

Learning Objective

The term, 'modular home'. In the rapidly changing housing market and with the rise of new technologies like 3D printing, future homeowners are rethinking what defines a home, while builders are rapidly changing their approach to the ways homes are built. Another one of these technologies is the modular home.

Modular houses are units assembled off-site in a factory, using the same standards and regulations as traditional homes. They are built in “modules”, which are then assembled and installed on the final site.

The main advantage of modular housing is speed: homes can be assembled on site in as little as four hours. They come in an array of forms, from adapted pre-fab units to regular-looking bungalows. As the name suggests, they are actual houses, for all intents and purposes - meaning they provide a much greater sense of normality for families than a hotel room or hostel. Modular homes are a type of prefab. Prefab is short for “prefabrication”: a catch-all term for a unit which is built in a factory, partially or entirely, before being assembled on site.

What is the point of a modular home?

Sometimes, dream homes can become a reality much faster than you think. Modular houses allow you to construct a home on a plot of land, often faster, cheaper and of equal or better quality than traditional stick-built homes.

Conference Fee
€100



VENUE

THE FOUR SEASONS HOTEL
CARLINGFORD,
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Professional Event Organisers
Present a Conference on

Modular Housing in Ireland

3rd, 5th & 6th
February 2023

The conference organisers reserve the right to change any of the details of this programme to facilitate the safe and efficient running of this event in line with Government Covid-19 guidelines.

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CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

Friday 3rd February 2023

6pm to 7pm- Registration followed by Welcome Address and Official Opening

Saturday 4th February 2023

9am to 10am - Registration followed at 10.15am with

Modular Building

11am - Tea / Coffee followed at 11.30am with

Time & Cost Benefits of Modular Housing

Lunchbreak at 1pm followed at 2.30pm

Modular Housing in Europe

Sunday 5th February 2023

Conference overview and exploration of topics covered in conference followed by a learning experience analysis.

Facilitated by Conference enabler.

Close Conference

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SPEAKER

Fiacra McDonnell a chartered Quantity Surveyor has been a lecturer in the School of Real Estate and Construction Economics in Dublin Institute of Technology since 2008. Fiacra graduated in 1994 with a BSc in Construction Economics and has extensive experience in the Construction Industry in the United States, United Kingdom, and Ireland holding various Quantity Surveying positions. He was Commercial Director of Aidan Elliott Construction prior to commencing his lecturing career. Fiacra regularly sits on interviewing panels for SCSi with regard to APC professional interviews. Fiacra delivers modules in Quantity Surveying Studies, and Tender Documentation on undergraduate courses in DIT, and also teaches Civil Engineering Measurement and Commercial Management on post graduate courses. He currently chairs the DIT's postgraduate masters in Applied Construction Cost Management