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## CURRICULUM VITAE

**VANESSA ROSS** – BA(Hons), PG-BLA, MA, MLI

### TECHNICAL DIRECTOR

Design, management, supervision of projects and design group leader.

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### EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS:

- Chartered Landscape Architect  
Member of the Landscape Institute 1998
  - MA Landscape Archaeology 2003
  - PG Bachelor of Landscape Architecture 1996
  - BA (Hons) Landscape Design 1994
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### EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:

<b>Allen Pyke Associates</b>	<b>Randle Siddeley Associates</b>	<b>Liz Lake Associates</b>
<b>Technical Director</b> - 2006	<b>Landscape Architect/</b>	<b>Landscape Assistant</b>
<b>Associate</b> - 2004 - 2006	<b>Senior Landscape Architect</b>	1992-1995
<b>Principal</b> - 2001 - 2004	1996 - 2001	(full and p/time)

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### FIELDS OF SPECIAL COMPETENCE:

- Educational campus design
  - Historic Landscapes
  - Hotel, recreation and leisure facilities
  - Business parks
  - Retail parks
  - Landscape Assessment
  - Historic buildings / vernacular architecture
  - Residential landscape design
  - Brownfield development
  - Detailed design and specification
  - Public Art Strategies
  - Management plans
  - Roof gardens
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### PROFILE:

Within the practice Vanessa is a Technical Director, a member of the company's management group and leads a team of Landscape Architects. She is currently project landscape architect for a wide variety of large-scale projects for both public and private sectors clients. Having over ten years in private practice Vanessa has led projects from their inception, through to detail design and completion on site. She has worked across a wide range of development sectors including residential, retail, leisure facilities and business parks throughout the UK.

Currently she is overseeing detail design for private and public realm for a brownfield site in west London within a large predominantly residential mixed-use urban village. She is also developing the designs for all public open spaces for a riverside development in Colchester and detailed landscape proposals for an English Partnerships regeneration scheme on a large housing estate in Basildon, Essex. She has also undertaken hard and soft detail design for the University of East London, Docklands Campus and at for the refurbishment of a number of courtyards at Essex University. Vanessa regularly works on projects at a strategic level, undertaking landscape and visual impact assessment, masterplanning and community consultation.

Vanessa also specialises in work within the historic environment and holds an MA in Landscape Archaeology. She has particular experience in historic designed landscapes, historic landscape characterisation, GIS and the history of designed and vernacular architecture.

Outside the office Vanessa acts as an examiner for the Landscape Institute Professional Practice Exams, sits on the Landscape Institute Course Accreditation Panel for undergraduate and postgraduate courses at Kingston University and is Chair of her local Conservation Area Advisory Committee.