"Every great design begins with an even better story"

Lorinda Mamo, Designer



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HE SHIFT

BRIEF

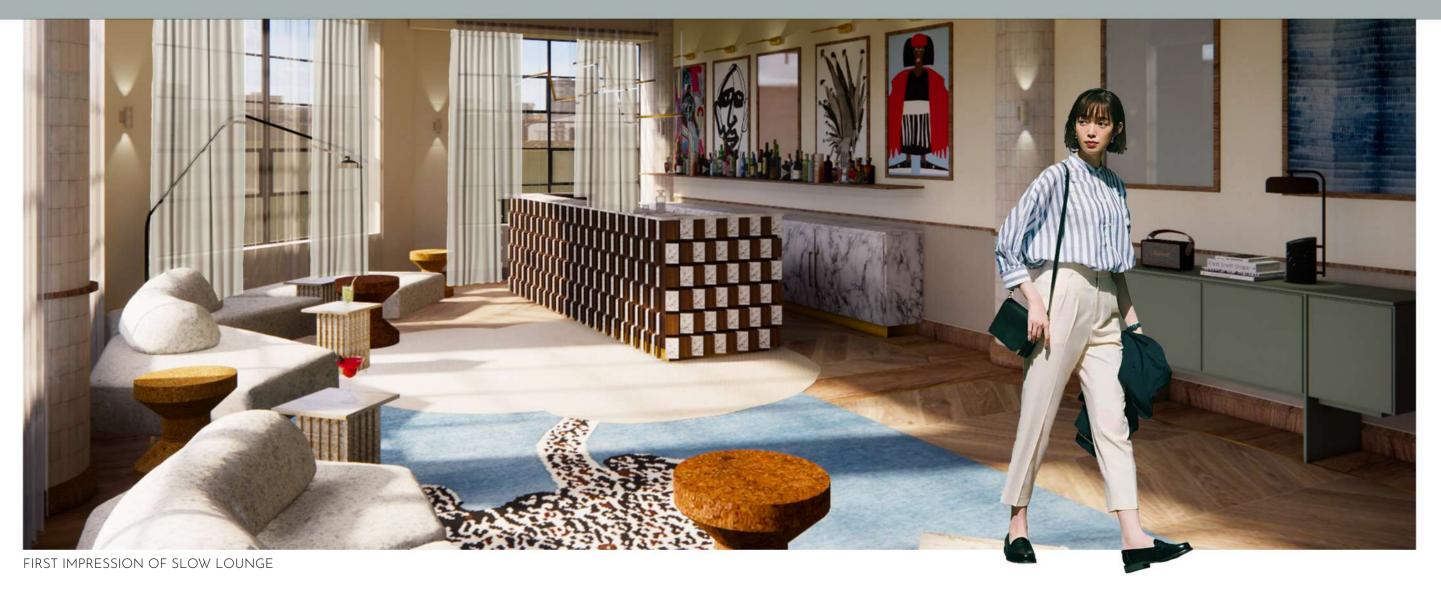
An existing plan of the second floor of 10 Searle Street Woodstock is to be converted into a new 5 star luxury holding hotel, the structure of which cannot be altered. i was given the freedom to design the internal layout and aesthetic with a limitless brief focused on the experience the clients would receive. From this luxurious holding hotel the clients would travel to their luxury pods which had to be located within four hours of the hotel.

CONCEPT

As humans expand and grow we develop environments to live in, whilst unfortunately destroying everything around us in the process. I wanted to create a space that celebrates its surroundings despite the mass destruction for both my hotel and luxury pods.

THE SHIFT - HOLDING HOTEL

THE HOLDING HOTEL CELEBRATES ALL THINGS WOODSTOCK, IT IS VIBRANT, WILD, ALIVE AND EXCITING, LAYERED WITH LOCAL AND INTERNATIONAL BESPOKE FURNITURE PIECE SAND RICH MATERIALS FOLLOWING A MAXIMALIST APPROACH, WHICH IS A HUGE GLOBAL TREND AT THE MOMENT IN PERSONALIZING SPACES ESPECIALLY AMONGST THE "GEN Z" EVERY CORNER OF THE HOTEL IS AN INSTAGRAMABLE MOMENT, CREATING PERSONA FOR THE HOTEL. THE DESIGN OF MY HOTEL HOTEL (THE SHIFT) IS IN COMPLETE CONTRAST TO THAT OF THE LUXURY PODS.





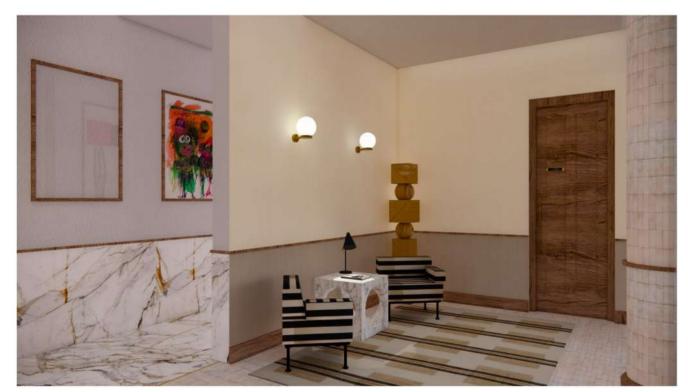




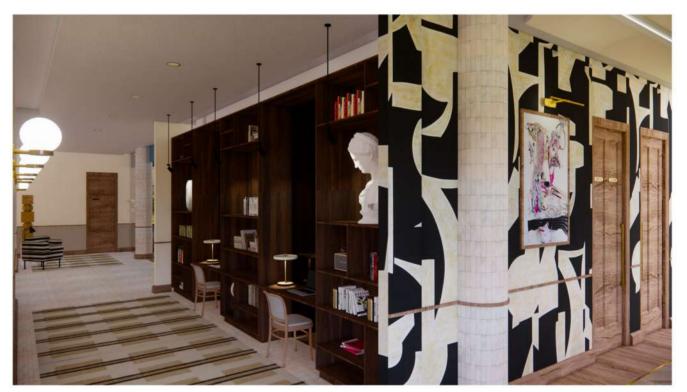
SLOW LOUNGE BAR DESIGN



FLOOR PLAN NTS

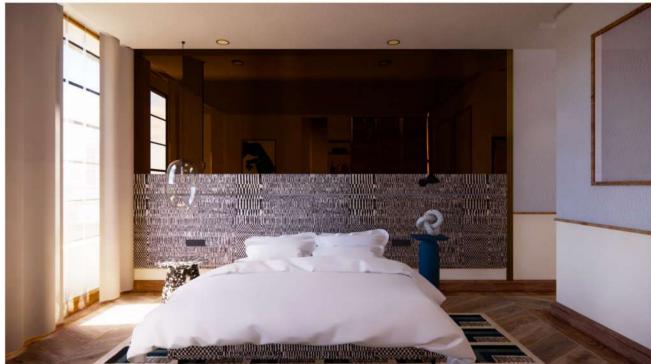


HALLWAY DESIGN AND SEATING OUTSIDE BATHROOM



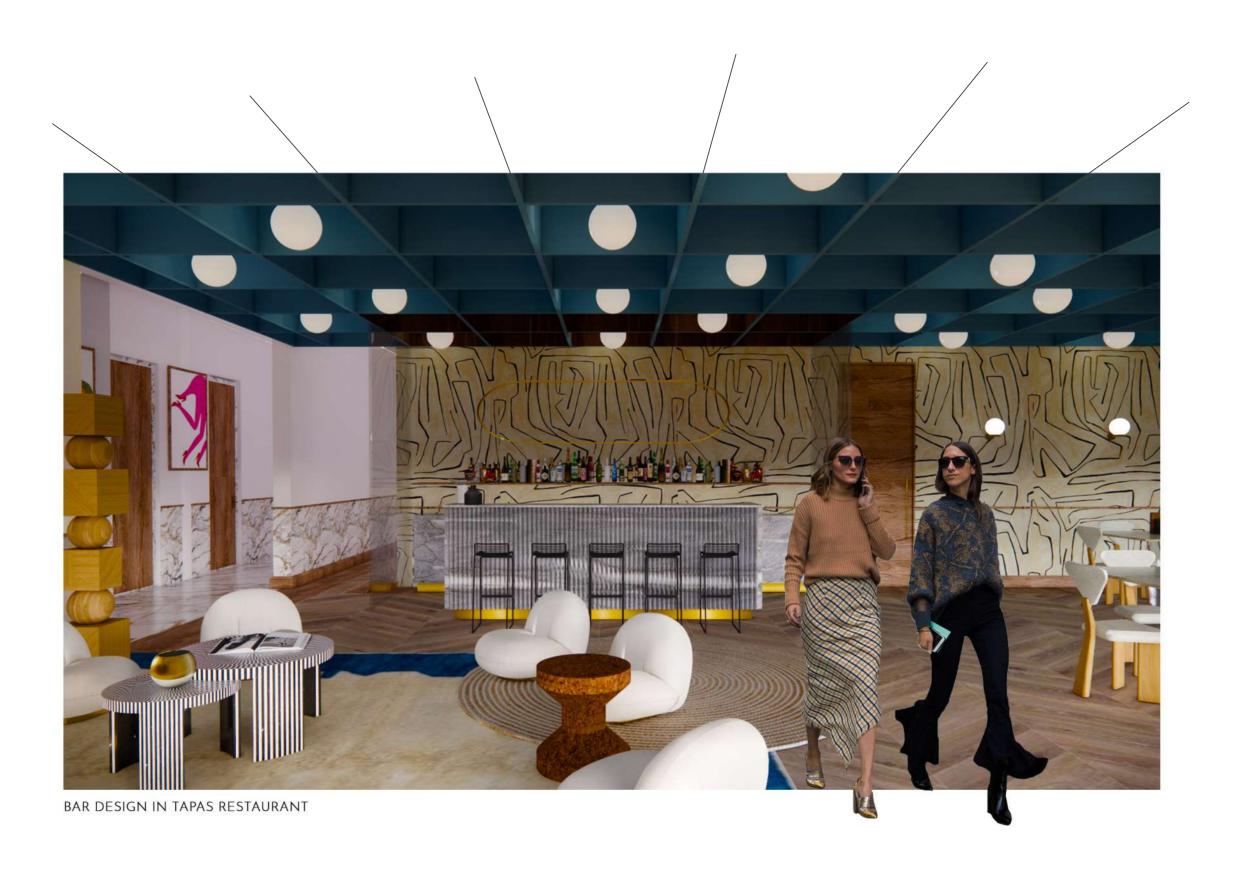
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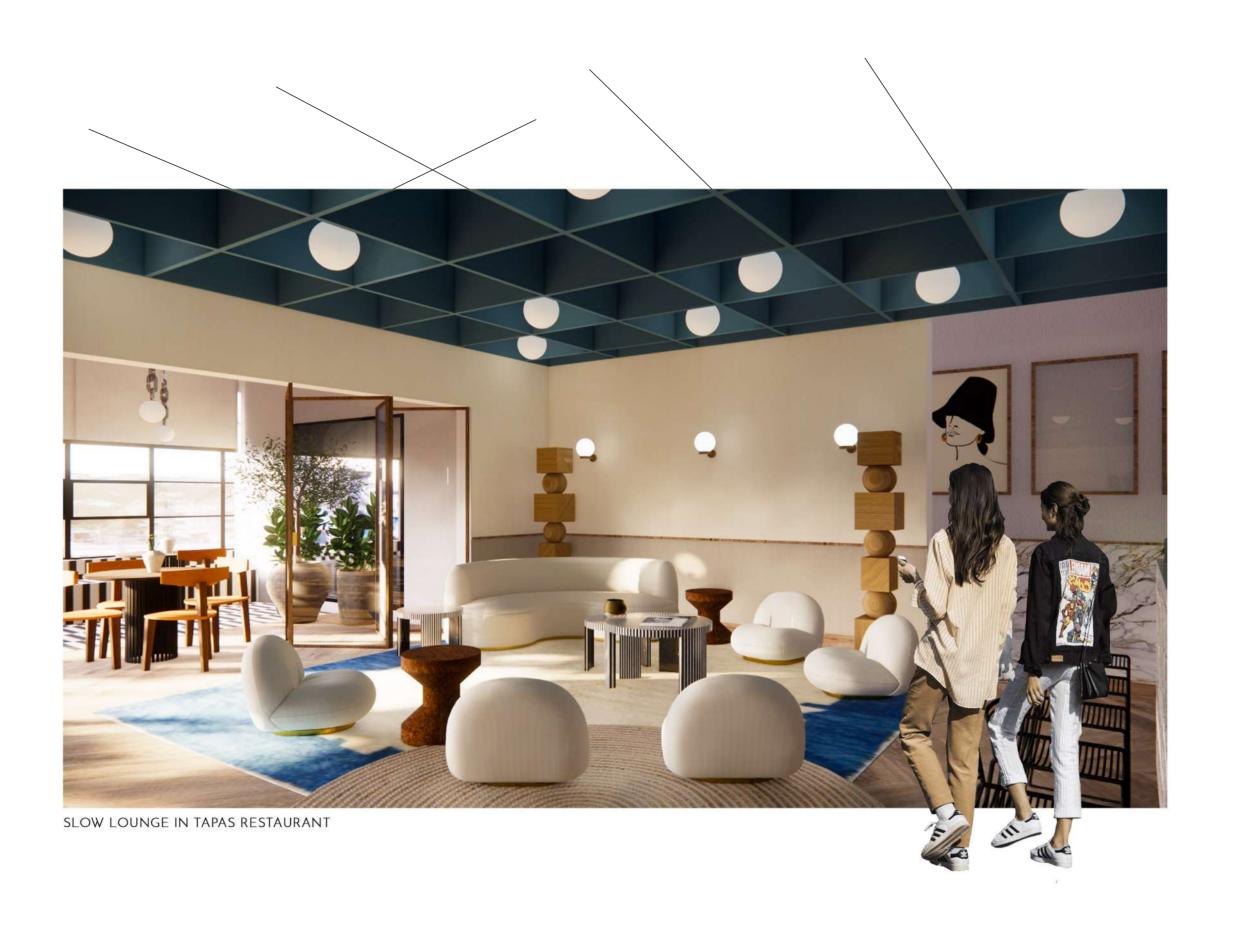




BEDROOM TYPE 1 DESIGN





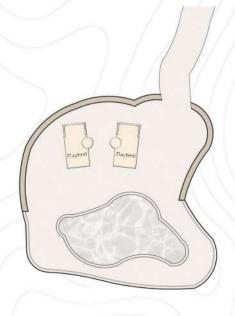


THE SHIFT - LUXURY PODS

FOR THE LUXURY PODS, I HAVE CHOSEN A CHALLENGING LOCATION THAT HAS NOT BEEN INHABITED BEFORE WITH THE AIM TO MAKE IT A LUXURIOUS HABITABLE SPACE WITH A SENSE OF CALM INFLUENCED BY ITS NATURAL SURROUNDINGS. I WANT THE GUESTS TO FEEL LOST IN THE DUNES SO THAT THEY WILL BE ABLE TO COMPLETELY UNWIND AND UNPLUG FROM THE CHAOS THAT SURROUNDS THEM IN THEIR DAILY LIVES. THE CHOSEN LOCATION FOR THE LUXURY PODS: WITSAND SAND DUNES. TRANSPORTATION TO THE PODS WILL BE VIA HELICOPTER AS THE CHOSEN LOCATION IS REMOTE AND OFF THE GRIND.

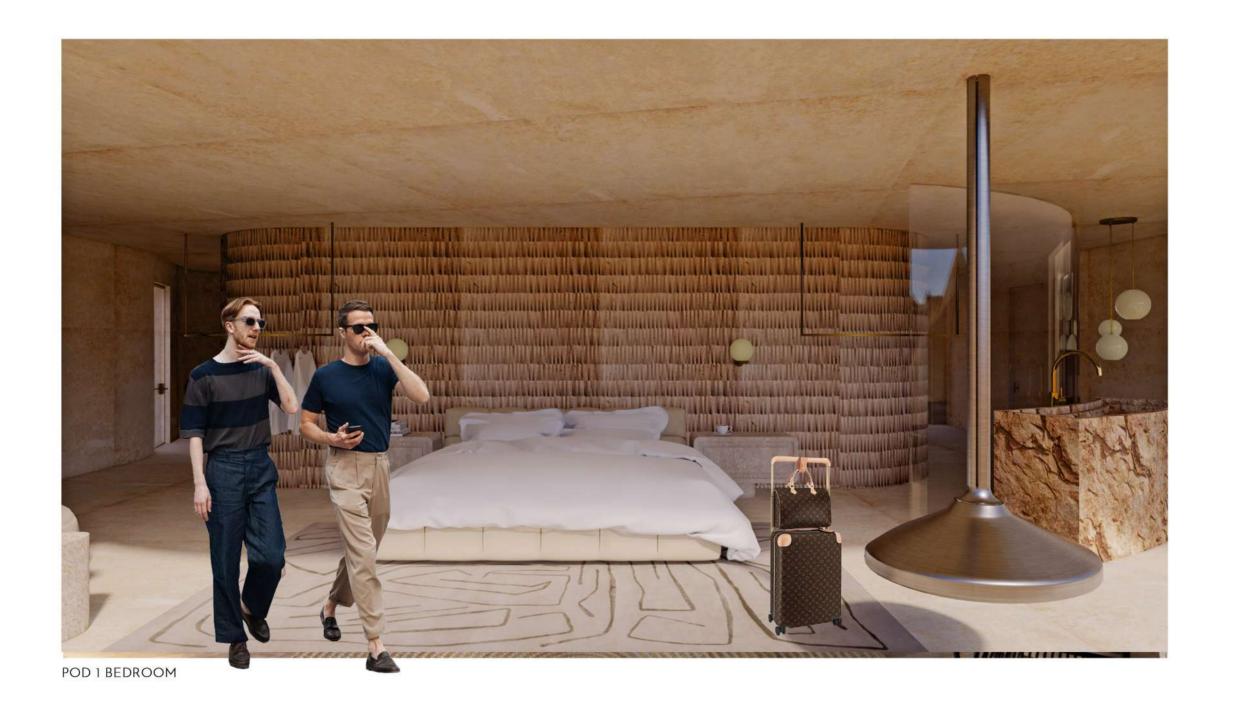






POOL AND SUN-BATHING POD SCALE NTS





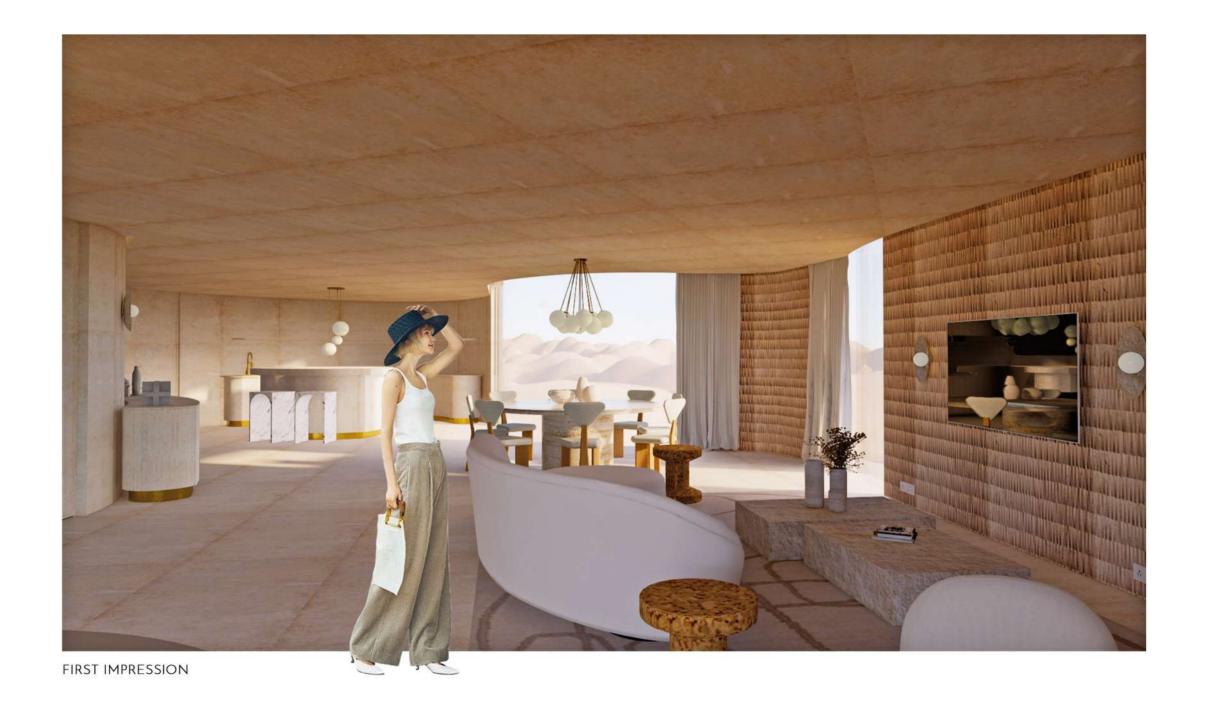


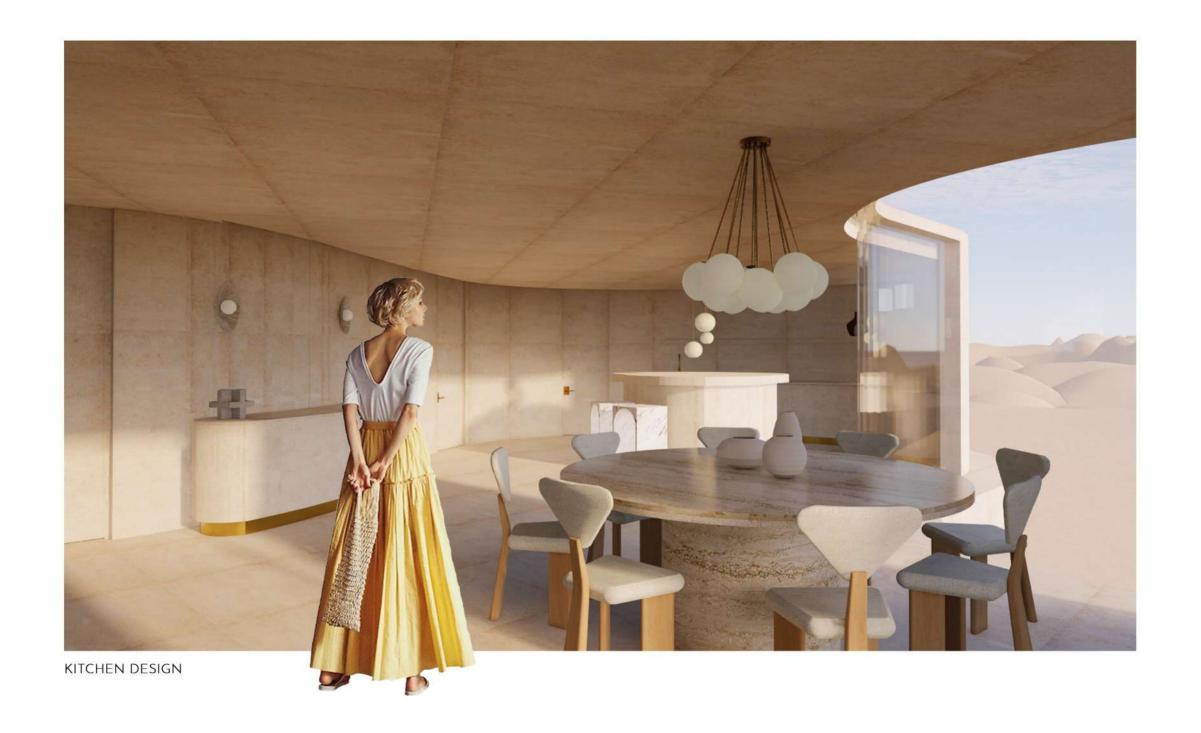


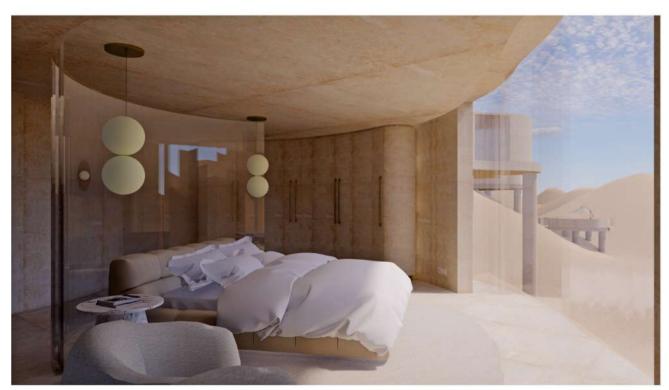


FIRE PIT DESIGN







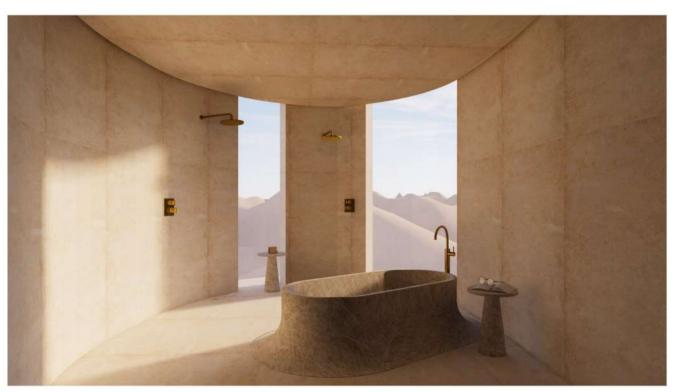


MASTER BEDROOM









INTER-LEADING BATHROOM



EASARSTONE - STUDENT DESIGN COMPETITION

BRIEF

It is time to re-imagine and rebuild the home of South African Democracy, understanding that the National Assembly of 2022 and beyond. This design challange will call you to inspire both the people and politics of South Africa through the interiors / exteriors of this project. It will ask you to draw on history and design a future that is bright and BOLD!

CONCEPT

BUD = ESSENCE = DEMOCRACY

PETALS PROTECT ESSENCE = DEMOCRACY PROTECTED = ASSEMBLY NAVIGATES THE DEMOCRACY





FIRST IMPRESSION OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY



ENTRANCE TO NATIONAL ASSEMBLY



VIEW FROM FIRST FLOOR ON GROUND FLOOR

"ABESIFAZANE" ZULU
WOMEN

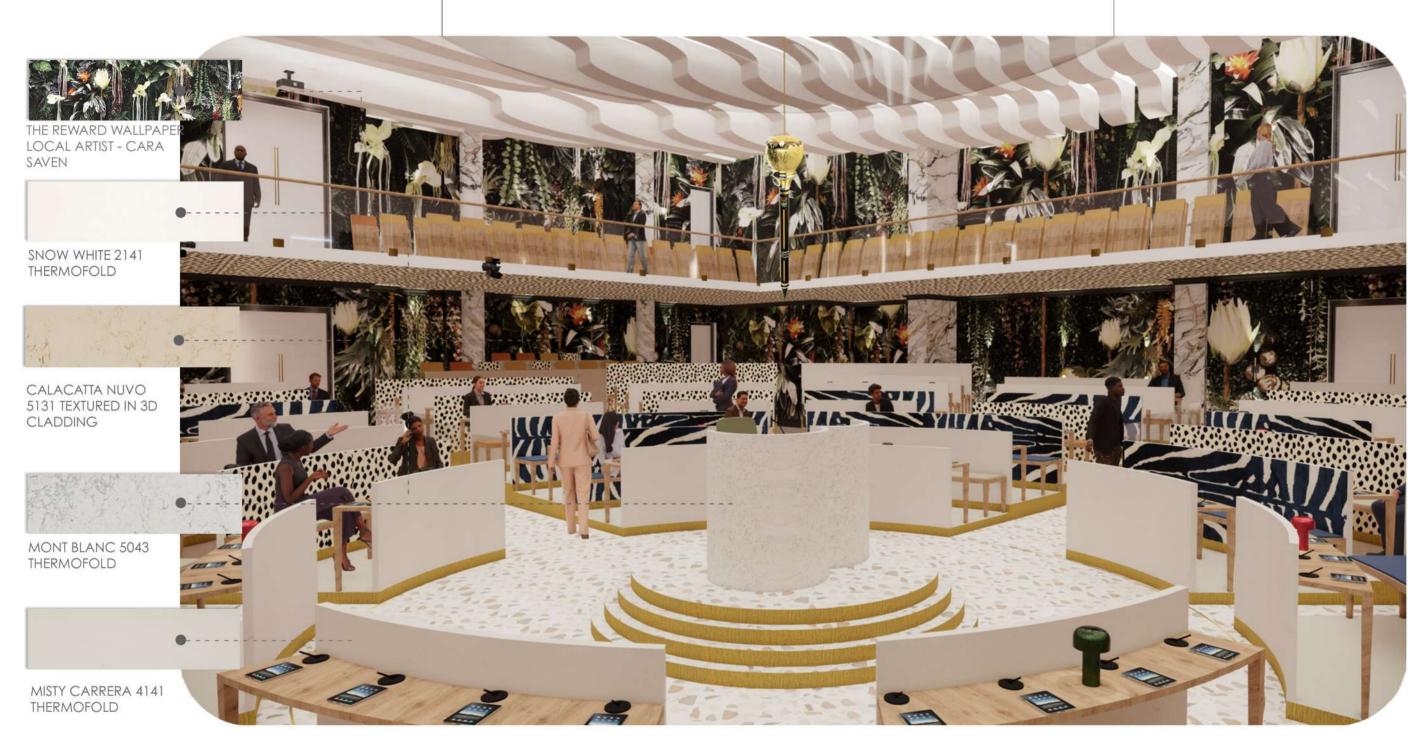
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DRESSED IN ZEBRA
SKIN

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REPRESENTS COMMUNITY, INDIVIDUALISM, FREEDOM

HIERACHY IN THE ZULU CULTURE





VIEW OF PODIUM FROM SEATING



BACK SEATING DETAILING

CALACATTA NUVO 5131 TEXTURED IN 3D CLADDING

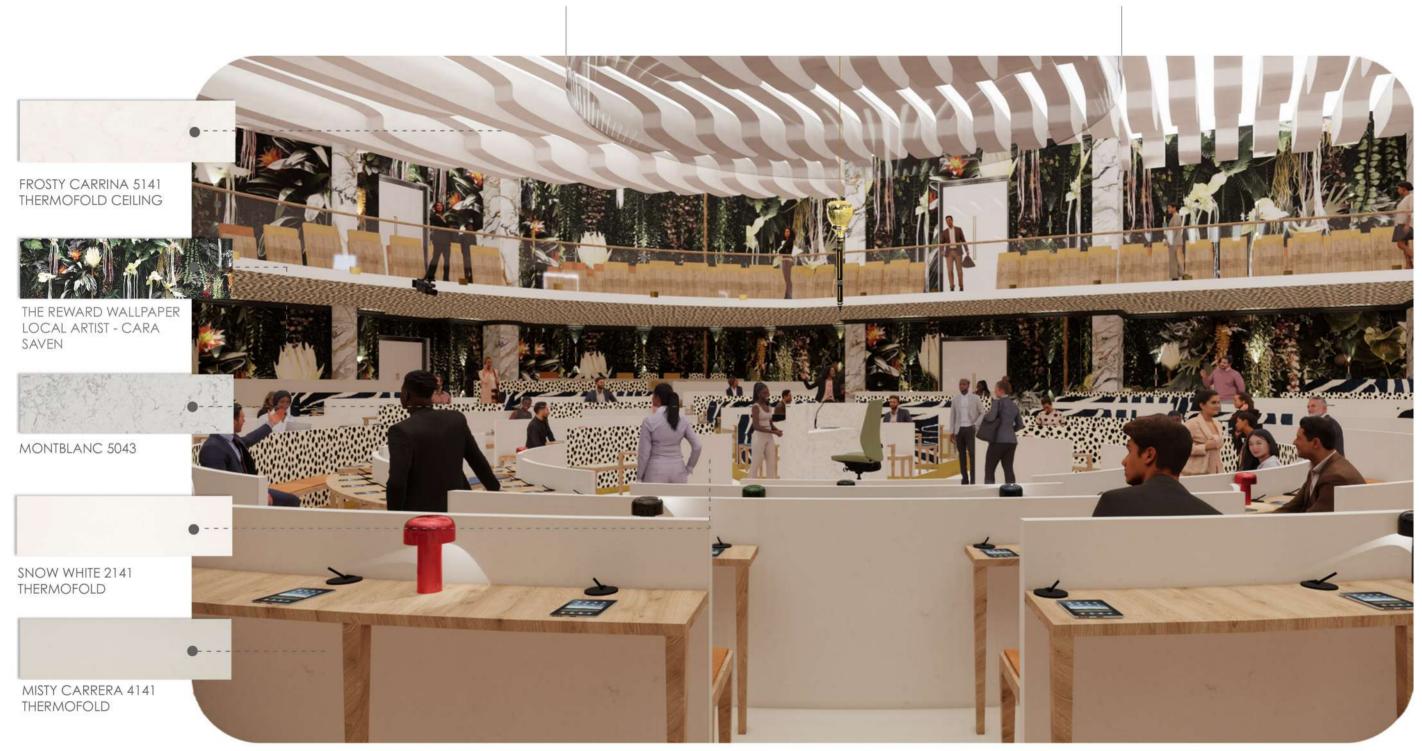
> "UMUNTU" ZULU MAN

DRESSED IN LEOPARD SKIN

REPRESENTS STRENGHT, SELF RESILIENTS, AUTHENTICITY

HIERACHY IN THE ZULU CULTURE





VIEW FROM AISLE OF SEATING



FIRST IMPRESSION



SCAN ME



INTAGE WITH LOVE

BRIEF

You have been approached by the VINTAGE WITH LOVE team and have been tasked with designing their next show stopping event at the Cape Town Cruise Terminal at the V&A Waterfront. The VWL team want you to consider the following, Spacial planning/layout, look and feel concept/interior design scheme, furniture and softs collection, wall graphics and branding in collaboration with orms.

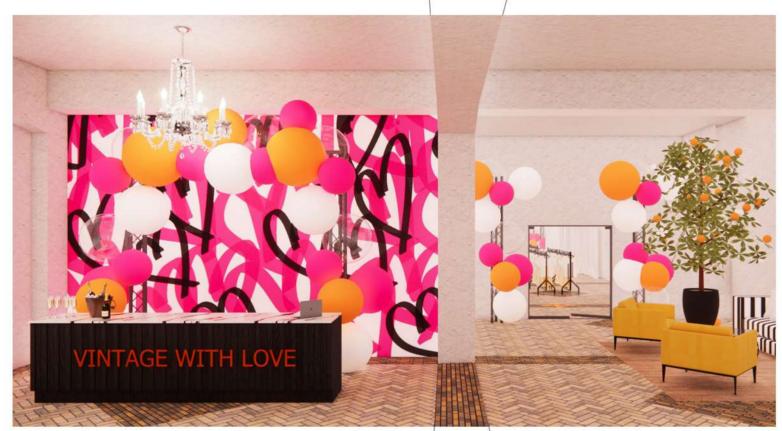
Additional WOW element.

In addition to the interior layout, you have been asked to design an exciting outdoor space in the packing area, in front of the terminal. To include, seating for 100 people to view a fashion show under a bedouin tent, a ramp for the models showcasing clothing, a custome designed slow lounge area with informal lounge and seating at a bar. Your bar needs to feature and celebrate a specific alchol brand. A few food trucks from the tenants of Makers landing terminal should be positioned around the Bedouin tent.

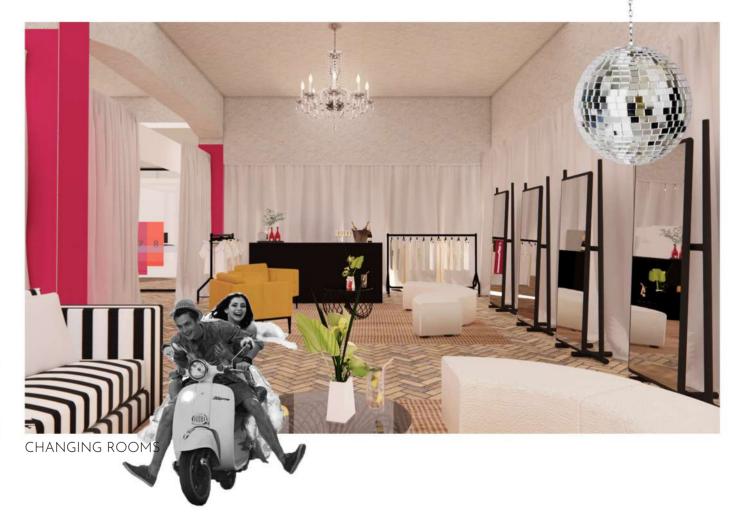
CONCEPT

VINTAGE WITH LOVE is a none profit organization that specializes in high end second hand clothing and accessories at prices that suit everyones wallet. We wanted to create a space that celebrates the very meaning of this organization which is LOVE. We have used colors that evoke emotion with playful stripes and disco balls. A space that is high end and celebrates the shopper.







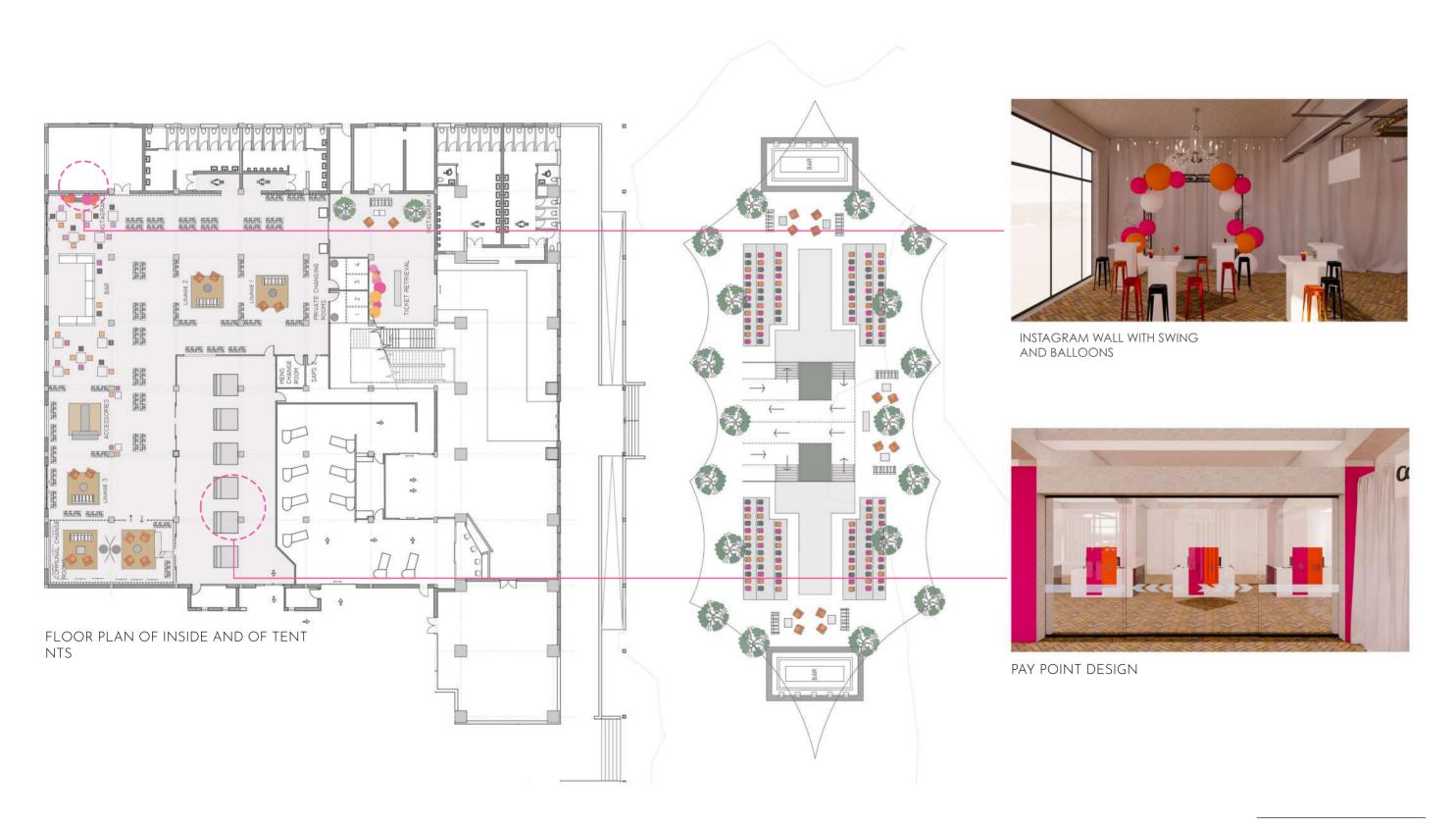




FIRST IMPRESSION OF CLOTHING RAILS AND LOUNGES

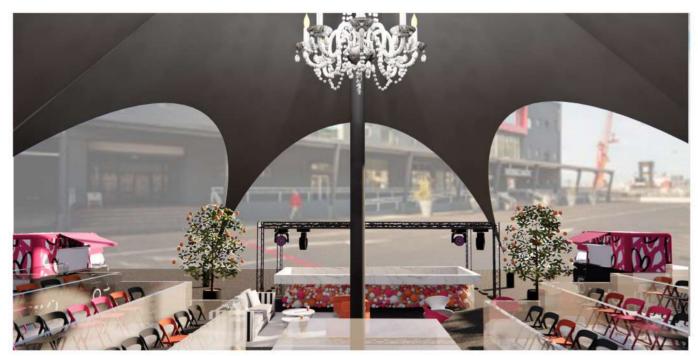


LOUNGE AND CLOTHING RAIL





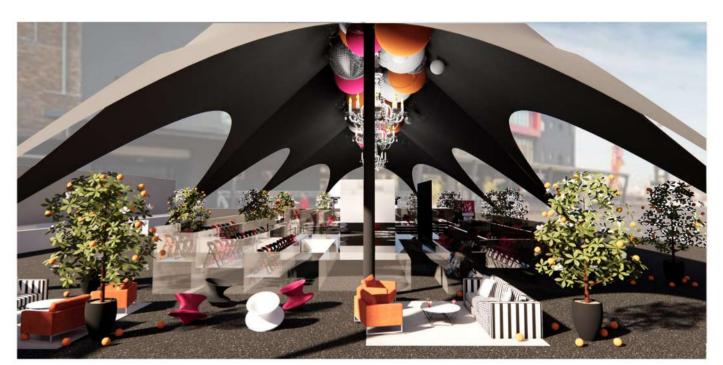
FIRST PERSPECTIVE OF FASHION TENT



PERSPECTIVE OF BAR & LOUNGE AREA



SECTION OF FASHION TENT



PERSPECTIVE OF RUNWAY

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ITCHEN SPECIALIST ASSOCIATION

BRIEF

A couple in their late 40's have just bought a large, older home in a good area and are renovating it, looking to keep some of the orginal features but combine them well with contemporay aspects. While they are not short of money they believe in being sensible with expenses. They are looking for a sophisticated contemporary kitchen that ties in well with the older elements of the home. They want the kitchen to have longevity - they don't want to have to do this again. It needs to be ergonomically designed to work for them as they get older. They want to collect wine and entertain. The kitchen will be open-plan to the main living room which has more traditional elements in it, so the kitchen design has to flow well into this space creating a harmonious link between the old and the new .

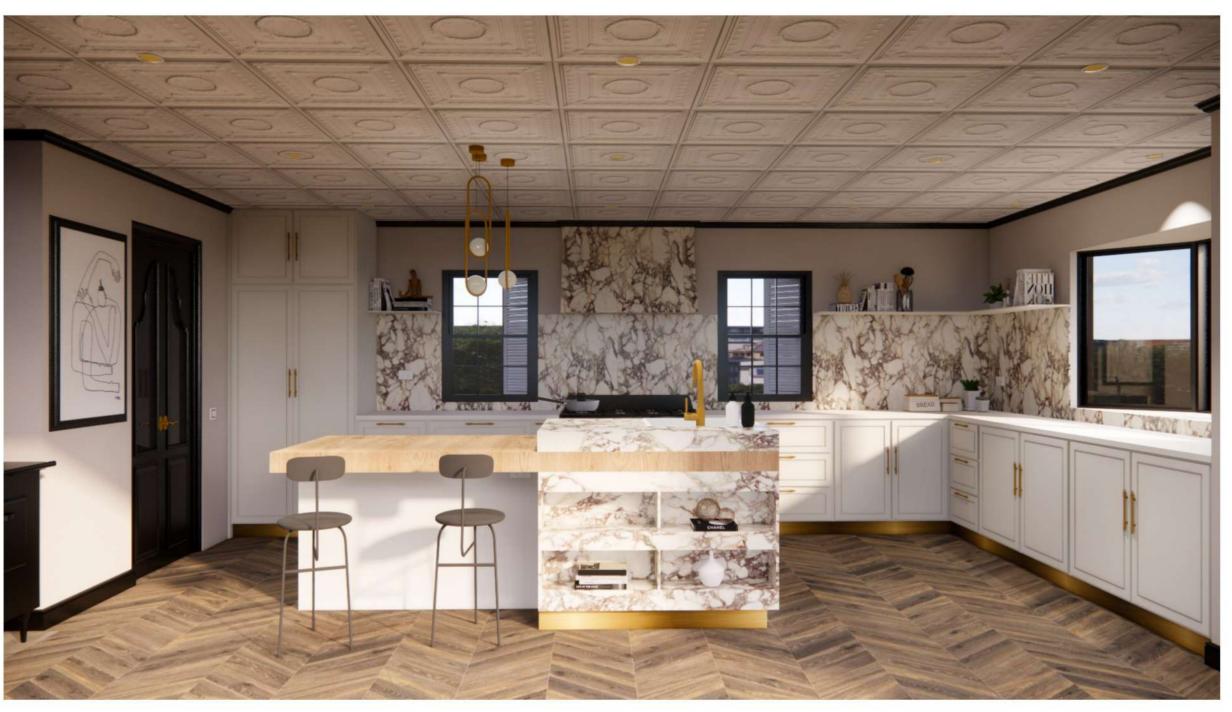
CONCEPT

I wanted to deisgn a space that keeps some of the orginals features of a victorian home and combine them with contemporay aspects such as fully intergated kitchen cabinets, modern finishes with high end appliances. i was heavily inspired by a marble that is quite busy yet i think it adds great warmth to the kitchen and really adds that "WOW" factor. The kitchen has tons of storage space for all of the kitchen equipment as well as huge work spaces to use while cooking. It has a built in wine fridge for when entertaining guests or wanting to add a little bit of flavor to your dinner.

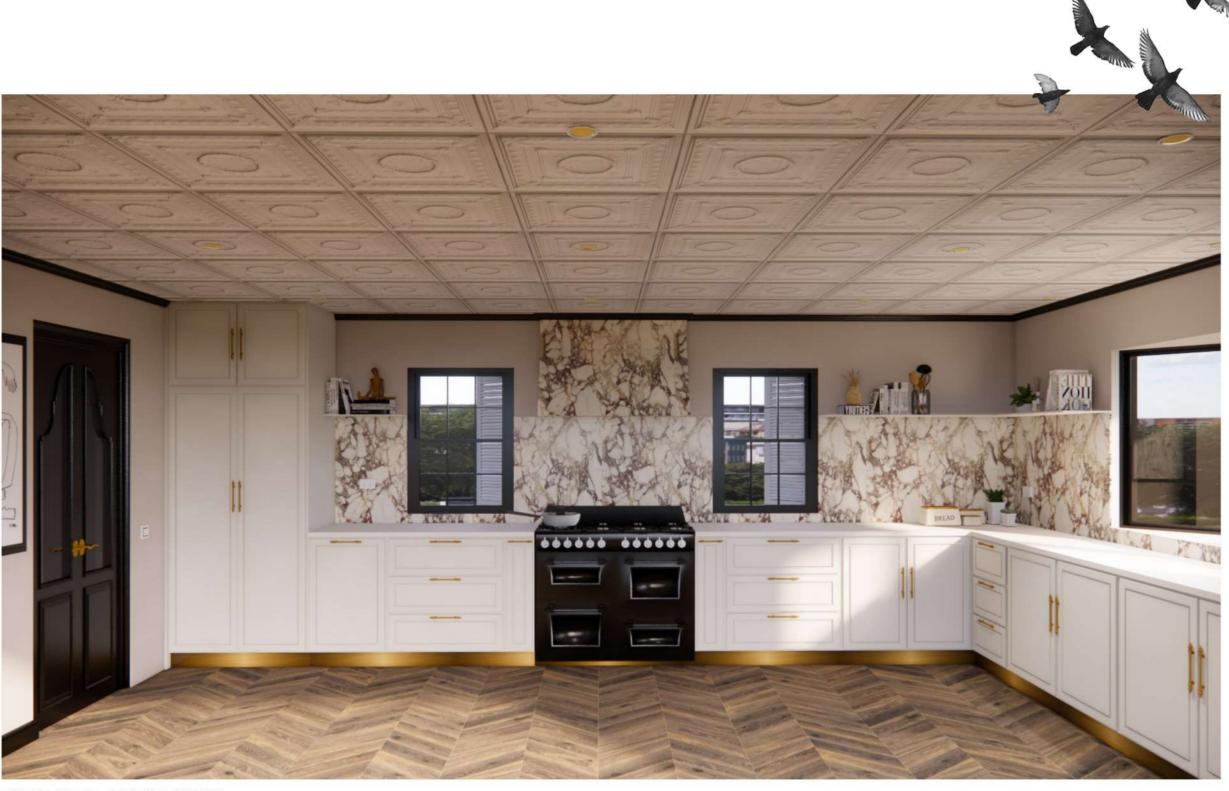
The space offers two island chairs which are perfect for entertaining someone while you cook them a delicious meal. An intergrated extrator fan which is hidden by the marble tiles keeping and sleak and clean look.

This design is a statement and wont age as i have designed it in a way to be timeless, sleak and clean. A statement piece that will bring alot of joy to the home in the future

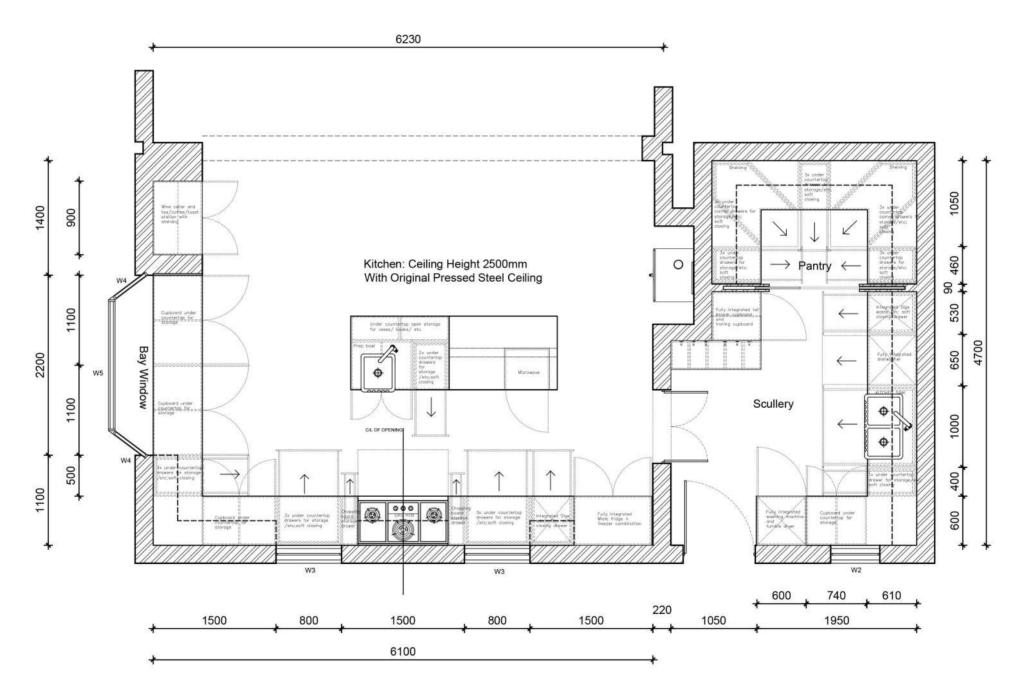




first impression



FRONT ON OF KITCHEN DESIGN



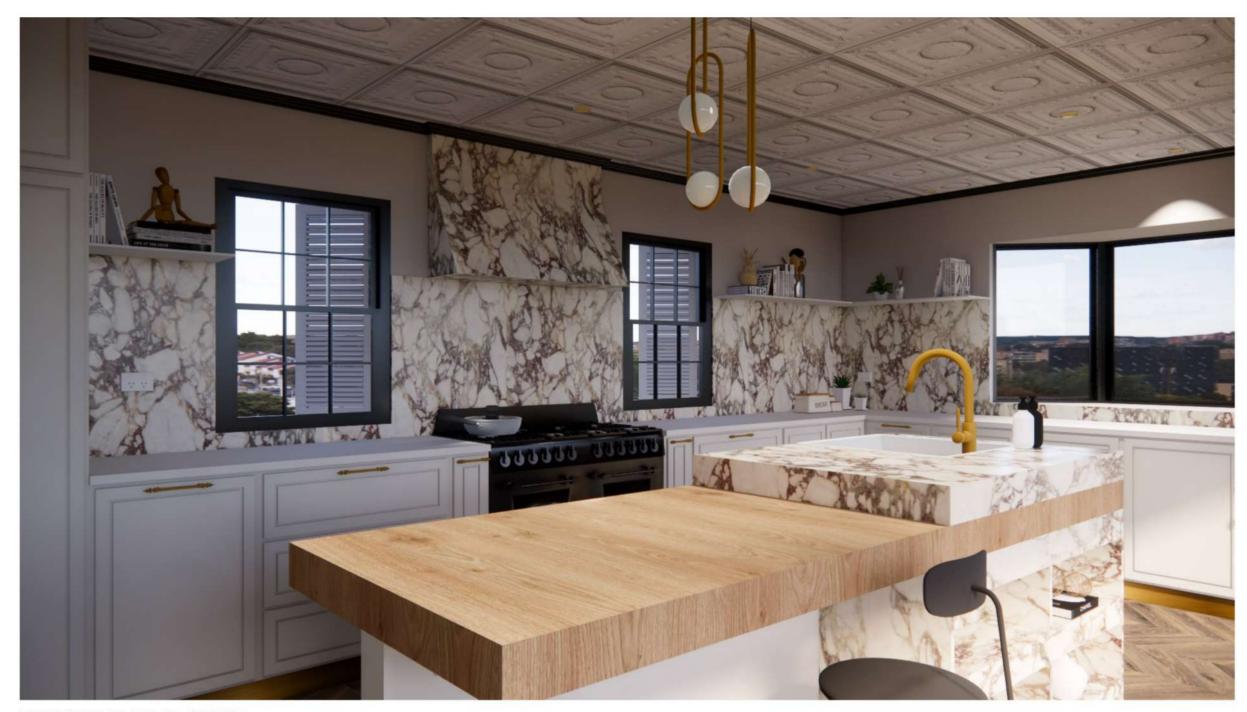
FLOOR PLAN NTS



SIDE VIEW OF BACK OF HOUSE, SCULLERY AND PANTRY



BACK OF HOUSE, SCULLERY AND PANTRY



VIEW FROM ISLAND OF KITCHEN



TLANTIC STUDIOS



BRIEF

Atlantic Studios is known as a cutting-edge film and television studio facility in the industry. Unfortunately when it comes to their canteen on the 2nd floor of the main building togethor with their cast and crew lounge their facilities fail to impress. Atlantic Studios has approached me to re-design their current canteen togethor with their crew and cast lounge in order to breath new life into these neglected spaces. The upgrade of these areas togethor with an upgrade of the existing coffee shop on the ground floor will ensure that their cutting-edge status remains intact for years to come.

CONCEPT

Inspired by neutral colours and clean lines i designed a space that is both beautiful and functional. The space makes use of both new and existing furniture which has either been reupholstered or a fresh coat of paint. I was inspired by a space that wouldnt 'age' and that would stay in style for the years to come. Using neutral colours suchs as charcoals and greys with pops of colours like Sage green and Buuterscotch leather. When designing the canteen space i wanted to create 'zones' for people to eat/work so that the food would stay in one place. I designed an informal work station infront of the coffee station for those wanting to work and have a coffee, multiple tables with existing plastic chairs for eating as well as a new booth seating section to create a more comfortable eating area for those staying longer in the canteen, the back lounge section was designed in a way which high seating for an informal work space and then a steel room divider seprates the informal work space from the lounge area, which is an assortment of comfortable armchairs and curved sofas which prevent people from eating of them as the are curved and you cant really find a comfrotable place to eat. When designing the Cast lounge it was important to have space for the cast to read lines/ relax before shooting. I used the existing bench as a work space as well as having a low seating alone the window for an informal work space, next to that i have intergrated bins which are hidden away in terms of site and smell. I also made use of the existing couches which have been reupholsterd and refoamed. In the Crew room i really wanted to design a space that was ideal for their routine, a coffee station which has ampel amounts of storages as well as a microwave, hydroboil and sink. A curved sofa has been used in this space as it prevent people from eating on it which will prevent food being kept in this space. I use lockers along the back wall for storage for the crew for their personal belongings as well as a low seating informal work space incase they have some admin work to do. Neon lights have been used throughout the space as it adds a sense of happiness and joy.

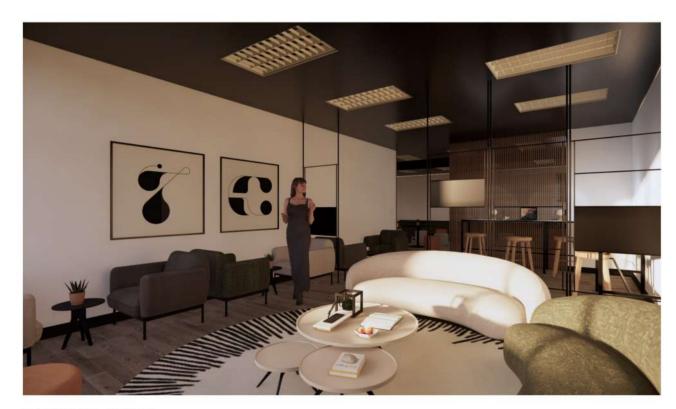




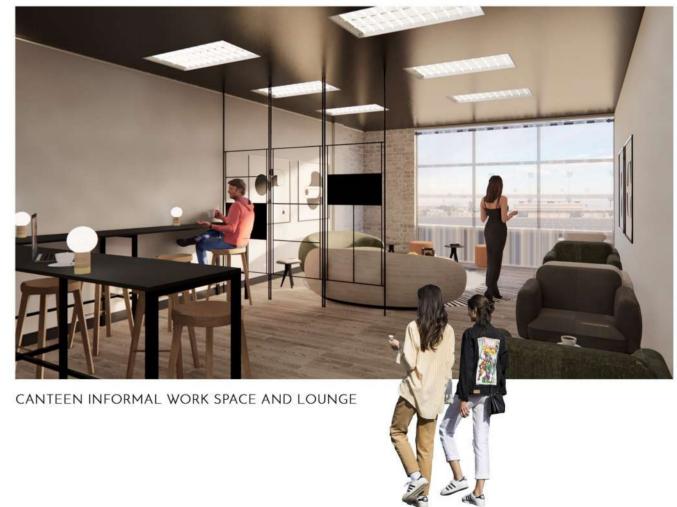


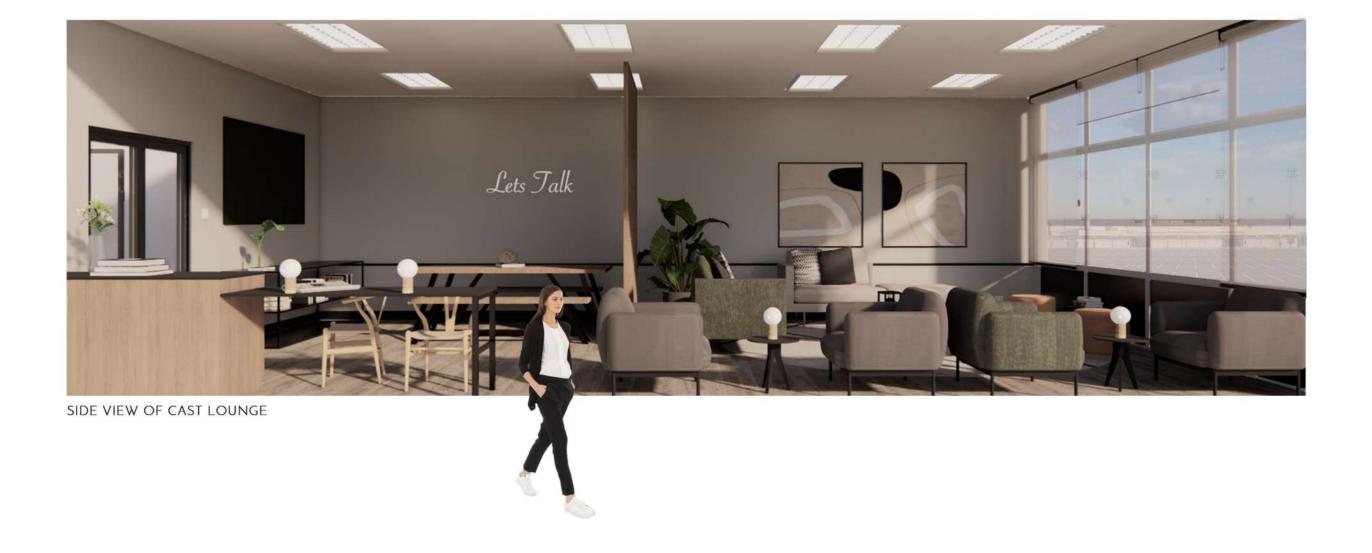


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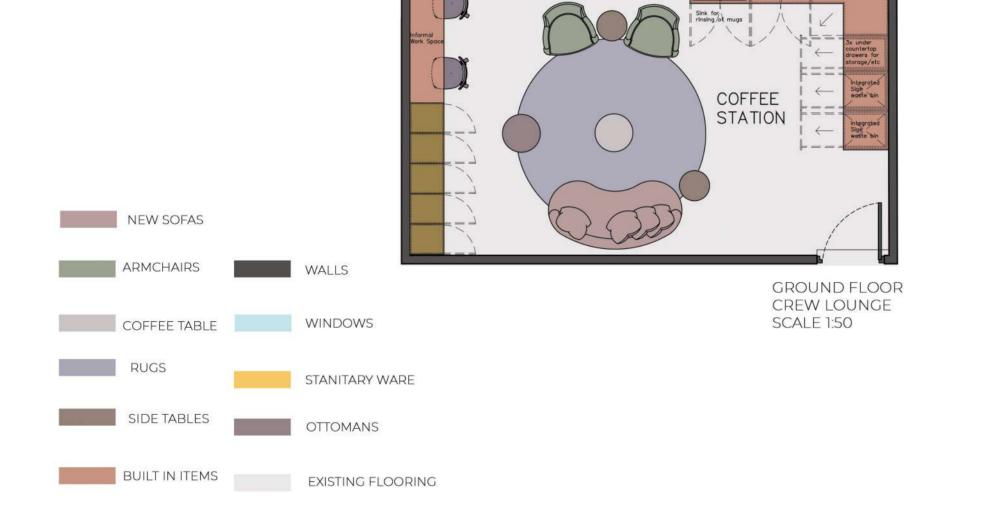








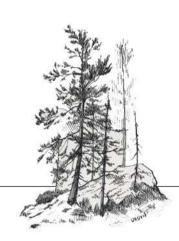




LOUNGE

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UTURE FORWARD - ECOLOGY



BRIEF

the brief invited me to imagine a way of living in the lap of nature, suspended amongst a magnificent forest, under starry skies, anywhere in the world. the design of the tree house bust be innovative, creative with a sustainable edgy whilst adhering to biophilic design principles. the exterior surroundings and the interior space must be taken into consideration. the tree house space will be designed for 2 individuals and the area should not exceed 50 sqms built up internally

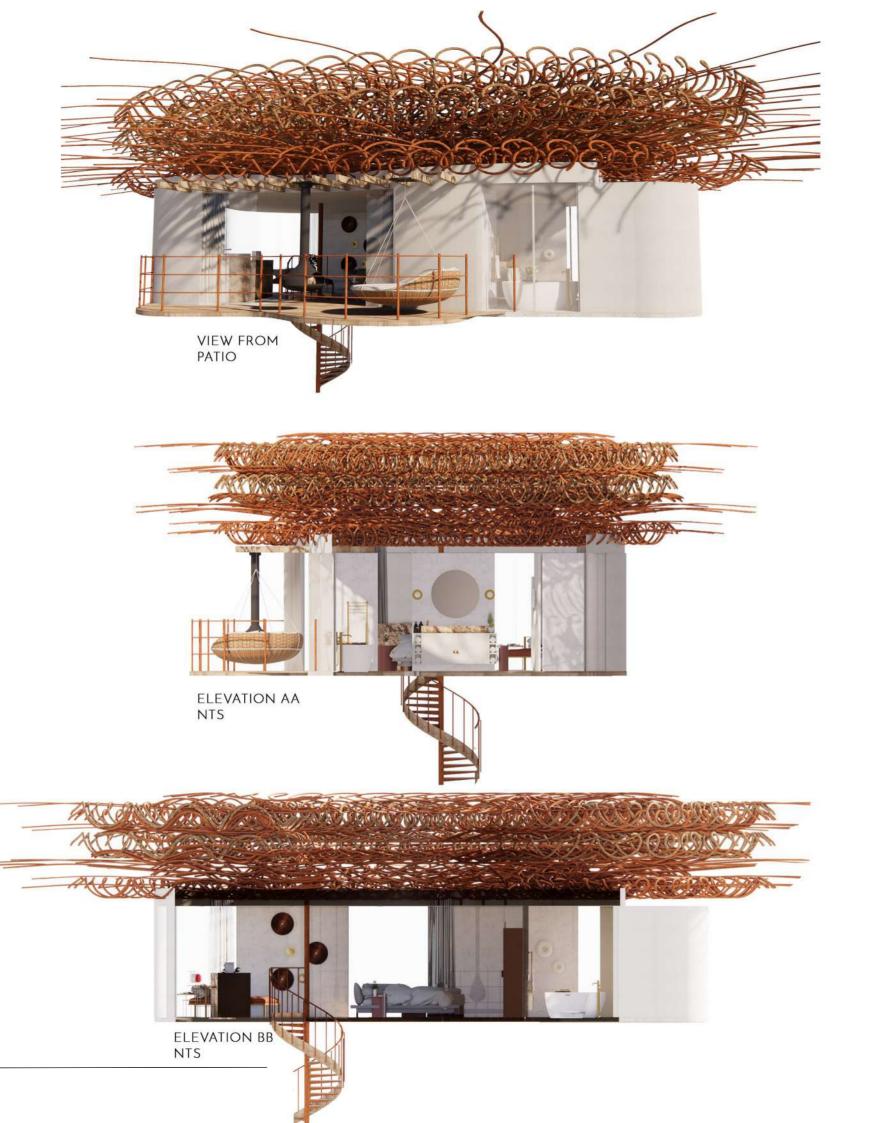
CONCEPT

inspired by the bao bab fruit and the modern aspects of design ecology was built. a space that takes you far away from your chaotic and stressful life, your very own dream space rooted in mother nature. ecology has been designed to cater , sleep, bath and enjoy a dreamy fireplace. with a spiral staircase situated in the trunk of a bao bab tree as well as chandlier hanging from the trees for transport to the recreational pods, designed for relaxation and comfort



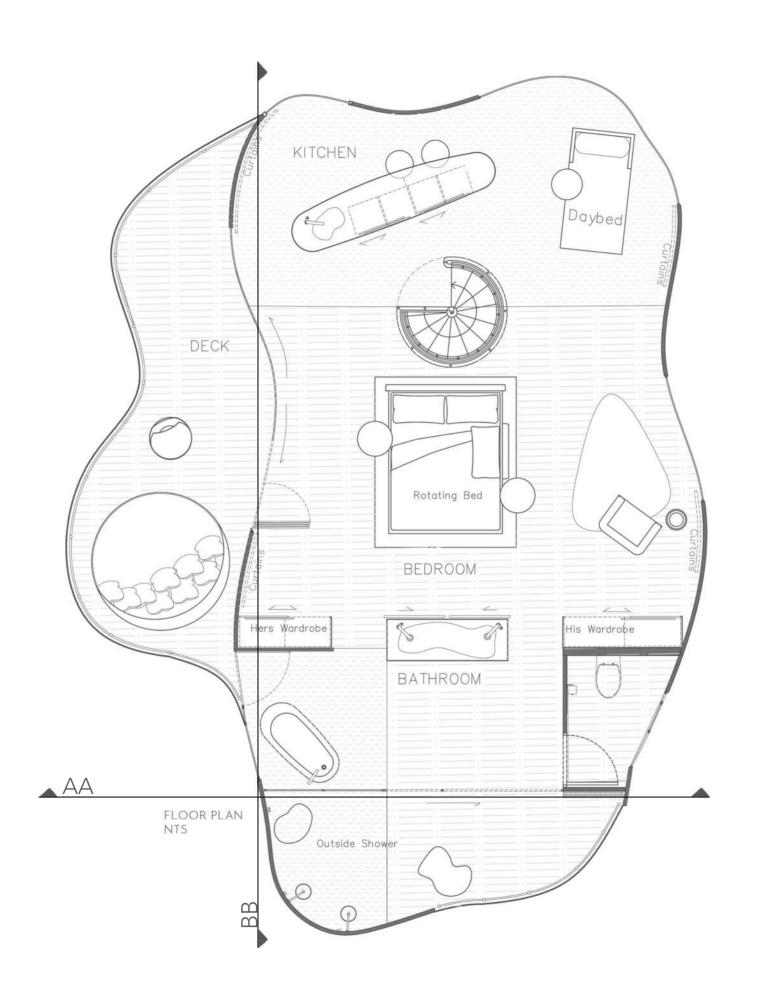


FIRST IMPRESSION





SUSPENSION POD





O CREATE - OFFICE PROJECT

BRIEF

the brief was to design a energized, daring + playful and members only work enviroment where like-minded, creative professionals; Architects, Interior, Graphic, Textile and Product designers alike, share this creative space. Gone are the days of employees who are trapped in isolated booths, heads down with little social interaction. Instead, office design has shifted towards flexible working, with spaces to suit different needs, such as co-working and collaboration, socalizing and private research.

CONCEPT

inspired by modern industrial design, this space is designed to feel spacious and airy with a touch of warmth. the cold industrial elements contrasted with burnt oranges, rich reds, mustard yellows, reef blues, olive greens and natural light timber. Creating a space for creatives to be most inspired and productive, different spaces within the space













- 1. FLUTTED WOOD PANELS | WHITE OAK | OGGIE
- 2. PINK WALLS IN LOBBY AND SNACK STATION | BRIGHT BLUSH | PLUSCON
- 3. SHELVING ABOVE PRINTERS | SUNSET ROGUE | PLUCSON
- 4. EXPOSED DUCKTING | SAHARA WILD | PLUSCON
- 5. CONCRETE FLOORING | OCEAN | CEMCRETE
- 6. BRASS FINISHES
- 7. KITCHEN COUNTERTOP | ARABESCATO VAGLI | WOMAG
- 8. RECEPTION WALLPAPER | VINTAGE REST FOR A BIT | CARASAVEN
- 9. PRINTER STATION AND COFFEE STATION WALLPAPER | LOWVELD SOIL LINENE TEXTURE | ENVY&CO | ROBIN SPRONG
- 10. CLOVERLEAF SOFA | MAGICAL IN REEF | HERTEX
- 11. KITCHEN CUPBOARD | FENIX BLOOM GIALLO KASHMIR | MOT
- 12. ROLF BENZ ARMCHAIRS AND THROW CUSHIONS ON CHAPTER 2 SOFA | MAGICAL IN PORT | HERTEX
- 13. CHAPTER 2 SOFA, OTTOMANS AND BOOTH SEATING | CAREFREE- SPUNKY IN SARDINIA | HERTEX
- 14. WOODEN FLOORING | ASH | OGGIE



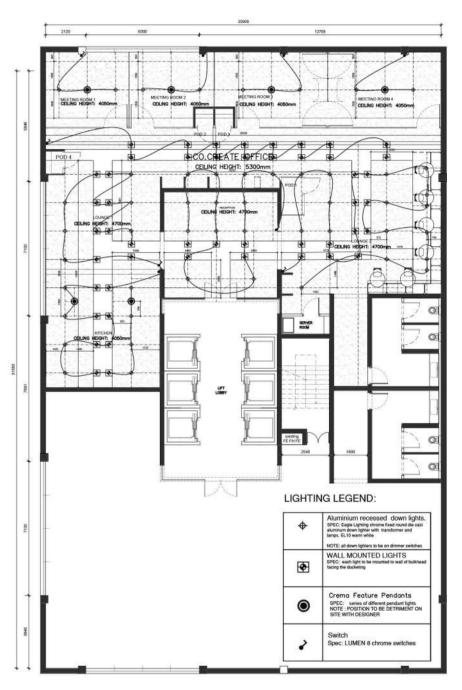
FLOOR PLAN NTS



ELEVATION AA NTS



ELEVATION BB NTS



LIGHTING PLAN NTS

ITTLEBIG - FESTIVAL DESIGN



BRIEF

Forty minutes outside of Cape Town, in a forest at the Wisenhof farm, an annual pilgrimage of aroun 800 revelers would gather for 24 hours of music, design, art, and food. Come february 2022, prepare yourself for a sensory overload, of carefully curated magic. The brief asked me to design, conceptualize and curate galmping tents, which must sleep two guests, 1 exceptional pop-up food stand as well as a gin and tequila bar accompained by its very own slow lounge, set below a bedouin tent

CONCEPT

Life's too short to be 'normal'. Are you ready?

The littleBIG show is a one of a kind 24hr music festival, located only 40 minutes from Cape Town.Inspired by the circus as well as a Masquerade ball, the littleBIG show makes use of victorian styled furniture with some bonkers features. As most festivals are always bright and colourful, i wanted to take a different approach that being said using beige's, gold's, silver's and green's. That being said i have designed a glamping tent, food stall and a slow





FIRST IMPRESSION OF SLOW LOUNGE







ASHI - UPCYCLE



BRIEF

the brief was to upcycle and breath new life into a simple timber stool. This gave me the opportunity to tranform our selected stool into something fresh, relevant and exciting. This stool must be unique and globally trend worhty. No less that 60% of the stools existing structure must remain intact

CONCEPT

inspired by the japanse culture and the way the poddle is cut , the stool Hashi was designed



FIRST IMPRESSION







CLOSE UP OF LEG DESIGN WITH CUFFS







FRONT ON OF STOOL

UBIC CHAOS - PRODUCT DESIGN

CONCEPT

inspired by the chaos that surrounds our daily lives and how we often bottle it all up. a simple yet effective and beautiful design.

BRIEF

the brief was to design and create a working pendant that was designed around the cable. making the cable the design of the light. a choice between 2 bulbs, clear filament or frosted filament. a minium of 2 meters cable to be used in lenght

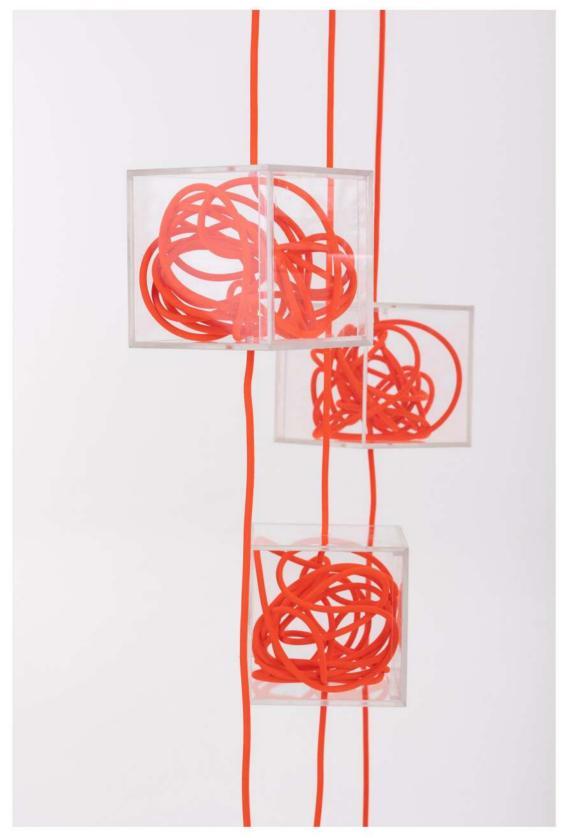








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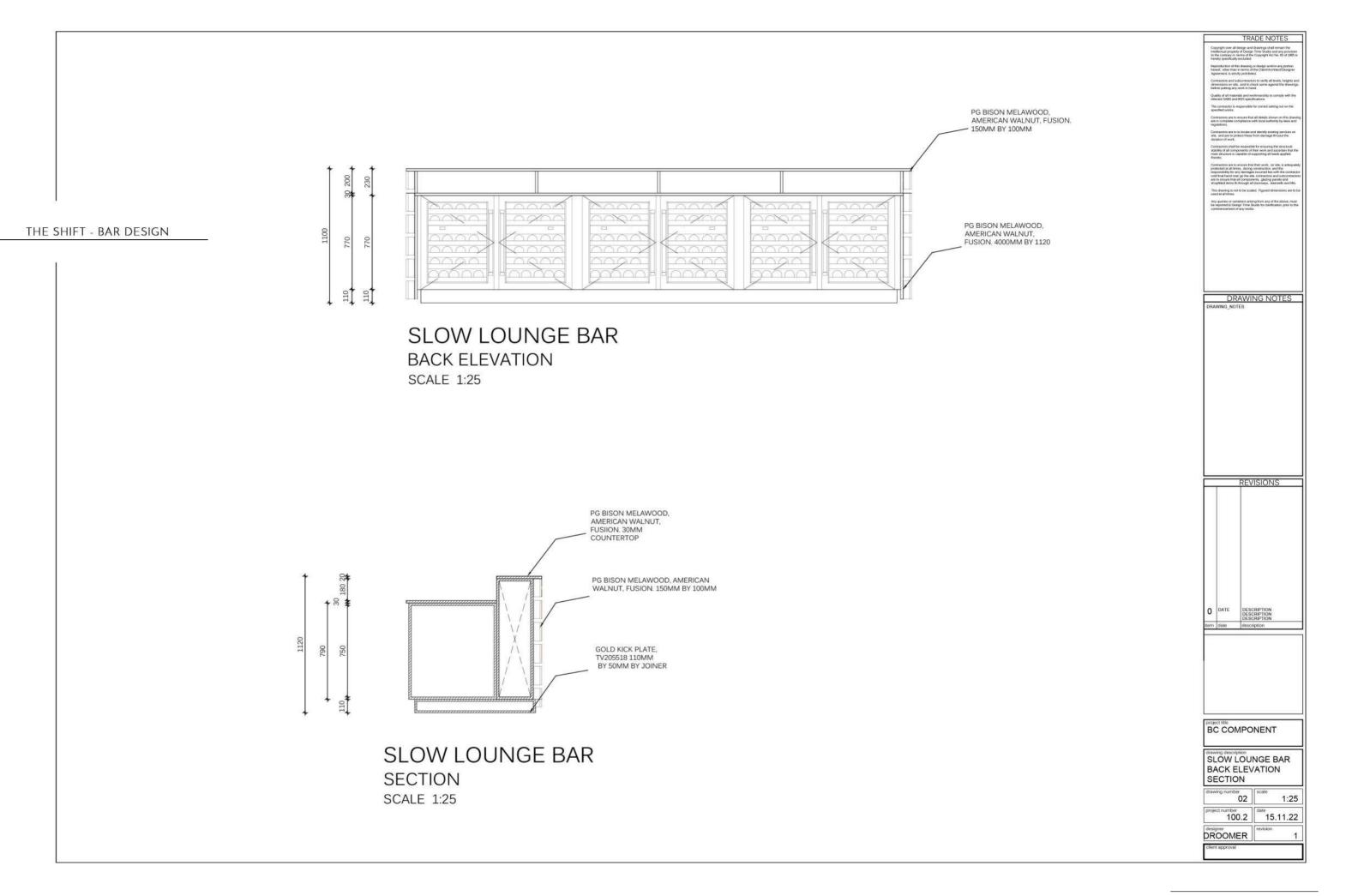
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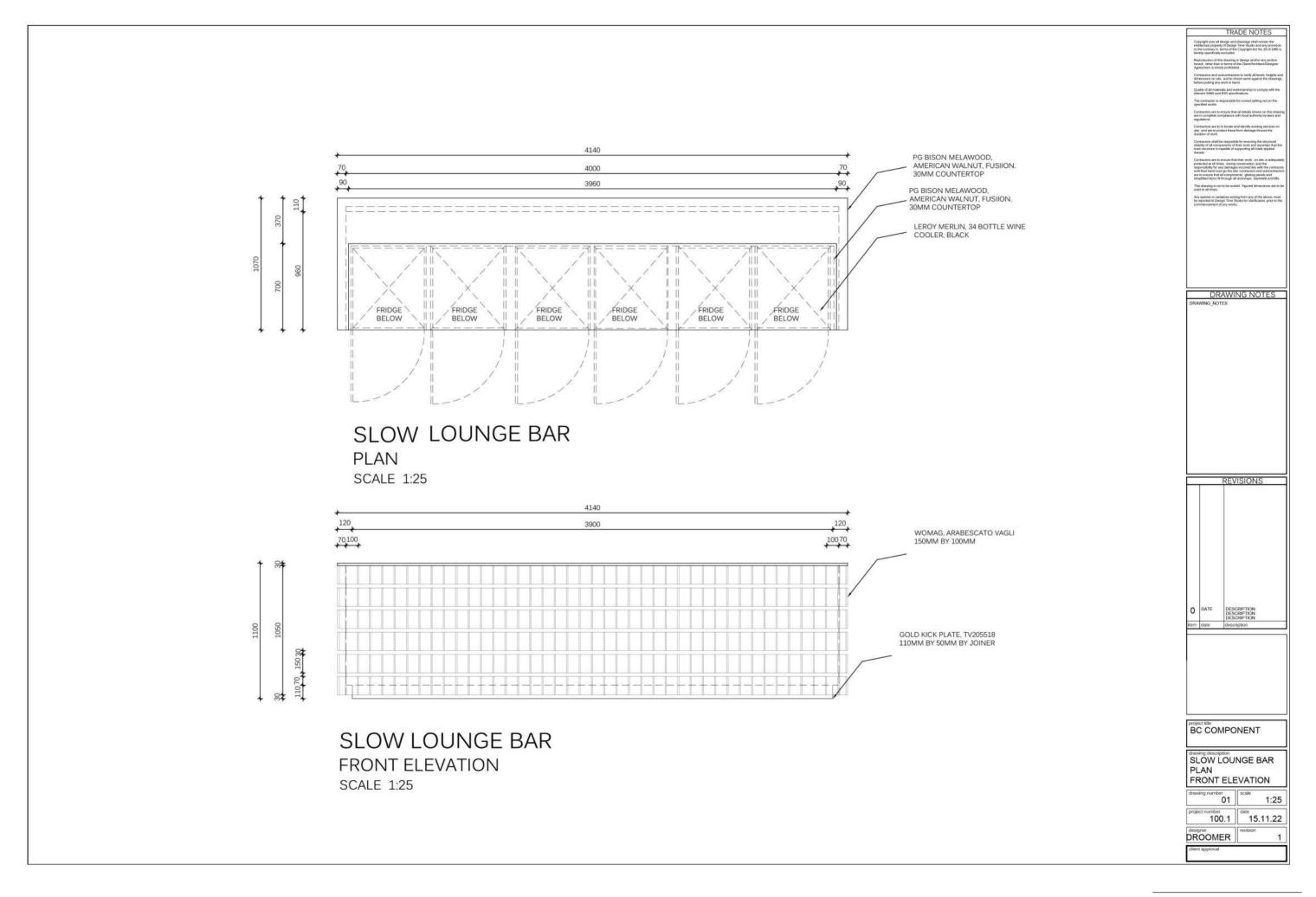
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ECHNICALS

BRIEF

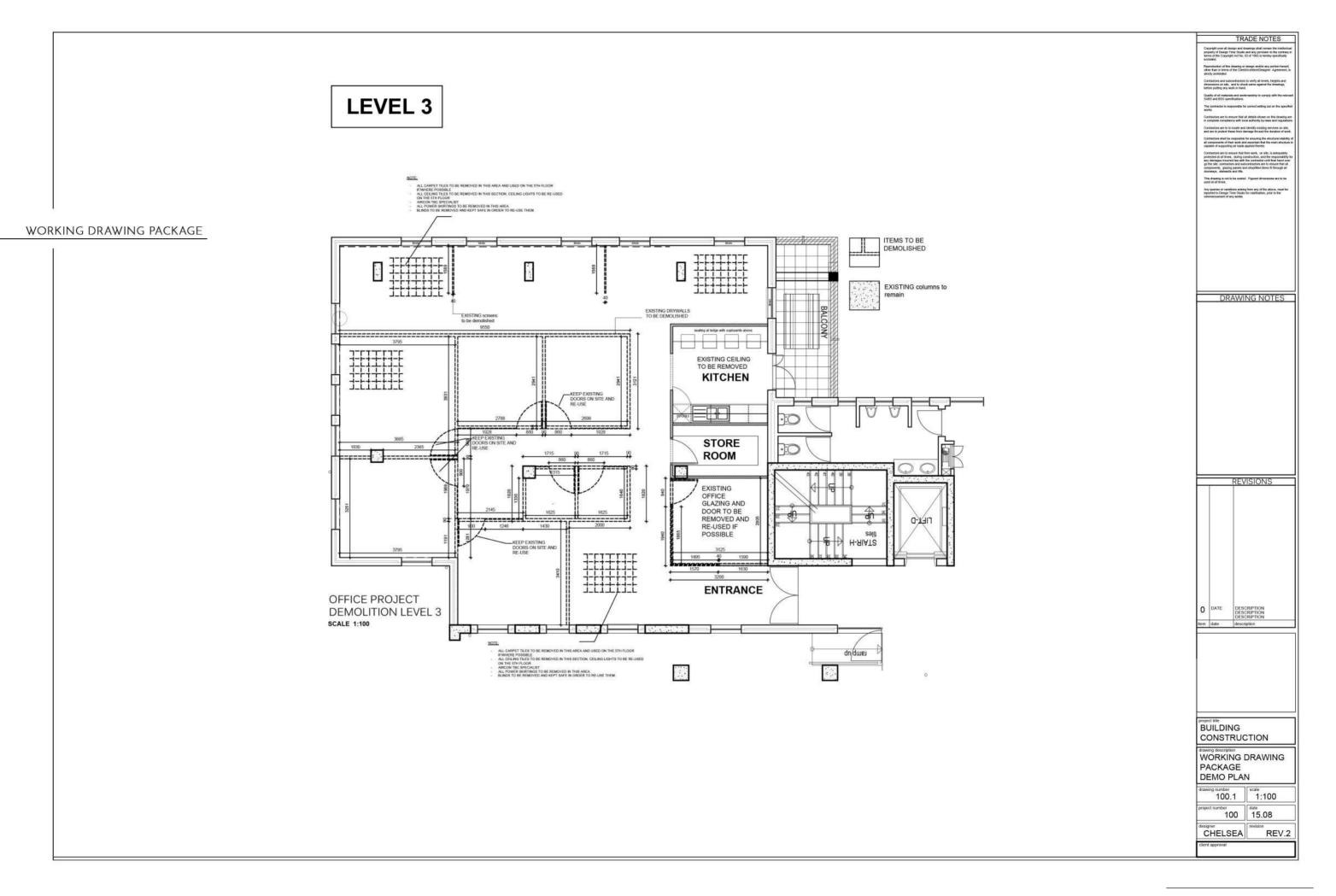
A composed selection of all the technical drawings i have done throughout the year





PG BISON MELAWOOD, AMERICAN WALNUT , FUSION COUNTERTOPS 30MM WOMAG, ARABESCATO VAGLI 150MM BY 100MM SLOW LOUNGE BAR **DETAILED SECTION** SCALE 1:10 DESCRIPTION DESCRIPTION BC COMPONENT drawing description SLOW LOUNGE BAR DETAILED SECTION 03 100.3 date 15.11.22 DROOMER

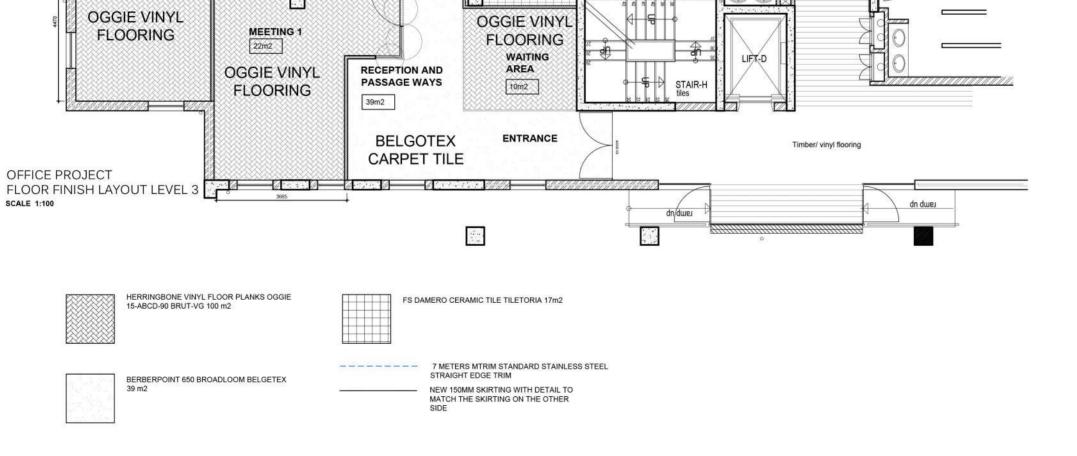
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LEVEL 3 WALL TO BE IN LINE WITH WINDOW WALL TO BE IN LINE WITH WINDOW **MEETING 3** NEW DROPPED BULKHEAD WITH MEETING RECESS **MEETING 4** NEW DROPPED BULKHEAD WITH 300mm RECESS DRAWING NOTES NEW DROPPED BULKHEAD WITH 300mm RECESS **KITCHEN** SKIMMED CEILINGS IN THIS AREA WITH A 25 mm SKIMMED CEILINGS IN THIS AREA WITH A 25 mm EXISTING brick walls to SHADOW LINE PLASTER TRIM SHADOW LINE PLASTER TRIM Van Van NEW 90mm DRYWALL with Insulation as per Spec. below WALL TO BE IN THE CENTER OF THE COLUMN STORE MEETING 2 ROOM NOTES: 2145 Timber doors, windows and glass panels as per Window and door 2. Intitles word, sentenced shadow line edge trim in white, to be used should be used throughout office where Drywall meets with ceiling. 4. Builder to quote on painting all walls with 2 coats of Plascon Double wheet. Colour tibe. 5. 150mm painted supawood skirting to installed to areas. NEW DROPPED MEETING WAITING BULKHEAD WITH AREA ~ NEW DROPPED BULKHEAD 300mm UFX-D RECESS səlil DRYWALL WITH SOUND INSULATION TO ALL OFFICE AREAS EXCEPT AROUND KITCHEN AND STORE ROOM RECEPTION WITH H-AIATS 300mm RECESS Rhino-Daywall partitioning shall comprise steel studding formed of 63.5mm top and bottom tracks with vertical studs at maximum 600mm centrels, inclined line to pop invoted to the top and bottom tracks with similar additional vertical studs as necessary at abutments, ends, etc. and covered as discribed with wellboard screwed to studding with Daywall screwes at maximum 200mm centres. Boards are to be but jointed and finished with Rhino tape and Ready must be justing compound all in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. Insert Rhinoflem (insulment mineral tibre blanket in carely). SKIMMED CEILINGS IN THIS AREA WITH A 25 mm SHADOW LINE PLASTER TRIM OFFICE FOR NEW CLIENTS Timber/ vinyl flooring NEW MEETING ~ DESCRIPTION DESCRIPTION DESCRIPTION ROOMS SCALE 1:100 dn dwei dn/dwe1 ÷., BUILDING CONSTRUCTION WORKING DRAWING PACKAGE NEW BUILD PLAN 100.2 scale 1:100 roject number 100 date 15.08 CHELSEA REV.2

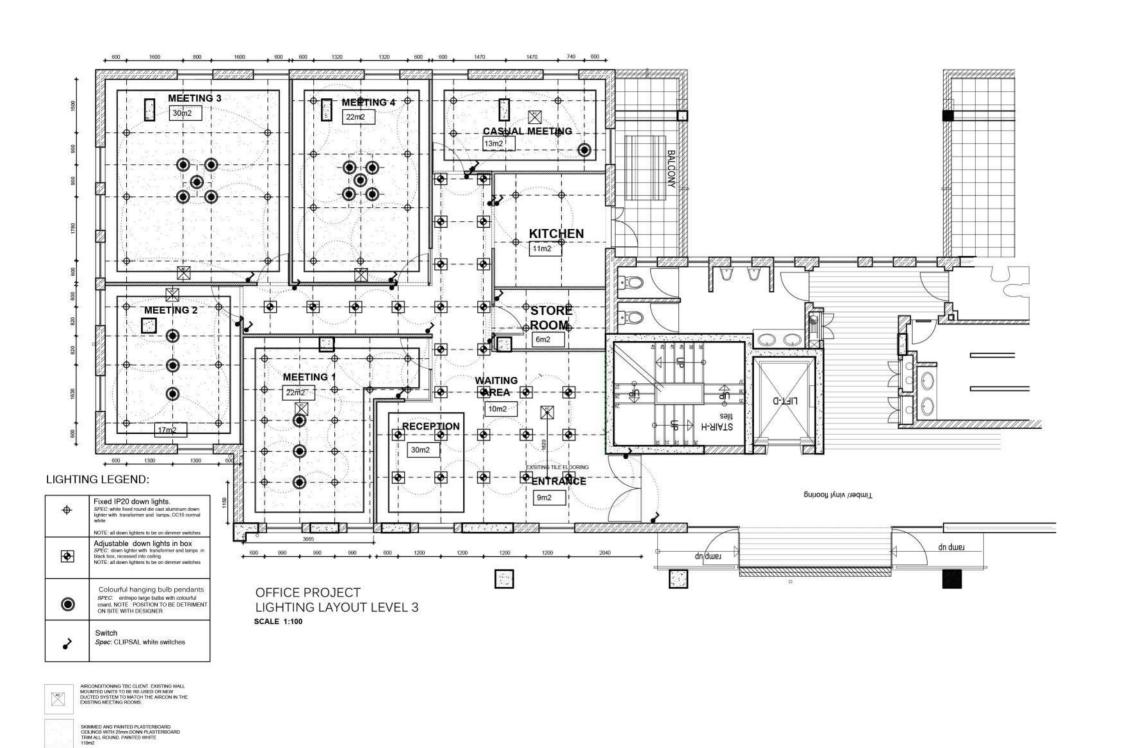
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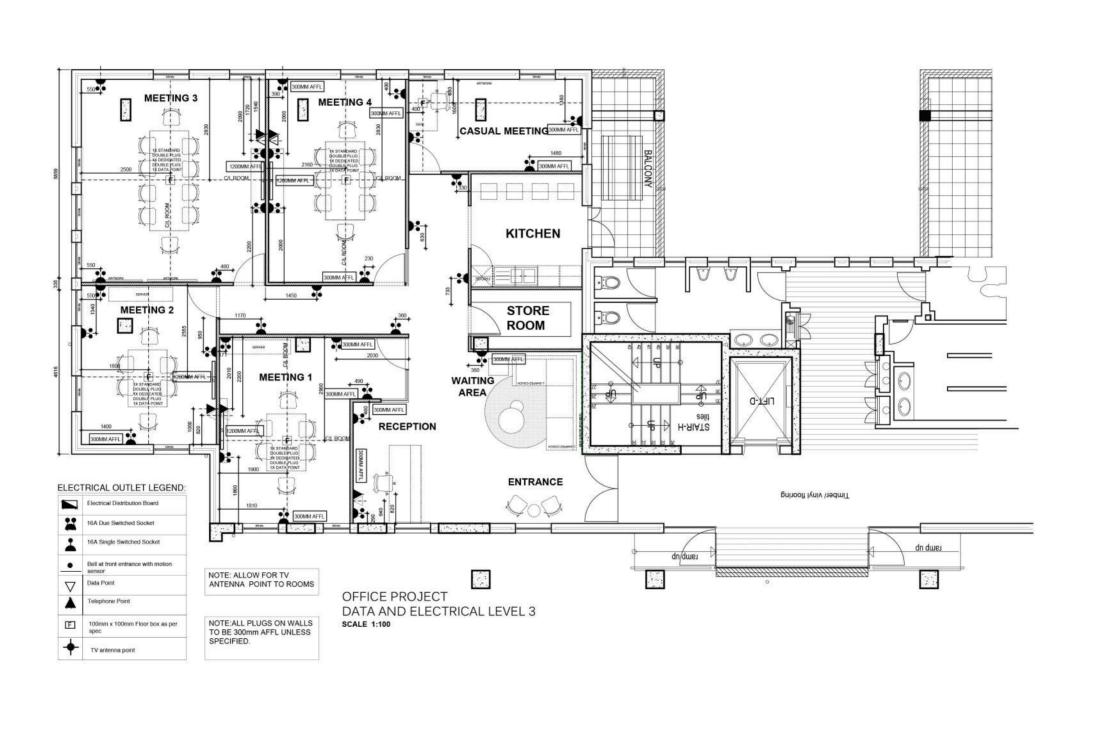
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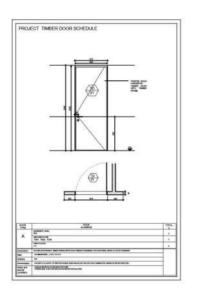
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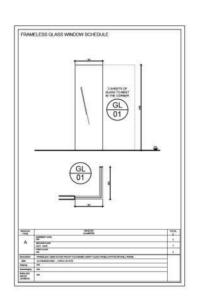
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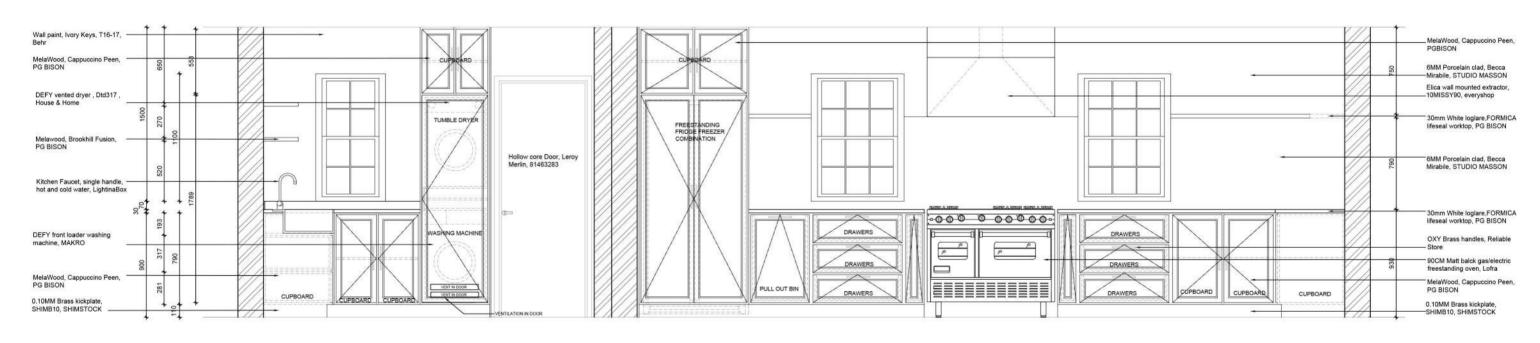
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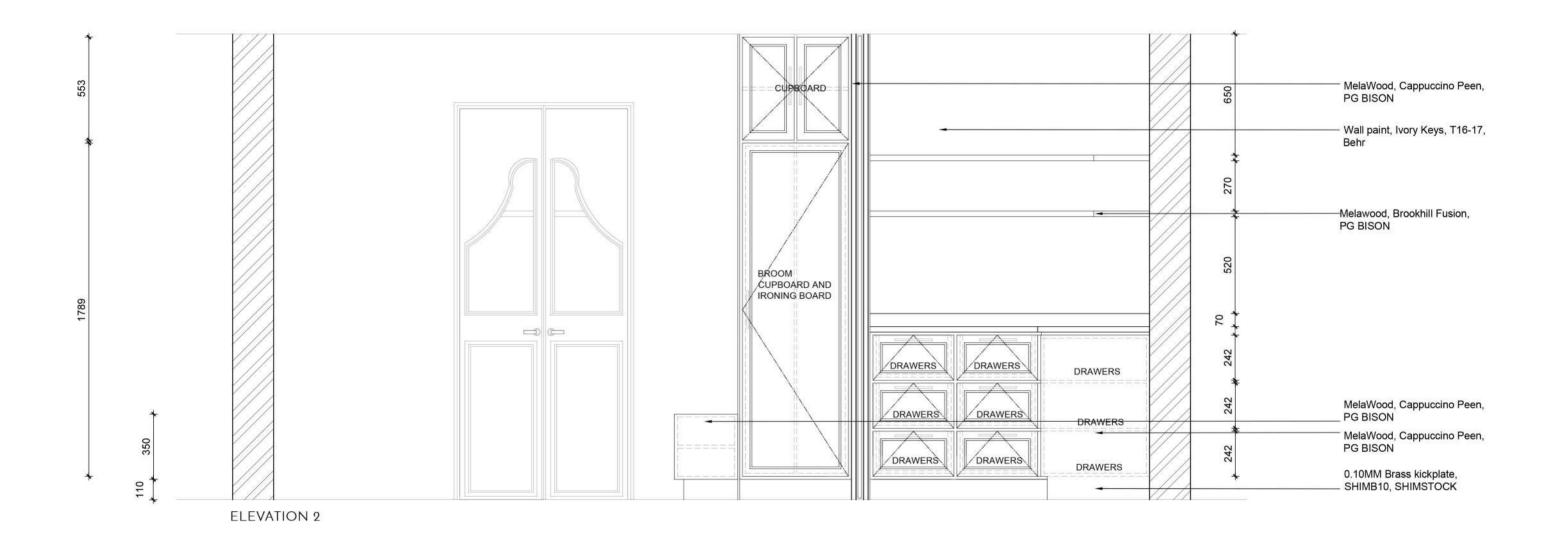


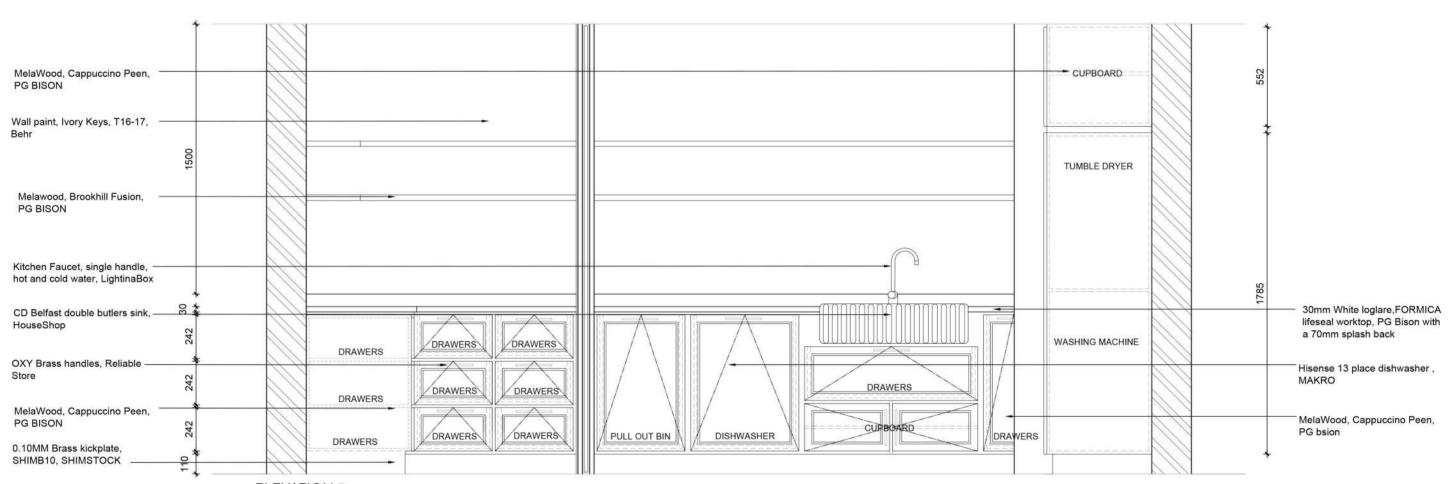


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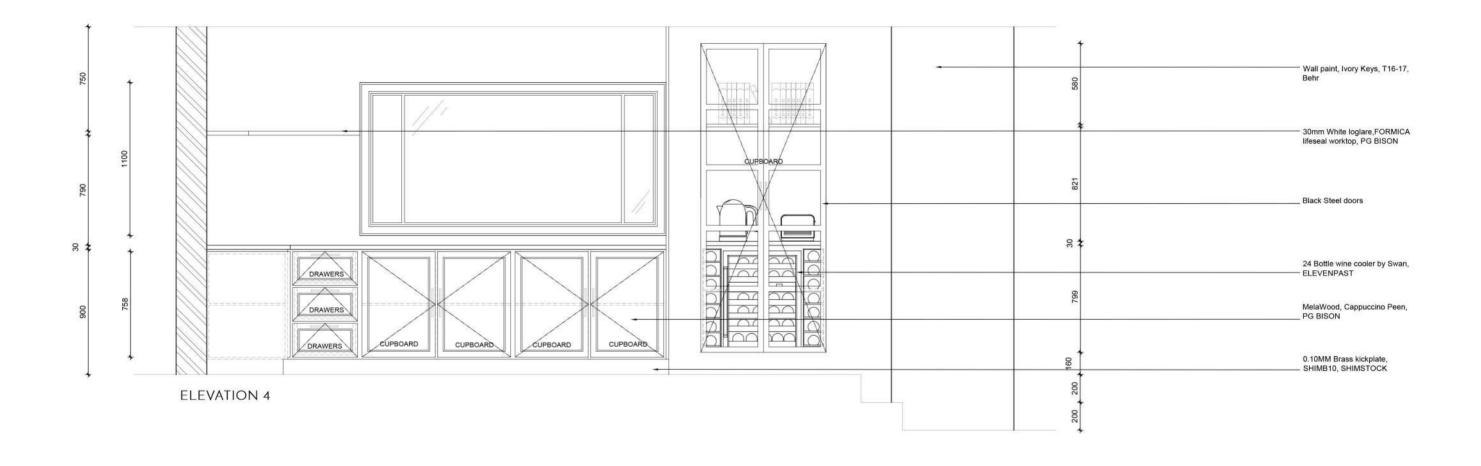


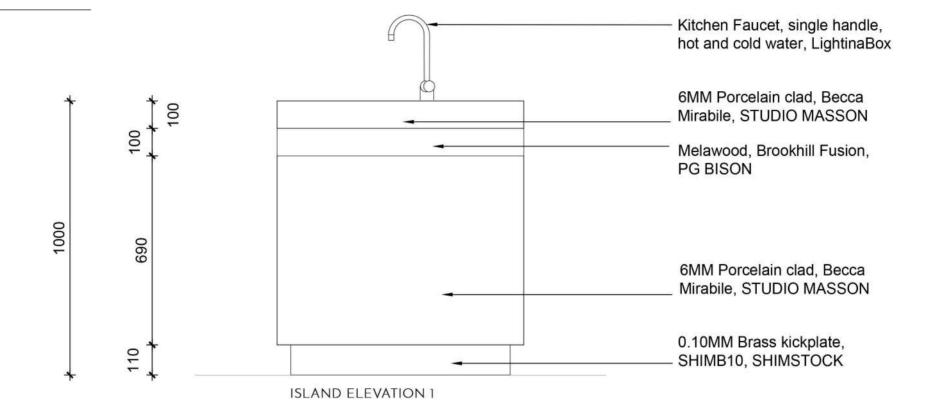
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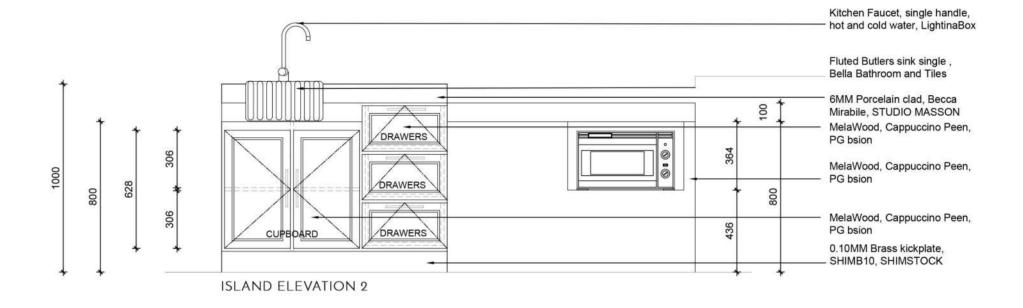


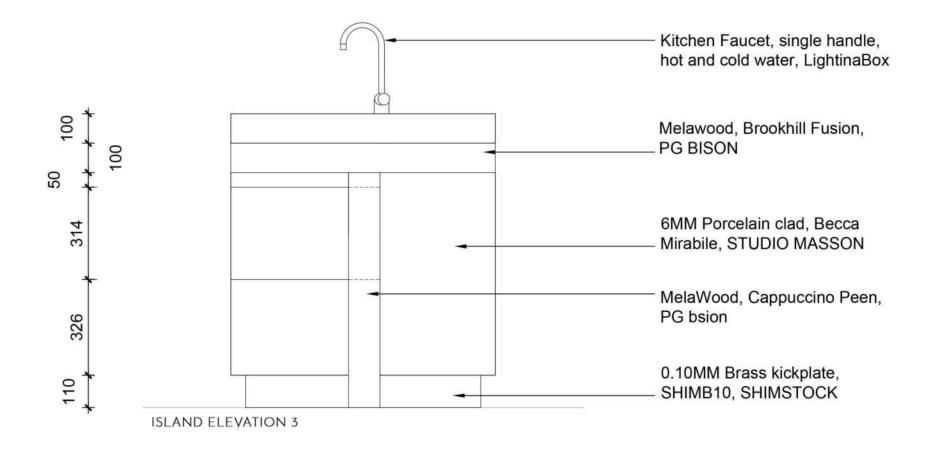


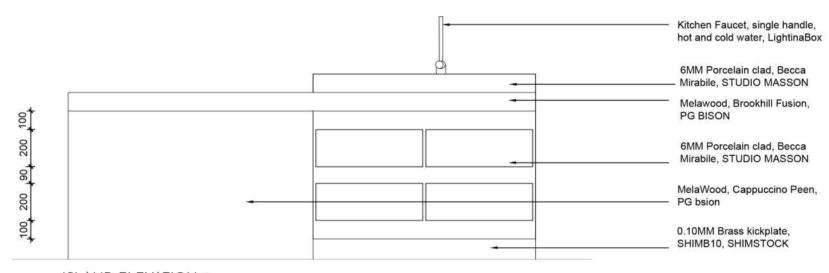
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ISLAND ELEVATION 4

"Design can be art. Design can be aesthetics. Design is so simple, that's why it is so complicated "

Paul Rand