



CLIENT: Blackpool Council
LOCATION: Blackpool
CONSTRUCTION VALUE: £3.5m
CONTRACTOR: Conlon Construction
START - FINISH DATE: August 2021 - July 2022
SECTOR: Leisure
FORM OF CONTRACT: JCT Standard
DELIVERY TYPE: Shell and Core

The Blackpool Showtown Museum is to be located within the existing Sands Hotel Venue and will celebrate Blackpool as the UK's most popular seaside destination and its role in the development of British popular culture.

It will be filled with over 800 objects from Blackpool's internationally significant and extensive collections and will have the first permanent display in a UK public museum for circus, magic, variety and ballroom dance.

The contract will comprise of the fit-out of the shell and core space within the existing building. The works include the sub-division of space with various internal wall construction types, bespoke joinery works, welfare fit-out, ancillary back-of-house spaces along with all wall, floor and ceiling finishes and the installation of mechanical and electrical systems to service the museum.

ADDED VALUE

Some of the added value commitments will include:-

- A minimum of 70 apprentice weeks;
- Work placement opportunities for Blackpool and Fylde College students;
- A minimum of 24 volunteer hours for community projects;
- Promotion of mental health and wellbeing.

