WILL ALSOP

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Will Alsop OBE RA is a world-renowned architect and designer.

Celebrated for his inventiveness, collaborative approach and ethos for living well, Will Alsop's global projects span all sectors - from metro stations to museums and hotels across the UK, continental Europe, the Americas and the Far East. He is also Professor of Architecture at the Technical University in Vienna and University of the Creative Arts in Canterbury, UK.

Alsop put himself on the map advising Hamburg local authority on the master planning of their docks in the 1980s.

In the 1990s, amongst other projects, he re-invented Cardiff Bay with his barrage design, built the striking award-winning HQ for the French government in Marseilles and won the Stirling Prize in 2000 for Peckham Library, London.

Alsop then went onto design RIBA Award-winning schemes at Queen Mary University London and Ontario College's Sharp Centre of Art and Design, Toronto. Considering himself first and foremost an artist, painting is an integral part of his design process, helping him to discover and explore ideas which later become forms, evolving into his unforgettable schemes. A Royal Academician, Alsop has more recently completed award-winning schemes in London, Manchester, Toronto, Shanghai, Beijing and Singapore.

Recent examples of Alsop's work include 142-apartment scheme 'Chips', Manchester; and 'Calypso', Rotterdam. He is currently working on large scale residential builds in China, London and Toronto.

Today, Alsop is Principal of multidisciplinary firm ALL Design, based in Battersea, London.