Historic Britain insurance

Doing more for heritage

We have over 130 years' experience protecting the nation's historically significant locations. We insure more Grade I listed buildings than any other insurer and are involved in insuring 10 UK World Heritage sites. Our dedication to the heritage sector enables us to provide a deeper understanding of customer needs.

Doing more with our heritage partners

We collaborate with key heritage organisations such as Historic England and Heritage Alliance which enables us to gain valuable insight into the challenges affecting the heritage sector.

Doing more to protect

We understand the uniqueness of your building and its impact on the surrounding area. Our highly skilled survey team provides accurate valuations ensuring it can be repaired to the same standards, retaining its identity, should it become damaged. All as part of the service.

Doing more to manage risk

Our in-house risk team can assess all types of risk, from small local establishments to national organisations. Our bespoke reports share insight on the best way to manage risks, ultimately helping you to prevent loss and preserve your reputation.

Historic Britain insurance cover

More choice

We have developed a policy based on our extensive knowledge and experience within the heritage market.

Who we can cover

Our insurance is designed to protect a variety of the UK's historically significant buildings and organisations, for example:
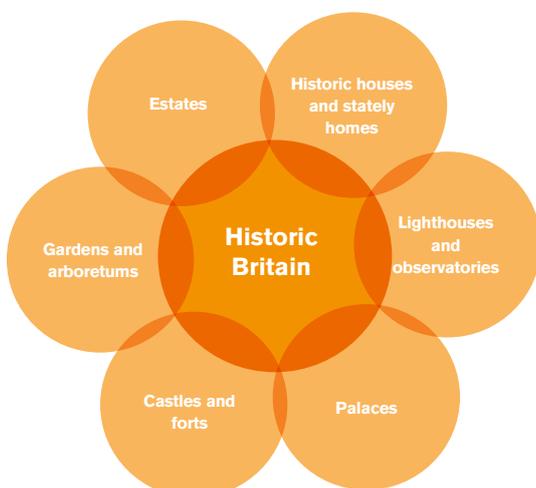

You can build a tailor-made policy for your organisation from a wide range of options including:

- Property and liability covers.
- Trustee and management liability.
- Reputational risk.
- Business interruption cover including archaeological digs and prevention of access.
- Comprehensive legal expenses cover including planning application refusal appeals.
- Loss of licence including care, education, wedding and premises.
- Shoot liability.

Additional extensions and enhancements may be available. Discuss with your broker the right level of cover for you.

If you require additional covers to your policy, we also offer the following:

- Cyber
- Group travel
- Fine art

Doing the right thing in a claim

Our award-winning claims service [1]

- We give you direct access to the expert claims handler dealing with your case.
- We keep you informed at every stage.
- We understand the construction quirks that come with unusual buildings and work with our customers to preserve their unique features for future generations.
- We take a proactive approach in protecting the interests of your organisation against third party legal liability claims.
- And, we'll always consult you before making any admission of liability.

We're proud to say 98% of our customers are satisfied with our claims service. [2]

Why choose Ecclesiastical?

A different kind of business

Voted best insurer for heritage by insurance brokers for 10 years running [3]

We are the **No.1** insurer for charitable giving in the UK - DSC Guide to charitable giving

98% Of customers in the UK are satisfied with how we handled their claim [2]

130 years experience insuring the heritage sector

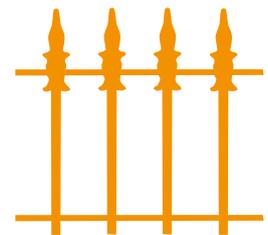Involved in insuring **10** of the UK's **world heritage sites** including Stonehenge and Canterbury Cathedral

Proud supporters of **Historic England, Heritage Alliance and Landmark Trust**

UK's leading insurer of Grade I listed properties

[1] Insurance Post Claim Awards: Customer Care Award (company) 2016 and Insurance Times claims Excellence Awards: Lifetime Achievement Award 2016
[2] Based on 721 customer responses following claims in 2016
[3] FWD broker opinion survey 2007-2016

To find out more about how Ecclesiastical can help you protect your property or business, talk to your insurance broker or visit **www.ecclesiastical.com/heritageinsurance**

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