Sunand Prasad

Since founding Penoyre & Prasad in 1988 with Greg Penoyre, Sunand has played a central role in the design and delivery of the practice's 300 plus projects, guiding the design philosophy of the practice and the design development of projects. The practice's work has won over 80 awards and been widely published. Before coming to London with his family at the age of 12, Sunand lived in Sevagram, a community set up by Mahatma Gandhi. The values of this community are close to what we now call sustainability, the principles of which are at the core of Penoyre & Prasad's 25 years of work.

Sunand was President of the Royal Institute of British Architects from 2007 to 2009 and a Founding Commissioner of CABE. He is a member of the Government's Green Construction Board, a trustee of the think tank the Centre for Cities and of the arts and climate change charity Cape Farewell. He has written about the work of Le Corbusier, North Indian domestic architecture and urbanism, smart cities, the value of design, cultural diversity, climate change, the construction industry and professions, and hospital design. He contributes widely to conferences, publications, journals and broadcasts. He has taught, lectured and acted as external examiner in many schools of architecture in the UK and abroad.

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