



# ROOMS WITH views

The exterior and pool lighting make the pool area a joy to use at night. Uplighting of feature trees creates focal points that add to the ambience of the nightscape.

This home's modern formal design lends an air of sophistication to the outdoor areas and ensures beautiful views are available from all internal spaces



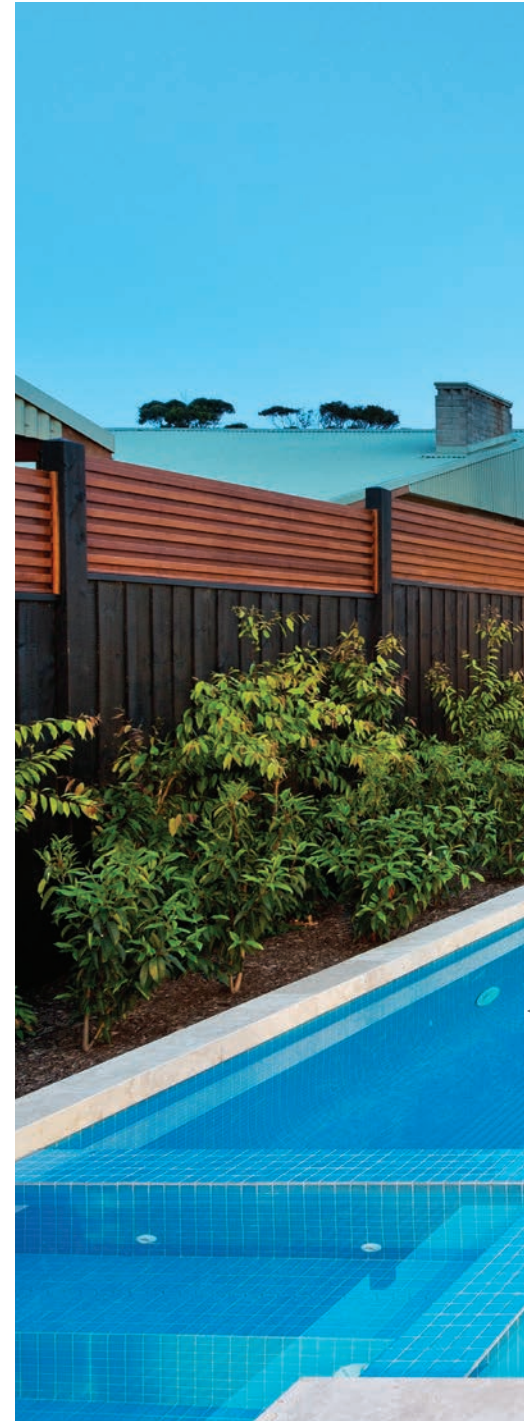


**ABOVE** This garden has masses of street appeal. The front garden layout is formal yet the planting is quite relaxed, such as the ornamental pears that flank the entry path.

**LEFT** Wherever you go in this garden, flourishing plants catch the eye. In the front garden, a low English box hedge borders the path and adds definition.

**RIGHT** Travertine paving was used for the pool surrounds and the paved areas around home. This contrasts the boundary fence, which was painted black.

**OPPOSITE BOTTOM** Frameless glass pool fencing makes the rear garden feel as open and spacious as possible and allows uninterrupted views from home to pool.



Wherever you are inside this home, you have a sense of being connected to the outside. From every window there is a view of a beautifully landscaped courtyard or garden space.

Of modern formal design, the individual courtyards and outdoor spaces that surround the residence feature carefully considered planting schemes, which provide interest from summer to winter. Ornamental pears were used as feature trees in both front and rear gardens. In the front garden, along the fence line, Teddy Bear magnolias were used to soften the change of levels and the paths were bordered with English box hedging.

In the large rear courtyard, the feature tree is a deciduous Manchurian pear, which provides shade in summer and allows natural light through in winter, while more compact-growing, shade-tolerant deciduous Japanese maples were selected for the kitchen courtyard and small rear courtyard. For the feature gardens around the swimming pool, there are crab apple trees and along the boundary adjacent to the pool is a row of weeping lilly pillies, which soften the landscape and screen the fence. Other key plantings include the Portuguese laurel located next to the pool and in the kitchen courtyard.



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Travertine was used for the steps and pathways in the front garden and for the paved areas around the pool. The look is soft, very natural, and is offset by the lush green of the lawn and copious plantings. ❁

### Landscape design and construction

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