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WHAT'S GOING ON →

Great leaps in construction technology and learnings from the field

It's rare that a conversation about using advanced technology in construction should start by focusing on Uganda, but Dr. Nathan King does exactly that. A leading intellectual in the development of new technology that's going to drive the future of the industry, King's role at

the Autodesk Technology Centres sees him working with the AEC industry on technologies such as large format 3D printing for construction, robotic assembly of curtain wall panels, and projects related to construction in space. Read more, [here](#) →

TRENDING WORLDWIDE →



BRISBANE The Waterfall

Dramatic and beautiful design is not enough! Kokchi Takada wants to beguile us and play with our perceptions of his structures. He's also committed to incorporating nature within urban environments. Discover how he's achieved all of those aims with a dramatic Brisbane project called The Waterfall, [here](#) →



DENMARK Country Calendar

An innovative approach to rural communal living, closely linked to the natural world, has been nominated for a World Architecture Festival award. Kant Architects adopted age-old concepts in the creation of stylish structures that look like space ships. Discover this fascinating Danish response to urban drift, creating a village for all ages and stages, [here](#) →



MEXICO Hotel California

A luxury hotel is emerging at the southern tip of the Baha California peninsula, which encloses one of the richest eco-systems on the planet. Its architects have opted for sinuous forms and materials matching the stark beauty of the desert terrain and the sea lapping nearby. Here's a hotel you might enter but never want to leave, [here](#) →



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CPD/LBP EVENTS →



PARADIGM SHIFT

14 Oct - Napier
15 Oct - Tauranga
16 Oct - Hamilton
17 Oct - Auckland



DESIGN EXPERIENCE SERIES 2020

23 Mar - Wellington
24 Mar - Christchurch
25 Mar - Queenstown
26 Mar - Auckland



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5 May - Tauranga
6 May - Gisborne
7 May - Napier

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