

## MARTIN DOUGLAS

*Associate Director*

### PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

BA (Hons) Landscape Architecture

MA Urban Design

Recognised Practitioner in Urban Design

### EXPERIENCE

2012 – Present ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR URBAN DESIGNER/MASTERPLANNER, PAD DESIGN

Martin is involved in a wide range of development projects at **pad Design**. Primarily leading many of the practice's masterplanning projects; Martin has overseen the promotion of a number of strategic sites, as well as many applications of outline planning permission, and compilation of documents including Vision Statements, Design and Access Statements, and Development Briefs. Often residential-led, many of these projects have a significant mixed-use element.

Martin also enjoys inputting into the detailed design work to ensure that concepts established at the early stages are followed through in the delivery. This ability to understand and influence development proposals throughout the process is fundamental to the practice's collaborative approach to design.

Significant projects include:

- East of Harry Stoke, Bristol (c.2000 dwellings, primary school, local centre, sports pitches)
- Hunts Grove, Gloucester (c.1750 dwellings, primary school, employment, local centre)
- St Edeyrn's Village, Cardiff (c.1200 dwellings, primary school, local centre, riverside park)
- South Sebastopol/Edlogan Wharf, Cwmbran (c.1200 dwellings, local centre, parkland)
- Penllergaer, Swnasea (c. 1000 dwellings, primary school, local centre, open space)
- Trane Farm, Tonyrefail (c.700 dwellings)
- Knowle Lane, Cullompton (c.285 dwellings)
- Arborfield Garrison, Wokingham (223 dwellings, first phase of linear park)
- Sully Sports and Leisure Club (c.200 dwellings, improved sports provision)
- Penns Mount, Kingsteignton (c.90 dwellings, hilltop park)

2005 – 2012 ASSOCIATE URBAN DESIGNER, BARTON WILLMORE

2002 – 2005 SENIOR URBAN DESIGNER, RPS (formerly Mason Richards Partnership)

2001 – 2002 GRAPHIC/URBAN DESIGNER, COLIN BUCHANAN AND PARTNERS

### PROFILE

Martin has a wide range of development experience: from concept design and promotion; through illustrative masterplans and outline applications; to detailed proposals, tenders and town centre regeneration projects. Martin has strong graphic ability, including hand-drawing, and is skilled in putting together a variety of design documents. He has also helped to run training courses on Design and Access Statements and Manual for Streets to Welsh local authorities in collaboration with the Design Commission for Wales.

Prior to working as an Urban Designer, Martin undertook a wide variety of roles, including being employed as a marketing designer and community artist. He also spent six months cycling across North America and wrote his masters dissertation on the public perception of public art.