



War Memorials Trust **cannot** make any recommendations for conservation/restoration practitioners carrying out work to war memorials.

Below you will find contact details for organisations which maybe able to provide information about conservation/restoration companies. Please note that many companies work countrywide so it maybe worthwhile contacting those outside of your locality.

General organisations

- **The Conservation Register**

The Register holds detailed information on conservation/restoration businesses in the UK and Ireland. Businesses meet specified criteria which include professional accreditation and the provision of examples of previous work for satisfied clients. You can use the website or telephone enquiry service to find conservators by type of object and geographical location.

The Conservation Register, c/o Institute of Conservation, 3rd Floor Downstream Building, 1 London Bridge, London SE1 9BG, T: 020 7785 3805, E: info@conservationregister.com, W: www.conservationregister.com

- **The Building Conservation Directory**

The Directory holds details of professional companies and craftsmen that deal specifically with historic buildings and monuments. An A-Z list is available on their website with details of specialism areas. It also includes information on sources of funding for historic buildings and general advice for building custodians.

The Building Conservation Directory, c/o Cathedral Communications Ltd, High Street, Tilsbury, Wiltshire SP3 6HA, T: 01747 871717, E: info@buildingconservation.com, W: www.buildingconservation.com/directory.html

- **Historic Scotland Conservation Bureau**

The Bureau can provide details of contractors and consultants who have experience of working on Historic Scotland's own properties or on projects funded by Historic Scotland. This includes information on: historic building consultants; architects, engineers and other professionals; contractors, craftsmen and repair specialists; and suppliers of specialist materials.

Historic Scotland Conservation Bureau, Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh EH9 1SH, T: 0131 668 8668, E: hs.conservation.bureau@scotland.gsi.gov.uk, W: www.historic-scotland.gov.uk

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- **English Heritage**

As a public body, English Heritage is unable to recommend individual businesses which provide specialist skills or materials. However, the English Heritage Regional Offices are able to give advice about potential restoration and conservation work.

- North East region: Bessie Surtees House, 41-44 Sandhill, Newcastle upon Tyne, Tyne and Wear NE1 3JF, T: 0191 269 1200, E: northeast@english-heritage.org.uk

- London region: 1 Waterhouse Square, 138-142 Holborn, London EC1N 2ST, T: 020 7973 3000, E: London@english-heritage.org.uk

- North West region: 3rd Floor Canada House, 3 Chepstow Street, Manchester M1 5FW, T: 0161 424 1400, E: northwest@english-heritage.org.uk

- East of England region: Brooklands, 24 Brooklands Avenue, Cambridge, Cambridgeshire CB2 8BU, T: 01223 582700, E: eastofengland@english-heritage.org.uk

- Yorkshire region: 37 Tanner Row, York YO1 6WP, T: 01904 601901, E: yorkshire@english-heritage.org.uk

- South West region: 29 Queen Square, Bristol BS1 4ND, T: 0117 975 0700, E: southwest@english-heritage.org.uk

- East Midlands region: 44 Derngate, Northampton, Northamptonshire NN1 1UH, T: 01604 735400, E: eastmidlands@english-heritage.org.uk

- South East region: Eastgate Court, 195-205 High Street, Guildford, Surrey GU1 3EH, T: 01483 252000, E: southeast@english-heritage.org.uk

- West Midlands region: The Axis, 10 Holliday Street, Birmingham B1 1TG, T: 0121 625 6820, E: westmidlands@english-heritage.org.uk

- **Cadw**

Cadw can provide advice and guidance on conservation projects and also has a number of publications containing technical advice available.

Cadw, Welsh Assembly Government, Plas Carew, Unit 5/7 Cefn Coed, Parc, Nantgarw, Cardiff CF15 7QQ, T: 01443 336000, E: cadw@wales.gsi.gov.uk, W: www.cadw.wales.gov.uk

- **Northern Ireland Environment Agency**

The Built Environment Department of the Agency can provide both historical information and technical advice which can include advice on the acceptability of proposed works and information on historically correct materials and detailing. The Agency has also produced a number of technical notes on common building elements, e.g. mortars, stonework, historical glass, etc.

Northern Ireland Environment Agency, Built Heritage, Waterman House, 5-33 Hill Street, Belfast, County Antrim BT1 2LA, T: 028 9054 3095, E: bh@doeni.gov.uk, W: www.ni-environment.gov.uk

Specialist organisations

- **National Association of Memorial Masons**

1 Castle Mews, Rugby, Warwickshire CV21 2XL, T: 01788 542264, E: enquiries@namm.org.uk, W: www.namm.org.uk

Please note that this helpsheet is intended to offer informal advice and is a distillation of experience. The information contained in this helpsheet is not exhaustive and other sources of information are available.