



Speller House

Itabirito, Minas Gerais

A house with a relatively wide program, where it was decided for an introverted approach in a little area, with a floor plan which stretches around a central patio, closed in 2 sides for an open and social space, through a porous volumetry, which follows the grade slope of the lot. The intimate block closes the other side with a simple massive volumetry. A garden path, with a sauna in one of the extremities and leisure area in another, completes the central patio of the house which is a swimming pool.

The composition is based upon the dynamic potential of the program decomposition in functional, volumetric and plastically individualized blocks, strongly characterized by the interest for fluidity and dialogue between internal and external spaces. They were conceived of as a way to contemplate and develop their specific terms of use as particularized entities, where the sensations in space and time allow a gradual apprehension of the house across by physical and temporal parameters of the perceptible experience.

Credits

partner in charge: Paulo Pontes

team:

André Luiz de Mendonça e Souza, Erica de Oliveira Moreira

collaborators:

structure: Marco T. de Carvalho/Magnofer

services: HE Projetos e Consultoria Ltda

interior design: Dodora Gontijo

light design: Iluminar

built manager: Licoln

photo: José Eustáquio M. Paiva and Jomar Bragança

Project sheet

client: André Speller

status: built 2002-2004

site: Aconchego da Serra

program:

200 sqm including a large living room with a kitchen. Three bedrooms with bathrooms. Garage and storages. Large garden with swimming pool.

structural system: concrete, brick and steel frame.

type: residence.