



## Fire Safety Retrofit Project the Year

Applicants should demonstrate excellence in the design, implementation, and management of fire safety strategies within complex or high-risk built environments. Submissions must relate to a project, building, or portfolio operational within Ireland within the past 2–3 years.

*\*Below are some tips to include in your application, not a strict list of points that have to be answered*

### **Project Overview & Existing Conditions**

- Description of the building (type, use, size, location)
- Original fire safety condition and key deficiencies or risks
- Reason for retrofit (compliance, upgrade, remediation, change of use, etc.)

### **Fire Safety Strategy & Design Approach**

- Retrofit fire safety strategy and objectives
- Compliance approach with Irish Building Regulations (TGD B)
- Use of fire engineering or alternative solutions (if applicable)
- How constraints of the existing building were addressed

### **Delivery in an Existing / Live Environment**

- How works were delivered in an occupied or operational building (if applicable)
- Phasing and sequencing of works
- Temporary fire safety measures during construction
- Coordination with occupants, users, or operators

### **Risk Mitigation & Technical Solutions**

- Key fire risks identified and how they were resolved
- Passive and active fire safety upgrades (e.g. compartmentation, systems, escape improvements)
- Quality assurance, inspection, and validation of works
- Challenges encountered and how they were overcome

### **Outcomes & Impact**

- Improvements in life safety and compliance
- Evidence of improved performance or reduced risk
- Benefits to occupants, owners, or building users
- Long-term resilience and value delivered by the retrofit

### **Supporting Evidence**

- Fire strategy drawings and reports
- Before/after photographs
- Testing, inspection, and commissioning records
- Compliance documentation
- Testimonials from client, occupants, or fire professionals