



List of Binders

The Society of Bookbinders is open to all who have an interest in books and related matters. Membership of the Society is no guarantee of expertise or standard of workmanship and the Society does not endorse or warranty the work of its members. This list is compiled from those members who have expressed a willingness to take on work.

A number of professional binderies have corporate membership and most or all of these have links on the Society's website at <https://www.societyofbookbinders.com/about-us/useful-links>. Those who have requested it are also in this list under the relevant regional area.

UK members of the Society meet locally within Regions (East Anglia, East Midlands, London & South, North East, North Wales and North West, Scotland, Western, and West Midlands) so this list is sorted regionally with a few overseas members listed by country.

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