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About the conference

We are delighted to welcome you to the first National Social Value Conference, Wales. We are really excited about the line up that we have for you, starting with the launch of the National TOMs for Wales that have been designed to help public sector organisations engage with their suppliers on delivering social value.

We are also delighted to welcome Sophie Howe, Future Generations Commissioner, as our keynote speaker for the event who will feature alongside a range of other experts across Wales. We are also delighted to welcome contributors from across councils outside of Wales including Durham Council, Star Procurement and Solihull Council who have been using the TOMs for over three years and will share some of their successes and insights on how to engage businesses in delivering more value.

The National TOMs have helped transform the relationship between the public and private sectors and as we launch the National TOMs for Wales, we expect this transformation to continue.

The conference is over two days and includes a number of workshops and deep dive sessions for you to understand the practical delivery of social value including how social value can be embedded into procurement, benefits realisation and development. Something for everyone, we hope.

While the conference focuses on Wales, many of the sessions have been designed to cross borders. So, organisations from across the UK will benefit from attending including a workshop for Housing Associations, how Buyers can maximise opportunities for SMEs and VCSEs and how the TOMs can be used to win more work with the public sector.

And finally, this is our first major digital conference, allowing you to dip in and out of any session that might interest you and we kindly ask for your forbearance as we manage our way through the technology!

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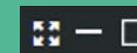
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Welcome to the launch of the National TOMs for Wales; which are practical arrangements for measuring and understanding value. Mapped to the Wellbeing of Future Generations Goals the 'Welsh TOMs' help to encourage and reward suppliers whose actions and behaviours complement public policy here.

This 'new' tool for practitioners actually goes back a while - to the LGA's 2014 National Procurement Strategy and a shift from 'compliance and savings' to a diagnostic approach. This supported delivery of core propositions and local policy priorities, as well as value for money. The National TOMs are a progression of that thinking with extensive application in England supporting the Social Value Act and by Welsh Local Authorities that have engaged in National initiatives. Early adopters include Caerphilly County Borough Council whose five-year programme for procurement and the Public Service Board delivery plan for 2018-2023 are designed around the National TOMs. Cardiff Council is also piloting TOMs through local infrastructure procurement programmes; including the building of a new school and a new international arena. Most Local Authorities are involved in one way or another through the network and we're learning a lot from the practical experience.

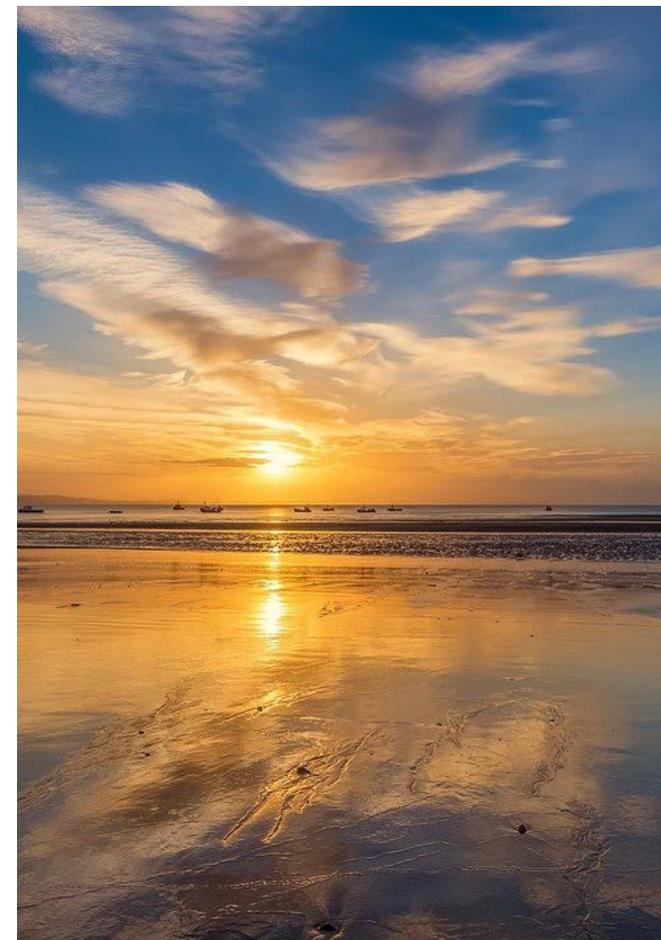
Experience from our collective response to the COVID-19 pandemic and the ongoing need to support emergency provision while looking to recovery has brought additional focus and urgency to this earlier work. The need is here and now. We feel the collective urgency and duty to meet it.

The Welsh policy landscape is ambitious. We needed a version of the National TOMs which was mapped to Welsh policy and the Wellbeing of Future Generations Act in particular. We also recognised that anyone can use these measures and that their application need not be confined to procurement. A TOMs for Wales Taskforce was organised and opened up to a much larger group so that others could see what we were seeing, hopefully benefit and add their knowledge to the piece. This turned out to be a good call; reflected in the TOMs for Wales, the extensive engagement which followed and an unprecedented response to the taskforce's consultation.

We will be discussing this over the course of this conference. I do hope you are able to stay with us for the busy programme and commend the Welsh TOMs to you; wherever you are.

Richard Dooner

Programme Manager, Welsh Local Government Association



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The pandemic has hit everyone in one way or another but some more than others. In areas that were struggling from chronic unemployment and low skills before the virus, the 'hit' has been even harder.

Of course our public sector continues to heroically step up to the plate, but anyone who tells you that the public sector can solve such massive challenges on its own is either being naïve or (nicely) overestimating the ability of our public servants and the voluntary sector to make things good again.

No, this is going to take everyone, working together across all sectors of our communities with joined up thinking and many hands to (all) the pumps.

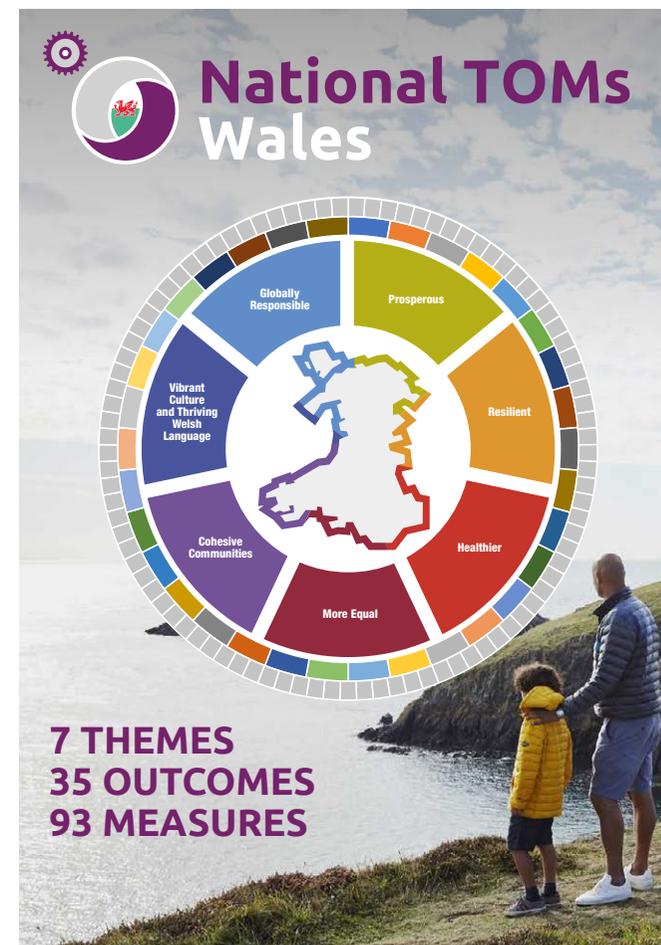
And this is what the National TOMs Wales are all about, but before you jump on me, saying it is only a measurement framework and how on earth can that make things better, let me explain.

The starting point for the National TOMs was as a contract between the public sector and their suppliers to be mainly used in procurement in order to encourage suppliers to offer community benefits in addition to providing a solution that is on budget and technically competent. At this level, the National TOMs have been an overwhelming success with over 3,000 projects across the UK using the TOMs unlocking over 2,000 jobs for disadvantaged people, over 750,000 volunteering hours and £2.5bn of local spend.

The National TOMs for Wales takes a big step forward and for the first time they have been directly linked to government policy in the form of the Wellbeing of Future Generations Act. As such, they are more akin to a 'social manifesto' than a measurement framework, seeking to recruit suppliers to help deliver on the seven Wellbeing Goals and to help rebuild communities, fit for both today's and future's generations.

The National TOMs Wales has been a collective endeavor, bringing together many parts of the public sector including local government, central government, housing associations and many others. But, we recognise that they are not yet a finished product, rather a shared starting point from which the community of Wales can begin to work together, across all sectors to help rebuild our community and emerge stronger and better equipped for whatever lies ahead.

Guy Battle
Chief Executive, Social Value Portal



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9.00 – 9.15**Welcome to the National Social Value Conference, Wales****Steve Robinson**, Chair National Social Value Taskforce, Wales[Join the session >](#)**9.15 – 9.45****Launch of the National TOMs Wales**

Covid-19 has presented so many new challenges for the construction industry and especially how we deliver Social Value. Whether we are working virtually, embracing the new normal or spearheading innovation; Bouygues have found delivering exemplar Social Value is 'Just another challenge'. Our digital booth will focus on our work at Pencoedtre High School (near Barry) and how we have been able to deliver 'digital social value'. We will showcase how we work with the Social Value Portal, work collaboratively with Partners and how we execute the Themes, Outcomes and Measures (TOMs) and beyond.

Speakers: Guy Battle, CEO and **Philipp Cyrus**, Senior Researcher, Social Value Portal.[Join the session >](#)**9.45 – 11.00****Panel discussion: National TOMs for Wales - Transforming Procurement**

During this panel session we will hear from a number of the contributors to the development of the National TOMs for Wales and how they see they can be used to unlock value for our communities. The panel will include the Chair of the National Social Value Taskforce (England) about how the National TOMs are transforming, for the better, the relationship between the public and private sector in unlocking more value for our communities.

Speakers: Guy Battle, CEO, Social Value Portal.**Panel: Darren Knowd**, Chief Procurement Officer, Durham County Council; **Steve Robinson**, Head of Procurement, Cardiff Council; **Brendan Burke**, Community Benefits, Welsh Government; **Ian Evans**, Procurement and Information Manager, Caerphilly County Borough Council.[Join the session >](#)**12.00 - 13.15**
Workshops

Between 12.00 – 13.15, a series of five different workshops will be running simultaneously where you can drop in to explore, learn and ask questions about social value with a range of specialists from different sectors. Drop in at any time to as many or few workshops to engage with our expert hosts.

[See the next page for the full workshop choice >](#)**14.30 – 16.05****Keynote and Panel discussion: Procuring for Future Generations**

The Wellbeing of Future Generations Act is ground breaking legislation that has set the standard for many governments in protecting and regenerating our place, our culture and our planet for future generations. Rightly, the Welsh Government has challenged the public sector to embed the principles of the Act into how they do business. As we face into a 'lock-down winter' the question is how can we raise our sights from 'survival' to a time where we can actually begin to work together to help our communities recover. And if this time represents our opportunity to reset, what role should procurement play in unlocking a positive future for all generations.

Keynote: Sophie Howe, Future Generations Commissioner.**Panel: Sir David Henshaw**, Natural Resources Wales; **Jane Mudd**, Councillor, Newport Council; **Tracey Mayes**, Head of Commercial Policy and Delivery, Welsh Government; **Leigh Hughes**, CSR Director, Bouygues Construction UK.[Join the session >](#)**16.05 – 16.15****Closing remarks: Key learnings and Join us tomorrow****Guy Battle**, CEO, Social Value Portal and **Richard Dooner**, Programme Manager, Welsh Local Government Association.[Join the session >](#)

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Just another challenge... delivering 'digital' Social Value in a time of COVID

Host:

Jeff Joseph, Head of Social Value, Bouygues UK

Panellists:

DWP, Aspire2B

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SME and VCSE workshop for buyers

Host:

Terry Brewer, Head of Public Sector Delivery, Social Value Portal

Panellists:

Suffolk County Council, Federation of Small Businesses

It is clear that Social Value is transforming the relationship between the public sector and its suppliers - for the better. However, as we rush into a new normal, it is vital that requirements to submit a social value offer do not add an unnecessary burden to the process, especially for SMEs and VCSEs. This session will specifically look at steps that buyers can take to ensure that smaller businesses are not disadvantaged.

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Working Group: Developing TOMs for the Housing Sector

Host:

Nathan Goode, Head of Data, Social Value Portal

Panellists:

POBL Group, Linc-Cymru Housing Association

The National TOMs Wales have been specifically designed to support public sector buying, focused on councils. This does not mean that they cannot be used for the housing sector, but it does mean that they may need to be adapted to meet some of the specific requirements for reporting in Wales. This session will be the kick-off session for the development of a TOMs for Wales - Housing Plug-In and will explore how they can be adapted to meet the specific needs of the sector.

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Live Demo: Using Social Value Portal to maximise value for communities in Wales

Hosts:

Ashley Morgan and Prys Jenkins, Social Value Portal

12.05-12.35, Session 1: Public Sector Embedding social value has the potential of extending the reach of the public pound by over 25%. So for every £10m spend through procurement, done well, public sector buyers could get an additional £2.5m in added social value. This session will look at how buyers are using the portal to unlock more value for communities.

12.40-13.10, Session 2: Private Sector Measuring, managing and reporting the delivery of social value across an organisation's activities is a common challenge for businesses. This session will show you how the Social Value Portal's online tool can assist in a consistent way, whether you are measuring within your own contracts, supply chain, assets, or general corporate activity.

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Workshop: Using the National TOMs Wales and adapting them to meet the needs of local communities

Host:

Agnese Mizia, Head of Research, Social Value Portal

Panellists:

Social Value Portal; Cardiff Council, Caerphilly County Borough Council

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Steve Robinson, Chair National Social Value Taskforce, Wales

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9.10 – 10.25

Panel discussion: Progressive procurement

There have been so many heroes across all sectors of our society during the pandemic that it seems inappropriate to name any for fear of missing some out. But perhaps one of the least recognised have been our public sector procurement teams who have led the charge for PPE and other pandemic defending essentials. The unsung heroes of our time? But as our communities emerge from lockdown once again, there is a different challenge - how can we use the power of procurement to help rebuild our communities. During this session we will hear from those people who have been on the front line and understand how they have been embedding social value into procurement and contract management to deliver more value for society.

Chair: Darren Knowd, Chief Procurement Officer, Durham County Council.

Panel: Vince Hanly, Head of Procurement, Powys Council; **Carol Glenn**, Social Value Lead, Solihull Council; **Lorraine Cox**, Director, Star Procurement, **Elizabeth Lucas**, Head of Customer and Digital Services, Caerphilly County Borough Council.

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10.35 – 11.50

Panel discussion: Embedding Social Value into development

Looking across the UK, the construction output over £110bn or 7% GDP. Plainly this is a crucial contributor to the UK economy, but could it do more? Based on good practice benchmarks, the total additional social value that could be generated by an engaged development and construction team is over £28bn/year and yet whilst procurement teams are embedding social value into their own plans, the planning community seem to be unaware of the opportunity that is passing them by. During this session we will hear from a leading developer, social value consultant and contractor about how they are making social value 'business as usual'.

Chair: Guy Battle, CEO, Social Value Portal.

Panel: Simon Wilkes, Director of Development, Legal & General; **Anna McChesney-Gordon**, Head of Advisory, Social Value Portal; **Rumi Bose**, Regeneration Project Manager, Southwark Council,

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Deep dive: Tailoring your TOMs, Evaluation and Contract Management

This session will look at the detail of how public sector organisations can successfully embed social value into their procurement and contract management processes. Key issues that will be covered include, how to develop a bespoke set of TOMs that reflect the needs and opportunities of your area or region, how to conduct a tender and evaluation, benefits realisation and how to apply remedies for suppliers that for whatever reason cannot deliver. Plus, industry case studies.

Speakers: Terry Brewer, Head of Public Sector, Social Value Portal; **Cindy Nadesan**, Public Sector Strategic Accounts, Social Value Portal; **Sasha Walton**, Social Value Lead, Leeds City Council.

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15:30 – 16.00

Closing remarks: What's next?

The conference will wrap up with a conversation and reflections from the two days including looking at next steps for the TOMs for Wales.

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How to win more work using the National TOMs

Host:

Cindy Nadesan, Public Sector Strategic Accounts, Social Value Portal

Panellists:

Social Value Portal, Solihull Council
The National TOMs have been designed to make it as easy as possible for businesses to submit a social value offer. Join this session to learn the dos and don'ts of making a submission and maximising your chance of winning work with the public sector.

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Maximising Social Value in construction

Host:

Guy Battle, Social Value Portal

Panellists:

Bouygues UK, Arup, BAM Construct
In many ways, construction has been at the forefront of the social value recognising the clear link with sustainability. During this session we will hear from some of the leading construction organisations and how they are embedding social value into their operations to make a real difference for the communities where they are working.

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Meet the Future Generations Commissioner's team



Procurement has been an area of focus for the Future Generations Commissioner for Wales over the last 18 months. Working in partnership with Cardiff University, the Commissioner's office has undertaken research and triggered a Section 20 Review to establish the extent to which the Act is informing commissioning and procurement decisions across all 44 public bodies in Wales.

The booth provides an opportunity to hear about some of the key findings from the Commissioner's research and FG Report 2020, with recommendations to public bodies.

We would love to hear your examples of where procurement outcomes have delivered long-term social value and met the requirements of the WFG Act.

Equally, we are here to answer questions, and share the Commissioner's resources, outlining the actions that public bodies and other organisations should be taking on their journey to embedding the Act.

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Speaker biographies

With thanks to our fantastic experts from across sectors and industries.



Alice Horn

Analyst Officer, Future Generations

Alice has been working at the Commissioner's office for just over a year. Her focus has been on the Section 20 Procurement review, considering how public bodies are embedding the Well-being of Future Generations Act into procurement contracts and frameworks and the extent to which procurement is supporting delivery of the Public Bodies' well-being objectives. Alice is also part of several procurement groups, including the Welsh National TOMs development taskforce.



Alison Howe

Social Value Advisor, Bouygues UK

Alison has nearly 13 years' experience within the construction industry, which began with her spending nearly 12 years working for the Construction Industry Training Board (CITB). During her time at CITB, Alison undertook several roles including as an Education / Careers Advisor within the Wales team and an Assistant Fund Manager covering Great Britain. As a result, Alison has extensive experience working within the construction sector, with excellent skills in stakeholder engagement, strategic planning, CSR activities, developing high value funding opportunities to support the construction sector, and overseeing funded projects. One of Alison's current projects with Bouygues UK is Pencoedtre High School in the Vale of Glamorgan, for which she is responsible for delivering and reporting on Social Value.



Anna McChesney-Gordon

Head of Consultancy

Anna leads the consultancy team at the Social Value Portal which delivers a range of services such as developing social value statements for planning applications, conducting local needs analyses and producing corporate social value strategies. In addition, Anna has responsibility for developing the company's approach to measuring the social value generated by investments, and reporting this in line with the UN's Sustainable Development Goals.



Brendan Burke

Senior Commercial Value Policy Manager, Welsh Government

Brendan Burke is a Member of the Chartered Institute of Purchasing and supply with over 15 years' experience in procurement policy development with a particular focus on sustainable procurement. He has been Welsh Governments Community Benefits policy lead since 2015 supporting the development and implementation of the policy which is designed to build added social value into public contracts.



Carol Glenn

Social Value Programme Manager, Solihull Metropolitan Borough Council

Carol has worked for 11 years within the procurement team at Solihull MBC. She became the Social Value Programme Manager at the Council in May 2019, devoting 100% of her time working to embed Social Value into the procurement process.

Through development of a Social Value Policy, implementing the TOMs, and working with colleagues, partners and suppliers to raise awareness of Social Value, we are now starting to realise the benefits that Social Value can bring to the local community within the borough.



Cindy Nadesan, Strategic Account Manager Public Sector, Social Value Portal

Cindy is passionate about promoting social value and has spent the last six years working across the public, private and social sectors to help organisations understand how they can create and deliver additional value to communities.

Her current role focuses on enabling Public Sector organisations maximise the value from procurement spend and supplier relationships by empowering people through training, creating a culture of continuous improvement and providing the support needed to create opportunities for sustainable growth.

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Darren Knowd

Chief Procurement Officer, Durham County Council

Darren leads all procurement activity at Durham County Council and is Chair of LGA National Advisory Group for Local Government Procurement. He is also the Chair of the National Social Value Task Force on behalf of LGA.



Elizabeth Lucas

Head of Customer and Digital Services, Caerphilly County Borough Council

Appointed to Head of Customer and Digital Service in 2018. Previously, Head of Procurement. Liz leads a team of 160 FTE's who is responsible for the delivery of all services in relation Customer experience, Digital transformation, Procurement and Information Governance. During the last 20 years Liz has transformed Caerphilly's procurement function, with a key emphasis on social and economic regeneration.

Chair of the Foundational Economy, challenge fund - expert panel, supporting WG in work around developing the Foundational Economy through procurement. Liz also sits on the WG Digital expert panel.



Eurgain Powell

Change Maker, Future Generations

A Change Maker at the Commissioner's office, Eurgain leads work on transport, decarbonisation and procurement. Having developed the Future Generations Framework for projects, Eurgain has authored reports including "Transport fit for Future Generations" and "10 point plan to fund the Climate Emergency". Eurgain is currently working on financing housing decarbonisation as part of the Green Recovery, and the Commissioner's procurement review procurement review.



Guy Battle

CEO, Social Value Portal

Guy works cross-industry on developing social value solutions that deliver real and tangible value. He is passionate about the contribution business can make to improve society – one of the driving motivations behind the creation of The Social Value Portal.



Ian Evans

Procurement and Information Manager, Caerphilly County Borough Council

Ian has over 24 years public sector experience and is currently responsible for Procurement and Information Governance within Customer & Digital Services. He has been actively involved in successfully delivering a number of high-profile collaborative projects within Caerphilly CBC and across the Welsh Public Sector. Ian leads a team of 22 highly motivated individuals with a strong emphasis on teamwork and a can-do attitude. This is demonstrated by the team's recent achievements at this year's GO Awards Wales and most notably Winners in the Social Value category.



Jane Mudd

Leader of Newport City Council, Newport Council

Leader of Newport City Council, Jane leads on Newport's Economic Growth Strategy. A member of the Cardiff Capital Region Cabinet and portfolio holder for Learning, Skills and Talent, Jane is also Chair of the G10 Leadership Group and Chair of the One Newport Public Service Board.

With over 20 years experience in higher education and research, Jane has a background in Regeneration and Housing. A Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Housing and former Chair of CIH Cymru, she is also an Independent member of the Regulatory Board for Housing (Wales).

Jane is also the Deputy Presiding Officer of the Welsh Local Government Association.

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Jeff Joseph

Head of Social Value (UK), Bouygues UK

With over 28 years' experience in the construction industry working predominately in Urban Regeneration, Stakeholder Engagement, Community Participation, Delivering Economic Benefits and most recently CSR and Social Value; Jeff has a wealth of experience at all matters related to Community Regeneration.

He is a seasoned professional who is passionate about Social Value and has both the expertise & knowledge of products and initiatives related to this discipline. Working collaboratively with a vast number of agencies and service providers he has built a professional network of organisations/contacts.

Jeff is directly responsible for spearheading Bouygues activities pertaining to Social Value as well as promoting Sustainable Communities from the inception of a contract to handover. He is instrumental in the strategic delivery of Projects regardless of their size, value or location.



Justin Moore

Operations Director – Wales, Bouygues UK

Born and resides in Blackwood; educated at the University of Glamorgan, trained at Mowlem as an Engineer. Chartered Member of the CIOB, member of Construction Excellence in Wales and Cardiff Capital Region's Business Council. Justin leads the business being responsible for Wales with a range of projects across the private and public sectors. Justin is passionate about delivering a sustainable built environment that creates a better life for communities across Wales. Justin firmly believes in demonstrating social, economic and environmental commitment to support the communities, clients, supply chain and employees.



Leigh Hughes

CSR Director, Bouygues Construction UK

As CSR Director for Bouygues Construction in the UK and member of the UK Executive Committee Leigh is responsible for driving the CSR vision and strategy through our UK entities.

Leigh has worked in the construction industry for 30 years is passionate about driving CSR, aligning with Government policies to ensure future generations can fulfill their aspirations. In Wales education and skills play a large part of this which enables Leigh to successfully fulfill his role as Chair of Cardiff Capital Region Employment & Skills Board and as Chair of the CITB Wales Nation.



Lorraine Cox

Director, STAR Procurement

As the Director of STAR, Lorraine has grown this public sector organisation rapidly and effectively delivering demonstrable outcomes in procurement, as well as improved efficiency and effectiveness.

A key project she led on for STAR in 2019 was to implement the Social Value Portal and National TOMs. This exceeded all expectations within the first year; over £31m of contracted Social Value, reached to local businesses with the success of securing contracts representing 57%. The return against contract value hit 25%.



Tracey Mayers

Head of Commercial Policy and Delivery, Welsh Government

Tracey was appointed into this role in August 2020 following nine months as Senior Procurement Manager. While she hasn't got a procurement background, Tracey has worked in the commercial space on grant funding since 2008; more recently introducing, developing and managing the Welsh Government's Grants Centre of Excellence. Her scientific, grants and governance background continues to bring new ways of thinking to the Commercial Procurement Directorate.



Nathan Goode

Head of Data

Nathan leads Social Value Portal's approach to social value data and analytics, and embedding TOMs-based measurement in broader social value contexts and approaches. He brings over 20 years' experience working on evaluation, procurement and commissioning of major projects and programmes.

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Nick Toulson

Social Value Advisor, Bouygues UK

He's spent over 25 years in community and sustainable development in the public, third and private sector, the last 10 years of which have been working in the construction industry in South Wales.

With a breadth of experience working on education, major construction and refurbishment projects, covering Stakeholder Engagement, Community Benefits, Targeted Recruitment and Training, Working with Hard to Reach Groups and Educational Delivery, Nick is well regarded by those he works with and for.

Nick is responsible for facilitating, implementing and tracking Social Value delivery on Bouygues UK construction projects.



Philipp Cyrus

Senior Researcher, Social Value Portal

Part of the Research, Development and Innovation team, Phillip holds a PhD in Environmental Economics from SOAS, University of London, and has several years of experience in sustainability research and consulting for private and public sector. In his position at SVP he currently focusses on National TOMs related research and development. His latest projects include the National TOMs for Wales, the Facilities Management Plug-in for the National TOMs and the National TOMs Global Goals mapping.



Richard Dooner

Programme Manager, Welsh Local Government Association

WLGA's lead officer for procurement, facilitating the Heads of Procurement Network, supporting the reform of procurement in Wales. Richard is a keen advocate of social value, relationship-based commissioning and the reform of procurement as a lever for the delivery of local government policy.



Sasha Walton

Social Value Lead, Leeds City Council

Sasha Walton is the Leeds City Council's Faster Payment / Social Value Lead. Sasha joined Leeds City Council in July 2018, previously working for Lloyds Banking Group for 14 years. Sasha is passionate about people, diversity, development, treating people fairly, being open and working together for the greater good. Sasha's goals are to help Leeds be a compassionate city, ensure that Social Values becomes a movement and to become a strong / empathic leader.



Rumi Bose

Regeneration Project Manager, Southwark Council



Simon Wilkes

Head of Development, Legal & General Investment Management Real Assets

As Head of Development at Legal & General Investment Management Real Assets, Simon has responsibility for overseeing all development activity within the Real Assets portfolios.

Major projects include the award-winning Central Saint Giles and 245 Hammersmith which was the pioneer project and co funder for the BCO Social Value Measurement research project.

Simon is also the Investment Manager for the English Cities Fund a regeneration joint venture company between Homes England, Muse Developments and L&G.



Sir David Henshaw

Chairman, Natural Resources Wales

Sir David was born and bred in Liverpool. He has lived in North Wales for a number of years with his wife Alison. He was knighted in 2004.

After Higher education in Sheffield and Birmingham his major career has been in the public sector with Chief Executive roles at Knowsley Metropolitan Borough Council and the City of Liverpool

More recently has held senior Chair roles in the NHS including the North West Strategic Health Authority and Alder Hey Foundation Trust Children's Hospital leading the Board in the building of the new hospital.

Sir David is and has been also a Chair and Non-Executive Director for a number of other public and private organisations and retains a series of advisory roles.

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Sophie Howe

Future Generations Commissioner for Wales, Office of the Future Generations Commissioner for Wales

As the world's first Future Generations Commissioner, Sophie's role is to safeguard the interests and well-being of the future generations of Wales. As a mother to five of her own future generations, she's driven by a passion for 'leaving the world better than we found it'. Never afraid to challenge the status quo she has been described by the Big Issue Magazine as one of the UK's leading Changemakers. Her vision for the future is one with well-being at the centre of public policy and services.



Steve Robinson

Head of Commissioning and Procurement, Cardiff Council

Steve has been Head of Commissioning and Procurement at Cardiff Council since 2006. In that time he has transformed the procurement function through the implementation of category management and ensured the Council is at the forefront of delivering socially responsible procurement.

In addition to this role, Steve was the driving force behind establishment of Atebion Solutions a Cardiff Council owned trading company of which he is Managing Director, and is playing a key role in developing the collaborative agenda in Wales as Chair of the WLGA Heads of Procurement Network.



Terry Brewer

Head of Public Sector Delivery, Social Value Portal

Terry is Head of Public Sector Delivery for the Social Value Portal and former Chair of the LGA's Social Value Task Force. He has held several regional and national roles including Chair of the London Heads of Procurement Network.



Vince Hanly

Head of Procurement, Powys Council

Vince is currently the Commercial Services lead at Powys County Council. In his previous role in Rhondda Cynon Taf as Director of Procurement in Vince established the first Collaborative South East Wales Highways Framework and the SEWSCAP 21C schools framework incorporating the Welsh Governments Community Benefits toolkit. He also procured landmark civil engineering construction schemes at Porth and Church Village where for the very first time in Wales Community Benefits were included and delivered through the schemes. He is an advocate of collaboration in the construction and supply chain and many schemes have benefited from this way of working in his career.

Vince has chaired a number of key working groups within the public sector including the Constructing Excellence Client Construction Forum and formerly the Welsh Governments Community Benefits Steering Group where the current toolkits and guidance were established. Vince currently chairs the Constructing Excellence in Wales Procurement Steering Group.

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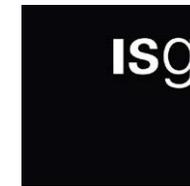
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