

This project comprises two houses in a group title arrangement on a sloping block. The design maximises the views from each house by setting the two houses at right angles on the site. This arrangement also minimises visual density by creating an open landscape zone at the front of the site.

Extensive use of opaque polycarbonate sheeting creates internal privacy and diffused light filled spaces. The thermal properties also acts as external sunshading to the east facing deck, exposed to early morning summer sun. At night the reverse illumination creates a lantern effect and provides a level of animation from the street in this holiday destination.

Natural rough sawn timber and charcoal colour combine with the opaque translucent sheet to form a neutral palette of materials and colours to harmonise with the coastal dune environment.

