

# Graham Stirk

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## Qualifications

BA (Hons), RIBA

## Education

- 1984-85** Kingston Polytechnic
- 1980-82** Architecture Association
- 1976-79** 1st Class BA (Hons), Oxford Polytechnic

## Practice

- 2011-** Senior Partner, Rogers Stirk Harbour + Partners LLP
- 2002-** Director, Rogers Stirk Harbour & Partner SL
- 1995-11** Senior Director, Rogers Stirk Harbour + Partners (Architects) Ltd
- 1988-95** Director, Richard Rogers Partnership
- 1983-** Richard Rogers Partnership



## Summary of Experience

Graham Stirk joined the practice in 1983, was made a director in 1988, a senior director in 1995 and a senior partner in 2011. He has been involved in the design of a number of prestigious UK and worldwide projects often on complex sites. In 2007 the name of the practice was changed in recognition of his and Ivan Harbour's contributions.

Graham – together with Ivan and Richard Rogers – drives the design direction of the practice and is evolving the practice's language of design, to create sustainable and thought-provoking architecture for the future. His intellectually rigorous approach to the analysis and interpretation of a client brief and site informs the process and form of architecture to create functional, flexible and elegant buildings and spaces

Graham has brought innovative, rational and clear design leadership to many of the practice's high profile projects including: an expansion to the Lloyd's Register Headquarters in London; 88 Wood Street, a speculative office development in the City of London; Bodegas Protos, a winery in the Ribero del Duero region of Spain (all shortlisted for the Stirling Prize – 2000, 2001 and 2009 respectively); a 48-storey office tower – the Leadenhall Building – in the City of London; NEO Bankside, 229 residential units, next to Tate Modern in London (currently under construction); One Hyde Park, a new high-end residential development in London's Knightsbridge; and an extension for The British Museum to provide a flexible series of exhibition and conservation spaces which will support a wide range of Museum activities, due to open in 2013.

In addition, Graham has contributed to the design of several key masterplanning projects including Potsdamer Platz, Berlin and Paddington Basin, London.

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| <b>2010-</b> Geneva Airport East Wing, Switzerland                                 | <b>2004</b> Sugar Quay Wharf, London, UK               |
| Eastbury House, London, UK   | <b>2004-06</b> Wimbledon Houses, London, UK            |
| <b>2009-</b> Riverlight, London, UK  | <b>2003-08</b> Bodegas Protos, Ribero del Duero, Spain |
| <b>2008</b> Broadgate 4-6, London, UK  | <b>2003-</b> NEO Bankside, London, UK                  |
| <b>2007-</b> World Conservation and Exhibitions Centre, British Museum, London, UK | <b>2003-05</b> Glasgow Bridge, UK                      |
| <b>2006-08</b> Redevelopment of Chelsea Barracks site, London, UK                  | <b>2002-03</b> Birmingham Library, UK                  |
| <b>2005-11</b> One Hyde Park, London, UK   | <b>2001-</b> The Leadenhall Building, London, UK       |
|  | <b>2001</b> Torre Espacio, Madrid, Spain               |

**2000** Cisco Systems competition, Meudon, France  
Imagination Headquarters, London, UK  
Elan Headquarters, Dublin, Ireland  
Epidemiology Research Centre, Oxford, UK

**2000** Rome Congress Centre competition, Italy  
Broadwick House office building, Soho, London, UK

**1999** Grand Union Tower, Paddington, London, UK

**1998** Waterside Nos.1+2, Paddington, London, UK

**1995-01** Lloyd's Register of Shipping headquarters, City of London, UK

**1994-00** 88 Wood Street, Daiwa Securities HQ, London, UK

**1994** Montevetro residential complex, Battersea, London, UK

**1994** Renzo Piano Building Workshop (6th month sabbatical) - Padre Pio Pilgrimage Cathedral, Foggia, Italy

**1993** Lloyd's Register of Shipping HQ, Liphook, Hampshire, UK  
SmithKline Beecham master plan, Hounslow, London, UK

**1991-93** Zoofenster Tower, Berlin, Germany

**1990** Tokyo International Forum competition, Japan  
Euroville, Tour de Medias, France

**1989-90** Channel 4 Television Headquarters, London, UK

**1988** Alcazar, Marseilles, France  
Canal + Television competition, Paris, France  
Christopher Columbus Marine Research Centre, Baltimore, US  
Potsdamer Platz master plan – concept development, Berlin  
La Plaine 2 masterplan, Nice, France  
Bussy St Georges, Marne la Vallee, France

**1987** Bracken House competition, London  
Paternoster Square competition, London, UK

Stag Place competition, London, UK

**1986** Wellcome Foundation Headquarters, Cobham, UK

### Jury Member

**2009** RIBA Awards South London, Bartlett School of Architecture & Planning, UCL  
RA Summer Exhibition: Bovis / AJ Award

**2002** RIBA President's medals for architectural education

### Lectures

**2011** The Melvin Debate  
"Innovation, Liability and Risk"

**2010** London Festival of Architecture: "From Concept to Construction"

**2008** Hongik University Seoul, Korea: "Cities & Buildings"  
London Festival of Architecture  
World Architecture Festival Barcelona: Seminar with David Glover (ARUP) "Height"

**2007** Oxford Brookes University  
International AIA conference, London: "Design Excellence, Design Build"  
"Designing the Future" Conference New York: Seminar - "What do the Architects Think?"

**2006** AJ/AR Tall Buildings Conference, London: "Case study of a tall building 122 Leadenhall Street"  
AJ/AR Tall Buildings Tall Buildings: Inspiring Quality in Russia, an international perspective, Moscow  
"Case study of a tall building 122 Leadenhall Street"

**2004** Guest speaker, New City Architecture Event, "The Tower Builders"

### Other

**2003-05** AA Council Member