

A large, abstract teal graphic that resembles a stylized letter 'S' or a flowing ribbon, set against a white background. The graphic is composed of two main curved sections that meet at the top and bottom, creating a central white space.

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Big Ideas,  
Small Buildings

Universe

Introduction

## big ideas, small packages

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## shelters for meditation

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Kielder Belvedere  
Northumberland, England  
Softroom



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'Shroud for Bathing'  
New Orleans, USA  
Eskew+



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Tea Houses  
Made to Order  
Shigeru Uchida



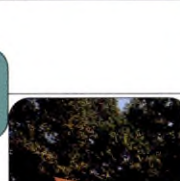
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Sauna Pavilion  
Massachusetts, USA  
Artifact Design + Construction



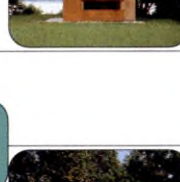
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Studio Pavilion  
Palm Beach, Australia  
DawsonBrown Architecture



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'GucklHupf' Mobile Lookout  
Mondsee, Austria  
Hans Peter Wörndl



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'Point Lookout' Observation Tower  
Portable  
Richard Horden



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## objects in the landscape

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Park Lodges  
Hoge Veluwe Park, The Netherlands  
MVRDV













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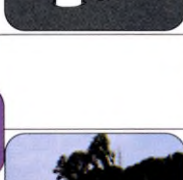
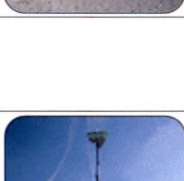













Community Mailbox Enclosure  
Cranbrook, USA  
Dan Hoffman



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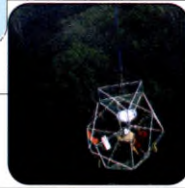
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| <p>Storytelling Pavilion<br/>Cranbrook, USA<br/>Dan Hoffman</p>                                       |   | <p>076</p> |
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## anytime, anywhere

'Icos' Treetop Observation Structure  
Portable  
Gilles Ebersolt



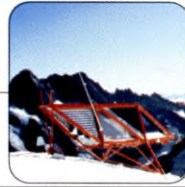
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'Su-Si and Fred'  
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'Ski Haus' Alpine Station  
Portable  
Richard Horden



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'La Ballule' Inflatable Sphere  
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'Silva Spider' and 'Fisch Haus'  
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'Rotation Pneu' Shelter  
Portable  
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Floating Pavilion  
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'Maison-Valise' Housing Unit  
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'Basic House'  
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