

Customer

WIGAN COUNCIL

Project Site

Haigh Hall Stables, Wigan

Contract Period

3 months

Project Value

£10,000 plus



The Business Challenge

Wigan Council desired to convert the existing listed Stables Block, which is a grade 2 listed building into new office working space. The challenges of the environment were in the majority to keep the existing facade and structure of the existing building and for NIS Ltd not to employ any external trunking containment.

Installation Overview

NIS Ltd held numerous consultations with the ICT officer along with the Councils Building Regulations, Planning and Conservations Officers as well as structural engineers prior to commencement of any project works and along with other working trades we undertook a scope of works that was phased to allow existing tenants to move out of the Stables Block and new Wigan Council employees to occupy the refurbished office area's over a period of three months.

Implementation

NIS Ltd company director David Wainwright took a special interest in the intricacies of this project, having undertook works of a similar nature within other listed buildings such as the main Haigh Hall building. David, after extensive site research consisting of a number of days



surveying decided to put his ideas to the Wigan Council Representative and they were duly accepted. David had decided to remove the existing timber boarding to the raised floor area upon both first and ground floors and make access holes within all timber joists, taking care not to weaken any supporting beams and thus carry the cabling through these access holes and to the point of origin, whilst fully concealing all actual cabling and thus retaining all the original aspects of the main Stables Blocks. NIS Ltd employed the use of our most experienced engineers to minimise the destructive work to the structure. This proved to be a very meticulous, painstaking project undertaken in various phases but one which brought high accolade from Wigan Council director levels for the services undertaken by NIS Ltd.

Customer View

“To whom it may concern, we have been using NIS for the last 5 years to provide voice and data connectivity across our council network. We have always found them to be professional, courteous, and very accommodating, the standard of work is always high and the engineers always clean up after themselves. They are also very competitive with their pricing structure”

Ongoing Projects

NIS Ltd continue to work alongside Wigan Council on both major and minor projects on a week to week basis, continuing to offer the same high quality service and professionalism implemented in this project.