

**Benoît Menu**  
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I am an **architect**  
**Passionate** about creativity, technology, energy and climate resilience,  
**Looking to** take on projects that address the challenges that architecture faces today, and  
**Working** with integrity, efficiency and spontaneity

**Management** on-site construction, client and subcontractor relations, design and technical support

**BIM** Revit, BIMCollab

**3D** Sketchup

**2D** Autocad, freehand sketches

**Adobe** InDesign, Photoshop, Illustrator

**Office** Excel, Word

**Handcrafting** full scale and model-size furniture, welding and woodwork

**2013 - Master of architecture** housing major (Pierre Blondel)  
Faculty of architecture ULB (Université Libre de Bruxelles)  
Brussels, Belgium

**2009 - Bachelor of architecture** housing major (Pierre Blondel)  
ISACF La Cambre  
Brussels, Belgium

**Language** French: native; English: B1+ intermediate; Spanish: A2 elementary

All the projects included here are the result of close collaborations in which my contribution was significant - including drawing, technical, administrative and building aspects. My career has developed in several architecture offices and general contractors, working primarily on designing and managing the construction of private buildings. **My most recent position gave me the opportunity to manage the construction of large scale buildings with multiple types of apartments designed in BIM.** Now I am at a point in my career when I want to be challenged and pushed to the next level in the projects I take on. I am interested in working more on design and technical installation. I thrive in problem-solving situations and conflict resolution. **I want to work on projects that are focused on energy efficiency, public service, social housing and climate emergency.**

Here's a short list of the most important projects I worked on in recent years: **Les Sources** (109 units / 156,076 sqft / construction phase), **City Gate 1** (110 units / 226,042 sqft / submission phase), **Waterloo Housing** (18 units / 32,291 sqft / submission phase), **Tenbosch Housing** (35 units / 81,246 sqft / construction phase), **HDM Housing** (9 units + nursery / 21,200 sqft / submission phase), **Foyer Housing** (18 units / construction phase), **House G13** (2,260 sqft / construction phase), **House C19** (1,937 sqft / construction phase), **Apartment R45** ( 5 units / 3,350 sqft / construction phase), **House A** (family house renovation / construction phase), **Appartement L** (apartment renovation / construction phase), **Villa M** (villa renovation / construction phase), **Unity M** (hospital unit for the elderly renovation / construction phase), **House S45** (family house renovation / conception phase), **N53** (apartement renovation / conception phase), **W58** (family house renovation / conception & construction phase), **V49** (family house renovation / conception & construction phase)

**2019-2021 Project manager architect**  
**Urban Platform scrI**  
Construction management, technical & design support, client relations

Urban Platform is a company of eighteen architects, engineers and interior designers founded in 2000 in Brussels. The firm focuses on public and private projects. I started there as a project manager and progressively took on many different projects from small (32.291sqft) to large scale (226.042 sqft). I enjoyed working for this company because it is dynamic, resourceful and I learned a lot.



**2018-2019 Construction manager**  
**RB Construction sprl**  
Project and construction manager, technical support, client and subcontractor relations, budget proposal, commercial relationships and negotiation

RB Construction was a company of twenty five workers and seven construction managers, focuses on building and renovating houses and apartments in Brussels. They were specialized in building private living places with high-quality details and finishings.



**2015-2018 Associate architect**  
**Arnivo sprl**  
client relations, initial sketches, permit documentation, construction files, furniture detail design, construction site supervision, provisional and final acceptance

Arnivo is an office of three people, mostly focused on building and renovating houses and apartments in and around Brussels. They focus on designing beautiful spaces with integrated furniture, and consider each building as a group of capsules (rooms) linked by a common thread. This theme could be a texture, a material, a type of finish or a colour... anything that enhances the uniqueness of the project.



From 2012 to 2015, I also had the opportunity to work as an intern architect at **Sterckx & Partners** for 2 years and as a designer at **Antoine Goossens architect** for 1 year.



**dwelling**s Tenbosch 35 units | 21 months | 9,300,000€ | 81,246 Square Feet | construction phase



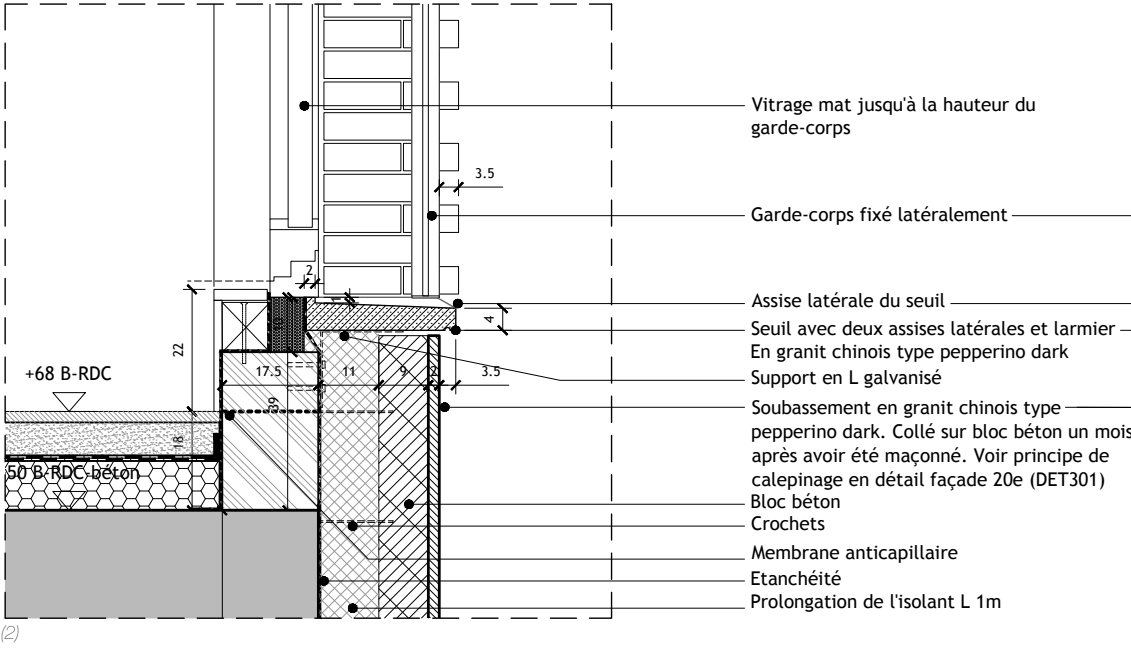
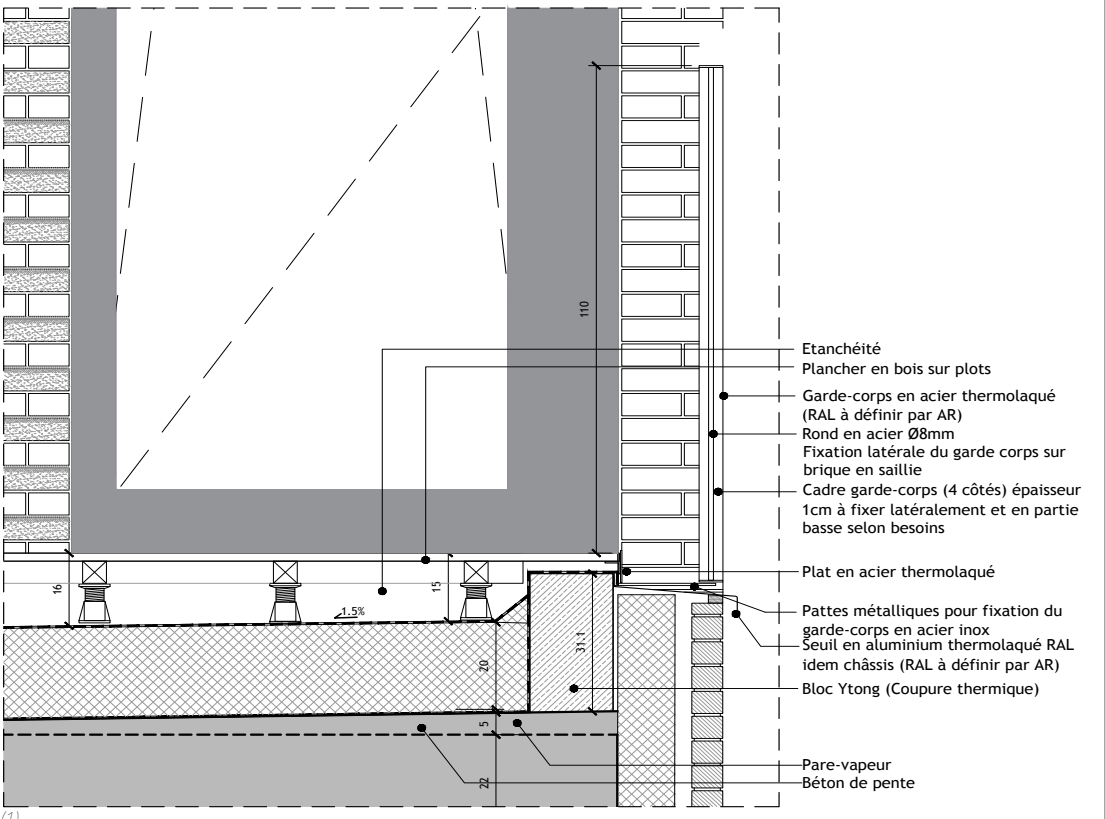
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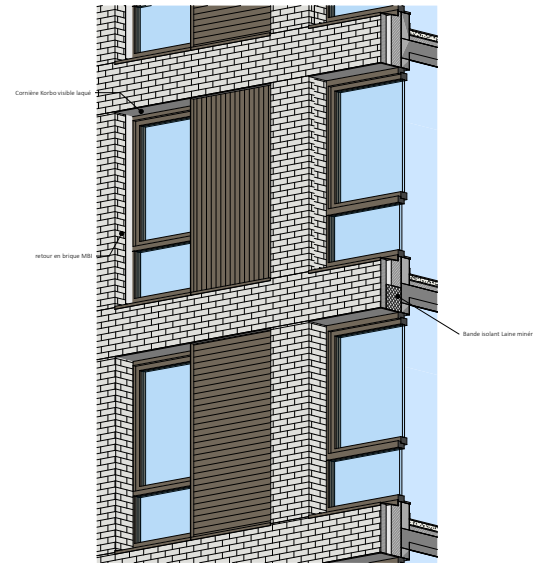
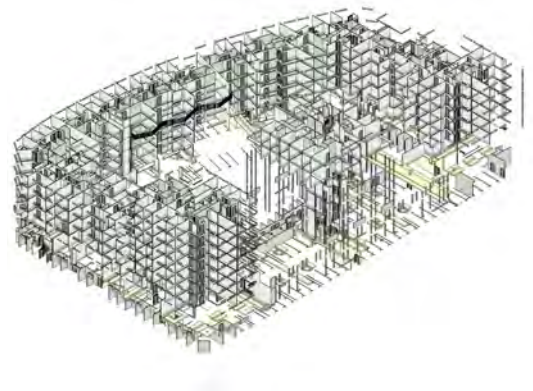
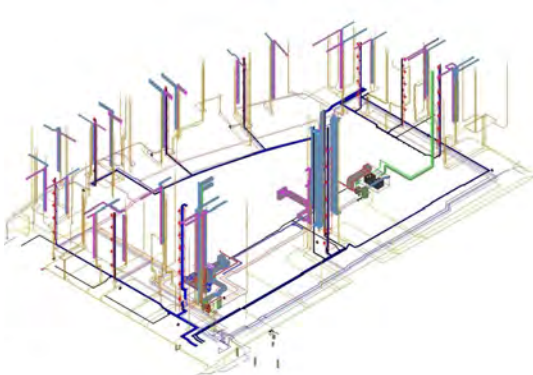
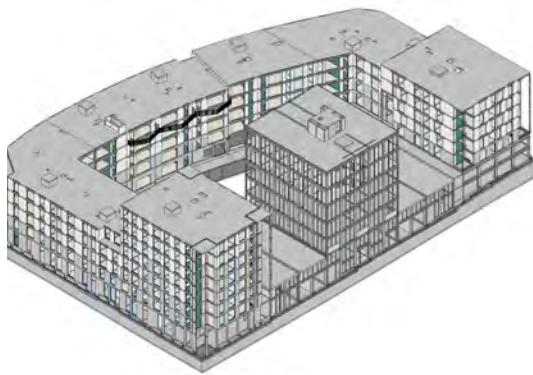


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**CityGate 1** 110 units + 1 nursery + activity spaces | 37,000,000€ | 226,042 Square Feet | submission phase



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**dwelling**s Sources 109 units | 29 months | 14,000,000€ | 156,076 sqft | construction phase



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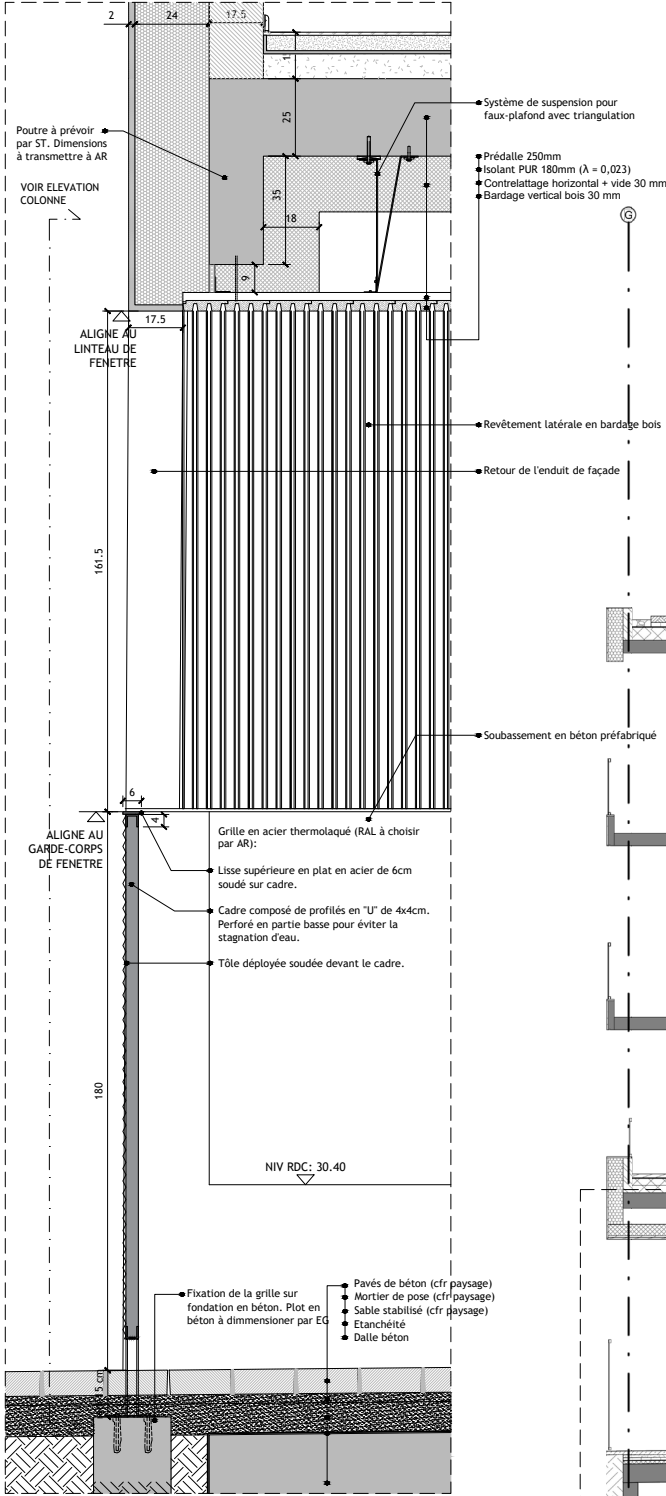


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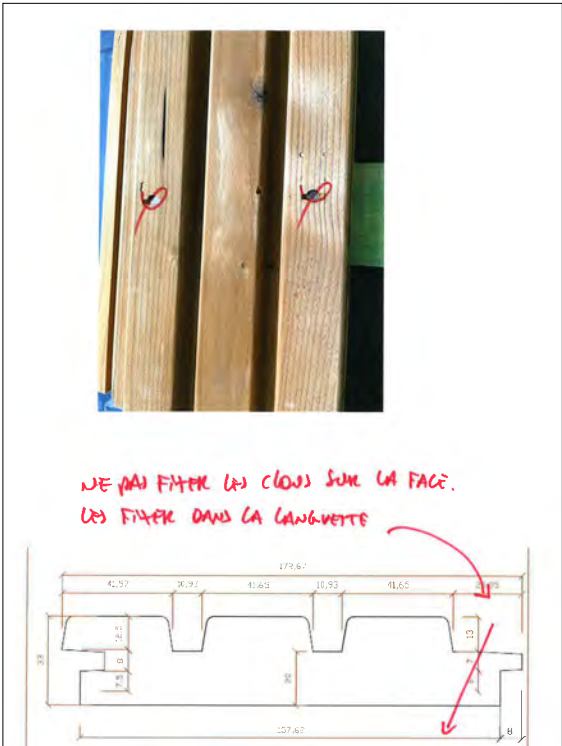
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house C19 renovation and extension of a family home | 12 months | 500,000€ | construction phase



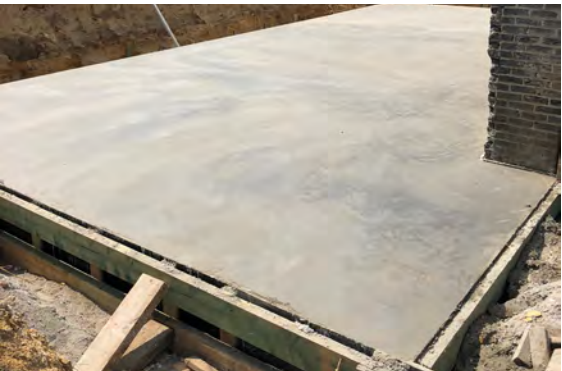
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**house G13** new build of a family home | 18 months | 850,000€ | construction phase



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**house A** renovation of a family home | 8 months construction | conception & construction phase



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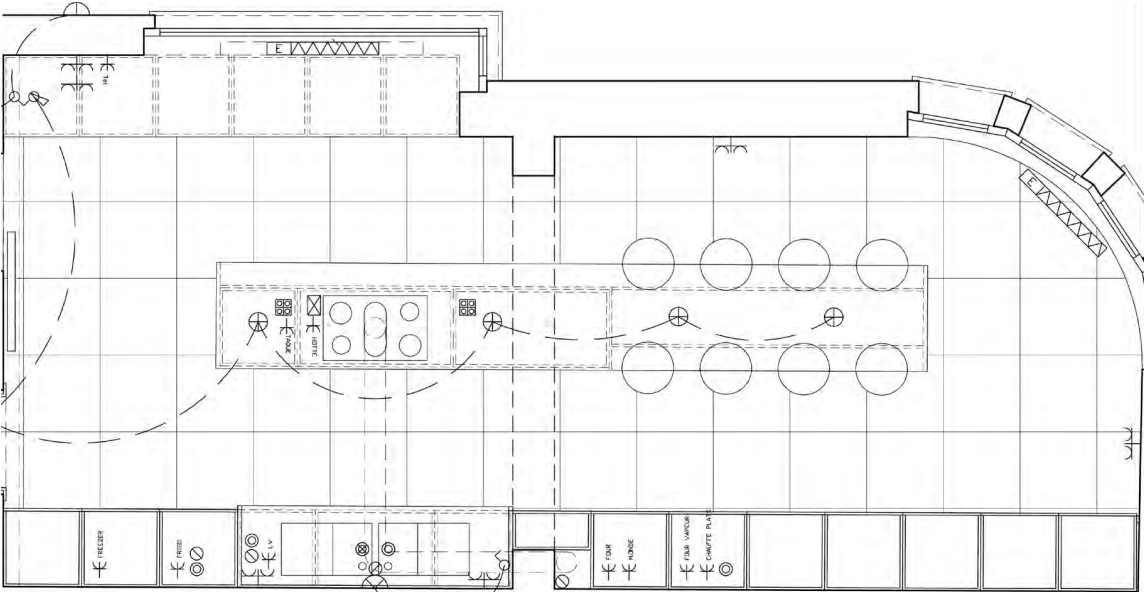


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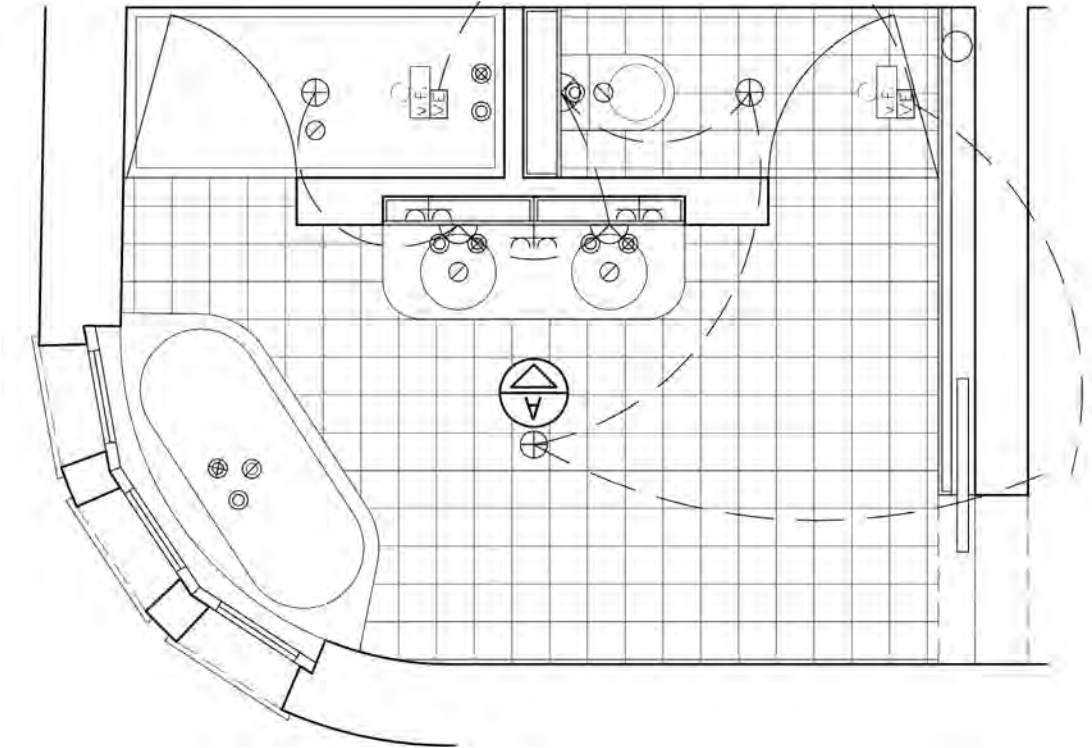




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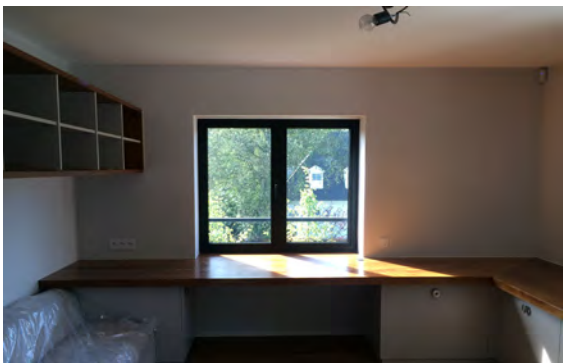
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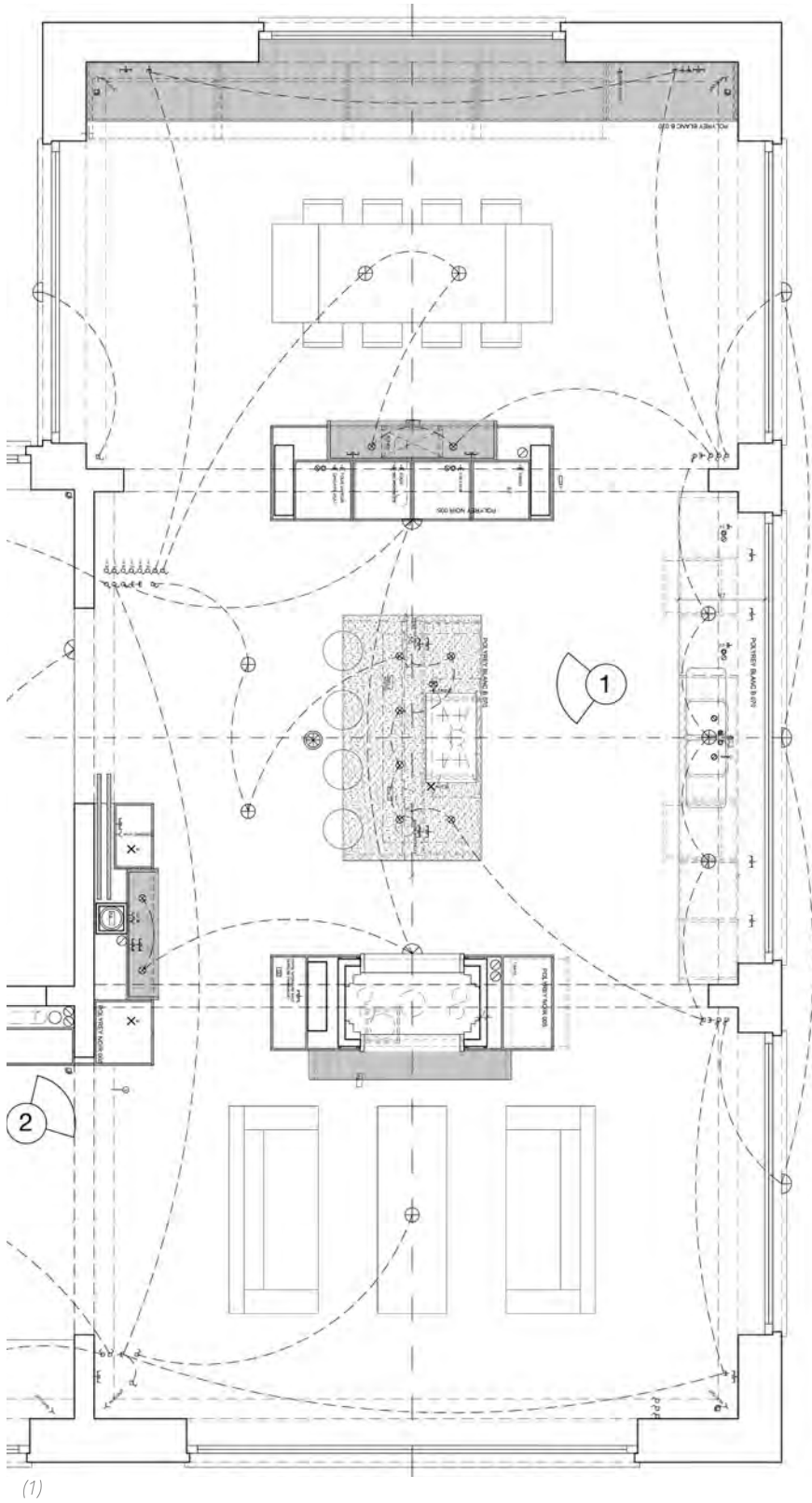
**villa M** renovation of a villa | 28 month construction | construction phase



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