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Year 2023

Work finished in 2023

Status Completed works

Type Modular/Prefabricated housing / Exhibitions / Installations

Tane Garden House on the Vitra Campus by Tsuyoshi Tane Architects

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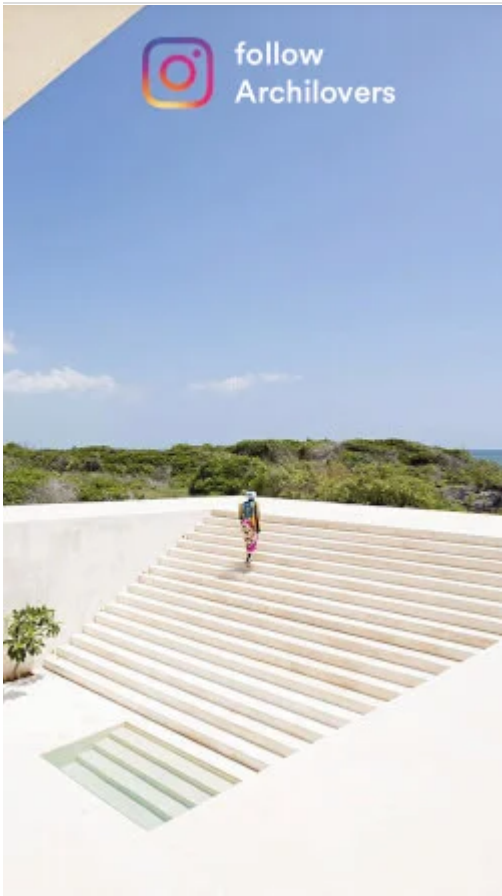
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Following this ideology, the Tane Garden House was built using local materials and constructed by local craftsmen. The stone and wood were sourced locally and only transported a short distance: 28 km for the granite (from the Vitra Campus) and 50 km for the wood (from the local forest).

Measuring 15 m², Tane's Garden House is very compact and cozy. In addition to a small coffee corner, it offers sufficient space for workshops, but is also used by the crew in the Oudolf Garden. It is also for use by the public for those who participate in the kitchen garden currently being built. The building will have an observation platform from which visitors can enjoy the view of the Vitra Campus and the surrounding landscape.



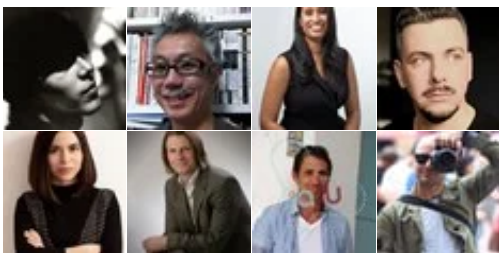
In autumn 2023, a special exhibition at the Vitra Design Museum work and his Garden House project.



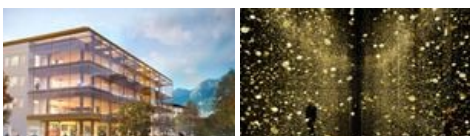
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