

Rogue Garden Design



Concept Brief Sample

The front garden has been designed to have a natural style. A large pond is the main feature and can be viewed from several aspects: the front study, the porch/deck and from within the garden itself.

A backdrop of palms, bold tropical plants and ornamental grasses give the garden a lush exotic feeling. These plants will also help to screen out the view of the driveway and turnout.

A low canopy of small trees is placed around the pond. The canopy encloses the space, creating privacy and seclusion. Adding some up lighting under the Forest Pansy and under the waterfall would certainly add a dramatic effect for guests arriving after dark.

A freestanding pergola echoes the lines of the house and creates the feeling of an enclosed porch around the deck. Twining evergreen vines will offer some shade and soften the lines of the house. This will also help to draw the eye towards the door and define the entrance. The garden is directly accessible from the deck and there are paths leading you around the side of the house and also into the garden where you can cut through to the turnout and/or recycle bins.

Along the driveway an evergreen hedge of Orange jasmine adds fragrance and softness. A trellis offering some shade to an espaliered camellia beneath is located along this same bed. It breaks up the long line of the driveway and hedge as well as offering a focal point; viewed from the deck and the study.

An exciting blend of colour, shape, and texture is planted along the new rendered wall. It is very simple flax, palms, and a large yucca. Up lighting the Yucca, would have a very dramatic effect against the wall.

There is year round interest, from autumn colour to flowering shrubs and beautiful trunks, and the soothing sound of water. There is a subtle use of fragrance and colour throughout the garden. The varied and distinctive aspects of this garden will naturally draw you into this space. I am sure you will enjoy every moment in it, even when you are just watering it.

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