

Tatler Homes Design Awards - Singapore: The winners of the 2023 edition

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COVER Meet the winners of the Tatler Homes Design Awards 2023 - Singapore

Learn more about the top projects that scooped up the accolades at this year's Tatler Homes Design Awards - Singapore

Good interior design goes beyond mere aesthetics, diving deep into the brief and the client's psyche to fulfil both practical and stylistic considerations that make a house a home. A well-designed home focuses not just on looks and first impressions; it also keeps an eye on the future with living spaces that are ready to accommodate the evolving needs of the homeowners.

The seventh edition of the annual Tatler Homes Design Awards - Singapore highlights remarkable residential and commercial properties that embody these qualities, and more. The nominees were chosen from a list of over 100 contenders, with the highest echelon of local design talents making it to the shortlist.

The winners of the 2023 edition of the Tatler Homes Design Awards - Singapore were feted at the awards night, which was held in Singapore on June 27 at Pan Pacific Orchard. This edition was sponsored by Akusträ by Arova, Barovier & Toso, Erco, Hafary, Home Automation Party, Pan Pacific Orchard, Roche Bobois, Singapore Luxury Homes, Surface Project, Surface Stone, Technogym, Villeroy & Boch, and V-Zug.

Best Good Class Bungalow presented by Surface Project



Winner: K2LD Architects

Clad in aluminium screens in a bronze finish, the Metallicus House by K2LD Architects unveils an entirely different guise at night: that of an otherworldly “glowing box” when the lights are switched on and it is viewed from the road. Home to a family with two young children, this striking four-storey abode utilises the operable aluminium panels as shields against the elements and also to ensure privacy. Ed Ng, principal and co-founder of AB Concept and Tatler Homes Design Awards jury member calls it an “elegant and clever take on a facade”. “Using operable panels isn’t new, but the bronze finish takes these to the next level,” he adds.



ABOVE The Metallicus features aluminium screens that are among its most distinctive features



ABOVE Bronze screens within the interior reference the metallic facade of the house

A see-through glazed wine cellar is the first sight that greets visitors to the home, with the entrance lobby leading to an expansive living area that boasts a sinuous spiral staircase as its standout feature. The first level, which features Ariston White marble as flooring throughout, is perfect for entertaining with its flexibility as it can be used as a single large space or be sectioned into more private zones for different functions. Material-wise, walnut timber laminate wall panels and large-format engineered Tundra marble tiles lend tactility and a modern sensibility throughout, while offering a pleasing contrast to the home’s aluminium shell. Conversely, bronze screens inside the home also mirror the metallic facade of the house for a sense of unity.