

16 Chart Street London, United Kingdom

Partner of Stora Enso



Heyne Tillett Steel's exemplary low-carbon cross-laminated timber (CLT) office building refurbishes a traditional 1930s masonry warehouse providing a modern vertical extension.

The key feature is a mass timber saw-tooth roof with ample natural lighting on the uppermost CLT vertical extension floor. The client, Tom Steel, a structural engineer and future occupant, said the design "was tailored to our specific business needs and embodied not only our culture and values but is also a good piece of architecture and an enjoyable space to be in."

Stora Enso's partner B&K Structures, completed the structural timber engineering and installation to transform the warehouse into a new office space. The building exemplifies reusing the existing structure via retrofit and extension interventions to achieve low to net zero carbon construction.



Winner of Structural Timber Awards, Commercial Project of the Year 2021



Shortlisted Wood Awards Buildings, Commercial & Leisure, 2021



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Delivery year 2019

Area (m²)

Building type Office

Storeys



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Products CLT

Product volume (m³) 14 415

Product quality

Mostly Industrial Visible Quality (IV) with some Non Visible Quality (NVI)



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Partner of Stora Enso

BK Structures

Architect

lan Chalk Architects

MEP Designer

Peter Deer & Associates

Specialist Timber Contractor

Specialist Timber Subcontractor (Build) – B&K Structures

Developer

CSI Property Investments

Structural Engineer

Heyne Tillett Steel

Main contractor

Conomar Building Services



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