

ULTIMATE GARDENS & SWIMMING POOLS

BETA-PLUS

GREEN HOUSE

The entire universe of the project is based on the relationship between the vegetal material and the other materials, both indoors and outdoors. The two spheres complete each other to create a space rendered unique by this delicate balance. This being located in Asia, we chose to bring there a European dimension by designing the main garden as a large Spanish patio.

The garden and swimming pool occupy the centre of the house, its heart, where all the rooms can benefit from the vegetation and the water while remaining protected.

The pool was built using a special kind of lava stone giving the water a natural color, light green shades similar to those of a mountain stream or a spring water.

The pool area easily turning into a life place, it becomes a strong element of the project's composition.

From the first step, we are drawn into a universe where green tones are found in many graphic touches, plants collections, oversized pots or bonsais trees.

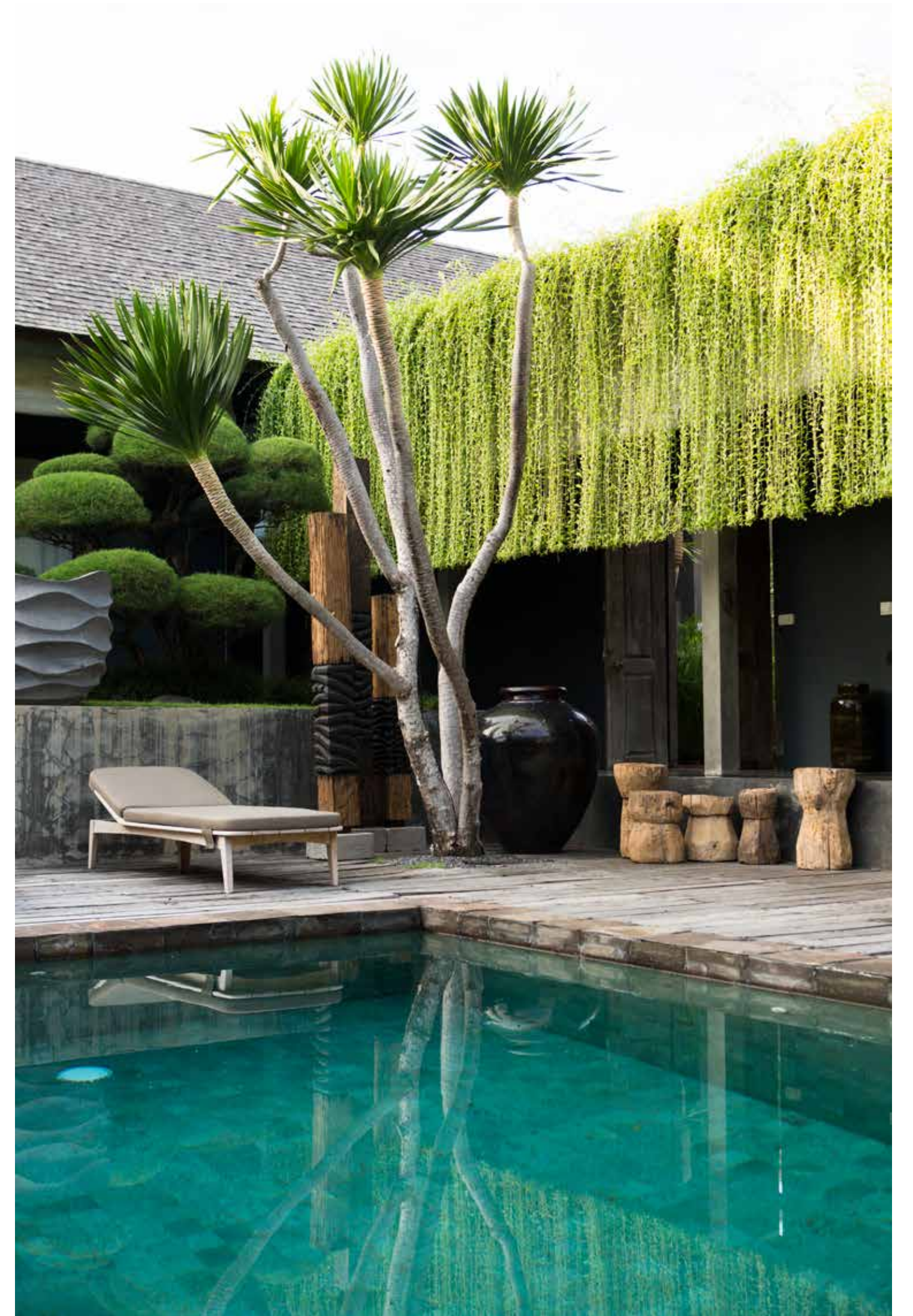
The back garden was treated as a green lung, a place to enjoy the relaxing rice fields view during breakfast for example.

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VILLA 1880

This is the result of a beautiful collaboration with the architect and owner of the house. From the genesis of the project, we had as an goal to bring two architectures together: a traditional house from Borneo island and modern architecture.

In order to blend both styles, the pool, the different patios and outside spaces are entirely occupied by plants creating a link between the different areas.

The inside of pool is lined with large quartz bands making the water twinkle.

The part that is closest to the living room is really shallow - 20 cm - to allow children to play and adults to relax sitting in.

The balance between building and garden is obtained through the use of specific materials, such as the large pots we created for this project with simple forms and wonderfully rendered patinas.

The repetition of strong elements, such as the ones used for the Cycas patio, brings a lot of strength and rhythm to the reading of this home.

All the upper floor rooms overlook terraces which are a universe of pots and plants with abundant blooming contrasting with the shade of green used for the wooden parts.

The outdoor lounge was designed with special attention in order to enjoy the sunset comfortably immersed in the vegetation.

The decision to paint of the blinds bright green was made in complementarity with the plants whose very graphic foliage gives rhythm to the private spaces.

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