

# HERSTMONCEUX CASTLE

## ASSESSMENT OF REPAIRS REQUIRED AND MONITORING FOR MOVEMENT

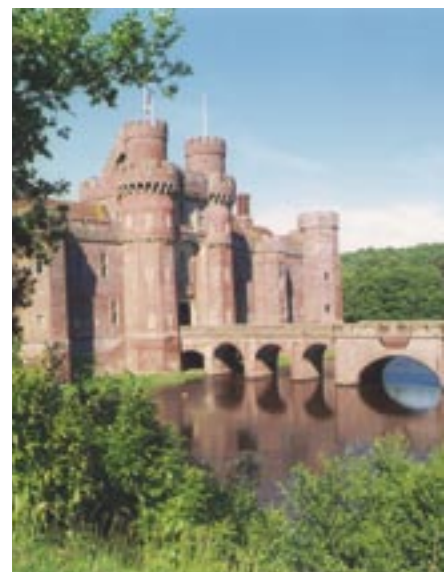
Myself and Phil Keen (PDK Associates) have been working together on the castle and associated sites for the Queens University (Canada)

The site was acquired approximately 10 years before the initial involvement in October 1999.

Whilst major works had been undertaken internally to form the working university, little work to the exterior had been commissioned.

Initially a report was written to itemise the extensive repairs required to the exterior, immediately, in the short term and not urgent, as part of a ten to fifteen year plan of maintenance and repair. This is updated annually.

Concern with regard to movement of the structure also led to the appointment. Monitoring has been instigated, which includes monitoring of telltales over cracks and more global monitoring between fixed stations outside the castle structure and targets fixed to the structure.



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