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### Guardian UK earns 'responsible sourcing' certification

Guardian Industries UK Ltd. (Guardian) has earned the coveted BES 6001 accreditation for its responsible sourcing of materials. After independent assessment by the British Standards Institution, the awarding body, Guardian UK received a "Very Good" score, highlighting the company's long-term focus on sustainability and environmental responsibility.

The Building Research Establishment (BRE) Ltd.'s BES 6001 certification assesses how well companies operate within strict standards of supply chain management and environmental and social responsibility when managing relationships with suppliers. Specifically, it acknowledges the "Responsible Sourcing of Construction Products."

For more information, visit [www.guardianglass.co.uk](http://www.guardianglass.co.uk).



"Investing in an outside fireplace allows one to make full use of a deck or patio area, as you won't need to retreat indoors when the sun goes down, or when the evening turns a little chilly."

Whether you're a landscaper or a designer whose clients want an outside entertainment area to extend their home space, you already know that an outdoor fireplace can bring a fantastic ambience to any garden project.

If you're a homeowner looking to make your outside space more comfortable and inviting without having to invest in design skills, you'll find that our latest range of ready-made firebowls and firepits will be your simple solution.

Otherwise, we have a wide range of other options."

[www.urbanfires.co.uk](http://www.urbanfires.co.uk)



### New innovation enables open plan layouts and domestic loft conversions whilst keeping the design stylish and unobtrusive.

Plumis is the manufacturer of the James Dyson Award-winning Automist range of innovative fire safety products that blend seamlessly into residential settings.

The svelte Automist concept uses water mist - a highly effective fire suppressant - to extinguish fires or suppress them long enough to allow people to escape safely and firefighters to attend.

Plumis's latest product, the Automist Smartscan, matches the performance of domestic water sprinklers. Elegantly engineered, water-saving, and efficient, it is straightforward to install and maintain.

Plumis's Smartscan was awarded the coveted Red Dot: Best of the Best award in 2016.

To find out more, visit [www.plumis.co.uk](http://www.plumis.co.uk)

### Ghizlan el Glaoui

Moroccan-born artist, Ghizlan el Glaoui has developed a unique take on mosaic art that fuses ancient paint techniques with the latest in interactive LED lighting technology. Inspired by her Berber heritage, Ghizlan uses a geometrical method employed in fresco art to capture the essence of her subjects through vivid colours, oils, traditional tempuras and luminescent metallic paints on canvas, which she then illuminates from behind. This provides the ability to change the colour and temperature of the light - which can be controlled through an iPad or remote control - depending on the time of day.

Available in any size or scale for residential or commercial projects, the result is a series of distinctive paintings reminiscent of the glittering mosaics of the Byzantine Empire. [ghizlanelglaoui.com](http://ghizlanelglaoui.com).

