

# ANGLO ROMANIAN TRUST FOR TRADITIONAL ARCHITECTURE

England & Wales · Charity number 1156000

## Details

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Other names	ARTTA
Status	Registered
Legal form	Other
Registered	2014-03-04
Register	<a href="#">View on the Charity Commission register</a>

## Contact

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Website	<a href="http://www.artta.org.uk">www.artta.org.uk</a>

## Activities

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**Objects:** (1)TO PROMOTE THE CONSERVATION,REPAIR,RESTORATION, PROTECTION AND MAINTENANCE OF ROMANIAN HISTORIC AND ARCHITECTURALLY INTERESTING BUILDINGS AND THEIR SURROUNDS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE PUBLIC.(2)TO ADVANCE EDUCATION IN THE HISTORY,ARCHITECTURE AND TRADITIONAL BUILDING TECHNIQUES OF ROMANIA.

**Activities:** the principal objective of the charity is saving and preserving Romania's historic buildings and the endangered architectural heritage of Romania and its surrounding environment

## Classification

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- **How:** Makes Grants To Organisations, Provides Other Finance, Provides Advocacy/advice/information
- **What:** Education/training, Arts/culture/heritage/science
- **Who:** The General Public/mankind

## Geography

- Romania

## Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-12-31	£49,000	£50,140	-	-
2024-12-31	£49,000	£49,196	-	-
2023-12-31	£57,967	£54,989	-	-
2022-12-31	£40,171	£40,174	-	-
2021-12-31	£64,000	£92,423	-	-
2020-12-31	£201,000	£181,326	-	-

## Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
<b>WILLIAM O'NEILL BLACKER</b>	Chair	2013-11-29
Thierry Kelaart		2015-06-25
WILLIAM FRANCIS HEATHCOAT AMORY		2013-11-29

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*Apsleys*

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Chartered Accountants

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Date: 30 Mar 2026

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Grants	-	49,000	49,000	49,000
<b>Total receipts</b>	<u>-</u>	<u>49,000</u>	<u>49,000</u>	<u>49,000</u>
<b>Payments</b>				
Grants made				
William Blacker consultancy payments	-	49,300	49,300	48,380
Administration				
Accountancy		840	840	816
<b>Total payments</b>	<u>-</u>	<u>50,140</u>	<u>50,140</u>	<u>49,196</u>
<b>Net of Receipts and Payments</b>	-	(1,140)	(1,140)	(196)
Cash holdings last year end	<u>-</u>	<u>5,295</u>	<u>5,295</u>	<u>5,491</u>
<b>Cash holdings this year end</b>	<u>-</u>	<u>4,155</u>	<u>4,155</u>	<u>5,295</u>

### STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AT THE END OF THE YEAR

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<b>Assets</b>				
Cash Funds	-	4,155	4,155	5,295
Trust Funds	<u>-</u>	<u>4,155</u>	<u>4,155</u>	<u>5,295</u>
<b>Liabilities</b>				
Consultancy - William Blacker		-	-	-
Independent examination	-	840	840	816
	<u>-</u>	<u>840</u>	<u>840</u>	<u>816</u>

The Trust held no other assets and had no other liabilities at the end of the year or the previous year.

Approved by the Trustees on **24 Mar 2026** and signed by two Trustees on behalf of all the Trustees

*William Heathcoat Amory*

William Heathcoat Amory  
Trustee

*Thierry Kelaart*

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Grants	-	49,000	49,000	47,417
Donations		-	-	10,550
<b>Total receipts</b>	<u>-</u>	<u>49,000</u>	<u>49,000</u>	<u>57,967</u>
<b>Payments</b>				
Grants made				
Monumentum Association, for Roades Kindergarten		-	-	7,597
William Blacker consultancy payments	-	48,380	48,380	45,832
Administration				
Accountancy		816	816	1,560
<b>Total payments</b>	<u>-</u>	<u>49,196</u>	<u>49,196</u>	<u>54,989</u>
<b>Net of Receipts and Payments</b>	<u>-</u>	<u>(196)</u>	<u>(196)</u>	<u>2,978</u>
Cash holdings last year end	<u>-</u>	<u>5,491</u>	<u>5,491</u>	<u>2,513</u>
<b>Cash holdings this year end</b>	<u>-</u>	<u>5,295</u>	<u>5,295</u>	<u>5,491</u>

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Consultancy - William Blacker		-	-	-
Independent examination	-	816	816	780
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Date:

## ANGLO ROMANIAN TRUST FOR TRADITIONAL ARCHITECTURE

Registered charity number 1156000

### RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT

For the year ended 31 December 2023

	Restricted Funds £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds £	Last Year £
<b>Receipts</b>				
Grants	-	47,417	47,417	40,171
Donations		10,550	10,550	-
<b>Total receipts</b>	<u>-</u>	<u>57,967</u>	<u>57,967</u>	<u>40,171</u>
<b>Payments</b>				
Grants made				
Monumentum Association, for Roades Kindergarten		7,597	7,597	-
Villa Abbatis Association - Biodiversity Work		-	-	5,002
Villa Abbatis Association - Donation - Roades Church Repairs	-	-	-	5,172
Ambulance for Monuments	-	-	-	-
William Blacker consultancy payments	-	45,832	45,832	30,000
Administration				
Accountancy		1,560	1,560	-
<b>Total payments</b>	<u>-</u>	<u>54,989</u>	<u>54,989</u>	<u>40,174</u>
<b>Net of Receipts and Payments</b>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,978</u>	<u>2,978</u>	<u>(3)</u>
Cash holdings last year end	<u>-</u>	<u>2,513</u>	<u>2,513</u>	<u>2,516</u>
<b>Cash holdings this year end</b>	<u>-</u>	<u>5,491</u>	<u>5,491</u>	<u>2,513</u>

### STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AT THE END OF THE YEAR

	Restricted Funds £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds £	Total Funds £
<b>Assets</b>				
Cash Funds	-	5,491	5,491	2,516
Trust Funds	<u>-</u>	<u>5,491</u>	<u>5,491</u>	<u>2,516</u>
<b>Liabilities</b>				
Consultancy - William Blacker		-	-	2,500
Independent examination	-	780	780	780
	<u>-</u>	<u>780</u>	<u>780</u>	<u>3,280</u>

The Trust held no other assets and had no other liabilities at the end of the year or the previous year.

Approved by the Trustees on 10 October 2024 and signed by two Trustees on behalf of all the Trustees

William Heathcoat Amory  
Trustee

Thierry Kelaart  
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**ANGLO ROMANIAN TRUST FOR TRADITIONAL ARCHITECTURE**

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ANGLO ROMANIAN TRUST FOR TRADITIONAL ARCHITECTURE

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**ANGLO ROMANIAN TRUST FOR TRADITIONAL ARCHITECTURE**  
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**TRUSTEES' REPORT**  
For the year ended 31 December 2022

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**Establishment**

The Trust was established in 2008 with the principal objective of saving and preserving Romania's historic buildings and the endangered architectural heritage of Romania and its surrounding environment.

The Trust is a charitable association and operates under a constitution.

**Registered office**

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**Trustees**

The trustees, who served throughout the year 2022 and who carry the additional responsibilities noted, are:

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Thierry Kelaart (Secretary)  
William Heathcoat Amory (Treasurer)

The Trustees must number a minimum of three. The power of appointment of trustees lies with the Trustees from time to time.

**Objectives and Activities**

ARTTA's objective is to help the preservation of vernacular architecture in Romania, both directly through interventions as well as through educating local people in the value of their built heritage and in the traditional techniques for its repair. Having originally funded projects directly, the Trust is increasingly (although not exclusively) successfully finding donors who are themselves funding projects directly. The management of these projects is largely under the local direction of The Association Monumentum and Villa Abbatis Cultural Association, both being Romanian conservation bodies. The work undertaken is monitored by William Blacker.

The administration costs of the Trust are low. William Blacker receives fees through the Trust as a consultant and to cover his expenses undertaking monitoring and research activities in Romania, and reporting to donors. The Trustees are otherwise unpaid.

ARTTA acts as a link between funders, project sponsors and leaders of particular projects as well as raises money for The Monumentum Association and The Villa Abbatis Cultural Association to continue with their many conservation projects in Romania, and also oversees these projects.

In this way ARTTA has helped to initiate hundreds of projects all over Romania.

**ANGLO ROMANIAN TRUST FOR TRADITIONAL ARCHITECTURE**

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**TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED)**

For the year ended 31 December 2022

**Achievement and Performance**

Of particular note, we have continued to support Monumentum in their "Ambulance for Historic Buildings" project which acts as a way for volunteers and architectural students from all over Romania and abroad to help protect and repair high profile cultural monuments. So far, in the six years of its existence, 'The Ambulance' has rescued 95 buildings of great historic value. The Project won The Europa Nostra Public Choice Prize in 2020, and has gone from strength to strength since then.

In general the Trust is pleased to report that its aim of fostering local support for the preservation and restoration of the distinctive traditional architecture of Romania is increasingly successful. The Trust's financial role has developed into funding guidance and promotion with less spent on specific projects although the Ambulance intervention remains a crucial and visible part of the work done. The support received from the Trust's main sponsors, which is deeply appreciated, is accordingly targeted on these agreed aims.

**Fund raising**

The Trust's activities are financed by the grants and donations received from supporters. The Trustees are immensely grateful for the continuing support they have received in the year.

**Financial position**

The Receipts and Payments account attached shows the financial activity in the year. The Trust currently has no commitments which require the maintenance of significant reserves and the Trustees therefore merely have a policy of maintaining a buffer of cash in order to smooth the funding of work in Romania. The Association Monumentum and Villa Abbatis Cultural Association, which receive grants from other bodies in addition to the Trust, report regularly to the Trustees on activity and expenditure.

**Location**

The registered address of the Trust is Calverleigh Court, Tiverton, Devon EX16 8BB, United Kingdom. The Trust does not have an establishment in Romania. The Trust has a web-site: <http://www.artta.org.uk>

**Other**

The trustees have had regard to the Charity Commission guidance on public benefit and believe this is achieved via the charity's objectives and activities.

Approved by the Trustees on October 2022

William Heathcoat Amory  
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**ANGLO ROMANIAN TRUST FOR TRADITIONAL ARCHITECTURE**

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**INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT**

For the year ended 31 December 2022

I report on the accounts of the Trust for the year ended 31 December 2022, which are set out on page 5.

**Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner**

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Registered charity number 1156000

### RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT

For the year ended 31 December 2022

	Restricted Funds £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds £	Last Year £
<b>Receipts</b>				
Grants	30,000	10,171	40,171	64,000
Donations		-	-	-
<b>Total receipts</b>	<u>30,000</u>	<u>10,171</u>	<u>40,171</u>	<u>64,000</u>
<b>Payments</b>				
Grants made				
Monumentum Association, for running expenses		-	-	30,000
Villa Abbatis Association - Biodiversity Work		5,002	5,002	-
Villa Abbatis Association - Donation - Roades Church Repairs	-	5,172	5,172	-
Ambulance for Monuments	-	-	-	24,000
William Blacker consultancy payments	30,000	-	30,000	37,700
Administration				
Accountancy		-	-	723
<b>Total payments</b>	<u>30,000</u>	<u>10,174</u>	<u>40,174</u>	<u>92,423</u>
<b>Net of Receipts and Payments</b>	-	(3)	(3)	(28,423)
Cash holdings last year end	-	2,516	2,516	30,939
<b>Cash holdings this year end</b>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,513</u>	<u>2,513</u>	<u>2,516</u>

### STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AT THE END OF THE YEAR

	Restricted Funds £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds £	Total Funds £
<b>Assets</b>				
Cash Funds	-	2,516	2,516	2,516
Trust Funds	-	2,516	2,516	2,516
<b>Liabilities</b>				
Consultancy - William Blacker	2,500	-	2,500	-
Independent examination	-	780	780	-
	<u>2,500</u>	<u>780</u>	<u>3,280</u>	<u>-</u>

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**ANGLO ROMANIAN TRUST FOR TRADITIONAL ARCHITECTURE**

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The Trust operates by expending its income on, and finding donors for, projects in Romania for the preservation of vernacular architecture. The management of the projects is largely under the local direction of The Association Monumentum and Villa Abbatis Cultural Association, both being Romanian conservation bodies. The work undertaken is monitored by William Blacker.

The administration costs of the Trust are low. William Blacker receives fees through the Trust to cover his expenses undertaking monitoring and research activities in Romania, and reporting to our donors. The Trustees are otherwise unpaid.

The grants made by ARTTA in the year have funded the background work of spreading awareness of the deterioration in Romania's historic fabric and the need for and merit in its restoration. In everything we do we are trying to encourage traditional craftsmanship and the production of traditional materials, providing training and work for local people. Of particular note, we have continued to support Monumentum in their "Ambulance for Monuments" project which acts as a way for local volunteers to help protect and repair high profile cultural monuments. In this and many other ways, ARTTA acts as a link between funders, project sponsors and leaders of particular projects.

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**ANGLO ROMANIAN TRUST FOR TRADITIONAL ARCHITECTURE**

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**TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED)**

For the year ended 31 December 2021

**Achievement and Performance**

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## ANGLO ROMANIAN TRUST FOR TRADITIONAL ARCHITECTURE

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### RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT

For the year ended 31 December 2021

	Restricted Funds £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds £	Last Year £
<b>Receipts</b>				
Grants	36,500	27,500	64,000	201,000
Donations		-	-	-
<b>Total receipts</b>	<u>36,500</u>	<u>27,500</u>	<u>64,000</u>	<u>201,000</u>
<b>Payments</b>				
Grants made				
Monumentum Association, for running expenses		30,000	30,000	26,699
Consultancy		-	-	25,000
Map of Craftsmen project	-	-	-	9,026
Other Project works and interventions		-	-	2,136
Ambulance for Monuments	-	24,000	24,000	66,302
Tools for Ambulance	-	-	-	8,000
Training, exhibitions, publications	-	-	-	10,400
William Blacker consultancy payments	36,500	1,200	37,700	32,800
Administration				
Accountancy		723	723	963
<b>Total payments</b>	<u>36,500</u>	<u>55,923</u>	<u>92,423</u>	<u>181,326</u>
<b>Net of Receipts and Payments</b>	-	(28,423)	(28,423)	19,674
Cash holdings last year end	-	30,939	30,939	11,265
<b>Cash holdings this year end</b>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,516</u>	<u>2,516</u>	<u>30,939</u>

### STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AT THE END OF THE YEAR

	Restricted Funds £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds £	Total Funds £
Cash Funds	-	2,516	2,516	30,939
Trust Funds	-	2,516	2,516	30,939

The Trust held no other assets and had no other liabilities at the end of the year or the previous year.

Approved by the Trustees on 10 October 2022 and signed by two Trustees on behalf of all the Trustees

William Heathcoat Amory  
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**ANGLO ROMANIAN TRUST FOR TRADITIONAL ARCHITECTURE**

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**Objectives and Activities**

The Trust operates by expending its income on projects in Romania for the preservation of vernacular architecture. The management of the projects is largely under the direction of The Association Monumentum, a Romanian body led by the conservation architect Eugen Vaida. The work undertaken is monitored by William Blacker.

The administration costs of the Trust are low. William Blacker undertakes his travel to and in Romania largely at his own expense. The Trustees are unpaid.

The grants made by ARTTA to Association Monumentum in the year have funded the background work of spreading awareness of the deterioration in the historic fabric and the need for and merit in its restoration. In everything we do we are trying to encourage traditional craftsmanship and the production of traditional materials, providing training and work for local people. Of particular note, we have continued to support Monumentum in their "Ambulance for Monuments" project which acts as a way for local volunteers to help protect and repair high profile cultural monuments. In this and many other ways, Monumentum acts as a link between funders, project sponsors and leaders of particular projects.

The Trust itself continues to try to encourage other organisations to engage directly with Association Monumentum and with conservation projects in Romania, and has been involved in the education of villagers and architectural students in all aspects of its conservation work.

**ANGLO ROMANIAN TRUST FOR TRADITIONAL ARCHITECTURE**

Registered charity number 1156000

**TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED)**

For the year ended 31 December 2020

**Achievement and Performance**

The Anglo-Romanian Trust for Traditional Architecture (ARTTA) has made huge progress this year, working together with the Prince's Foundation Romania (PFR), the Monumentum Association and the Villa Abbatis Association. We are managing to attract significant funds from within Romania.

Since April 2020, despite the Pandemic work has continued at an impressive pace.

The Ambulance for Historic Buildings has continued to work, grow and to attract attention, carrying out 16 interventions in 7 different regions of Romania. There are now 7 different regional Ambulances, four of which were set up in 2020

In May 2020 the Ambulance won the top Europa Nostra Prize for Education, Training and Raising Cultural Awareness, and then in October was voted, by a long margin, as the best overall Europa Nostra project for 2020. This recognition has been a huge help in raising awareness of our activities in Romania and around Europe.

The Summer Schools for Architecture have been continuing despite the pandemic. Overall eleven separate schools were financed together by our donors and the Romanian Order of Architects.

The Romanian Map of Craftsmen has also continued to grow.

The Pattern Book on Saxon Architecture in Transylvania by the architect Jan Hulsemann for which we received a grant of £10,000 (which was sent directly to Monumentum) is now being printed and will be available for use and sale very soon. The profits from the sale will be returned to our conservation work.

The Cultural Landscape Project allowed us to research the adverse effects of Industrial Agriculture in Southern Transylvania, to make a short video, and to take many photographs to show how agri-business is changing the countryside. These photographs have been of immense use in raising awareness of the problems.

**Fund raising**

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**ANGLO ROMANIAN TRUST FOR TRADITIONAL ARCHITECTURE**

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**TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED)**

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**Other**

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### RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT

For the year ended 31 December 2020

	Restricted Funds £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds £	Last Year £
<b>Receipts</b>				
Grants	73,000	128,000	201,000	161,929
Donations		-	-	-
<b>Total receipts</b>	<u>73,000</u>	<u>128,000</u>	<u>201,000</u>	<u>161,929</u>
<b>Payments</b>				
Grants made				
Monumentum Association, for running expenses		26,699	26,699	41,192
Consultancy		25,000	25,000	-
Map of Craftsmen project	9,026	-	9,026	-
Other Project works and interventions		2,136	2,136	4,354
Ambulance for Monuments	66,302	-	66,302	117,525
Tools for Ambulance	8,000	-	8,000	
Training, exhibitions, publications	10,400	-	10,400	9,275
William Blacker consultancy payments		32,800	32,800	
Administration				
Accountancy		963	963	1,619
<b>Total payments</b>	<u>93,728</u>	<u>87,598</u>	<u>181,326</u>	<u>173,965</u>
<b>Net of Receipts and Payments</b>	<b>(20,728)</b>	40,402	19,674	<b>(12,036)</b>
Cash holdings last year end	<u>24,158</u>	<u>(12,893)</u>	<u>11,265</u>	<u>23,301</u>
<b>Cash holdings this year end</b>	<u><u>3,430</u></u>	<u><u>27,509</u></u>	<u><u>30,939</u></u>	<u><u>11,265</u></u>

### STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AT THE END OF THE YEAR

	Restricted Funds £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds £	Total Funds £
Cash Funds	<u>3,430</u>	<u>27,509</u>	<u>30,939</u>	<u>11,265</u>
Trust Funds	<u>3,430</u>	<u>27,509</u>	<u>30,939</u>	<u>11,265</u>

The Trust held no other assets and had no other liabilities at the end of the year or the previous year.

Approved by the Trustees on 28 October 2021 and signed by two Trustees on behalf of all the Trustees

William Heathcoat Amory  
Trustee

Thierry Kelaart  
Trustee