


Built Environment Against Slavery: Insights, Actions and Collaboration- Conference

 **Wednesday, 16 October 2024, 9:30 AM - 3:45 PM**
 **Fazeley Studios, 191 Fazeley St, Birmingham, B5 5SE**

Agenda:

This pivotal conference where industry leaders from organisations such as Gangmasters and Labour Abuse Authority, Balfour Beatty, Travis Perkins, CCLA Investment Management, Defra, Tilbury Douglas, Carmichael and Action Sustainability will share their expertise in tackling modern slavery and labour exploitation in the built environment.

By joining this session you will:

- **Uncover Emerging Risks:** Stay ahead with the latest challenges in modern slavery within the built environment.
- **Practical Insights:** Gain actionable tips on due diligence, from recruitment to contract management.
- **Risk identification and assessment:** Learn how to identify and assess risks in subcontracts and international supply chains.
- **Effective Remediation:** Understand how to support survivors and implement effective remediation strategies.
- **Collaborative Learning:** Share experiences and intelligence under Chatham House Rules.
- **Free Resources:** Access valuable tools to enhance your modern slavery due diligence.
- **Strategic Collaboration:** Discover the power of collaboration, from risk identification to audits and contract management.

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Schedule:

Time	Session
8:30am	Registration Opens
9:30am	<p>Session 1- Navigating Modern Slavery Challenges: From Intelligence to Action</p> <p>Welcome – <i>Emma-Jane Allen, Lead - Built Environment Against Slavery Group, Senior Consultant (modern slavery, human rights, sustainable procurement), Action Sustainability</i></p> <p>Current Landscape & Emerging Risks in the Built Environment <i>Phillip Cain, Director of Operations, Gangmasters & Labour Abuse Authority (GLAA)</i></p> <p>Latest Insights from Achilles' Ethical Site Surveys <i>Adam Whitfield, Head of Compliance & ESG, Achilles</i></p> <p>The Investor Perspective <i>Dame Sara Thornton – Former UK Anti-Slavery Commissioner, Consultant at CCLA Investment Management</i></p> <p>Just Transition and What it Means for your Business <i>Sally Taylor, Sustainable Procurement Specialist, Department for Environment Food and Rural Affairs (Defra)</i></p> <p>Q&A <i>with above speakers and Martin Buttle, Better Work Lead, CCLA Investment Management</i></p> <p>Table Discussions</p>
11:00am	Networking/ Breaktime

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11:00am	<p>Session 2- From Policy to Practice: Embedding Modern Slavery Due Diligence - Case Studies</p> <p>Practical Insights: A Contractor's Approach to Baselining and Prioritising Modern Slavery Due Diligence <i>Jamie Swanston - Procurement & Supply Chain Director and Roxann Dawson, Business Assurance Director, Tilbury Douglas</i></p> <p>Beyond Compliance – Creating a Culture of Due Diligence <i>Jennie Gallagher, Accounts Director, Carmichael</i></p> <p>Q&A with above speakers</p> <p>Table Discussions</p>
12:25pm	<p>Lunch</p>
1:15pm	<p>Session 3- Tackling Supply Chain Risks: Practical Strategies for Prioritisation, Collaboration and Mitigation</p> <p>A Collaborative Approach to Supply Chain Audits – <i>Jo Potts, Sustainability Director, Responsible Sourcing & Social Impact, Balfour Beatty</i></p> <p>Prioritising, Assessing and Identifying Modern Slavery Risks <i>-John Bullivant, Group Head of Responsible & Ethical Sourcing, Travis Perkins</i></p> <p>Managing and Mitigating Risks in Materials Supply Chains <i>Elaine Mitchel-Hill, International Lead, Design for Freedom, Grace Farms Foundation</i></p> <p>Q&A with above speakers</p> <p>Table Discussions</p>

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2:30pm	Networking/ Breaktime
2:50pm	Session 4 – Empowering Change: Insights from a Survivor with Lived Experience How the School can Help <i>Emma-Jane Allen Lead - Built Environment Against Slavery Group, Senior Consultant (modern slavery, human rights, sustainable procurement), Action Sustainability</i> Insights from a Survivor with Lived Experience <i>Phillip Clayton, CEO and Founder, Align and a Survivor with Lived Experience</i> Final comments and close
3:45pm	Event Finish

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Meet the speakers:



Dame Sara Thornton

Former UK Independent Anti-Slavery Commissioner and Modern Slavery Consultant
CCLA Investment



Phillip Clayton

CEO
Align Ltd



Adam Whitfield

Head of Compliance & ESG,
Achilles



Jo Potts

Sustainability Director - Responsible Sourcing & Social Impact
Balfour Beatty Plc



Phillip Cain

Operations Director
Gangmasters and Labour Abuse Authority



Jamie Swanston

Procurement & Supply Chain Director
Tilbury Douglas

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Roxann Dawson
Business Assurance Director
Tilbury Douglas



Jennie Gallagher
Accounts Director
Carmichael



John Bullivant
Group Head of Ethical and Responsible Sourcing
Travis Perkins



Sally Taylor
Sustainable Procurement Specialist
Defra



Elaine Mitchel-Hill
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Emma-Jane Allen

Senior Consultant, Action Sustainability and Lead and Facilitator
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