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**Charles  
Walker**

**Zaha Hadid  
Architects**

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Charles Walker is a chartered architect and structural engineer. He was born in Toronto, Canada and studied architecture at the University of Waterloo in Ontario. In 1988 he relocated to the UK and worked as an architect before undertaking post graduate studies in structural engineering at the Imperial College of Science Technology and Medicine in 1992. Charles has worked in design based engineering offices Atelier One Ltd. In 1998 Charles joined Ove Arup and Partners. Since 2000 Charles led the Advanced Geometry Unit which he co-founded with Arup Vice Chairman Cecil Balmond. In early 2007 Charles left Arup to found from-work projects and to join Zaha Hadid Architects where he is currently employed.

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