

Barry Holdsworth Ltd Horticultural Consultancy

Personal Profile

Barry Holdsworth MBA, RHS Dip, MI Hort, MCMI, M.Arbor.A.

Barry is a professional horticulturalist and has been working in this field for over twenty five years. He has developed a successful horticultural consultancy business that provides advice on all aspects of managing and developing gardens and landscapes – from design to implementation, through to the maintenance and conservation of the garden. The consultancy's aim is to maximise the garden's full potential by working closely with their clients in understanding their requirements to provide innovative and practical solutions that are cost effective. The approach is to apply modern management techniques that are combined with practical and theoretical horticultural experience. The consultancy operates throughout the UK and abroad providing a personal service to a wide range of private and corporate clients.

Barry Holdsworth offers services across a wide range of activities within amenity horticulture, including landscape design for new building developments, existing gardens and historical renovation projects.

Designs have been publicly recognised - New Homes Garden Awards, The Evening Standard New Homes Awards and The Chelsea Flower Show.

Barry's knowledge and experience in the horticultural field has been shared with many listeners when he was a regular contributor on BBC Southern Counties radio gardening programme. His work has been featured in a number of press articles in Country Life, The English Garden, The Kitchen Garden Magazine and The Telegraph, as well as on television.

Clients are split between the private and commercial sectors. Below is a list of some of the organisations that Barry Holdsworth Ltd has worked with:

Knight Frank LLP Cluttons LLP English Heritage Huf Haus Kent County Crematorium plc Hasmead plc Silver Homes Revolution Homes Ltd Stephen Evans Associates LLP Westridge Construction Ltd FM Guru Springtree Construction Ltd Bluebell Railway Redrose Scarlett Sebastian Southampton University Stanbridge Earls School Syon Medical Centre J'S Agriculture Ltd National Counties Building Society Alitex



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Curriculum Vitae for Barry Holdsworth

Career History from 2002

2002 to present Horticultural Consultant

Posts held:

Horticultural Consultant - Knight Frank LLP Horticultural Consultant - Cluttons LLP Horticultural Consultant - JS Agriculture Ltd Horticultural Consultant - Hasmead PLC

Horticultural Consultant - Kent County Crematorium PLC

Expert Witness for commercial and private clients.

Services offered:

- Landscape design and development with architects and private clients to BS: 4428 and BREEAM standard.
- Tree Surveys to BS:5837
- Expert Witness
- Recruitment and selection of staff
- Staff training and one to one training including Grounds Maintenance to BS:
- Health and safety issues within the garden environment

Education/Qualifications

General

2003 - MBA at Kingston University
2002 - Post Graduate Diploma in Management Studies

Horticultural

Royal Horticultural Society

Diploma in Horticulture

National Proficiency Tests Council

- PA1 and PÁ6 Pesticide Certificate
- Sections 10 and 11 in Chainsaw Operations

Lantra Awards

Professional Trees Inspection

Professional Membership

Chartered Institute of Horticulture Chartered Management Institute

Arboricultural Association

Professional Garden Consultants Association

Professional Gardener's Guild