

Newsletter

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Welcome to our May update

Site Progress

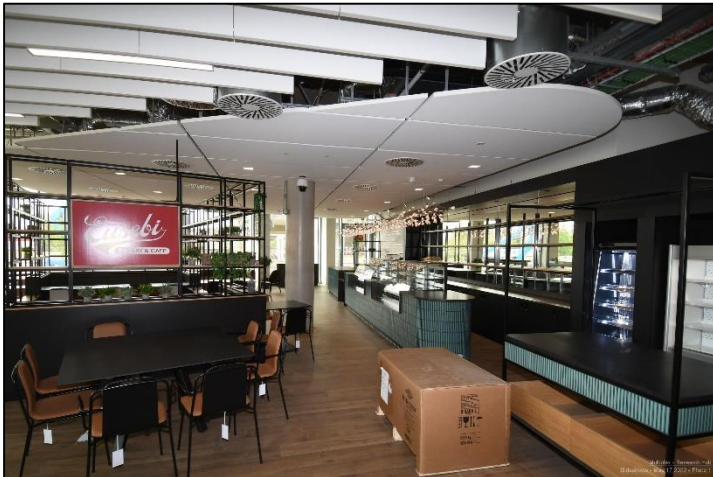
- The Mazumdar-Shaw Advanced Research Centre (ARC) building was completed earlier this year, with some final works for the café fit-out ongoing, and is now occupied by teams of researchers who are busy solving the challenges of tomorrow.
- The building was named after University alumni John Shaw and Kiran Mazumdar-Shaw who turned Biocon into one of India's largest and most successful biopharmaceutical firms with a mission to bring affordable access to speciality medicines.

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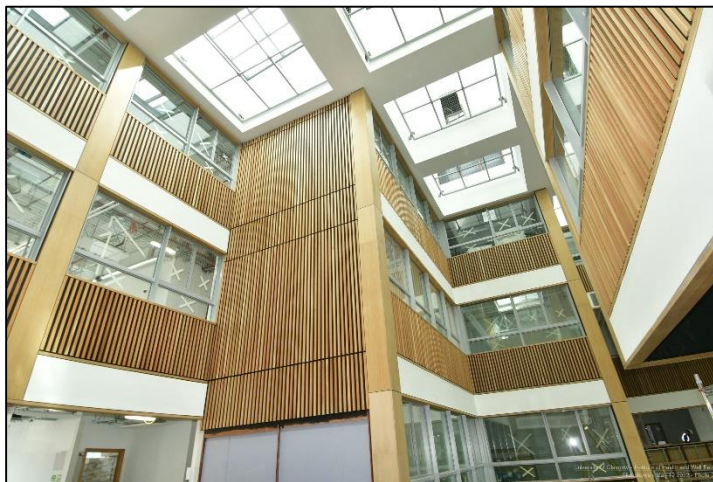
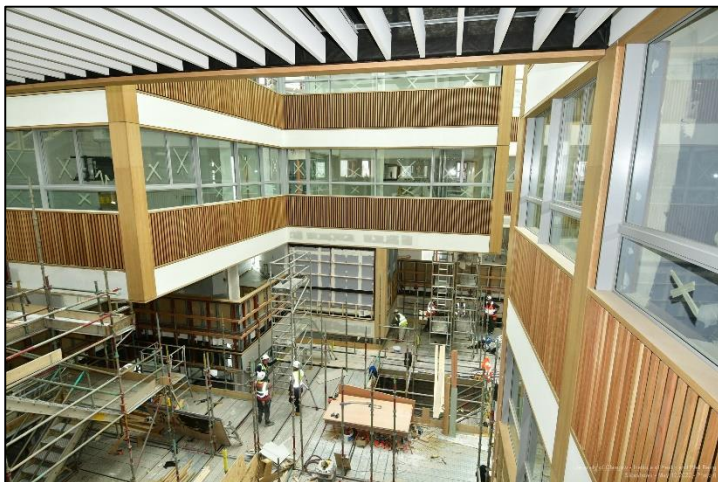
See page 3 for details of our upcoming community event

- The central atrium of the Clarice Pears Institute of Health and Wellbeing building is taking shape with scaffolding being removed, flooding the building with natural light which will be a key theme of the building to promote occupant wellbeing.
- The Adam Smith Business School is closing in on completion of the superstructure with work on the envelope now well underway, including pre-cast concrete, structural framing systems and glazing.
- All hard landscaping works have been completed as part of the Infrastructure & Landscaping project.

Project Images



Interior progression – Advanced Research Centre – Café (Eusebi Deli)



Interior progression – Clarice Pears Institute of Health and Wellbeing – Atrium

Project Look Ahead

- The Infrastructure & Landscaping project will continue with the soft landscaping which will see the introduction of over 100 mature trees to the Campus Development site.
- The concrete frame of the Adam Smith Business School will be completed, with a topping out ceremony planned to mark the occasion. Internally, MEP installation will ramp up with blockwork progressing onto level 2 and internal partitions commencing.
- With the demolition of the Pontecorvo building now complete, progress will continue to be made with the demolition on level 5 of the adjacent Robertson building.
- The Clarice Pears Institute of Health and Wellbeing will continue fit-out works and commissioning of the building's solar panels.

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Community Update

- Students from the University's Civil Engineering programme participated in a week long construction project hosted by ConstructEd. The students got to tackle real-life challenges as they built a tunnel structure, viewing platform, bridge and 4 wind turbines. Multiplex were pleased to be able to support by providing PPE, construction advice and labourers from supply chain partner, Careys.
- Multiplex staff from the Campus Development donned their PPE as they ventured up Ben Lomond in aid of raising funds for The Lighthouse Club. The Charity is the only of its kind to provide emotional, physical and financial wellbeing support to construction workers and their families since 1956.

University of Glasgow Campus Development Programme public meeting

- The University of Glasgow is holding a public meeting on Monday 13 June 2022 to update on the progress on the Campus Development Programme. **For full details of the event and to register use the link below or scan the QR code.**
- Presentations and a Q&A will be held at 18:00 on the University's Gilmorehill campus in the newly opened ARC (Advanced Research Hub) – the first new building to be delivered on the Western site.

[Register via Eventbrite](#)



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Site Working Hours

Monday to Friday: 7:30am – 9pm

Saturday: 7:30am – 5pm



Environmental Update

To celebrate the completion of the ARC project, here are some of the industry leading environmental statistics achieved by the team:

- 100% of the site's electricity that was procured by Multiplex was from renewable sources, saving 290 tonnes of CO₂.
- 14 tonnes of CO₂ was avoided by recycling pallets that were used to deliver materials to the project via a partnership with local social enterprise, Glasgow Wood Recycling.
- 4m³ of temporary protection sheets were returned to the manufacturer, Protec, to be reprocessed into new materials, with the product containing >60% recycled content.
- 100% of non-hazardous construction waste was diverted from landfill through our partnership with waste management contractor, NWH.

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