

SPEAKER

MR DAVID B SMITH
President of Association of
Building Engineers



The Association of
BUILDING ENGINEERS

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7.15 – 8.30 pm

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7.15 – 7.20

Welcome
W.K. Chow

7.20 – 8.00

Introduction to the Association of Building Engineers
David B. Smith

8.00 – 8.30

Open Forum

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The Association of Building Engineers (ABE) is the professional body for those specialising in the technology of building.

Founded in 1925 under the name "The Incorporated Association of Architects and Surveyors", the ABE provides the prime qualifications of Building Engineer, a title that exactly reflects the professional expertise of members and one that is readily understood in the European Union and beyond.

It has a wide-ranging membership, drawn from both within the United Kingdom and overseas, and enjoys freedom from constitutional restraints. These advantages combine to give it a unique independence and breadth of influence, with consequent national and international recognition of its qualifications both in the public and private sectors and in the construction industry at large where it is represented on educational, codes and standards, legislative, technical and other advisory bodies.

There is an active Regions structure and a Fire Safety Engineering Group.

All these will be introduced in this talk.