

Jamie Davis

Director

Head of Fire Risk Management



Experience

Jamie joined BB7 as a senior fire engineer, providing support, primarily to the fire risk management team. Jamie has previously been employed as a fire safety consultant with CS Todd and Associates, delivering fire risk management and fire engineering services to a wide array of industry sectors. Jamie now heads up the fire risk management discipline for BB7.

Before moving into the private sector, Jamie spent 12 years with Kent Fire and Rescue service in an operational and fire safety capacity. Jamie's last full-time post within Kent Fire and Rescue Service was in charge of the enforcement department, as the lead investigating officer for alleged offences under the Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) Order 2005. During this time, Jamie was responsible for investigating and managing potential prosecution cases on behalf of the fire authority.

Jamie provided technical support and project management to major fire safety projects with the fire service, such as the premises risk management project, automatic fire alarm response project and fire safety co-ordination at major events. Jamie was the lead officer for most major events, including music festivals and the 2012 Olympic and Paralympic events.

Jamie has lectured on fire risk management at the University of South Wales and Glasgow Caledonian University. Being a NEBOSH accredited trainer, delivering the national certificate in fire and risk management, Jamie has also provided additional fire safety and risk management training to some UK Fire and Rescue services, London Underground, independent consultancies and the Health and Safety Executive. Additionally, Jamie has been a guest speaker for various organisations, including the Institute of Occupational Safety and Health and British Standards Institution.

Jamie has acted as expert witness for the High Court of Justice in a fire risk management dispute, providing an opinion to the adequacy of fire safety arrangements. He has also acted as expert witness for a number of smaller cases as well as being retained by a number of clients to act on their behalf. He is also acting as an expert advisor in relation to the Grenfell inquiry for a major client, co-ordinating expert witness responses accordingly. Jamie is also a non-executive board director with the Chartered Association of Building Engineers.

Qualifications

- First Class Honours Degree in Fire Safety Engineering, BEng (Hons).
- Higher National Diploma in Fire Engineering.
- Member of the Institution of Fire Engineers.
- Chartered Building Engineer
- Member of the Chartered Association of Building Engineers
- NEBOSH National Certificate in Fire Risk Management
- IFE Registered Fire Risk Assessor

2016-Present

BB7 Fire, Risk & Resilience

Senior Fire Engineer

2014-2016

CS Todd & Associates

Fire safety Consultant



The Fire Risk Assessors Certification Scheme (FRACS) is the only competent persons certification scheme for fire risk assessors, complying with the requirements of BS EN ISO/IEC 17024:2003 – the internationally accepted standard for bodies operating certification of competent persons; and it is the only competent fire risk assessors scheme in the UK to have national accreditation status from UKAS.

2003-2014

Kent Fire & Rescue Service

Operational Firefighter / Incident commander

Fire Safety Enforcement Officer

Full List of Relevant Training & Qualifications:

Academic Qualifications

- Master of Laws (Law Conversion) – BPP – Currently Reading
- Bachelor of Engineering, Fire Engineering, First Class with Honours – University of South Wales
- Higher National Diploma, Fire Safety Engineering - University of South Wales
- Higher National Certificate, Fire Safety Engineering – University of Wales, Newport
- Certificate of Excellence, Fire Engineering – University of South Wales

Professional Qualifications

- Member of the Institution of Fire Engineers.
- Chartered Member of the Chartered Association of Building Engineers
- National Examination Board in Occupational Safety and Health - Accredited trainer for the National certificate in Fire Safety and Risk Management

Institution of Fire Engineers

- Fire engineering science - Level 4
- Fire service operations - Level 4
- Fire safety - Level 4
- Fire Investigation – Level 4

Fire Service College

- Firesetters Intervention – BTEC
- Fire safety Foundation – Module 1
- Fire Safety Foundation – Module 2
- Fire safety building regulations and guidance – (3 week course)
- Application of BS 9999 in design

Fire Protection Association

- NOS 3.2 Extended and materially altered buildings
- NOS 3.2.1 Means of escape provisions for disabled people
- NOS 3.3 Fire safety at design stage – control of spread of fire & firefighting access
- NOS 4.1 Fire risk assessment of complex and high life risk premises
- NOS 4.3 Evidence and prosecution in practice
- NOS 4.5 Fire Safety during building and construction work
- Introduction BS 9999

Cabinet Office Emergency Planning College

- Working in safety advisory groups

- Public safety at festivals and mass gatherings
- Planning for public safety at major events
- Preparing plans for COMAH (Control of major accident hazard regulations 2009)

National Examination Board in Occupational Safety and Health (NEBOSH)

- National certificate in Fire Safety and Risk Management

Institute of Occupational Safety and Health (IOSH)

- Working safely certificate
- Managing safely certificate

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- Fire suppression and control (BS 5306, BS EN 12854, BS 9251)

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- Evidence and Law in Practice
- Advanced statement and report writing
- Witness familiarisation
- Criminal Procedure (CPIA)

Kent Fire and Rescue Service

- Storage of dangerous substances and compressed gases (DSEAR)
- Dangerous Substances and Explosive Atmosphere Regulations
- Passive fire protection systems
- Introduction to Explosives (MSER)
- Business Continuity BS 25999
- Incident command - level 1
- Command support - level 2
- Incident functional officers course
- Principles of operational tactics at high rise incidents
- Principles of fire engineering
- Smoke control systems (COLT)
- Microsoft Excel – Advanced
- Fire investigation – Level 1