

Gwynne Road Battersea, Wandsworth, London

We were appointed by a developer client as landscape architects on this 500m², former commercial building, site. Our scope was to provide information to discharge landscape related conditions; provide a landscape architect's construction package of information and to inspect the works during its construction and at completion.

The proposed development consists of a 14 story residential building with 33 residential flats, with commercial space located at ground floor and at mezzanine levels.

At ground floor level our landscape proposals needed to tie the proposed building footprint into the existing conditions at the perimeter of the plot. Levels were a critical element of the landscape proposal's success as the majority of the surface surrounding the building was to be paved and all pedestrian areas needed to be Part M compliant. To the front of the building eight visitor cycles were accommodated and careful consideration was given to screening the adjacent rail track to the building's rear. This was achieved with climbing plants.

On top of the building a roof garden for the use of all the residents was proposed. In designing this space we needed to be mindful of the potentially windy conditions in this location and the potential loading which would be imposed on the building structure by our proposals. A glass balustrade was proposed at the perimeter of this space and low growing planting was specified. These elements accommodated an unimpeded view of the surrounding area.

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