

Sheshan Villas Shanghai, China

Sheshan Villas, located 45 kilometers outside Shanghai, is one of the premier residential enclaves in the world. The concept is built around complementary design themes of "Nature and Sustainability" and "Feng Shui for the 21st Century."

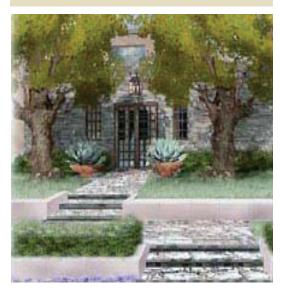
Michael B. Yandle Landscape Architecture and HHJ Architects were responsible for 12 custom homes and gardens.

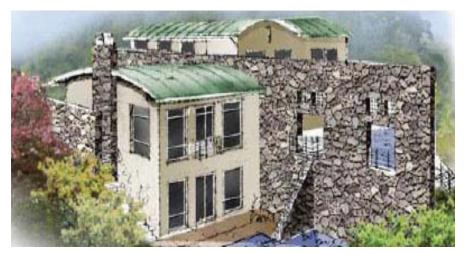


Contemporary Villa

The design melds the materials of antiquity with the forms of today.

It is the perceived flow of water from the pool in the home's central court, dramatically spilling to the adjacent courtyard below, that symbolizes that synthesis and is the focus of the design.









Traditional Villa

The juxtaposition of form, materials and surface brings the design of this villa to life.

A bridge like an entry walk overlooks an adjacent sunken courtyard. The pool terrace and villa seem to float on the shimmering water of the pool.

A stone wall juts boldly into the pool, spilling water onto the surface below.







