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The projects also illustrate our wide range of products and services, from the StoDeco Plan boards used to create attractive architectural detailing on the refurbished Hop House apartment block, through to the StoTherm Mineral external wall insulation chosen for Chester Zoo's temperature-critical Monsoon Forest building.

Good luck to all the shortlisted entries in this year's Awards!

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Hop House, London

HOP GARDENS WC2



A Celebration of EWI Innovation and Excellence

The Insulated Render and Cladding Association (INCA) Awards recognise innovation and excellence in external wall insulation (EWI) projects delivered by INCA members over the past year.

Whatever the project, from residential refurbishment to new build animal enclosures, EWI offers an innovative solution to even the most challenging project. This year's finalists demonstrate the diverse range of innovative EWI solutions which not only meet insulation requirements but can achieve impressive architectural design. INCA members are at the forefront of technical expertise and the winners in particular reflect the highest quality standards in both installation and design.

The Judges

Gearóid Lane (Chairman) - Formerly a member of the British Gas Executive Committee, now co-founder and CEO of AgilityEco specialising in the delivery of energy service solutions to both public and private sector clients.

Claire Curtis-Thomas - With a degree in Mechanical Engineering and an MBA, championed a number of issues on behalf of the construction industry as a former MP and is now the CEO of the BBA.

Mark Elton - CEO of Cowan Eco Design, with over 20 years' experience as an architect, a Passivhaus designer and retrofit innovator, with a key interest in combining sustainable living and design. **Paul Gaze -** A Chartered Builder who is currently a Special Projects Manager at CITB working in partnership with specialist stakeholders, such as INCA, to support the development and delivery of training and assessment.

Richard Mellish - Deputy Director for Household Energy Use with responsibility for the delivery of schemes designed to improve the energy efficiency of the UK housing stock.

Ruud Van Eersel - With over 25 years' experience in the painting and cladding industry, co-founded the Belgian Working Group of ETICS in 2008 and is President of the European Association for ETICS.

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Mitch Gee INCA Chairman



Winner Outstanding Achievement

A respected figure in the EWI industry, David Harrison was appointed INCA Chairman in 2009 and during his three year tenure developed a membership recruitment strategy doubling the number of INCA members. Determined to move the EWI industry and INCA forward, David also actively lobbied the government to create business growth opportunities for members.

Leading INCA from strength to strength, David created an effective Board and Committee structure, championed training and promoted technical expertise. Without his support and direction, INCA would not be the professional, strategic and financially stable organisation it is today making him a deserving winner of the Outstanding Achievement Award.



David Harrison

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The Kinnell group would like to congratulate all the entries to the 2016 INCA awards.

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Winner Architectural Design Award

HOP HOUSE LONDON

Architect:

Brimelow McSweeney Architects

Refurbishing this landmark London building to create luxurious new apartments required technical expertise backed by an innovative and flexible approach. Sto and Regency Plastering worked closely with Architects Brimelow McSweeney to create the desired effect demanded by the client.

The judges were impressed by the use of StoDeco Plan boards to enhance the original features including the stone plinth work. A key architectural piece was the creation of a striking curved frieze with clearly defined relief work, designed around the hops of Hop House, making this project stand out from the rest.



Short-Listed



ISLANDS, CHESTER ZOO CHESTER Architect: Dan Pearlman





"A tasteful and architecturally stunning transformation, showing how cladding can really help to enhance the look of a building."

Winner Non-Residential

ISLANDS, CHESTER ZOO CHESTER

Short-Listed

CELTIC COURT BRIDGEND

System Designer: Alumasc Facades

Contractor: Celtic Rendering Systems

iCENTRUM DIGITAL PLAZA Contractor: Complete Rendering Solutions





System Designer:

Contractor: Astley Facades

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The Monsoon Forest at Chester Zoo is the UK's largest zoological building and forms part of the Zoo's £40 million 'Islands' project, the biggest development in UK zoo history. This project presented a number of challenges as the insulation system would play a crucial role in the wellbeing of the orangutans and crocodiles, and the structure required differing levels of insulation thickness to achieve a U-value of 0.23 W/m²K.

As there were many curves and level changes in the external concrete walls it was crucial that Sto and Astley Facades' design team worked closely together to come up with unique and bespoke solutions.

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Winner Domestic New Build

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System Designer: Parex

Contractor: Joyner Group





LONDON System Designer: Aliva UK Contractor: Regency Plastering



System Designer: SPSenvirowall

Contractor: C & P Plastering

This project transformed a former school site into 47 striking new homes, which not only reduced heat loss and carbon emissions, but created aesthetically pleasing features, with the coloured high performance cladding panels.

SPSenvirowall and C & P Plastering worked with Galliford Try to provide high quality new homes as part of an affordable housing scheme, tackling the project with a collaborative working approach for the timber frame construction. This project was delivered ahead of schedule providing early tenancy for those in need and advanced income to Devon and Cornwall Housing.

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Winner | Domestic Refurbishment High Rise

HOP HOUSE LONDON

System Designer: Sto

Contractor: Regency Plastering

This 1980s office building in London was refurbished to create 29 luxury apartments and required a combination of products and technical expertise supported by an innovative and flexible approach from all parties concerned. EWI was applied to the rear facade to achieve the target U-value of 0.2 W/m²K.

The building's exterior façade was also remodelled to enhance its original Viennese-style characteristics including the creation of a striking curved frieze below the large overhanging eaves of the top floor.



"This project demonstrates an impressive level of technical expertise to create stunning detailing and features."

Highly Commended

SEAGATE COURT **CHICHESTER**

System Designer:

Alumasc Facades Contractor:

Primars Coatings

Due to sea salt erosion, Seagate Court required a complete refurbishment and the Alumasc Swistherm EWI system was chosen to protect the buildings and improve their appearance. This project resulted in warmer, structurally sound and stylish buildings which are now protected from future erosion issues.

Before





Short-Listed

POLLOCKSHAWS ROAD GLASGOW

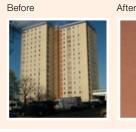
System Designer: Alumasc Facades **Contractor:** A.C. Whyte





TWINNELL HOUSE BRISTOL

System Designer: SPSenvirowall **Contractor:** Woodman Brothers



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Winner | Domestic Refurbishment Low Rise - Multiple Properties

PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY REGENERATION PLYMOUTH



System Designer: Alsecco UK

Contractor: British Gas

This EWI project is the largest ECO1 scheme in the UK and has transformed almost 4,000 properties in less than two years, significantly reducing the number of tenants living in fuel poverty. The scale of the regeneration has not only enhanced appearance of the area, but provided hundreds of employment opportunities, increased the value of the housing stock and has prompted further investment in the area.

U-values improved significantly from 2.47 W/m²K to 0.30 W/m²K for all property types, resulting in more comfortable living environments, while lowering fuel bills and fuel poverty across Plymouth.



"The range and volume of this project, and its contribution to the local economy, is extremely impressive."

Before

Highly Commended

PINE STREET DURHAM

System Designer:

Alumasc Facades

Contractor: Westdale Services

As these properties were constructed in 1900 it was important the Victorian heritage was maintained whilst transforming the energy performance of the houses. Alumasc's Rendabrick did just that and the 100 per cent take up by homeowners has resulted in a very impressive finish.

Before





Short-Listed

Before

Before

After

After

DINNINGTON

ROTHERHAM System Designer:

Saint-Gobain Weber

BALGAY STREET DUNDEE

System Designer: Alsecco UK

THE LONG GROUND STROUD Contractor:

Rateavon

KINGSWAY

GOOLE System Designer: Alumasc Facades Contractor: Westdale Services



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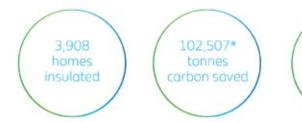
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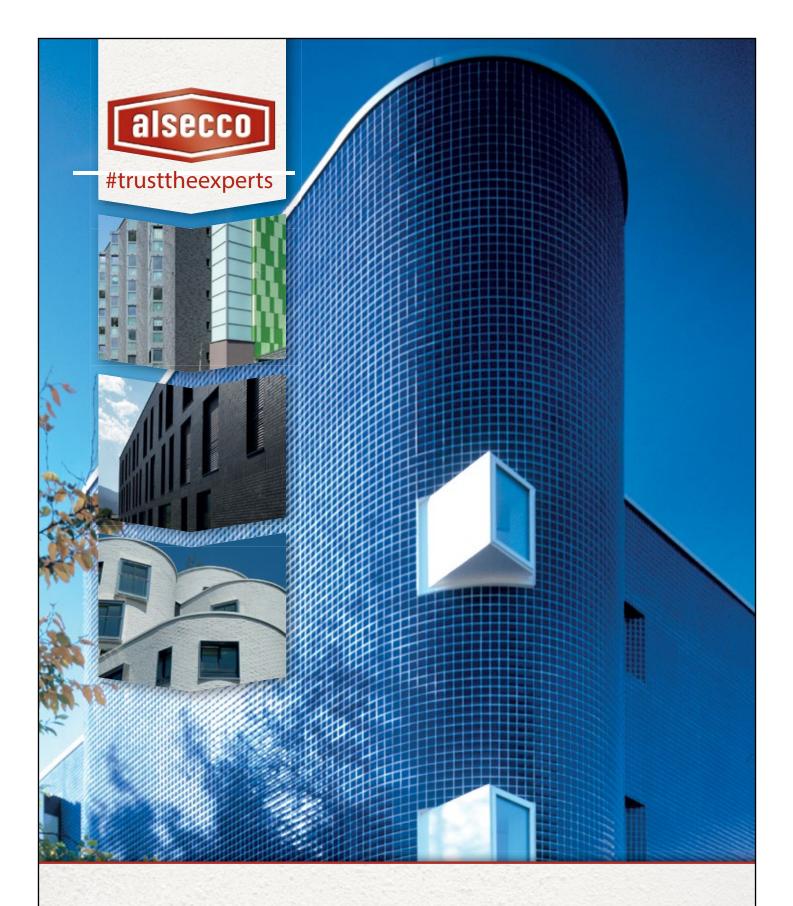
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Winner | Domestic Refurbishment Low Rise - Individual Properties

STONELEIGH TELFORD





Contractor: SERS Energy Solutions

The rounded front of this house in Telford presented a challenge straight away and SERS and SPSenvirowall had to ensure that when adapting the EWI boards for the building, the thermal performance was not affected and the required 0.3 W/m²K U-value was achieved.

The owner of the building was working on a tight budget, however SERS ensured highquality workmanship at every stage of the installation by developing an eight stage quality assurance process, so that any difficulties could be overcome, ensuring the building was finished to a high standard.



"This unusually designed building has been transformed into a striking modern building, with a fantastic finish."

Before

Highly Commended

ALMA HILL DERBYSHIRE

System Designer: SPSenvirowall

Contractor:

Westville Group

This uninviting solid brick house was transformed into an attractive and warm home. Westville overcame the difficulty of working with previously poor render and window bays to successfully achieve a 0.3 W/m²K U-value.

Short-Listed

CRABGATE LANE DONCASTER

System Designer:

Alumasc Facades **Contractor:** Westdale Services





HUNTS LANE WILLENHALL





System Designer: SPSenvirowall **Contractor:** SERS Energy Solutions







Project of the Year

ISLANDS, CHESTER ZOO CHESTER

System Designer: Sto

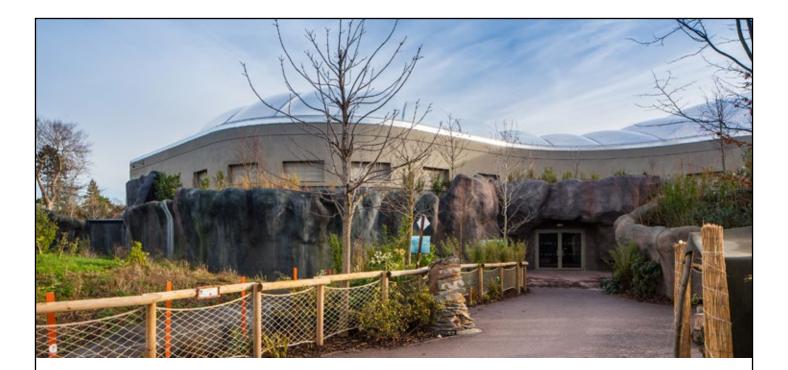
Contractor: Astley Facades

The 'Islands' project at Chester Zoo has been awarded Project of the Year for 2016 for its interesting and different use of EWI, providing warmth and safety for the unusual inhabitants.

The judges were impressed by its complexity and interesting structure, and both Astley Facades and Sto's ability to develop bespoke solutions to the challenges that they faced working at a live zoo.



"As a tourist attraction, this project was finished to the highest of standards, proving just what this industry can do, making it a worthy winner for 2016."



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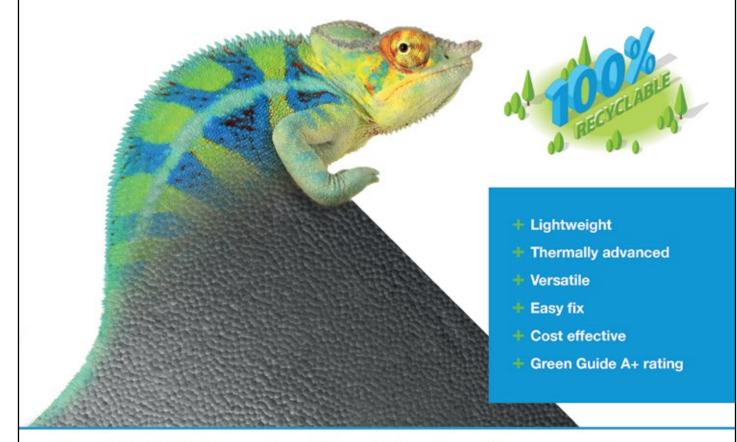
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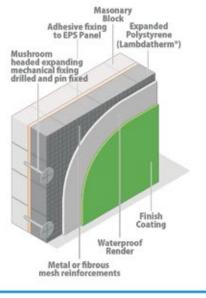


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Highly Commended

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With over 25 years of industry experience, Greg always strives for the best possible EWI installation when coaching and training approved and new installers. Greg commands the respect of his peers, resulting in well trained and conscientious operatives. The judges agreed that Greg Curtis is a credit to his organisation.

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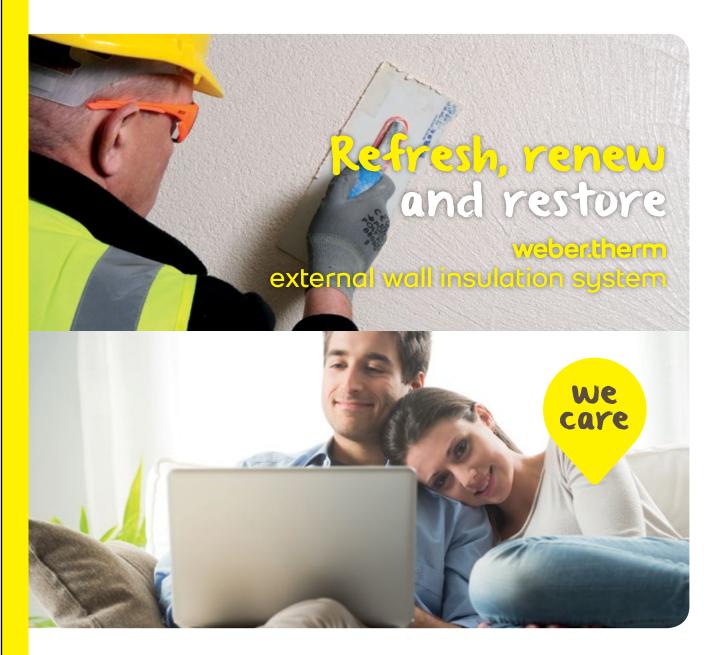
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