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The Orangery



Blenheim Palace is over 300 years old, so it's hardly surprising that the buildings, and collections within, need constant attention. In January 2023, the Palace embarked on an extensive restoration on the roof of The Orangery as part of its 10-year £40 million conservation project.

As part of the renovation, CIA, Blenheim Palace's fire and security partner, were asked to modernise the fire & security systems within The Orangery, in order to provide the level of security required to protect the heritage of this Listed Grade I property. Particular attention was paid to maintaining the aesthetic of such a historic building, whilst also securing it effectively for the future.

Matthew Harrison, CIA's MD, commented: "We are extremely proud to once again play our part in the restoration of such a wonderful part of this UNESCO World Heritage site."

"We have always reached out to CIA to conduct our works at Blenheim Palace as we know we can rely on their experience and knowledge in fire and security. To conduct work in a 320-year-old World Heritage site can be a challenge at times, and I'm pleased to say that CIA have always been both sympathetic and professional."

Christopher Monaghan (Clerk of Works, Blenheim Palace)



PROJECT SUMMARY

BUILDING TYPE

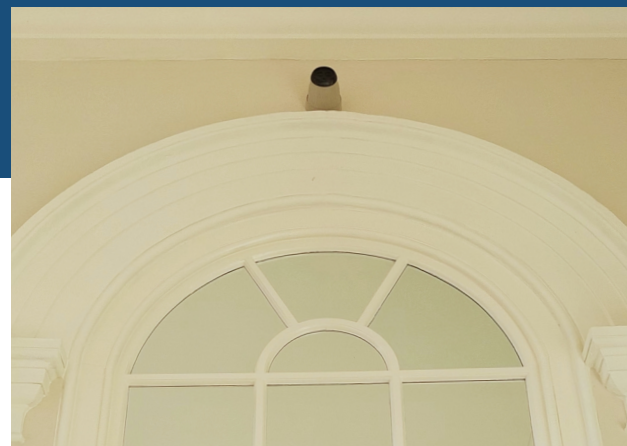
UNESCO World Heritage site. Birthplace of Winston Churchill.

REQUIREMENTS

Modernise the existing fire & security systems to meet the latest standards, in a sympathetic manner fit for a palace.

TECHNOLOGY

- Apollo intelligent auto-aligning beam detectors
- Apollo X95 smoke detectors
- Flush & base mounted sounder units
- Networked & monitored fixed dome cameras



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