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# **Designing Buildings Wiki**

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### Featured articles and news

### Common data environment



The single source of information used to collect, manage and disseminate documentation, the graphical model and nongraphical data.

Water management A new BRE publication proposes an intelligent solution to reduce the strain on urban water systems.



# Diversity in regeneration Homes England backs a

new programme to encourage diversity.



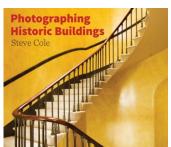
Clean technologies
Joining up solar and wind
generation with energy storage and electric vehicles.



Approximate bill of quantities
Used on projects where it is not possible to prepare a firm BoQ at the time of tendering.



# Book review



Rob Cowan reviews an exceptional book by the former head of photography at English Heritage.

# Around the web

# Construction Manager, 16

Apr 45% of designers say BIM helps working relationships on collaborative projects.

Youtube, 10 Apr How Europe's first in-situ printed house was built.

FMB, 13 Apr SME contractors agree a 3.1% pay rise.

# RIBA, 12 Apr

Ho to comply with GDPR.

### RICS, 12 Apr

How millennials will affect the housing market.

# Construction Index, 12

Apr
A DfE insider will be the next chairman of CITB.

# Construction Enquirer, 12

Apr The Official Receiver calls for Carillion whistleblowers

The Guardian, 12 Apr London house prices are falling at the fastest rate in nine years.

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