

Transforming the 1970s Herman Miller factory for **Bath Spa University**

Plans to transform the 1970s Herman Miller factory, now part of Bath Spa University's Locksbrook Campus, aimed to retain a lot of the original features, while changing its use from a factory into different teaching and practical spaces.

The refurbishment of this Grade II listed building called for our very best acoustic and fire protection solutions and over 160 hours of expert consultation to overcome unique, complex design challenges and technical performance requirements.

Bath Spa University

Situated on the River Avon in Bath, the Herman Miller Factory, has undergone a major refurbishment to provide **Bath Spa University** with

a mix of teaching facilities, workshops and social spaces for the University's School of Art & Design.

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Project: Bath Spa University

Building Type:
Refurbishment, university

Client: Bath Spa University

Architect: Grimshaw Architects

Contractor: Willmott Dixon

Specialist Contractors:
Topfix Interiors

Key Benefits:

- Sound insulation
- Fire protection
- Improved fixing strength
- Durability
- Reduction in repair and maintenance costs
- High levels of impact and abrasion resistance
- Extended building life span