**Programme**

10.00 – 10.15am

Welcome and introduction: Prof Harry Charrington, Head of School of Architecture and Cities, University of Westminster

10.15 – 12.45am

**Introducing ProBE and its research legacy – Past, present and future research on the production of the built environment**

*Prof Linda Clarke and Prof Christine Wall (University of Westminster)*

Linda and Christine will present their understanding of the Production of the Built Environment, its importance and the background to the distinct nature of ProBE and its activities over the years. They will then go on to outline the research carried out in the research centre, past, present and future.

**Climate Change, Society and Environmental Design – Indoor Air Quality and Overheating in the context of Decarbonisation**

*Prof Dejan Mumovic (UCL Institute for Environmental Design and Engineering)*

Dejan will illustrate research on indoor air quality in the context of strategies for abating overheating and wider decarbonisation efforts. The talk will refer to demonstration projects in schools and homes and will identify opportunities for further research and development.

**Collaborative design and building practices – Translating Ferro / Transforming Knowledges**

*Prof Katie Lloyd Thomas (University of Newcastle), Prof Joao Marcos de Almeida Lopes (University of São Paulo)*

Katie and Joao Marcoswill together present the inspiring Brazil/UK AHRC/FAPESP project *Translating Ferro / Transforming Knowledges of Architecture, Design and Labour for the New Field of Production Studies*,<http://www.tf-tk.com/>*,* involving an international team of researchers and bringing to an English-speaking audience the unique and significant body of work of the Brazilian architect, artist and theorist Sérgio Ferro for understanding art, architecture and design through the lens of labour and production.

14.15 – 17pm

**Labour and Capital relations in the production of the built environment – What future for industrial relations in the production of the built environment?**

*Stephen Craig (Unite the Union), Sam Mason (Public and Commercial Services Union), Paul Atkin (National Education Union Climate Change Network)*

From different union perspectives, Steve, Sam, and Paul will discuss some key challenges facing labour and capital relations in combatting climate change and transitioning to a just and equitable green environment, and what future critical research is needed on what goes on in the world of work producing the spaces for human activity.

**Sustainable Urban Settlements and Low Carbon Construction – Housing in informal settlements, Grassroot approach to sustainable urban regeneration**

*Dr Claudia Loggia and Dr Viloshin Govender (University of KwaZulu-Natal in Durban, South Africa)*

Claudia and Viloshin will present an overview of opportunities, challenges and issues in built environment research in South Africa. They will draw on the lessons learned from an ongoing research collaboration with the University of Westminster since 2016 focusing informal settlements upgrading as a tool for achieving environmental sustainability, community empowerment and inclusive governance. The session will then discuss the directions for further research in this field and pan out future collaborative opportunities between UK and SA.

**Roundtable discussion: What Future for the Production of the Built Environment?**

The final panel will consist of speakers from each session to discuss and seek to prioritise and synthesise the various proposals from the day to form the basis of a research strategy for the coming years.