



Chris Twomey Director

Qualifications

Bachelor of Arts with Honours (BAHons)
Diploma in Architecture (DipArch)

Memberships

Royal Institute of British Architects (RIBA)
Academy of Urbanism (AoU)

Other

East Midlands Design Review Panel (Chair)
Nottingham Design Review Panel

Chris Twomey joined Lathams in 2003 and became a Board Director in 2006. As Director and heading up the Housing and Education Teams, Chris uses his wealth of experience in regeneration in the UK and overseas to lead multi-disciplinary teams on complex projects. He has completed numerous urban masterplans and housing market renewal studies, and has led on key mixed-use development and landscape projects for public sector organisations, developers and housing associations. Chris' appointment as Chair of the CABA Design Council backed East Midlands Design Review is a mark of respect in the industry for his expertise and experience.

Urban renewal

Chris has extensive experience in both large and small-scale regeneration, leading multi-disciplinary teams on complex projects, with a clear focus on place making. His innovative masterplans, development frameworks and public realm design guides have set the scene for high-quality urban renewal in Salford, Nottingham, Wolverhampton, Northampton and Rotherham.

Community and housing

As Design Champion, Chris has been instrumental in ensuring the Together Housing Group, a not-for-profit housing association, secured preferred bidder status on the Pendleton PFI project in Salford - the largest housing PFI in the country. He is also leading on the design and delivery of three extra care schemes, as architect of choice for the Together Group, in partnership with Derbyshire County Council. The individual design proposals promise stylish independent living with support for older people.

Waterside design

Chris is a leading authority on waterside design and planning. He recently authored the national design guidance entitled 'England's Historic Waterways: A Working Heritage - Promoting High Quality Waterside Development'. Commissioned jointly by English Heritage and British Waterways, this document inspires greater understanding of what works best when seeking to conserve and enhance, through development plans and good modern architecture, the unique historic environment of England's waterways.



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