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The Tall Buildings Awards celebrate those that are developing unique design and engineering solutions to maximise space in city centres where demand is high, whilst creating a legacy of iconic superstructures that are transforming the UK's built environment.

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The following pages of the event brochure will guide you through the impressive portfolio of projects that have been shortlisted for the 2025 Tall Buildings Awards.

Our fantastic sponsors have made contributions that are powering the success of the awards. A huge thank you to each organisation that sponsored the 2025 ceremony. Details on the sponsors can be found throughout this brochure.

Another big thank you goes to the Tall Buildings Awards judges - whose task is so incredibly difficult.

And finally, thank you to all our entrants, who really make the Tall Buildings Awards the success that they are today. Without you all this would not be possible.

Thank you for joining us and celebrating the organisations shaping the UK skylines.

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We would like to extend a BIG THANK YOU to all of our Tall Buildings Awards judges for their time and dedication in assessing the entries.

To submit your interest in joining the 2026 Tall Buildings Awards Judging Panel, email: emily.dyer@radar-media.co.uk



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CATEGORY: This award recognises professional architects or architectural organisations who offer detailed explanations into technical and creative reasoning behind the specification of particular materials and systems. Entries should detail leading-edge building techniques and explain how architectural creative originality met the design brief.



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CATEGORY: This award recognises clients who have displayed outstanding leadership and commitment to procure based on whole-life costs, achieving faultless, quick delivery. The client should have led exceptional integration in a collaborative working environment, providing outstanding health and safety practices and fair terms between all stakeholders, supply chain partners and the local community.



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CATEGORY: This award recognises specialist contractors who successfully deliver sustainable, cost-effective tall buildings from conception to completion. Entries should detail how the contractor integrated seamlessly with the supply chain to ensure client satisfaction, methodical and reliable working practices and excellent health and safety protocols.



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BEST TALL BUILDING STRUCTURAL ENGINEER



CATEGORY: This award recognises structural engineers or engineering firms who have demonstrated an integrated approach to producing a landmark tall building. Entries should detail how AR/VR, BIM and lean manufacturing techniques were adopted to overcome challenges, resulting in innovative solutions that progress the tall building market.

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to deliver a mixed-use or commercial tall building to meet specific design needs, as well as minimise both disruption and energy consumption. Project teams must have worked collaboratively to achieve the client's corporate vision while demonstrating cost-predictability, economy, accuracy, speed of installation and principles of lean manufacture.

CATEGORY: This award recognises the innovative integration of construction methods





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CATEGORY: This award recognises facades that offer extraordinary tall building technical solutions. Entries should explain the specification of materials that overcome building challenges to meet sector-specific needs, achieving both sustainability and energy efficiency. Outstanding building envelopes should offer new engineering solutions, demonstrating advanced design and technology concepts.



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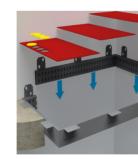
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CATEGORY: This award recognises innovative construction technologies that have been thoroughly documented and tested for suitability in the design and manufacture of tall buildings. Entries should detail how technologies have enhanced the tall buildings sector, offering a new solution for future high-rise projects.

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CATEGORY: This award recognises tall buildings that offer outstanding contributions to the advancement of MEP engineering. Entries should detail how technical solutions in mechanical, electrical and plumbing services improve performance, supply chain integration and ease of maintenance.

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Polypipe Building Services Trinity Island

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CATEGORY: This award recognises residential tall buildings that display a high level of precision engineering, energy efficiency, cost predictability, value for money, and speed and quality of build. Entries should display innovative practice, outstanding fire safety, minimal environmental impact and construction solutions that will reduce ongoing building running costs.



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BEST TALL BUILDING RETROFIT OR REFURBISHED PROJECT



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CATEGORY: This award recognises refurbishments and retrofits that innovatively extend building lifecycle, introducing new technical solutions to tall building projects. Entries should detail the renovation process, explaining how existing building assets have been developed through collaborative processes in extraordinary contributions to the advancement of tall building refurbishment.



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The Radar Team took part in the 2025 Colour Run





For more information on future Tall Buildings Awards please contact Emily Dyer on emily.dyer@radar-media.co.uk

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