

As a student at Northumbria University studying a masters in architecture, I am researching industrial objects and typologies found in the North East to inform and generate concepts for my final building design. I am particularly interested in allotment sheds as I find the number of sheds with different characteristics and styles fascinating. Last week I was kindly given a tour around Moorside Allotments thanks to Peter and was excited to find many allotments each with different qualities and features. It is interesting to see how the elevations of the sheds differ, from the orientation of the timber panels, trellises details, paint work, surrounding greenery and personalised touches all which create a different atmosphere on each plot. The sheds at Moorside have definitely given me food for thought.

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