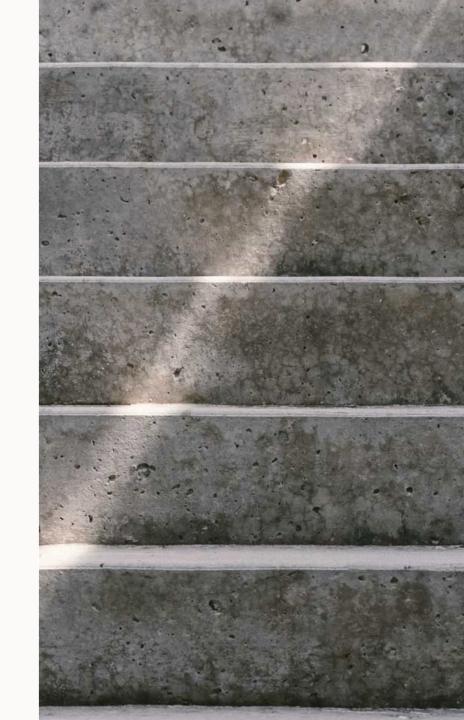
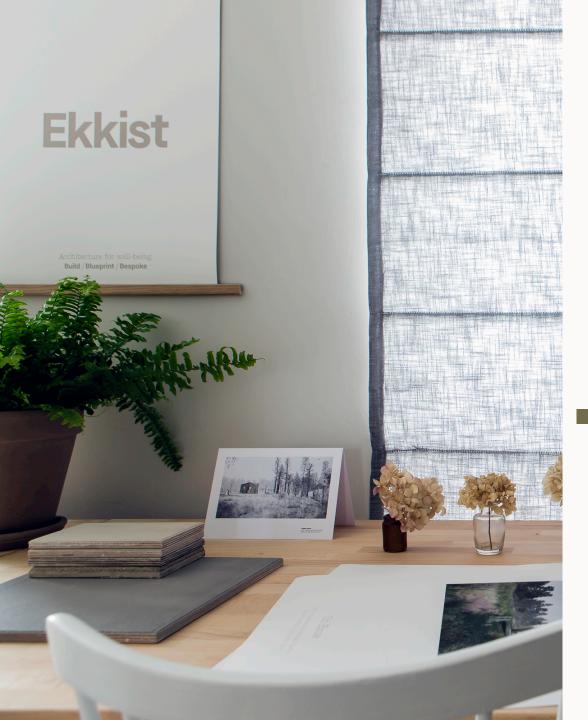
# Ekkist

Architecture for well-being®





# What is Design for Well-being?

- A science
- An evolution of sustainability
- A tangible way of adding quality and value

## Why design for Well-being?

- Medical evidence shows us that buildings can make us healthier, happier and more productive
- 90% want a home that doesn't compromise health and wellbeing and 1/3 willing to pay more for it (2016)



# How can we design housing that improves our health and well-being?



Light



Biosphere



Air



Atmosphere



Water

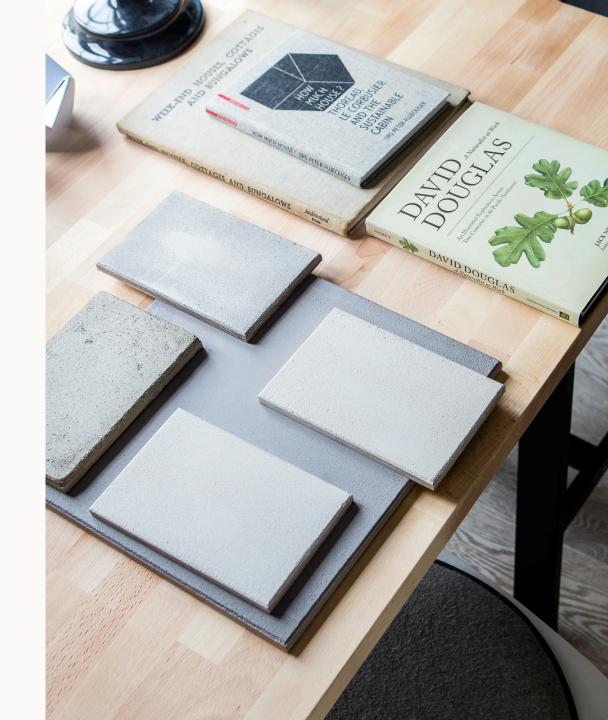


Adaptability  $\mathcal{E}$  Longevity





# Design Application



## Aesthetic Considerations

Clay plaster







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#### Timber



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#### Furniture and Interiors

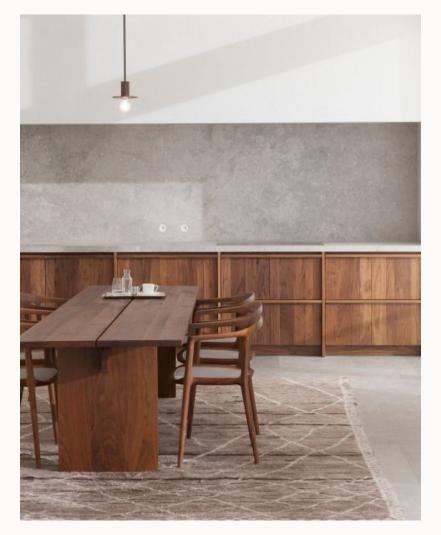






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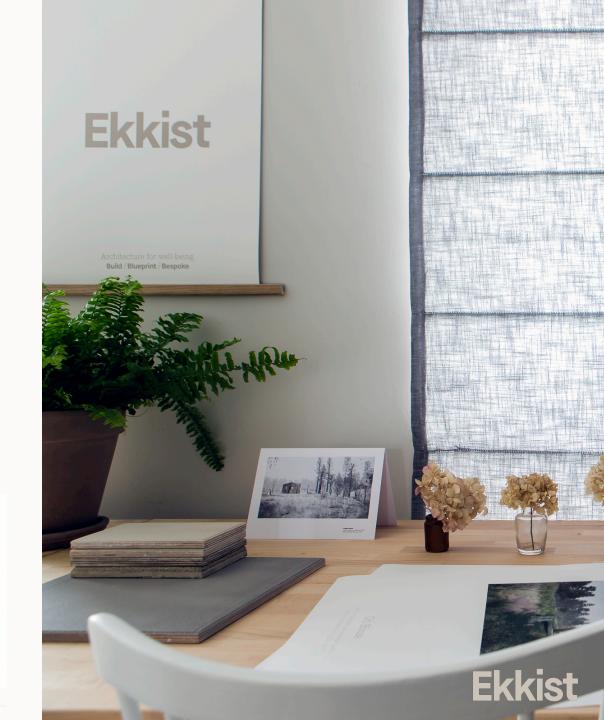






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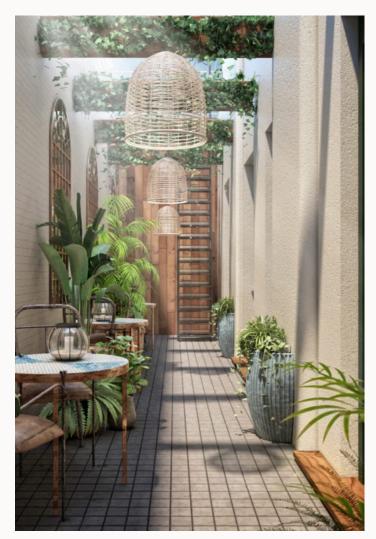


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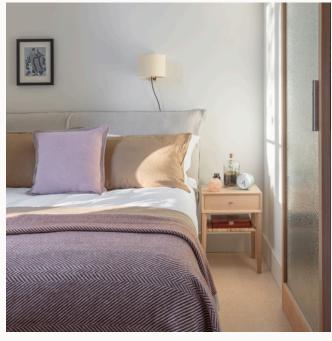




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# Summary of designing homes for well-being

 Considering location and any mitigation factors required (air, light, water)

Being mindful of materials selected

 Having consideration of ongoing repairs, cleaning and maintenance

Designing for people first



Thank you

