

# Tintagel Castle: Bridge Design Competition

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Question number	Enquiry	Response	Date
1	The A4 sides in PDF format should they be vertical or horizontal (a horizontal layout might be easier for illustrating the significant examples) ?	Pages may be either vertical or horizontal orientation.	03-Jul-15
2	Is there any age limit for the relevant examples ?	No.	03-Jul-15
3	In the brief you discuss a number of other initiatives that will run in parallel with the bridge project, namely, a refurbished visitor centre, beach café and small bridge across the stream, plus new interpretative materials. Will these projects be awarded separately to the bridge and if so, will they also go out to tender?	The projects to refurbish the visitor centre and beach café and to provide a new small bridge across the stream are already in hand with works either complete or nearing completion on site. Design consultant services on these projects were let through an EH Framework for architectural services which was in place at the time. These projects were mentioned to give some context to the bridge competition.	03-Jul-15
4	Is it intended that the bridge will contain interpretative materials (integrated into the structure) as part of its design? Interpretation is mentioned several times in passing but not directly as an objective.	English Heritage will be looking at options for the wider interpretation of the site as part of the project works that will accompany the bridge. At present it is anticipated that interpretation will be local to the features of the monument rather than on the bridge itself although the Client is open to ideas of how interpretation might be incorporated into the bridge if this was felt to be effective and if all the other design criteria for the bridge could also be met. English Heritage has an in-house interpretation team who would work with the Design Team post appointment to develop these ideas.	03-Jul-15
5	Eoi Submission Requirements part 3, Relevant Experience: is the requirement to limit responses to two relevant examples total, or may we, include up to two examples per team member to show breadth and depth of as a multi-disciplinary team?	Please limit your response to two key projects per team. Other examples can only be used to emphasise a particular point. We are after detail here - not quantity of examples cited.	03-Jul-15
6	PQQ C4-Q3: Is the requirement for 5 million GBP Professional Indemnity Insurance applicable also to sub-contractors, ie the Architect or Engineer whoever is not the lead consultant?	This is applicable to the lead consultant only.	03-Jul-15

7	Is the intention of EH, notwithstanding their rights as previously stated, to proceed with the project via <u>traditional</u> procurement?	Yes, this is the intention.	03-Jul-15
8	In countries with no Design Engineer title, where bridges is usually Civil Engineers competence, can the team be lead by an experienced Civil Engineer?, ie: is a Civil Engineer considered a Design Engineer?	Yes, we refer in the document to design engineer.	03-Jul-15
9	Does the definition of landscaping include Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment and photomontage work, which would be required for a planning submission?	The competition excludes landscape architecture, which is being procured under a different process. This will also be a competitive tender run under OJEU procurement rules which will be advertised in the usual way but will not be the subject of a design competition.	03-Jul-15
10	How will the ecology survey and assessment requirements be delivered if excluded from the competition, and will findings be made available to inform designs?	Please see response to Q9 above. The landscape architect will be part of the design team who will work in collaboration with the architect and engineer on the project overall.	03-Jul-15
11	Does the archaeology exclusion extend to having a Heritage Consultant on board that advises on the suitability / blending in of the concept into the historic landscape?	It is up to the competitor to decide which skills will add benefit to their proposal, taking on board the exclusions on page 32.	03-Jul-15
12	We are a landscape and ecology consultancy and were hoping to join a team to deliver the ecology survey, assessment and LVIA aspects, as well as potentially adding a heritage consultant to advise on designs, but the EoI text seems to prevent this. Also, if those services are being tendered separately, where would those be advertised and when?	Please see response to Q9 above.	03-Jul-15
13	The competition documents mention "parallel initiatives" on the Tintagel site. What is the process for procuring design team services for these initiatives? Will the design and/or construction be taking place at a similar time to the footbridge?	Please see response to Q9 above. The timetable for these parallel initiatives has been considered carefully by the client and will coordinate and integrate with the bridge project.	03-Jul-15
14	For the "relevant experience" portion of the submission it asks for 10 pages but only two project examples. For a team which includes some emerging firms with new personnel, it may be relevant to expand the number of projects so that the prior experience of individuals can be better demonstrated. Would it be acceptable to have more than 2 relevant examples in this section? Or would this be looking upon unfavourably?	See response to Q5.	03-Jul-15

15	Do relevant examples have to be built projects or contracted project at detail stage or under-construction project could be acceptable if showing our approach to similar challenges?	Please provide as much details as possible on your relevant projects.	03-Jul-15
16	Can we provide one relevant example from the team lead and one from a member of our team ?	Yes - but please be clear on the authorship of each example cited.	03-Jul-15
17	Could you clarify whether it is your intention that an organisation may only lead one team but can enter as a sub-consultant on more than one, or whether the intention is to allow an organisation to lead more than one team but to limit individuals within a company from taking part in more than one team?	Yes, an organisation may lead only one team; an organisation may be a sub-consultant of more than one team only if different individuals are representing the organisation within those different teams. This is clearly noted on page 32 of the EOI.	03-Jul-15
18	<p>The 'Relevant Experience' section requirements note that teams should "limit your response to two relevant examples". If more than two examples were shown in this section would they still be considered in the scoring? eg. if a team wanted to show 2 previous projects from the architect and 2 different ones from the engineer would all the information qualify to contribute to the score?</p> <p>If more than two examples were shown in this section would they still be considered in the scoring?</p> <p>eg. if a team wanted to show 2 previous projects from the architect and 2 different ones from the engineer would all the information qualify to contribute to the score?</p>	See response to Q5 and 6.	03-Jul-15
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20	I have a question about the PQQ related to C-2 and C-4. The word supplier came in these two sections in the beginning, and I would like to understand if you mean by the supplier as the architecture office, or for material production companies that might enroll in the competition?	The supplier refers to the architect/design engineer who is the proposed lead consultant.	03-Jul-15
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