

A Selection of our work for Hotel and Spa Clients
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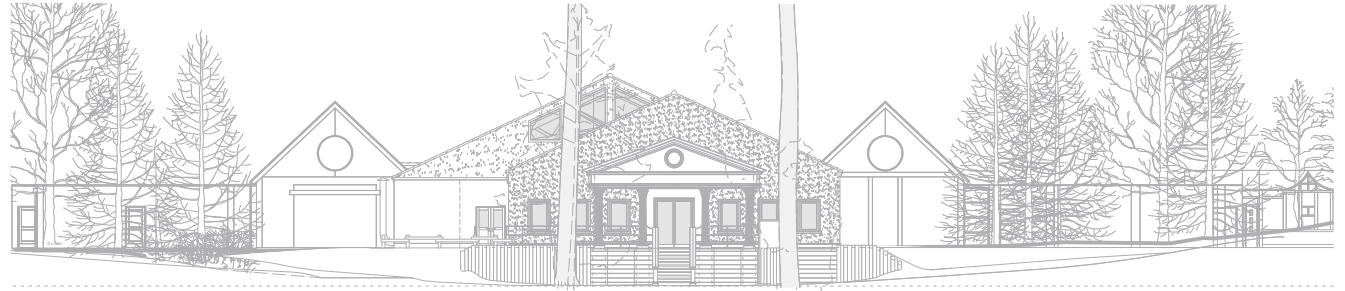


In response to strong visitor demand Centre Parc extended the Aqua Sana Spa at Longleat. The reception, changing rooms and conservatory were doubled in size, and the Spa extended with additional treatment rooms and new experiences.

The Spa experiences were designed by Austrian Spa Specialists Thermarium.

NBW provided detailed design for the project in collaboration with design-build Contractor George and Harding.

- 1 Design for the new entrance to Aqua Sana
- 2 The completed entrance
- 3 The new conservatory
- 4 The new foyer
- 5 One of the Thermarium experiences



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ALTON TOWERS HOTEL

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This 175 bed themed hotel was the first that we designed for the Park.

Concept drawing for the hotel showing how over one million cubic feet of rock were blasted out to create a water garden to be surrounded by the hotel (1). The entrance level is two floors up and you descend to the public areas via an atrium.

A view across the new lake with the planting beginning to mature (2). The mature pine was kept to form a central feature of the landscape.

A band plays in the gazebo on a balmy evening (3).

The stone out of the site was used for all landscape details and special benches were made to complement the setting (4). The hotel is the notional home of an explorer called Sir Algernon and his flying machine sits where he landed it, in the Atrium (5).

A south facing terrace has been created overlooking the new lake where "fossils" have been carved in the local stone (6).



The conference centre was added to the Alton Towers Hotel and is on the left of the aerial view (1). It helped to complete a sheltered south facing space which is popular with guests.

The elevational treatment followed that of the main hotel and the sheltered position has allowed tender exotic plants to thrive (2).

The State Room can accommodate up to 450 delegates (3,4).

The view out from the State Room takes in the lake, the gazebo and the hotel beyond (5). The syndicate rooms on the upper floor get a wider view of the hotel (6).



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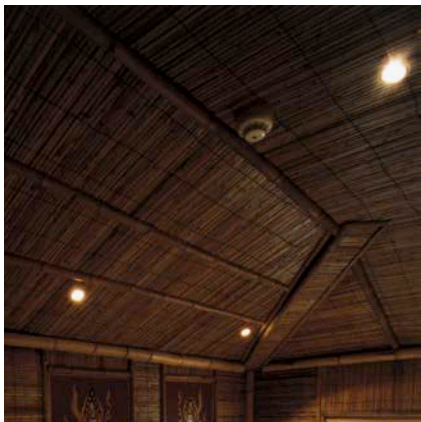
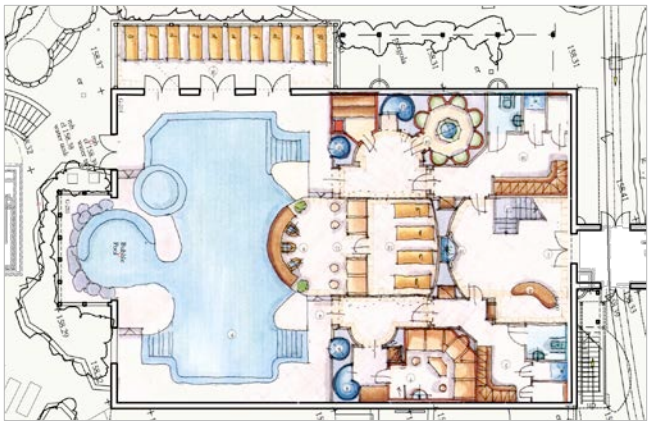


We designed the original pool at the Alton Towers Hotel and some years later, after the opening of The Splash Landings Hotel, we designed its conversion to a Spa.

Design drawing of the original building showing the addition of a conservatory for sitting out (1).
The spa layout was evolved with spa specialists Thermarium (2).

The refurbished pool area replaced the previous Pirate theme (3,4).

Working with Merlin Studios a total of seven treatment rooms were created from the smaller rooms upstairs (5,6).





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At the Avon Gorge Hotel in Bristol we carried out a number of feasibility studies.

1, 2 The hotel is perched above the Avon Gorge with breathtaking views of the Gorge, the Clifton Suspension Bridge and the countryside beyond.

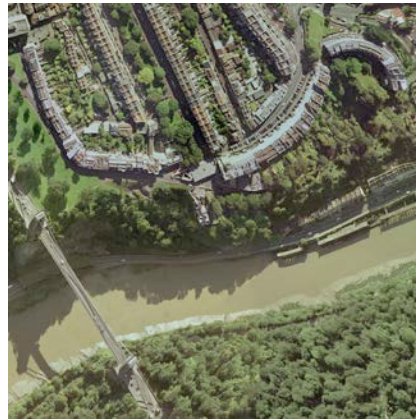
3 Below the hotel there are a number of structures with great potential but in poor condition.

4 A planning application drawing for the terrace restaurant which replaces an old greenhouse on the site.

5 The view which diners would enjoy from the restaurant.

6 Section through the restaurant facing the main buildings.

7 View showing how twenty rooms could be added at the end of the street with sensitivity to the setting.



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Working with the LLC management team we first carried out an evaluation of 15 possible sites for the hotel at LLC. Then working with Merlin Magic Making we carried out the concept design for the 150 bed hotel and prepared the submission for the City's Strategic Development Plan.

The entrance elevation uses the famous bricks to encourage guests that their experience will "explode out of the box" (1).

The main facade faces south and the building form is used to create sheltered sunny spaces for sitting out, play and swimming (2, 5).

NBW design drawings prepared for the Site Development Plan City Submittal for the Park elevation entrance (4) and the south elevation (5).





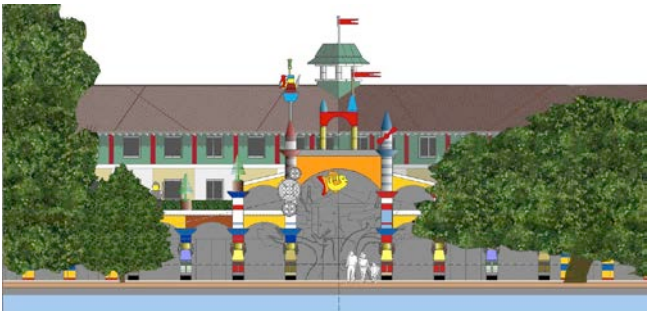
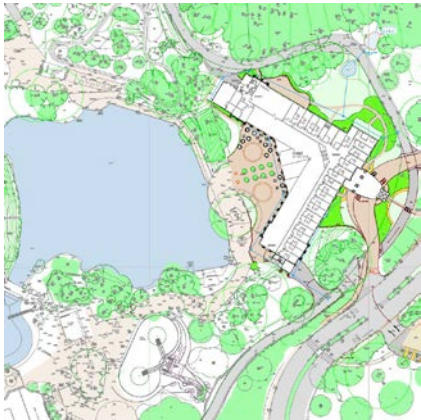
After a site selection process, we carried out the concept design for the 150 bed Legoland Hotel at Windsor, working closely with Merlin Magic Making.

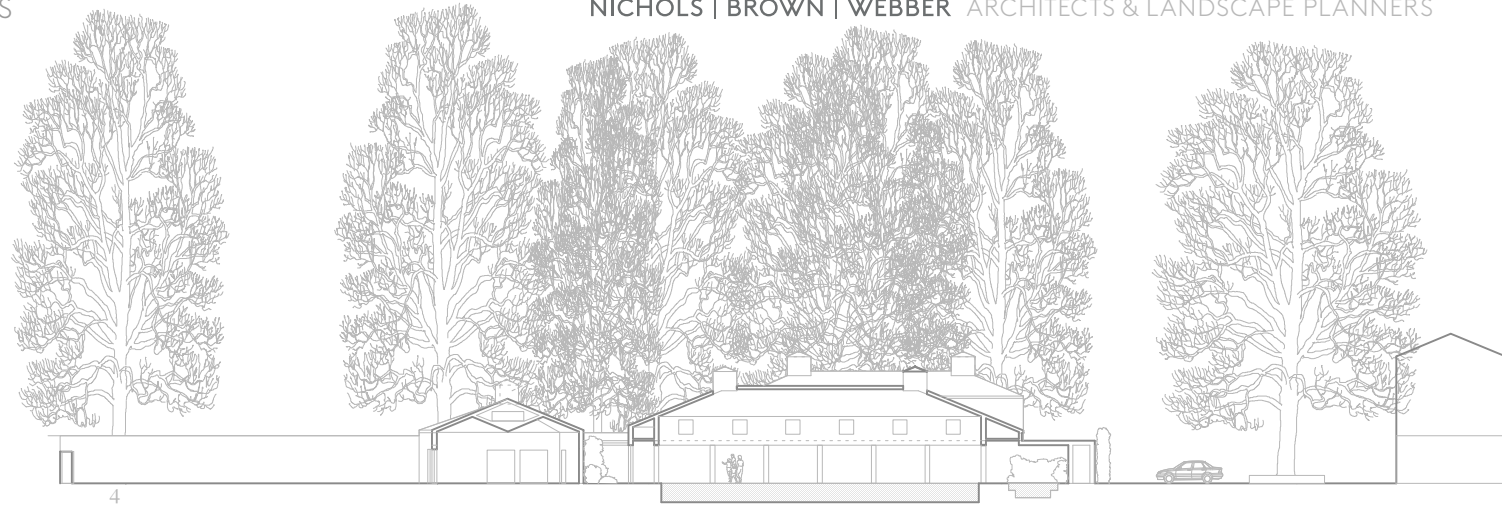
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The lake elevation shelters a west facing terrace which gives views of the setting sun and opens onto the boardwalk (3).

The boardwalk runs around the lake and links to the attractions in the park (4, 5).

NBW design drawing for the lake elevation entrance (6).





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We designed a spa for Phyllis Court which occupies a unique position at the finish line of the Henley Royal Regatta (1, 2).

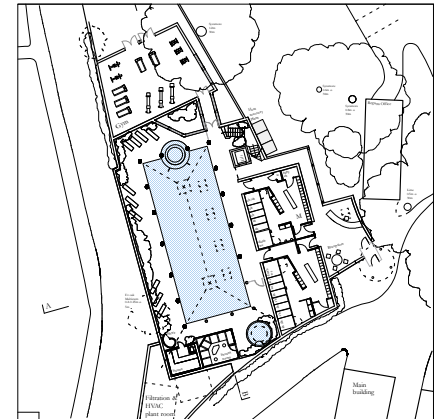
3 The aerial picture shows the large white house in its grounds and the spa site, hidden by trees to the right of the building.

4, 5 The spa included a 20 metre pool, whirlpool bath, sauna and steam room with treatment rooms on the floor above.

6 On this historic and sensitive site it was essential to design a building which blended into its setting and retained the existing fine trees.



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