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UKCS The UK Concrete Show 2026

The UK's only dedicated concrete event | 25 & 26 March 2026 | NEC | Birmingham | UK



Featuring:

- 200+ industry leading brands and the latest launches
- Invaluable insight across two days of specialist seminars
- Cutting-edge innovation in the New Product Hub
- The Emerging Talent Awards
- New for 2026: Live Demo Zone
- Find Your Community area and much more...



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Open from 9am - 5pm



Meet the speakers

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Seminar Theatre

See the full programme overleaf...



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Discover what's shaping the future of UK concrete

Join us at the NEC Birmingham from 25 - 26 March for the UK's only exhibition dedicated to the UK concrete industry

Serving the concrete industry for 16 years, **The UK Concrete Show** is *the* annual meeting place for the trade to see new products in person, network, and keep up-to-date with all the latest developments in the sector.

From volumetric trucks, batching plant, and pumps to formwork, admixtures and low-carbon concrete, the exhibition is guaranteed to provide something new that your business will profit from for years to come.

Source from over 200 of the industry's leading product & equipment manufacturers, suppliers and service providers.

Network with professionals and key decision-makers from the concrete industry.

Discover the latest technology to improve your business's productivity, and keep ahead of the competition, at the New Products Hub. Vote for your favourite at the show!

Join the debate on the future of the sector with seminar sessions covering the drive towards Net Zero, new technical guidance, and how the industry is looking to attract and retain new talent.

Experience equipment and processes in action in the Live Demo Zone, with live demonstrations showcasing practical techniques, new machinery, and real-world applications.

Register now!

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Concrete Connect Seminar Theatre



Join the debate!

The UK Concrete Show is committed to providing a seminar experience to enrich and engage the visitor.

The Concrete Connect Seminar Theatre, situated on the exhibition floor and expanded for 2026, will feature industry leading experts presenting free-to-attend morning, lunchtime and afternoon sessions across both days.

Hosted by Susannah Streeter, a professional broadcaster and conference moderator, each session will conclude with a panel and live Q&A with the audience.

Find out more



Visit concreteshow.co.uk/seminars for the full seminar programme

Wednesday 25th March

Morning Session
10:00 - 11:30

From specification to site: sustainable concrete in practice

Our opening session brings together policy, specification, digital innovation and real-world project delivery to explore how the concrete sector is translating net-zero ambition into measurable outcomes on site.

10:00 - 10:05

Introduction

Susannah Streeter, Host

10:05 - 10:20

Sustainable and lower carbon concrete – an update on progress

Dr. Noushin Khosravi, Head of Sustainability, MPA UK Concrete

10:20 - 10:35

From waste to worksite: delivering rapid-hardening low-carbon cement made in the UK

Dr. Vaishnav Kumar Shenbagam, Research Fellow, School of Civil Engineering, University of Leeds

10:35 - 11:00

New advances in CEVO Digital: data-led decisions and carbon visibility

Joe Kirwin, Commercial Manager, RMX London Southeast, Tarmac

Lisa von Graevenitz, EMEA Account Director, Converge

Christopher Wellgreen, Sustainability, Carbon and Systems Manager, J Coffey Group

11:00 - 11:15

Sustainable 3D concrete printing using recycled aggregate mixes: a novel system for low-carbon construction

Dr. Ali Riza Erson, Senior Principal and Associate Professor, University of Exeter

Prof. Akbar Javadi, Professor of Geotechnical Engineering, University of Exeter

11:15 - 11:30

Panel discussion

Lunchtime Session
12:30 - 13:25

Shaping a more sustainable concrete infrastructure with advanced carbon materials

Discover how innovative carbons, including cost-effective graphene solutions, can enhance concrete performance and sustainability. Drawing on case studies, The Graphene Engineering Innovation Centre (GEIC), Concretene, and Advanced Carbons Council research, the session covers measurable benefits, testing approaches, scale-up challenges, and realistic adoption timelines for the construction industry.

12:30 - 12:35

Introduction

Susannah Streeter, Broadcaster & Conference

12:35 - 12:45

The emerging role of advanced carbons in concrete and what it means for industry

Dr Chirag Ratwani, Technical Lead Materials - Advanced Carbons Council

12:45 - 13:00

Advanced carbons for construction

Mike Harrison, Chief Executive Officer - Concretene

13:00 - 13:15

Advancements in graphene modified concrete: from lab to site

Dr Lisa Scullion, Application Manager - Graphene Engineering Innovation Centre (GEIC) - The University of Manchester

13:15 - 13:25

Panel discussion



Afternoon Session

14:30 - 15:30

Properties of ternary and calcined clay concretes

This seminar will feature members of the Concrete Society task group updating TR74: Cementitious Materials. The seminar will provide information on the effect of ternary cements and calcined clay cements on the properties of concrete.

14:30 - 14:35

Introduction

Claire Ackerman, Chief Executive Officer, The Concrete Society

14:35 - 14:55

Understanding ternary combinations

Gareth Wake, Director, British Ready-Mixed Concrete Association, MPA

14:55 - 15:15

Understanding calcined clay concrete

Apostolos Tsoumelekas, Materials Engineering Manager, Skanska UK

15:15 - 15:30

Panel discussion

The speakers are joined by panellist **Simon Chudley**, Technical and R&D Director, LKAB and **Leon Black**, Professor of Infrastructure Materials at University of Leeds to take questions on concrete and cementitious materials.

Thursday 26th March

Morning Session

10:25 - 11:30

Precast & concrete repair spotlights

10:25 - 10:30

Introduction

Susannah Streefer, Host

10:30 - 10:50

Sustainable precast by design: practical pathways to lower-carbon concrete

This session explores how modern methods of construction, coupled with sustainable design, can transform the environmental performance of precast concrete. Andrea will introduce key themes from the new industry design guide, highlight innovative case studies, and discuss what the future holds for a sector striving to reduce carbon without compromising performance.



Andrea Charlson, Senior Built Environment Sustainability Specialist and Circular Economy Lead, The Concrete Centre

10:50 - 11:00

Q&A with Andrea Charlson

11:00 - 11:20

Patch repair: why common repair strategies can cause further problems

This session explains the incipient anode or halo effect in patch repairs in a clear, accessible way. It outlines the basics of steel corrosion in concrete, then shows how patch repairs can unintentionally accelerate corrosion around the repair, leading to cracking and spalling within 3-5 years. The session concludes by reviewing treatment options and comparing two common solutions, highlighting key performance limitations.

Christian Stone, Lead Materials Scientist and Technical Expert, Concrete Preservation Technologies

11:20 - 11:30

Q&A with Christian Stone

Lunchtime Session

12:30 - 13:30

Using maturity monitoring to establish element strength for identity testing

This session will look at data from Balfour Beatty Vinci on how digital maturity monitoring can establish element strength for identity testing in lieu of compressive strength testing.

12:30 - 12:40

Introduction

Steve Thorpe, Technical Director, The Concrete Society

12:40 - 13:00

Concrete digitisation: use of concrete maturity and match curing to assess in-situ strength of concrete structures

William Brentnall, Graduate Materials Engineer, Balfour Beatty Vinci

13:00 - 13:15

Digital monitoring of hardened concrete - maturity and strength development

Marcus Hine, Associate Director, OTB Concrete

13:15 - 13:30

Panel discussion

The speakers are joined by **George McArthur**, Senior Materials Engineer, BBV to take questions on maturity monitoring and digitisation.

Afternoon Session

14:30 - 15:15

Attracting, developing and retaining new talent in the concrete industry | Emerging Talent Awards

Leading industry figures **Claire Ackerman** (Chief Executive Officer, The Concrete Society), **John Reddy** (President, Institute of Concrete Technology), and **Lauren Fairley** (Executive Officer, Concrete Repair Association) discuss how the concrete sector can attract, develop, and retain new talent. They will explore how the sector is tackling the skills gap to meet the challenges of sustainability and digitalisation, and will review the training pathways and professional platforms that facilitate career progression. The session concludes with the presentation of The 2026 Emerging Talent Awards.

14:30 - 14:35

Introduction

Susannah Streefer, Host

14:35 - 15:00

Panel discussion with Claire Ackerman, John Reddy and Lauren Fairley

15:00 - 15:15

Presentation of Emerging Talent Awards for Design excellence; Materials specialist; Sustainability; and Precast & offsite

Recognising the industry's Emerging Talent

Join us at The UK Concrete Show 2026 for the return of the Emerging Talent Awards, expanded with The Concrete Society to celebrate the next generation shaping the concrete sector.

The Awards recognise professionals aged 30 and under making a real impact, while highlighting the organisations supporting their development. The 2026 programme delivers greater visibility and technical recognition across four categories: **Design Excellence, Materials Specialist, Sustainability, and Precast & Offsite.**

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Emerging Talent Award

2026



Concrete Society

Meet the shortlist

DESIGN EXCELLENCE



Steve Brown
Principal Engineer
Ramboll UK

MATERIALS SPECIALIST



Sakshi Singh
Concrete Specialist
ABT bv

DESIGN EXCELLENCE



Natalia Dziadosz
Structural Design Engineer
Ramboll UK

PRECAST & OFFSITE



Drew Wilkes
Precast Production Supervisor
Wolmix Ltd

MATERIALS SPECIALIST



Harshita Garg
Technical Manager
Brett Concrete

DESIGN EXCELLENCE



Callum White
Senior Advisor
National Highways

PRECAST & OFFSITE



Tom Weston
Batching & Quality Control
Essex Precast Ltd

MATERIALS SPECIALIST



William Brentnall
Graduate Materials Engineer
Balfour Beatty

SUSTAINABILITY



Ansu Mary Alex
Research & Development Associate
Leiths (Scotland) Ltd

MATERIALS SPECIALIST



Hannah Roberts
Area Technical Manager
Heidelberg Materials UK

SUSTAINABILITY



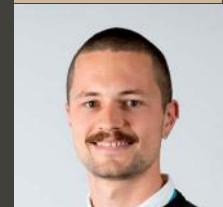
Evdokia Angeli
Senior Project Engineer & LCA Assessor
Thornton Tomasetti

MATERIALS SPECIALIST



Harry Fidgeon
Graduate Materials Engineer
Balfour Beatty

SUSTAINABILITY



Tom Dillon
Senior Engineer
Ramboll UK

UKCS **live** **demo** zone

New for 2026: **The Live Demo Zone**

See innovation in action.
Be part of the performance.

A major new feature at The UK Concrete Show 2026, the Live Demo Zone spans the back right hand corner of the show floor. Combining physical demos with 10-minute tech talks this curated programme is scheduled to take place between sessions in the **Concrete Connect Seminar Theatre**.

This brand-new area will host **two live demonstrations sessions each day from 11:45 and 13:35**, giving visitors the chance to see leading products, technologies and techniques in action – up close and in context.

It's about more than just watching – it's about understanding how the products work, what makes them different, and whether they're the right fit – all in real time.

How does it perform under pressure? What does it take to use on-site? Will it be more productive, sustainable and cost-effective?

And you'll be able to try them out for yourself!

View the full demo schedule at concreteshow.co.uk/live-demo-zone



DeWalt will showcase its POWERSHIFT™ cordless range, engineered for heavy-duty, high-demand applications where power, runtime, and mobility need to align. Demos will highlight productivity, durability, and real-world performance gains in delivering a smooth and level concrete finish. Discover the difference yourself by giving it a go.



Best-Chem

Best-Chem will demonstrate CreteAway+, its specialist concrete remover designed to break down hardened residues quickly and safely. Visitors will see how the product lifts build-up without aggressive scraping or harsh acids, helping extend equipment life and reduce cleaning downtime.



YB Fixings will be demonstrating the MAX Rebar Tying Tools range, including the RB443T, RB611T, RB823T and RB401TE, alongside their battery-powered and pneumatic rebar cutters. Discover how MAX's fast, consistent tying and cutting solutions support safer, more efficient reinforced concrete work. You'll also be able to get hands-on with the latest models.



What if your batching process could continuously improve itself? This 10-minute Tech Talk, explores how Command Alkon's Batch AI is helping producers fine-tune weigh-up control, reduce variability, and minimize unnecessary material use. See what intelligent concrete production looks like in practice.



Concrete Wetcast Machinery will present the Mantis Bema 1000, a precision handheld ULV spraying system designed for controlled, uniform application of release agents and surface treatments. The demo will highlight its fine-mist atomisation, reduced overspray, and suitability for wetcast mould preparation. You'll be able to try it out for yourself.



CLOUDCYCLE

Find out more about Cloud Cycle's real-time in-transit monitoring for ready-mix concrete producers. The system transforms every truck into a mobile quality control lab—tracking slump, temperature, and water addition for every load. With automated status tracking, cycle time analysis, and digital pour records, producers get total visibility from batch to pour.



See the TJEP Compact Tier 40 in action. This compact rebar tying tool delivers fast, consistent reinforcement fixing using a single 1.3 mm wire to create low-profile, tail-free knots, helping to keep the wire fully embedded within the concrete and reduce the risk of corrosion. Its pull-back tying technique ensures secure ties with precise wire usage, maximizing efficiency and increasing ties per coil.



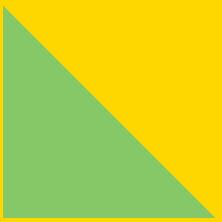
This demo will prove how easy it is to use the Moxie Shield concrete-enhancing products for waterproofing and vapour-proofing concrete and masonry structures, offering practical guidance including finish and setting times. Designed to limit moisture ingress and vapour transmission, Moxie Shield reduce issues such as efflorescence and long-term material deterioration.



Techquip will demonstrate a fully battery-powered walk behind power trowel, including live start-up and operation on a demonstration board. The session will showcase its smooth control, quick-change 11 kg battery system, rapid charging, app-based battery monitoring, and zero-emission performance, along with its benefits for UK construction sites.

Celebrating excellence...

Be inspired by award-winning projects enhancing our built environment.



Concrete Society
Awards 2025

Admire the award-winning projects at the **Concrete Society Awards Gallery**, submit your own entry for 2026 at www.concrete-awards.org.uk





The **New Product Hub** returns for 2026, once again highlighting all the latest advancements in concrete technology and celebrating the ingenuity of companies pushing the boundaries of innovation, digitalisation, sustainability, and productivity.

A small selection of exhibitor submissions are shown here...

See the final shortlist at the show!



The UK Concrete Show New Product Award

Collect a token as you enter the show and **cast your vote** for your favourite product included in the Hub Gallery.

The winner will receive the New Product Award and be featured on **ConcreteConnect.co.uk**



Find Your Community

Visit the **Find Your Community** area – the go-to hub for industry connections and support.

This dedicated space showcases our partner organisations, each offering valuable insights, expert advice, and tailored guidance to attendees.

It's an excellent opportunity to explore the advantages of joining these organisations, from professional development and networking, to exclusive resources and industry updates.

Whether you're seeking collaboration, career growth, or simply want to stay informed about the latest in concrete innovation, the Find Your Community area is the perfect place to connect, explore professional opportunities, and strengthen your ties within the concrete industry.



The Concrete Society | Stand E24

An independent membership organisation dedicated to supporting the use of concrete: Encouraging the exchange of knowledge and experience across all disciplines; promoting excellence in design, construction, appearance and performance; and driving innovation.



The Institute of Concrete Technology | Stand E23

Promoting concrete technology as a recognised engineering discipline and advancing the professional status of practicing concrete technologists worldwide.



Association Of Concrete Industrial Flooring Contractors | Stand E21

Representing specialist contractors and their associates in the construction of concrete industrial floors.



Structural Concrete Alliance | Stand E22

Bringing together the Concrete Repair Association, Corrosion Prevention Association and Sprayed Concrete Association to provide a single co-ordinated voice, and source of reference for the structural concrete refurbishment and repair industry.



Advanced Carbons Council | Stand E20

Serving the global community of engineers, scientist and R&D professionals with an interest in graphene and related 2D advanced materials.



MPA - The Concrete Centre | Stand E26

The Concrete Centre provides material, design and construction guidance to help professionals maximise concrete's structural, aesthetic and sustainability potential through effective design and specification. This includes published guidance, design tools, CPD seminars and training, in-person and online events and Concrete Quarterly magazine.



Flowing Screeds Association | Stand E28

The Flowing Screeds Association represents best practice, quality and technical excellence across the flowing screed and flooring sector. The association supports its members through training, guidance and industry collaboration, helping to raise standards and promote professional competence within the UK concrete and construction industries.



The Institute of Quarrying | Stand E25

Promoting the positive impact of the quarrying industry, the career opportunities available and supporting professionals working within it.



British Aggregates Association | Stand E27

Providing essential support and advice in all health and safety, planning, transport, environmental, technical and regulatory issues; whilst ensuring that the voice of the independent sector is heard at all levels of the UK administrations.



The Venue NEC Birmingham

The NEC, Birmingham is the UK's leading event space with over 40 years' experience hosting the UK's best shows.

Centrally located at the heart of the country, it's within 3 hours drive from 75% of the UK and offers accommodation, restaurants and much more.

P Car parking for 2026 provided courtesy of the Organisers.

All visitors wishing to utilise the free parking must register their vehicle on the NEC website using the promo code **VUKCONCRE** or validate their ticket on site to reduce the fees to zero.

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Located in close proximity to Birmingham Airport, simply take the free and fast air-rail link to Birmingham International Railway Station located at the upper level of Terminal 1. The train runs every two minutes and only takes 90 seconds. When you arrive just head straight through to the NEC.



The NEC is located just a 5 minute walk away from Birmingham International Railway Station.



Located in the centre of the UK's motorway network. Near junction 6 of the M42. The exhibition centre boasts over 16,500 parking spaces, which means less time searching for a spot, and more time enjoying our show.



There are over 8 nearby hotels to choose from, offering a variety of options and prices. From Moxey, The Genting, Novotel, Hilton Birmingham Metropole, Ibis, Premier Inn, Holiday Inn Express, Arden Hotel & Leisure Club to name but a few.



The best and safest way to get to us by your own steam is to use the shared cycle footpath route to Birmingham International Railway Station and then the NEC is a short walk from there, it should take you about 10 minutes.



Show hours are
Wednesday 25th March 2026 – 09:00 to 17:00
Thursday 26th March 2026 – 09:00 to 16:00



Information on all aspects of the show is available from www.concreteshow.co.uk and the Organisers can be contacted at:

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Exhibitor list 2026

2D Nano	Co-Nele UK	Kimera UK	Practicon
A2 Engineering	Conquip Engineering Group	Kimido	Prensoland
AC Cable Solutions	ConSpare	Kraft Curing Systems	Preptec Equipment Services
ACIFC	Construx-Weckenmann	KVM UK	Probst Handling Equipment
Active Minerals International	Contec Fiber AG Solutions for Concrete	Kyocera Fastening Solutions UK	Procter Johnson
Adomast Manufacturing	Controls Testing Equipment	Lanxess Inorganic Pigments	Progress Group
Adtrak - Digital Marketing Agency	Converge	Liebherr	PUK Services
Advanced Carbons Council	Coote Engineering	Lighthouse (UK)	Quadra
AES Fleet / Bridgestone Webfleet	Cormac Engineering	LKAB Minerals	Quality Freight Services
Afinitas	CP Technology	Lord & James Surface Preparation	R&W
Allied Associates Geophysical	Curetec	Lubas	Rampf Formen
Apilion	Danfords (Construction Equipment)	Lucideon	Rapid International
ARC Construction Solutions Ireland	Delta Concrete Products	Ludwig	Ratec
Armcon	DeWalt	MagnaDense	RBH Group
Arrow Machinery - Australia	Doka	Mantis-ulv	Re-flow Field Management
Automacad	ELE International	Marferrox	Rekers
AvantiGas	Enviro Volumetric Mixers	Masa	Rhinobuild
B&B Attachments	Ermak Beton ve Insaat Makineleri	Masterscreed	Rosetta
Bayferrox	Euro Accessories	Material Evolution	Schnell
Bay-Lynx Manufacturing UK	Eurobend	Matrice Art	Sicoma - OMG Group
BDS Market Intelligence	fibro Collect / fibro Intercon	MBK Kisslegg	Skako Concrete
Besser Company	Flowing Screeds Association	mbk Maschinenbau	Somero Enterprises
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Betonblock	GECCO Recycling	Mesto Sprayers	SRS Machinery Services
Bianchi Casseforme	GGBS	Minder Software	Staffs Powder Processing
Bon Tool	Giatec	Misr Beni Suef Cement Co	Structural Concrete Alliance
British Aggregates Association	GPS Sprayers - Gloria Spraying Equipment	Moxie Shield	Structural Repairs
Cabragh Engineering	Graphene@Manchester	MudMixer	Superior Forming Solutions
Calclined Clay	Guard Industry (UK)	myWood Polmka Timber	Tarmac
CDS Curing	Gypsol	NCS Plants	Tebumo
Cemfloor by McGraths	Haarup	Nebaco - Aluminum FormWork Systems	Techmatik
CGI Creative Graphics International	Hendriks Formwork Solutions	NOE Betongestaltung	Techquip
CGM	Herbst Software	Nordimpianti	Testing
Close Brothers Asset Finance	Hess	Normet	The Concrete Centre
Cloud Cycle	Hillhead 2026	Novum	The UK Concrete Show 2027
Columbia Machine	Howden Insurance	Nugent Coachworks	Thor Atkinson Steel Fabrications
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Concrete Batching Systems	Institute of Concrete Technology	Olmet Italy Srl	Utranazz
Concrete Connect	Institute of Quarrying	OMAG GmbH	Volumech
Concrete Services & Supplies	Inter-Minerals	Oscrite	WASA Pallets
Concrete Society	JCB	PCT Performance Chemicals	WASA Wetcast
Concrete Technology	KBH	Philipp Group	Wotblock
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