



ESCL Conference 2024

DESIGN

Vocabulary, Responsibilities &
Liabilities across Europe

Friday 18 October 2024
Antwerp, Belgium



Programme
Thursday 17 October 2024

- General Assembly
- Guided Walk
- Dinner

Conference Programme – Friday 18 October 2024

- The drawings' monopoly of the Belgian Architect
- The design liability of the Maître d'Ouvrage Délégué
- Early Contractor Involvement & design responsibility
- Design implications of technical studies
- Construction standards define good engineering practice

Conference Programme – Friday 18 October 2024

- The position of the design certifier & (non-)sense of QA/QC
- Distribution of design responsibility in the frame of a Bouwteam/an Alliance/a Partnership arrangement
- Working method choices are not innocent
- Material's choices mean design responsibility
- Prototype & innovative design dangers
- Fitness for purpose & insurance



Complementary Programme Friday 18 October 2024

- Classic City Tour
- Fashion Museum & Nationale straat
- Dinner, Sir Anthony Van Dijck



Programme Saturday 19 October 2024

- Walk along the new mobile flood defence works
- Boat tour Antwerp Harbour
- Light lunch Royal Yacht Club Belgium