



ARCHITECTURAL ARTIST STEPHEN WILTSHIRE MBE RECEIVES SAI HONOURARY LIFE FELLOWSHIP

World-renowned British urban artist Stephen Wiltshire has been awarded an Honourary Life Fellowship by the world's oldest and most prestigious architectural illustrators' organisation, the Society of Architectural Illustration (SAI). The Award was presented in London at the Society's Annual General Meeting by artist and SAI patron Ben Johnson.

Stephen Wiltshire met individual SAI members to discuss their work and working methods before Ben Johnson made a personal presentation about Stephen's work and then presented him with a certificate of an Honorary Life Fellowship of the Society.

Don Coe FSAI, chairman SAI, said: "The Society recognises Stephen's valuable and consistent contribution to the art of illustrating the world we live in and is delighted that he has accepted the highest honour that we able to bestow, that of Honorary Life Fellow."

Stephen Wiltshire said: "I am very proud of my work and I thank the Society for giving me this award and Ben for presenting it to me. It is an honour to receive it."

The society has attracted patrons including Sir John Betjeman, Sir Hugh Casson, Gordon Cullen as well as present patron Ben Johnson. Membership is recognised as a professional qualification worldwide.

For further information, or a picture of the award ceremony, please contact Tracey Jennings/Penny Clifton, Midas PR, tel: 020 7361 7860.

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