



## REFERENCE

# Hatschepsut Temple, Deir el Behari / Egypt

## **Application Field**

- Facade restoration
- Facade restoration / natural stone

## **Structure Type**

- Schools / universities / museums
- Historically protected / historically valuable buildings
- Castles / forts
- Other buildings

## **Brief Description**

No women in ancient Egypt had as much power or was as controversial as the pharaoh Hatschepsut. She became pharaoh 3460 years ago and made herself immortal through a unique and monumental temple. The structure, which is completely made of fine limestone, is deemed a perfect combination of nature and architecture. The three level terrace temple is nestled into rock cliffs up to 280 metres high.

## **Main Problem and Requirements**

3500 years of changing history have turned the once magnificent structure into rubble and debris. The fragments are now being painstakingly put back together and reconstructed under the direction of scientists from the University of Warsaw.

#### Client

Egyptian Archaeology Authority

## **Products and Systems Used**

#### Facade restoration / natural stone

Impregnation: Funcosil SL

Coating: Silicone Resin Paint LA
Bonding work: Injection Resin 100

Stone strengthener: KSE 100, KSE 300, KSE 510



## **Specifier**

Polish Center for Mediterranean Archaeology, University Warsaw

## Installer

Dr. Zbigniew Szafrański Head Restorer Ing. Rajmund Gazda

## Completion

Continuous project

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