

# Temporary writers' residence

case study  
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Location: UK



**Architect:** Matthew Butcher, Kieran Wardle and Owain Williams

**Owner:** N/A

**Year of completion:** 2016

**Climate:** Cfb

**Material of interest:** plastic

**Application:** Exterior

**Properties of material:** The unusual structure consists of a steel frame clad in panels of translucent polycarbonate, and features a dysfunctional chimney stack and a set of fin-like shutters – all references to the region's industrial architecture.

## Sources:

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