



TOWER IN ÓBIDOS

Óbidos, Portugal

The house, built in stone masonry, is believed to have been originally a defence or storage tower. In 1962 it was recovered from ruin condition by its new owner and converted into a house, expanding to the building in front through an arched passageway over the street. Its mixed purpose program combines private family dwelling and small guest house with living quarters arranged in two apartments around a courtyard in one building and a third separate apartment in the other building adjacent to the tower. The planned pergola, tank and flowerbed, will offer shade and amenity to a roof terrace that is currently under used. A wall of vegetation growing supported on a light wood structure, will extend the existing protection to the west and provide shelter from the wind, while framing unique views overlooking the village.

Project:
Residential, Hotel
Type:
Comision, refurbishment
Client:
Private
Size:
438 m²
Location:
Óbidos, Portugal
Date:
2011 - ...
Status:
Ongoing

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