

# Curriculum Vitae



Mark Smith

## **Director & Head of Projects at Base Structures**

Over 40 years construction industry experience, qualified Civil Engineer with over 30 years project management experience.

### **Qualifications**

- BSc Civil Engineering, Portsmouth Polytechnic, 1982

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## **Employment history**

Jul 2002 – Present

### **Director / Head of Projects, Base Structures**

Responsible for all tensile fabric design and build projects. Lead contact on bespoke exterior projects. Significant projects include Zaha Hadid's Science Museum, Terminal 5 Heathrow, Ben Ainsley Racing, RAF Cosford, Frederiksberg shopping centre Denmark and Royal Dublin Showground.

Sept 1996 – Jul 2002

### **Project Manager, Architen Ltd**

Managing all the procurement and installation of tensile fabric structures. Also the designated Company Safety Manager.

Mar 1994 – Sept 1996

### **Project Manager, Thyssen Construction**

Managing roads and civil projects up to £2.8million in value across the South West of England and Wales.

Sept 1993 – Dec 1993

### **Site Agent, G Pearce and Sons**

Managing Civil and building projects, ending when the company went into administration.

Feb 1992 – Sept 1993

### **Project Management, Rees Civil Engineering**

Managing various civil and building projects, including external stonework to the Lloyds new headquarters in Bristol and building the lakes for the Centre Parcs Longleat.

Aug 1989 – Feb 1992

### **Senior Site Manager, Higgs & Hill**

Managing a variety of building and civil projects, including management of £26 million fit out to main trading areas of JP Morgan Bank's new £260 million headquarters in London.

April 1988 – Aug 1989

### **Site Manager, Beazer Homes East**

Working on speculative housing sites.

April 1986 – April 1998

### **Site Manager, M O'Donovan Ltd**

Building and refurbishment work in East London, up to £1m in value.

Sept 1979 – April 1986

### **Site Engineer, Higgs & Hill Plc**

ICE Indentured training, subsequent advancement to Site Engineer.