**Housing Boot Camp 2017
3/4th May 2017
Cefn Lea Park, Dolfor, Newtown**

**Wednesday 3rd May**

9.30am Check In, Networking and Refreshments

10.30am Welcome, Conference chair

10.45am **Mark Stevenson, Futurologist**
Mark Stevenson is the author of the best-selling ‘An Optimist’s Tour of the Future’. Mark will try to answer the all-important question… “What’s next?”

11.30 **Camp Fire Discussions**

Group discussions to include:

* What will be the needs of tenants and communities?
* What changes does the housing sector need to make to succeed in the future?
* What services will tenants and communities need or expect in the future?

12.30 Feedback from sessions and future planning

**1.00 Lunch**

2.00 Choose From

* Personal Development Sessions which will be led by Academi Wales
* Building resilience
* Influencing upwards
* Proactive Vs reactive
* Mindfulness
* Exhibitor Demonstrations
* Best Practice – Learning from other organisations

3.30 **Improving performance in times of adversity – Patsy Roseblade from the Welsh Ambulance Service**

**4.15 Camp Fire Discussions**

Group discussion which will include:

* How can we future-proof the sector?
* What skills are needed to improve performance?
* How can we do more with less?

5.15 Feedback from sessions and future planning

5.45 End of Day One

**Thursday 4th May**

9.30am –Wake Up Session; A fun interactive session to make sure that campmates are bright eyed and bushy tailed for the morning ahead.

10.15am - Choose From

* Personal Development Sessions which will be led by Academi Wales
* Developing communication and persuasion skills
* Conflict resolution
* Develop a problem-solving mindset
* Make fear your friend
* Exhibitor Demonstrations
* Best Practice – Learn from other organisations

11.45am Refreshments

12.15– **Innovative Housing Designs - Bill Dunster**

1.00pm Camp Fire discussions
How can housing associations embrace innovative technology to build the homes of the Future? Group discussions will include:

* How can we build homes that meet the future needs of tenants?
* How can the sector embrace innovative technology to build the homes of the future?
* What skills do we need to build the homes of the future?

1.45pm Feedback

2.15pm Conference Close and Lunch