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Bachelor of Interior Design (Residential)

Boambilly House

Surrounded by snow-covered mountains and dense forests, on the shore of Lake Tahoe, lies Boambilly House. This concept house is designed to be a writer's retreat where inspiration can be found all around. Boambilly house originated as a paper model, its simplicity allowed for creative freedom in my design and so I was able to develop a modern lake house built from squares and rectangles. Although it was a challenge I chose to work with a dark colour palette for both the exterior and interior of the home, incorporating various stone materials such as terrazzo and stone cladding. I then complemented these dark materials with light timber flooring to add contrast. This design choice helped the house blend nicely into its environment on the lake.

The ground floor is an open plan, opening right up to a formal living room with a stone fireplace. The second floor is a mezzanine level which accommodates double storey floor to ceiling glass windows in the dining area on the ground floor. These windows allow for plenty of natural light to enter the home.

This house is perfect for entertaining guests with two living areas, a spacious kitchen with a walk-in glass wine fridge, and a large dining table in the heart of the home, perfect for sharing meals with family and friends whilst enjoying the beautiful view of the lake.

It's the perfect place to get away from the busy city lifestyle.