



Ealing Roof Garden

landscape

This project involved the regeneration of a strategically important site within the town centre, providing a mixed-use scheme comprising of retail and residential units. The landscape team at Sprunt was asked to design a roof garden which could be used as a pleasant place to sit, and would look good when viewed from the apartments above. The design had to be low maintenance, and to work within the technical constraints of building on top of a roof.

The roof garden has two linked square courtyards visually connected by using a simple palette of paving and walling materials.

The buff brick and white rendered walls match the building to integrate the garden with its surroundings, while light colored paving slabs contrast with darker red bound gravel. Two fountains in pools act as focal points to the two squares, and there are benches placed around the garden for the best views. Raised planters

provide the appropriate soil depth required for the plants chosen.

The plant species are tolerant of dry conditions while being attractive in terms of form, foliage and flowers.



Location:
Ealing, London

Client:
Barratt West London

Project:
Roof Garden

Value:
£18m approx (total budget)

Status:
Complete 2005

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