



Architects

## H&V HOLOFFE-VERMEERSCH ARCHITECTURE

Description

H&V was established in 2000 and views its projects as lending its plume to writing everyday chronicles on space sharing.

The agency is involved in small as well as large-scale projects. Our approach prompts private and public clients alike to pause and reflect on a shared environment in which architecture is integrated as a cultural asset and added value.

### PRE-TEXTE.

Amid the cacophony of forms brought on by consumption, the topic continues to be shaped and moulded by the constant barrage of TV and advertising images, caught between the need for presentism and a High Environmental Quality ethic. Looking back in hindsight, classical as well as modern architectural codes in respect of buildings valued for their own sake, materials for the materials' sake or styles for the styles' sake have hit on their limits.

### MORE WITH LESS.

Between memory and landscape, H&V views what it does as a reset that sparks an architectural signature that is deliberately restrained yet generous and optimistic. As such, our conceptual design process applies as a matter of course to:

- Considering all areas, micro or macro, without preconceptions.
  - Adopting a more revealing geographical reading of the links between subjects and situations.
  - Focusing on the minimum resources required in order to arrive at collective understanding.
- "Doing more with less" is a work logic that we adopted very early on and which we have upheld to this very day.

Creation

2000

Associates

ETIENNE HOLOFFE

Architecte.

Marié - 2 enfants.

1965: Né à Lobbes -Belgique.

1983-1988: ISAI-Mons.

1988-1989: Collaborateur chez Agence Traces- Bruxelles.

1990-1994: Collaborateur chez Pierre Blondel

Architectes-Bruxelles.

1994: Collaborateur chez Jean Paul Hermant-architecte

1994-1998: Associé du bureau Matador- Mons.

1998-1999: Dea en sciences de la Communication et information - université UVHC + Université Lille 3.

2000:- Création de H&V ARCHITECTURE - en association avec Laurent Vermeersch.

1994-2012: Assistant pédagogique ISAI

Mons+Bruxelles>U\_Mons-FA+U.

2012:- Chargé de cours U\_Mons-FA+U.

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### OTHER PROJECTS :

#### Rural workshop

- 2004 2007
- Anseroeul

#### ESPLANADE

- 2004 2007
- ATH

#### ARSONIC

- 2010 2015
- MONS

#### NEGUNDO

- 2008 2011
- TOURNAI

#### Extension of the Francque house

- 2010 2011
- BOUVIGNIES

LAURENT VERMEERSCH

Architecte.

Marié - 2 enfants.

1971: Né à Ath ?Belgique

1988-1994: ISAI-Mons

1994-1995: Collaborateur au sein du groupe Gamma.

1995: Collaborateur au sein du bureau Matador.

1995-1998: Collaborateur au sein du bureau Jean-Pierre Navez-Architecte.

1998-2000: Collaborateur au sein de l?Atelier 2F.

2000-: Création de H&V ARCHITECTURE-en association avec Etienne Holoffe.

2013-: Conseiller Ville de Tournai.

Awards

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Publications

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