



The team from Cymon Allfrey Architects offer an insight into what makes them stand out from the crowd when it comes to offering the complete design package.

As biological beings we essentially all live and function the same way, meaning the basic needs for our houses - bedroom, bathroom, kitchen, living - are the same, but how these spaces interact and connect, influences how we live, enjoy and experience our homes.

Architecture is not simply about being shiny and new, it is about well-crafted, well-organised spaces that

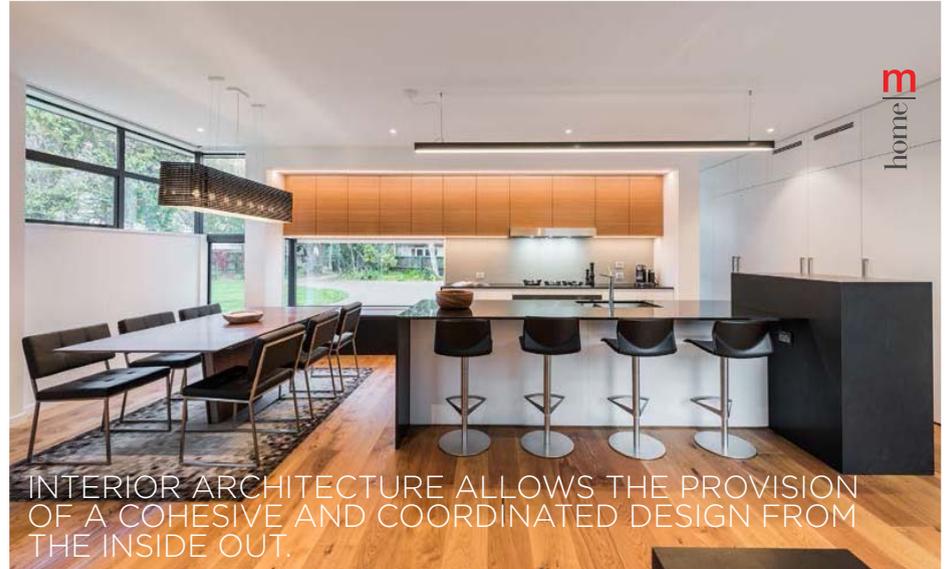
enhance living, not limit it. However, many only consider architecture as an external benefit, as a tool that has been utilised to craft a well-orientated, well-dressed 'shell' of a structure on a site. At Cymon Allfrey Architects our ability to offer an end-to-end architectural service allows us to achieve a cohesive and coordinated design for our clients, both inside and out.



We believe the success of your interior comes down to the relationships that exist between your internal spaces. Where interior design provides the finishing touches, interior architecture provides the canvas on which these touches can be applied, working together to create a well-crafted interior that will stand the test of time. For example, your kitchen needs to be considered in terms of positioning and connection to other spaces, to ensure it is maximising its function within the home. The materials and decorative finishes then come second.

Where you envision having your morning coffee, eating your lunch, entertaining, and so forth, is influenced by the internal spaces you have available. And translating this vision for living is not simply about ticking the boxes around required spaces, but ensuring your interior has been approached holistically.

The manner in which we envision these different activities in our home, and how we want our interior environments to perform, is all part of the dream that is presented at the beginning of the project. As a team of architects and designers, the Cymon Allfrey Interior Team has a unique set of skills that allows it to extract and understand the idiosyncrasies of how you live, based on these early discussions. This is about taking your interior beyond our biological needs, and considering new ways of living, while achieving cohesion



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We recently received a commendation at the 2017 ADNZ-Resene Design Awards for a residential interior; recognition of our ability to provide a cohesive and fully considered end result. A new build, the project allowed us to work with our clients to provide a complete design package and offer them a deeper grain of detail. The architectural language, inside and out, was the same and the palette of materials and finishes was integrated to ensure the interior architecture (such as the kitchen) was a complete solution, rather than simply an installation into the space.

Whether we are working with you to build something from the ground up, or offering our skills to provide an interior solution within someone else's architecture, we are proud to be able to deliver interiors that deliver new and creative solutions to living. Interior architecture allows the provision of a cohesive and coordinated design from the inside out. While one cannot exist without the other, the success and enjoyment of your interior is intrinsically linked to the success of your home as a whole.

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