

Case Study: Bloomberg's European HQ, London

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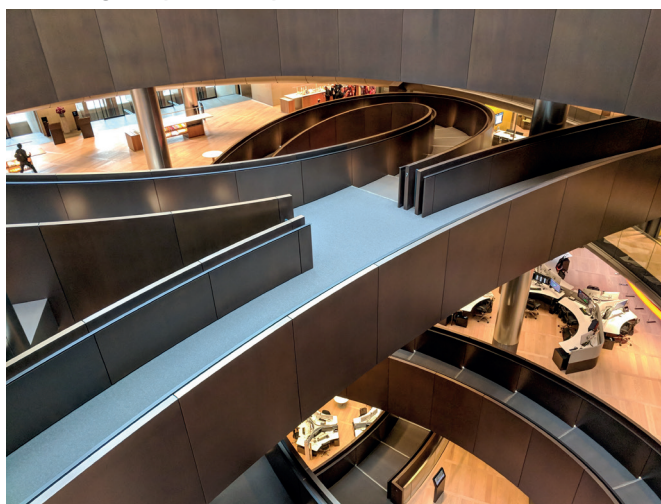
Bloomberg accommodates about 5,000 people, and according to BRE, it was, when built, the world's most sustainable building with the highest BREEAM rating in Europe. The Stirling Prize winner sits above the former Temple of Mithras and introduces a new step-free entrance to Bank Station. Accessibility was a core element of the client brief.

The site contains three new public plazas, two featuring specially commissioned works of art, a retail arcade that reinstates an ancient Roman travel route and an anticipated cultural hub that restored the ancient Roman Temple of Mithras to the site of its recovery. As a result of DBA's involvement, from inception to sign off, this building has a fully inclusive environment that extends to the Temple of Mithras as well as the surrounding public realm where innovative measures are incorporated to ensure a safe and inclusive space for all.

The interior enables everyone to enjoy equal facilities - accessible toilets are finished to a very high standard with innovative features (such as concealed drop-down grab rails). The use of advanced technology is employed to enable independent access within the building and the opportunity for people with sensory impairments to communicate in meeting and conference rooms as well as in the auditorium and TV Studios.



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RIBA Stirling Prize

Project Details:

Location	London
Completion	2019
Architects	Foster + Partners
Clients	Bloomberg
Awards	RIBA Stirling Prize