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"At Hub Architects, we love what we do and it shows."

Our designs are driven by a true passion for the process of architecture and by a hands-on engagement with all opportunities presented in the modern building industry.

Core Values:

CONSISTENCY EXCELLENCE **INTEGRITY PASSION**

A word from the Director

Hub Architects is founded on an unwavering commitment to design excellence, particularly evident in our proficiency with large-scale, intricate residential projects. We distinguish ourselves by cultivating rigorous design and collaborative partnerships with building environment practitioners and industry specialists.

Through design leadership, we strive to construct a narrative that yields meaningful solutions in the built environment. Drawing from over 20 years of excellence in residential design, our specialised knowledge provides valuable insights into the successful delivery of complex projects.

Our dedicated services encompasses master planning, residential estates, educational facilities, and residential mixed-use projects. At the heart of our ethos is the creation of architectural experiences that contributes to an elevated lifestyle for all.

We find joy in the process of designing environments that enhance your well-being. Our commitment extends beyond design to a genuine enthusiasm for the success of our collaborators, including developers, builders, property portfolio managers, property owners, organisations, and initiatives with whom we engage.

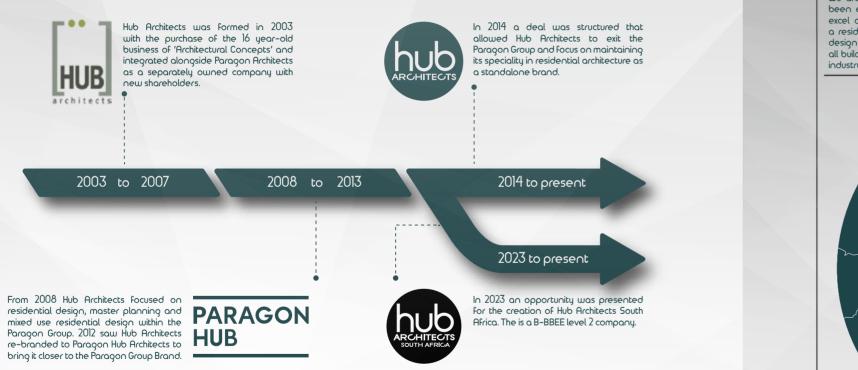
"Above all else the architectural experience for the end user should leave a lasting impression".



Jean-Paul Zietsman Director of Hub Architects Pty Ltd



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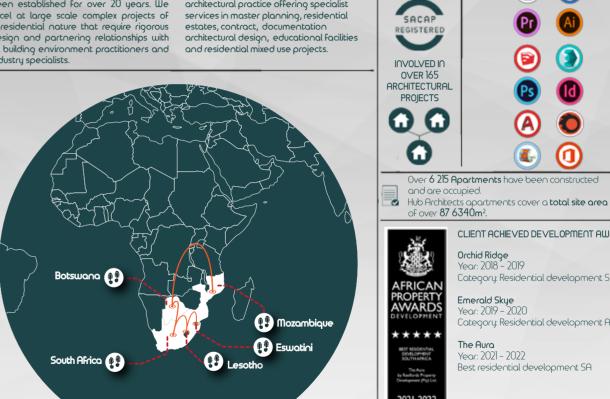
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WHO WE ARE

WHAT WE DO

We are an architectural practice that has been established for over 20 years. We excel at large scale complex projects of a residential nature that require rigorous desion and partnering relationships with all building environment practitioners and industry specialists.

We are an experienced design orientated architectural practice offering specialist



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2021-2022

CLIENT ACHIEVED DEVELOPMENT AWARDS

PROGRAMS

Orchid Ridge Year: 2018 - 2019 Category: Residential development SA

Emerald Skye Year: 2019 - 2020 Category: Residential development A3

The Aura Year: 2021 - 2022 Best residential development SA



Completed Works

- Rietvalleirand
- Urban Tana
- Saintsbury Corner
- Waterfall Luxury House
- The Aura

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- Crowthorne Corner
- Lombardy Meander
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- Stonewood Estate
- Sibiti Private Estate
- 21 Zambezi Estate
- Lone Hill Village
- Tinza Lifestyle Estate

Rietvalleirand

This low density site is laid out to accommodate the natural slope of the site. The buildings have been orientated north to maximize solar gains while also incorporating the great views of Tshwane.

 Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary
 Rietvalleirand, Tshwane
 Site Area: 41 42lm²
 Density: 30 Units per Hectare

124Units

Completed in 2024





Urban Tana

The design intent was to create facades that express a modern aesthetic but retain a simplistic box like language that is understandable and easy on the eye.

Architectural Style: Modern
 Sunninghill, Johannesburg
 Site Area: 21700m²
 Density: 35 Units per Hectare
 62 Units







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Saintsbury Corner

This high-density development is situated on a brownfield site. The development is orientated around a central green space and parking lot to maximise the units exposure to the north sun.



101 Units

Completed in 2023





Waterfall Luxury House

The design was mainly orientated around a family lifestyle and having ample entertainment space while also conforming to the estate guidelines.







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The Aura

The steel elements act as an architectural element that cloaks the simplicity and uniformity of the building design by creating depth on what is otherwise a flat facade.

- Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary Onrthgate, Randburg
- **Site Area:** 44 979m²
- Density : 93 Units per Hectare

356 Units

Completed in 2022





East on 82

The brief from the client was to deliver a product that showed design innovation and would have minimal maintenance over the life cycle of the building.

Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary Alveda Park, Johannesburg



Density : 116 Units per Hectore

615 Units

Completed in 2022









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Crowthorne Corner

The brief was to design a luxury rental development that included the outdoor lifestyles one would find in a traditional residential estate. The clubhouse overlook the recreational open space.

- Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary Crowthorne, Midrand
- Site Area: 30 95lm²
- Density : 30 Units per Hectore
- 150 Units
- Completed in 2022





This secure Contemporary residential development in Pretoria East is designed to maximise views to the north and north-east.

Architectural Style: Contemporary Farm Style





Density : 100 Units per Hectare

314 Units

Completed in 2021













Canvas 82

The colour used on the steel elements are intentionally darker than the bulk of the facade. In doing so, it creates a hierarchy of language on the facade.



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200 Units

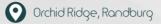
Completed in 2020



Orchid Ridge

What sets this development apart from other developments is the integration of the existing wetland, which allows the integration of stormwater while keeping the integrity of the wetland.

Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary





Density : 110 Units per Hectare

312 Units

Completed in 2020





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Midview Gardens

An exciting contemporary development in Randburg designed to create an innovative concept that can be used for future projects of this kind.



128 Units

Completed in 2018





Sparks School

Private school built as part of the Carlswald development. The walls are a combination of face brick and plaster painted grey and are detailed with Balau timber screens.

 Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary
 Carlswald, Midrand, Johannesburg
 Site Area: 20 804m²
 Number of Pupils: 1000

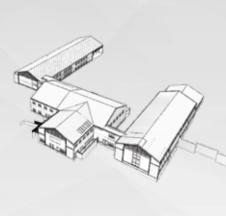
Completed in 2017





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The Parks

Two and three Storey Modern Farm style apartments with dark grey steel roofs and aluminium window frames. The walls are plastered and painted with some face brick detailing.

Architectural Style: Modern Farm Style
 Monument Road, Kempton Park
 Site Area: 16 323m²
 Density: 60 Units per Hectare

87 Units

Completed in 2017





The Oval Luxury Apartments

Three & four storey apartment buildings. Walls are a combination of painted plaster and face brick. Dark grey portal frames on the gable ends are combined with Balau timber screens.











Carlswald Luxury Apartments

Dark grey portal frames with Balau infill are features in these three storey apartment blocks. Indigenous landscaping complements this development.



450 Units

Completed in 2016





Umthunzi Gardens Apartments

Double storey apartments with plastered and painted walls. The face brick stairwells are detailed with open trusses and stone cladding.

Architectural Style: Modern Contemporaru Broadacres, Fourways, Johannesburg **Site Area:** 23 076m² Density : 30 Units per Hectore (iii) 69 Units





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Completed in 2016







Birchwood Village

Modern Farmhouse style three storey apartment blocks with grey steel roofs and balustrades. Walls are plastered and painted and arches are used as detailing to balconies.



180 Units

Completed in 2016





Elawini Lifestyle Estate

Double and single storey residential development in Nelspruit. Grey concrete tiled roofs have open truss details on some units. Walls are plastered and painted with face brick plinths and chimneys.

 Architectural Style: Modern Farm Style
 Nelspruit
 Site Area: 20 642m²

Density : 50 Units per Hectare

82 Units

Completed in 2014













Ports Edge Conversion

This residential development is situated in the beautiful Waterfront. Wooden floors and stylish finishes complement the large windows that have views of the Waterfront and Table Mountain.

 Architectural Style: Modern
 Victoria & Alfred Waterfront, Centre, Cape Town
 Building Area: 6 385m²

Density : 150 Units per Hectare

109 Residential Apartments

Completed in 2014





The View Apartments

This development combines mono-pitched and double-pitched tiled roofs with roof terraces. The sculptural interior staircases lead to mezzanine level.

 Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary
 Fourways, Johannesburg



Density : 70 Units per Hectare

380 Units

Completed in 2012





Zaleni Apartments

Two and three storey thatched roof, Lodge Style apartments with gum pole detailing. Walls are plastered and painted in earthy colours and indigenous landscaping completes the development.

- Architectural Style: Lodge Style
 Pine slopes, Sandton
 Site Area: 9 888m²
 Density: 90 Units per Hectare
- 89 Units
- Completed in 2007





17 on Forest

Curved Post-Modern walls are combined with pergolas and open trusses in this development. Rock cladding on some walls are complemented by water features and indigenous landscaping.

 Architectural Style: Urban Contemporary
 Forest Lane, Lone Hill, Johannesburg
 Site Area: 12 900m²
 Density: 70 Units per Hectare



Completed in 2007















Stonewood Estate

White roofs with putty coloured painted and plastered walls are detailed with white balustrading and country style landscaping.

- Architectural Style: Modern Country
- Macbeth Road, Fourways, Johannesburg
- **Site Area:** 13 500m²
- Density : 50 Units per Hectare
- 16 Apartments
- Completed in 2006





Sibiti Private Estate

Modern thatched single and double storey apartments. Gumpole detailing is combined with rock cladding and indigenous landscaping.

- Architectural Style: Modern Thatch
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 Site Area: 21500m²
 Density: 70 Units per Hectare
 - 151 Units
 - Completed in 2006











21 Zambezi Estate

This thatched development consists of four storey blocks. The top storey uses the pitched roof space. The walls are plastered and have face brick detailing to the bay windows and columns.

- Architectural Style: Modern Thatch
- 📀 Zambezi, Pretoria
- **Site Area:** 42 857m²
- Density : 70 Units per Hectare
- 300 Units
- Completed in 2006





Lone Hill Village

The French Provincial style is enhanced with rock clad turrets, arched windows and terracotta tiled roofs. Timber pergolas and formal landscaping complement the development.

 Architectural Style: French Provincial
 The Straight, Lone Hill, Johannesburg
 Site Area: 44 857m²
 Density: 70 Units per Hectare

314 Units

Completed in 2006



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Tinza Lifestyle Estate

Three storey apartments with steep concrete tiled roofs, plastered and painted walls and red face brick detailing. The mezzanine levels have triangular windows and covered roof terraces.



302 Units

Completed in 2006





The Crest Apartments

A combination of mono-pitch and double-pitched roofs characterise this development. Architectural features include rock cladding on garden walls and triangular windows in gable ends.

 Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary
 Sunninghill, Johannesburg
 Site Area: 25 850m²
 Density : 70 Units per Hectare
 177 Units
 Completed in 2005



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Under Construction

Emerald Skye
Zambezi Heights
Royal Residence
Basalt

Emerald Skye

This high-density, six-storey, luxury residential apartment building has been designed to maximise the views to the North, South and West of the site.

 Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary
 Greenstone, Johannesburg
 Site Area: 30 225m²
 Density: 120 Units per Hectare

330 Units

On Site





Zambezi Heights

The brief from the client was to deliver a product that showed design innovation that would have minimal maintenance over the life cycle of the building while focusing on the affordable market.

 Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary
 Derdepoort, Pretoria
 Site Area: 41 421m²
 Density: 100 Units per Hectare
 414 Units
 On Site











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Royal Residence

This site layout is designed with nature preservation in mind. The site contains 3 green parks. This was done to keep the existing established trees and create ample green space with mature vegetation.

Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary Boksburg **Site Area:** 30 859m² Density : 78 Units per Hectare 1240 Units





Basalt

The development is built on a brownsite while also incorporating renewable energy. The units are designed for the luxury home buyer with north facing living spaces and private gardens.

Architectural Style: Modern



1 Site Area: 11 053m²

Density: 45 Units per Hectore

50 Units





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Master Planning

 Lusundvu Master Plan • Siyalu Estate Master Plan The Hills Proper Luxury Apartments
The Hills Lifestyle Estate Apartments
Monavoni Lifestyle Estate
Celebrations

Lusundvu Master Plan

The brief was to design a small town in the rural area of Eswatini. The development will incorporate a working farm that borders on the river running through the site with a green corridor connection.



Zoning:

- Residential (sectional & full title)
- Educational,
- Recreational
- Industrial
- Commercial which includes retail
- Hospitality
- Municipal services
- Agriculture





Siyalu Estate Master Plan

The brief was to design a new residential estate in Manzini close to the airport. The river that flows through the site created a opportunity to allocate ample green recreational space with amenities.



Zoning:

- Residential full title
- Residential sectional title
- Recreational space
- Municipal services



The Hills Proper Luxury Apartments

The development is connected by a sequence of open parks and child-friendly activities which are all connected by paved walkways.

- Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary
 Pretoria East
 Site Area: 91 233 m²
- Density : 45 Units per Hectare

407 Units



The Hills Lifestyle Estate Apartments

Luxurious apartments located in a secure residential wildlife estate. Orientated around the views of the game reserve and located next to a dam where the wildlife converges on a regular basis.





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Monavoni Lifestyle Estate

The development is designed with separate ERF's that can be sold to be developed individually or can be developed as a single scheme. It has a green network that connects the various ERF's







Celebrations

The development is designed around green open space that connects the various developments to each other while creating an outdoor lifestyle in the dense urban fabric it's situated in.

Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary







11 882 Units









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Design Concepts

- Kolonnade
- Sandown
- Highland Gate
- Ravenswood
- Melrose
- Blue Hills Apartments
- Blue Hills Self Storage
- Sandton Residential
- Broadacres

- Muswell Drive
- Rosebank
- Casa de Paraiso
- Barbeque Downs
- Centurion Towers
- Homes Haven
- Morningside Luxury HouseHeritage City
- Medina Luxury Resort

Kolonnade

The development is designed to minimize maintenance while keeping with a modern aesthetic. The plaster bands and masonry details are used to emphasize the facades while creating private patios.

Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary
Montana, Tshwane
Site Area: 42 847m²

Density : 75 Units per Hectare

320 Units





Sandown

The brief was to design a modern upmarket development where the preferred type of unit to be used are duplex homes. Each unit has their own garden and private garage.











Highland Gate

The brief was to design a luxury africology spa, accompanied with a series of holiday homes in the Golf estate for rental holiday market. The units overlook the valley and extensive golf course.

- Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary
- Highland Gate, Dullstroom
- Multiple erf's
- Density : 1 Units per stand
- 12 Units





Ravenswood

This development was designed and developed to utilize concrete shuttering systems to create the building structure. This system was chosen as it decreases construction time and labor required

Architectural Style: Modern





Density: 89 Units per Hectare

99 Units



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Melrose

This development is situated in the Rosebank commercial node. The development utilities a roof garden with an outdoor gym area and clubhouse to create recreational space for the residents.

- Architectural Style: Modern Traditional
- Melrose, Johannesburg
- **Site Area:** 2 974m²
- Density: 208 Units per Ha
- 62 Units





Blue Hills Apartments

The brief from the client was to create an aesthetically pleasing building that will be constructed only from off-shutter concrete construction and works with the constraints associated with it.

Architectural Style: Modern
 Blue Hills, Midrand
 Site Area: 30 896m²

Density : 90 Units per Hectare

277 Units





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Blue Hills Self Storage

The brief from the client was to design a storage facility that showed innovation in using storage containers while also creating an aesthetically pleasing building.



Density: n/a

115 Storage Units





Sandton Residential

The client wanted to convert an existing office complexinto an upmarket residential development that will incorporate the lifestyle and green spaces usually found on the outskirts of Sandton.

Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary
Sandton



Density : 87 Units per Hectare

270 Units





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Broadacres

A semi-detached and stand alone housing scheme that is designed around modern lifestyle living. The development is designed with a modern aesthetic in mind. A central green park featured area.



108 Units





Muswell Drive

A stepped design results in large open terraces/roof gardens to some apartments. Mono-pitch roofs are combined with elegant detailing in plaster and Marmoran with glass balustrades.

Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary





Density: 160 Units per Hectore

150 Units



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Rosebank

This high-density development is designed to allow for parking below the building while maximising the density on site while allowing ample space between the building for northern sun penetration.



219 Units





Casa de Paraiso

The interiors include architectural features such as open plan bathrooms and double volume private areas with mezzanine levels that lead onto roof terraces.

Architectural Style: Modern 8 Contemporary



- **1** Site Area: 30 817m²
- Density: 70 Units per Hectore

210 Units









Barbeque Downs

The finishes are a combination of face brick and painted plaster with NuTech board cladding on the gable ends. The architecture relies on the building form to give it presence on the site.







Centurion Towers

High density residential apartment towers. The parking is at street level and the roof terrace above are used as communal open space that accommodate swimming pools and tennis courts.

 Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary
 Centurion, Pretoria
 Site Area: 19 444m²
 Density: 180 Units per Hectare













Homes Haven

There are two types of units in this development. Type l has an upper mezzanine level leading onto a balcony on the roof. Type l has a more traditional hipped roof.

- Architectural Style: Modern Rustic
 Mogale City
 Site Area: Undefined
 Undefined
- Units Undefined





Morningside Luxury House

Ultra modern single dwelling. Clean concrete lines with large aluminium windows are combined to create an elegant and sophisticated home.

- Architectural Style: Ultra Modern
- Sandton, Gauteng
- Site Area: 9 000m²
- Density: 35 Units per Hectare
- 31 Units





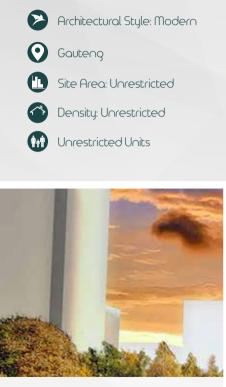
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Heritage City

A modern high rise Residential and Commercial mixed-use building. The steel frame and glass facade are in a twisted form.





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Medina Luxury Resort

This luxury residential resort is situated on the banks of the Vaal river. The ribbon-type design facilitates river views from all the apartments. Timber boardwalks lead to the river and along the river edge.

Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary

Vaal River, Gauteng

Site Area: 100 000m²

Limited Density Allowed

50 Units













Design Concepts

Riverside Apartments
Sunningdale Residential
Castle Gate Residential

Riverside Apartments

The brief is to develop a social housing scheme where the development will be designed around community. Interconnecting green corridors have been create to form a pedestrian network.

- Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary
 Riversands, Midrand
- Site Area: 97 101m²
- Density: 160Units per Hectare
- 1 573Units





Sunningdale Residential

The development is aimed at bringing affordable rentable units to the linksfield area. The development is designed to create a central recreational space with supporting functions.

 Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary
 LinksField, Johannesburg
 Site Area: 81 482m²
 Density: 160 Units per Hectare
 1312Units



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Castle Gate Residential

The brief was to design and develop the residential portion of the Castle gate node. The development would consists of apartments and a retirement village with ample green recreational space.

- Architectural Style: Modern Contemporary
 Castle Gate, Tshwane
- **1** Site Area: 20 8127m²
- Density: 68 Units per Hectare
- 1414Units















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