance

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