



THE CORNICHE

Reference

London, United Kingdom

General:

Concept/Product:

Building Type: Residential buildings, Multipurpose building, Business premises, Office buildings

Client Berkeley Homes

Architecture Foster + Partners

Completion: 2018

Description:

The three spectacular towers of "The Corniche" lie on the southern bank of the Thames. They measure 85 m at their highest, counting 15 to 27 storeys and 253 apartments. The towers also offer office spaces, a restaurant and café as well as a bar, a gym, a pool and spa area. Situated on the Albert Embankment, the towers provide a stunning view of the Westminster Palace, the Tate Britain and the London Eye. Its exterior view shows distinctive forms that visually distinguish the complex from its surroundings.

The arched design allows for a perfect panoramic view and the inflow of a maximum of natural light deep into the rooms. While traditionally constructed balconies provide the best views when in a standing position, the Corniche's two-piece balustrades have been constructed in a way that provides an excellent view even when being seated inside the apartment, without impairing privacy or security. In order to put these peculiarities into technical practice, Lindner Facades Ltd was chosen as facade contractor. Lindner produced and installed the unitised facade, balustrades, sliding doors as well as various individual works on the ground floor and the roof. The challenge of this project was to adapt all materials, including aluminum profiles, exposed aggregate concrete and glass to the arched layout of the building. A number of custom solutions have been developed to meet this requirement.

Completed Works:

Curtain wall

The Corniche

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Unitised facade
Steel construction and locksmith works

Balconies

Banisters

