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Networks and opportunities for technical staff in Creative Arts HEI's.

Aim to advance hands-on learning and innovation in all artistic disciplines through an open and inclusive community to empower higher arts education and facilitate the exchange of good practices.

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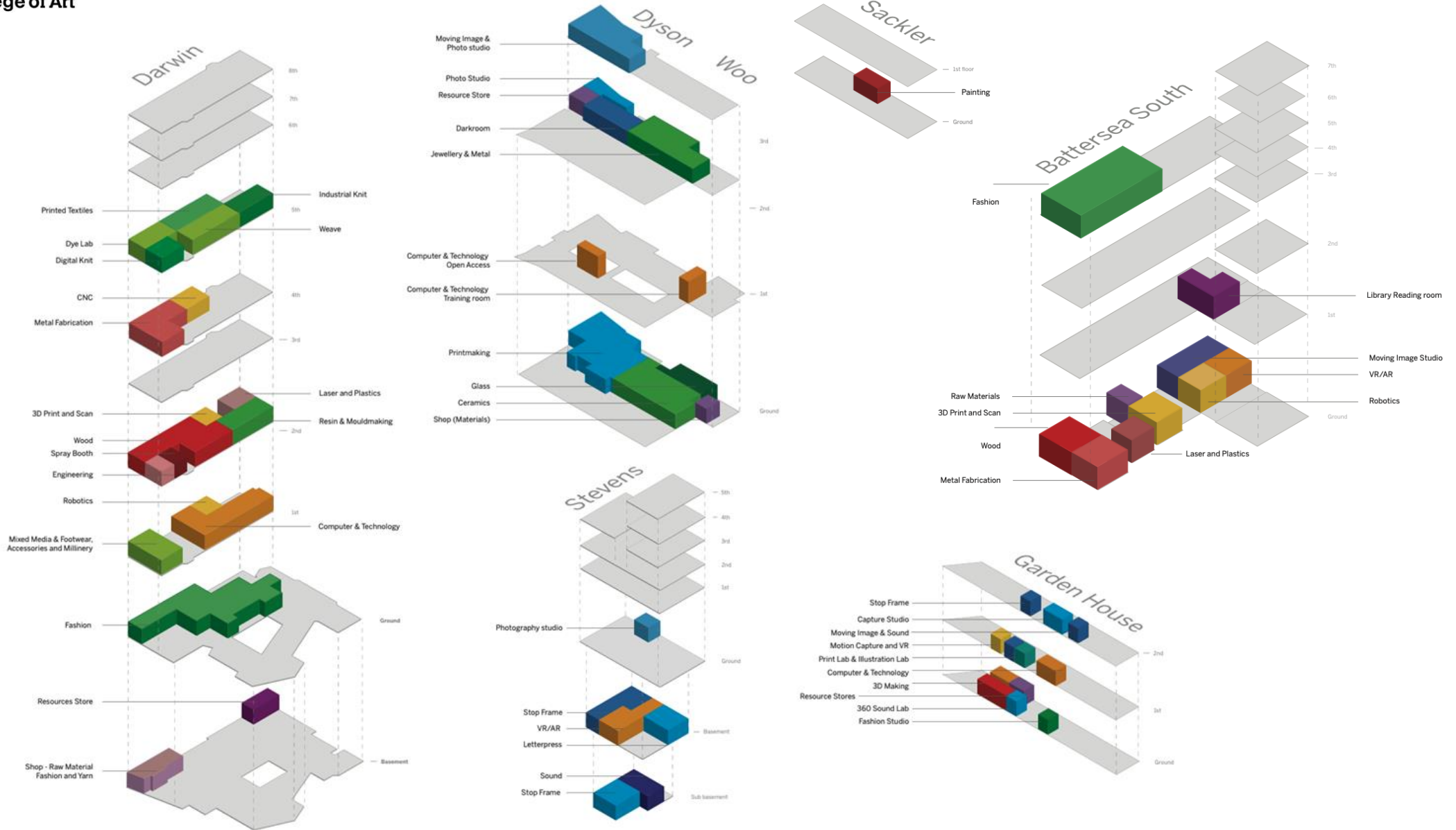
Technician / Instructor
(1999 - 2005)



University of the Arts, London
Technical Manager
(2005 - 2012)



Royal College of Art
Head of Technical Service
(2012 - 2022)



RCA estates and Technical service Development 2012-2022

Inaugural ETHO meeting
Royal College of Art
London, 2016

The projection screen displays a hand-drawn diagram with three numbered sections:

- ① TRAINING & DEVELOPMENT**
 - MANAGEMENT TRAINING
 - PEDAGOGY
 - STAFF EXCHANGE
 - STUDY VISITS
- ② SHARING DATA**
 - MANAGEMENT MODELS
 - METRICS
 - JOB DESCRIPTIONS
 - RECRUITING
- ③ STRATEGIES DEALING WITH GROWTH**
 - BOUNDED LEARNING
 - USING TECHNOLOGY



Common themes and opportunities

- **Training & Development**
 - Management training
 - Specialist training
 - Pedagogy
 - Shared Social responsibility
- **Sharing Information (Good Practice)**
 - Cross Institutional peer support
 - Sharing good practice
 - Skills and workshops
 - Roles & responsibilities
 - Purchasing
 - Health & Safety
- **Strategies for dealing with change (growth)**
 - New building and workshops
 - Blended learning / Using Technology
 - Effective resource management



ETHO annual conference 2019
Aalto University, Helsinki

Charting the development of Art Schools transformation 2016-2023



Royal College of Art, England

2017

Zurich University of the Arts, Switzerland

University of Bergen Norway

2019

Moholy-Nagy University of Art & Design Hungary

2022

ESMAE School of Music and Performing Arts Porto

2023

2016

Royal Academy of Arts, The Hague Willem de Kooning, Holland

2018

Glasgow School of Art Scotland

Aalto University Finland

2020/21

University of Applied Science and Arts Hannover, Germany

Royal College of Art, England



Annual events : Talks and sharing information

Keynote Presentation
Aalto, Helsinki



Royal College of Art,
England

Pick + Mix

2023



22-24 February 2023
London, UK

ETHO

ELIA



Planning Workshop MOME, Budapest



Annual events : Show & tell, tours of facilities by local specialist staff



Workshop tours
Bergen, Norway



ETHO , London

Pick + Mix

2023

Annual events : Non-classroom based activities and events



Architectural
tour of Budapest

Annual events : Networking and Social time



Procurement support and collaboration
for specialist technical equipment.



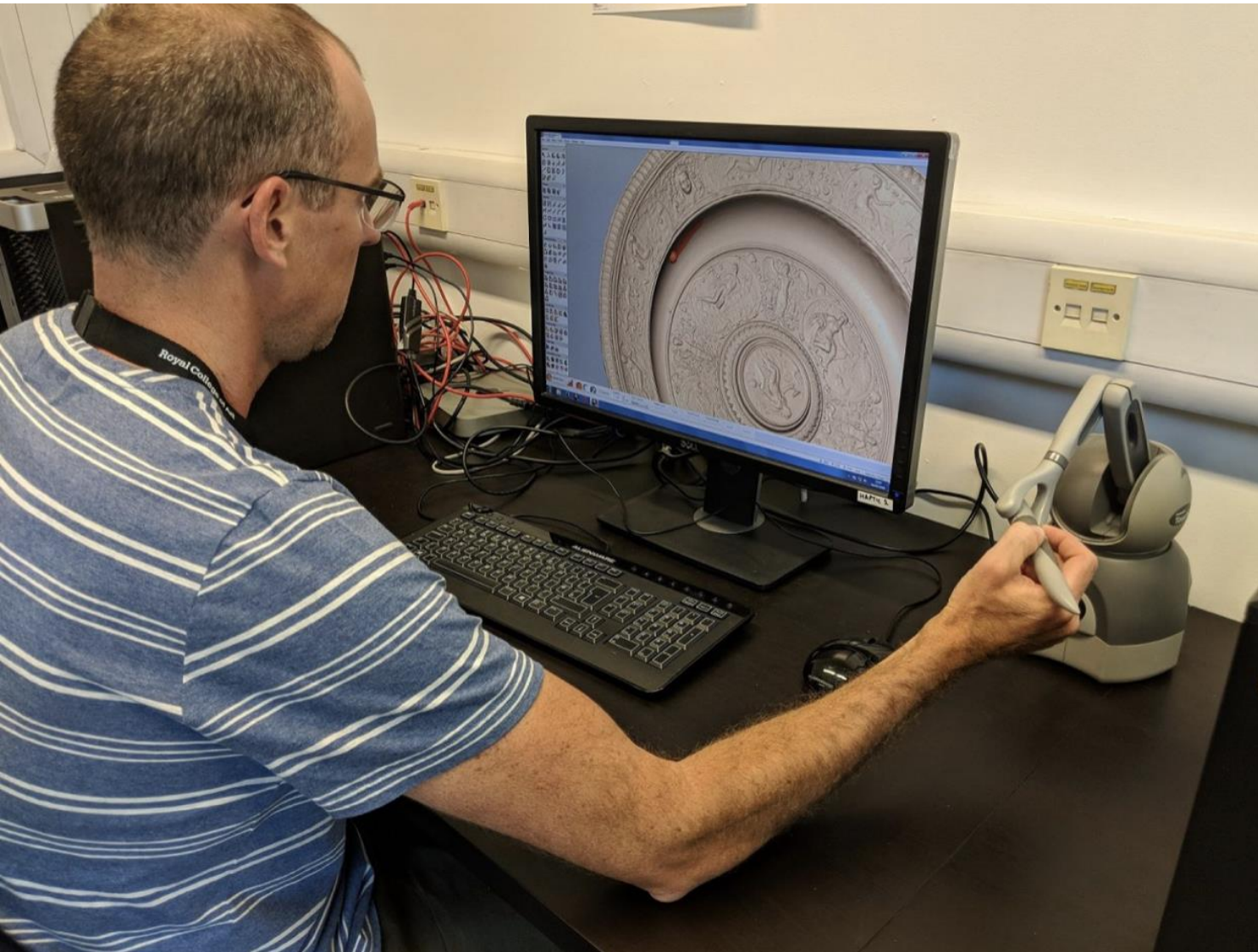
RCA, London

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Aalto, Finland

Specialist technical staff exchange.



RCA, London < > KABK, Holland



ETHO Technical Community Conference

Pick and Mix

22 - 24 February 2023

ETHO Technical
Community
ELIA Platform



Royal College of Art



Southbank University, London

Pick + Mix

2023





ETHO , London

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Find out more ETHO:



Get involved:

- ETHO Leadership event Spring 2023 – UMPRUM, Prague
- ETHO Annual Technical event 2024 - TBC



UK Art & Design Technical Alliance



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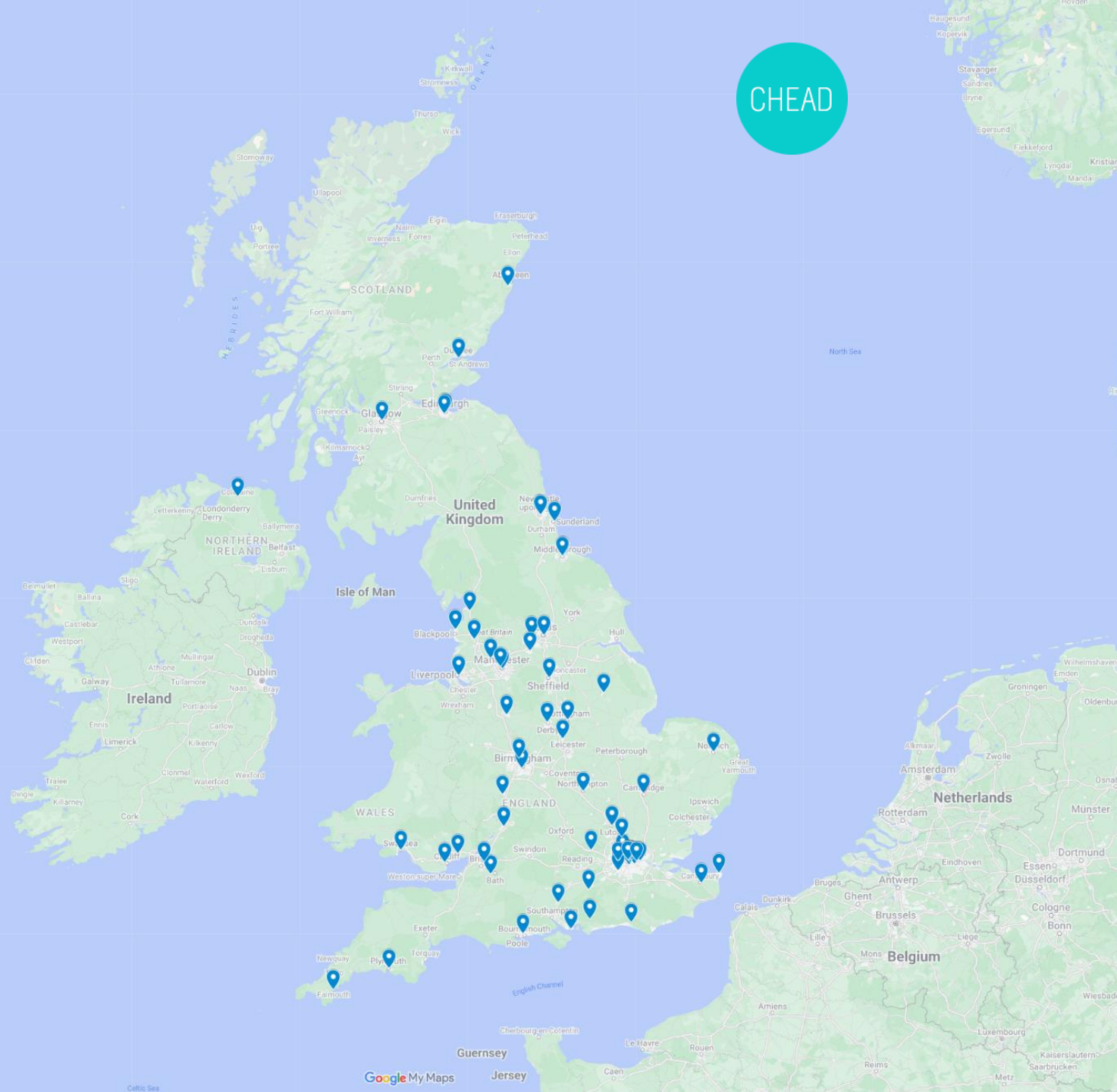


Technical Alliance

- Bring together technicians, technical tutors and technical leaders working in UK Art & Design HEI's
- Create opportunities to communicate and share best practice
- Connect technical expertise, knowledge and experience into wider UK Art & Design HE debates

- 📍 ARU Cambridge
- 📍 Arts University Bournemouth
- 📍 Bath Spa University
- 📍 Birmingham City University: ...
- 📍 Blackpool and The Fylde Coll...
- 📍 Bradford Art School
- 📍 Buckinghamshire New Unive...
- 📍 Cambridge School of Visual ...
- 📍 Canterbury Christ Church Un...
- 📍 Cardiff Metropolitan University
- 📍 Central Film School
- 📍 Condé Nast College of Fashi...
- 📍 Coventry University London - ...
- 📍 DE MONTFORT UNIVERSITY
- 📍 University of Dundee
- 📍 Edinburgh College of Art, The...
- 📍 Edinburgh Napier University ...
- 📍 Falmouth University - Falmo...
- 📍 Goldsmiths, University of Lo...
- 📍 Gray's School of Art, Robert ...
- 📍 Istituto Marangoni
- 📍 Kingston University Penrhyn ...
- 📍 Leeds Beckett University
- 📍 Liverpool John Moores Univ...
- 📍 Loughborough University
- 📍 Manchester Metropolitan Un...
- 📍 Middlesex University London
- 📍 Newcastle University
- 📍 Northumbria University
- 📍 Norwich University of the Arts
- 📍 Nottingham Trent University
- 📍 Ravensbourne University Lo...
- 📍 Royal College of Art
- 📍 Sheffield Hallam University

- 📍 Staffordshire University
- 📍 Swansea College of Art, UWT...
- 📍 Teesside University
- 📍 The Glasgow School of Art
- 📍 University of Cumbria in Lan...
- 📍 The Margate School
- 📍 The Northern School of Art
- 📍 Slade School of Fine Art
- 📍 Ulster University
- 📍 University for the Creative Arts
- 📍 University of Bedfordshire
- 📍 University of Bolton
- 📍 University of Brighton Falme...
- 📍 University of Central Lancas...
- 📍 University of Derby
- 📍 University of East London
- 📍 University of Gloucestershire...
- 📍 University of Hertfordshire
- 📍 University of Huddersfield Q...
- 📍 University of Lincoln
- 📍 University of Northampton
- 📍 University of Plymouth
- 📍 University of Portsmouth
- 📍 University of Salford
- 📍 University of South Wales - N...
- 📍 University of Sunderland
- 📍 University of the Arts London
- 📍 University of the West of Eng...
- 📍 University of West London
- 📍 University of Westminster
- 📍 University Of Wolverhampto...
- 📍 University of Worcester
- 📍 West Dean College
- 📍 Winchester School of Art
- 📍 York St John University



Technical Alliance

Annual conference, July 2022

Nottingham Trent University

CHEAD Technical Alliance event at Nottingham Trent University brought together technical specialists within the Art & Design discipline for a chance to network and share experiences.

Presentations on key themes including:

- » What is the technical teaching?
- » Technical teams and structures
- » Sustainability



Technical Alliance – Midlands

CHEAD

Midlands Art & Design technical community

- De Montfort University
- Birmingham
- City University
- Coventry
- Staffordshire
- Derby
- Loughborough
- Nottingham Trent University
- Wolverhampton



Derby University



Technical Leadership Programme



CHEAD Technical Alliance Event – 2023 Community and Connection



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Edinburgh College of Art



THE GLASGOW SCHOOL OF ART



Duncan of Jordanstone
College of Art & Design
University of Dundee



GRAY'S SCHOOL OF ART
AT ROBERT GORDON UNIVERSITY

Scotland
15 - 16 Nov 2023

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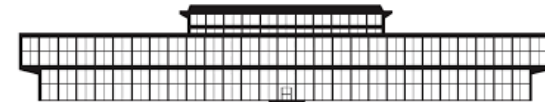


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