

## **Richards, Leonard Francis 1906 - 1986**

Leonard Francis Richards was born on 23 May 1906. He trained as an architect in Cardiff and registered as a student with the Royal Institute of British Architects in 1929. He was awarded a B.A.Arch, (Cardiff) and in 1933 was elected an Associate of the Royal Institute of British Architects (ARIBA)

In 1935 he collaborated with the architect [Martin Josiah Herbert Goodchild](#) (1908-1954) in a competition to design five-storey flats in reinforced concrete sponsored by the Cement Marketing Company Ltd.

His address was given as 57 Bishops Road, Whitchurch, Glamorgan, Wales in 1929 and 1930; 181 Valley Road, Streatham, Surrey [now London] in 1931 and 1935; The Liverpool School of Architecture, University of Liverpool, 26 Abercromby Square, Liverpool in 1936; 41 Hayes Way, Beckenham, Kent in 1938 and 1939; and "Tung An". Hereward Avenue, Birchington, Kent in 1950. He died on 19 April 1986. His address at the time of his death was 19 Turnagain Lane, Canterbury, Kent.

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