



THE SAVILL BUILDING

WINDSOR, ENGLAND

SCOPE

Acoustics

CLIENT

The Crown Estate

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Controlling reverberation without obscuring beauty.

The Savill Building is a landmark structure at the entrance to The Savill Garden which acts as the "gateway" to The Royal Landscape of Windsor Great Park. It attracts more than half a million visitors a year. The building, which is partially below ground level, contains a shop, seminar rooms, offices, planteria (small garden centre) and restaurant, with a raised terrace along one edge allowing panoramic views over the gardens from the centre's interior spaces.

We worked closely with the architectural/structural team to find places where we could locate sound absorbing material to control the reverberant sound levels without obscuring the simple beauty of the grid-shell domes. Working with the team, we identified locations above the ceiling surfaces of the entrance pods to discretely place absorption.



PROJECT TYPE
New Construction



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