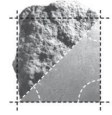
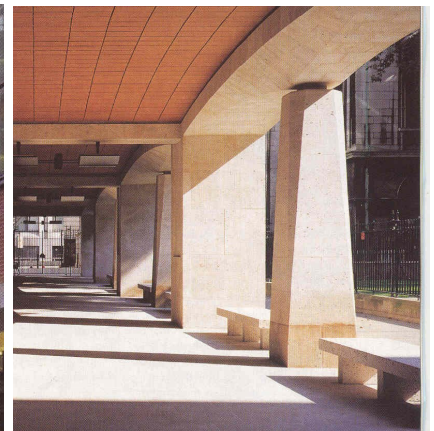


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Merrill Lynch European HQ, London EC1



Architect/Designer:
Swanke Hayden Connell

Client:
Merrill Lynch

Main Contractor:
Grants of Shoreditch

Location:
City of London

Portland Stone:
Admiralty Roach

Scope of Project:
**Construction of new
European head office for
Merrill Lynch.**

Merrill Lynch submitted a planning application to demolish the old Post Office Museum and the Newgate Street Victorian Terrace to build its new European Headquarters

The new Headquarters are situated near St Paul's Cathedral and Paternoster Square. Portland Stone was therefore incorporated into the design to be empathetic with the surrounding buildings.

To create an open feel to ground floor courtyard, the

architects selected a light coloured Portland Stone, Admiralty Roach to reflect the light under the covered walk ways and give a feeling of a large space and a tranquil area.

The large plate glass windows on the ground floor also give a light airy feeling to the offices and public spaces.

Albion Stone supplied approximately 6 cubic metres of Roach which was manufactured into 16 benches at the Portland Factory.

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