

# CZECH NATIONAL TRUST ABROAD

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## **Trustees' Annual Report and Accounts for the year from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022**

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**Charity name** Czech National Trust Abroad  
**Registered charity number** 1162843  
**Charity's principal address** 26, Clarendon Court, Sidmouth Road, London NW2 5HB

### Trustees

The Trustees who held office in the year 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022 were as follows:

Dr Irena Edwards  
Catherine Leonard  
Zuzana Princova

### Governance

The charity is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation with a constitution dated 25 July 2015 that was approved by all three trustees. The charity was entered onto the Register of Charities on 27 July 2015 by the Charity Commission of England and Wales.

### Objectives

To promote for the benefit of the public the conservation, protection and maintenance of heritage buildings and their contents, gardens and historic landscapes in the Czech Republic in particular, but without limitation, by supporting the Czech National Trust (CNT).

### Activities

2022 was a successful and busy year for the Czech National Trust Abroad (CNTA). We helped to expand Czech National Trust's (CNT) internal and international reach and educational prowess, especially by connecting much better on a practical level to the National Trust of England through the Erasmus+ project, as well as to the INTO (International National Trusts Organisation) membership through the INTO Places programme. The continued help of our supporters enabled us to carry on with our work in support of CNT and Czech heritage.

1. CNTA/ INTO played a key part in the implementation of the Erasmus+ project in the Czech Republic. CNT coordinated an educational exchange programme between 5 European National Trusts (NT). The grant of 73,000 Euros continued to be administered by the CNT with CNTA/INTO's support from London. CNTA/INTO hosted the "kick off" meeting in Surrey, UK in June and the international exchanges/secondments of twelve heritage experts into six EU countries in the autumn. We helped formulate the programme of a fourteen-day secondment of two heritage experts from English and Scottish NT to the Czech Republic and two Czechs to the English NT and the Italian NT (FAI).
2. CNTA negotiated the selection of CNT as a part of INTO's global membership programme INTO Places and helped to launch it in the Czech Republic. The INTO Places programme allows CNT members/supporters to visit more than 1,100 historic sites in 31 countries (incl. Czech Republic) for free or at a significant discount.
3. CNTA supported CNT in the presentation of its successful project "Ticket to the New World" at the Bohemian National Hall in New York and two other venues. Programme included an exhibition, lectures and a book launch.
4. CNTA continues to support CNT's campaign to return the nationally revered monumental statue of the Winged Arrow by the famous Czech sculptor Otto Gutfreund, to its original location on the roof of the Skoda Palace in the centre of Prague.
5. We helped to secure a further donation from a generous private industrialist donor which enabled CNT to restore the front terrace of its pilot project in Moravia.
6. CNTA helped to forge a relationship with a new organisation of private chateau owners ANOPA leading to the signing of a Memorandum of co-operation. ANOPA represents 36 Czech privately owned and municipal chateaux. CNTA negotiated ANOPA's participation in CNT's Erasmus+ project.
7. CNTA continues to represent CNT on the Board of INTO.

### Trustees' Responsibility

The trustees are responsible for this annual report and the receipts and payments accounts.

Authorised on 16 October 2023 to sign on behalf of the Board Trustees



Trustee – Irena Edwards

16 October 2023

Date



CHARITY COMMISSION  
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Czech National Trust Abroad

Charity Number  
1162843

## Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period  
from

Period start date  
01-Jan-22


To

Period end date  
31-Dec-22

### Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
<b>A1 Receipts</b>					
Grants	-	-	-	-	-
Events	-	-	-	-	-
Donations	344	-	-	344	127
Gift Aid Tax Repayment	43	-	-	43	48
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b> (Gross income for AR)	387	-	-	387	175
<b>A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total receipts</b>	387	-	-	387	175
<b>A3 Payments</b>					
Charitable activities	40	-	-	40	-
Grant to Czech National Trust	-	-	-	-	22
Travel costs	300	-	-	300	-
Bank charges	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	340	-	-	340	22
<b>A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total payments</b>	340	-	-	340	22
<b>Net of receipts/(payments)</b>	47	-	-	47	153
<b>A5 Transfers between funds</b>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>A6 Cash funds last year end</b>	3,441	-	-	3,441	3,288
<b>Cash funds this year end</b>	3,488	-	-	3,488	3,441

## Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
<b>B1 Cash funds</b>		3,488	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	<b>Total cash funds</b>	3,488	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK
<b>B2 Other monetary assets</b>	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
<b>B3 Investment assets</b>	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
<b>B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use</b>	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
<b>B5 Liabilities</b>	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees		Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
			Irena Edwards	16.10.2023