

Apaiser speaks to Hotel Spec about the range of luxury stone bathroom suites it supplied for the 6-star boutique, Hansar Hotel in Bangkok, Thailand.

he Apaiser stone bathware has again been selected for a luxury bathroom solution, individually customising baths and vanities for the exclusive Hansar Hotel, recently opened in Bangkok's premier Rajadamri district. Renowned for its customisation capability and willingness to work with creative designers, Apaiser has created a series of unique individual designs for this ultraluxury hotel. All products are made from Apaiser's exclusive stone composite, itself a blend of reclaimed marble and minimal use of binding agents, bringing an eco-sensitive solution to this stunning design. Urban but sensitive in look and feel, the unique bathware by Apaiser is made to not only a customised design but colour!

Working with the award winning Singapore architecture firm WOHA, Apaiser manufactured a range of organic and sensual bathtubs and matching vanity sets. Using their unique production technique, Apaiser created fluid, smooth bath shapes which create a soothing and calming space in this bustling city, for the over 100 roomed all suite property. The designs featured individual baths and basins that complement the stunning room by WOHA.

Globally there is a significant and growing focus on the use of natural sustainable materials and inputs, to remove chemicals and artificial elements from this most personal of spaces. Eco-aware designers are selecting reclaimed and recycled materials to return natural materials to the bathroom and avoid consuming new materials in manufacturing. IAMPO and ISO 14000 certified, Apaiser's unique bathware range is manufactured from a seamless blend of reclaimed marble, natural stone and minimal binding and sealing agents - the resulting product is environmentally sensitive, aesthetically beautiful and pleasingly tactile. It requires virtually no maintenance, is stain and water resistant, is simple to clean and install, and has excellent thermal capabilities.

In addition to using reclaimed marble, derived as a by-product from the harvest of slabs in quarries, all natural stone inclusions are recycled. Each ingredient is sourced locally to the production site, and each stunning piece

is hand finished. With minimal use of electricity and machinery, combined with an overarching desire to reduce energy consumption, the entire process from conception to completion creates very low carbon emission and has minimal environmental impact.

Apaiser's recycled marble composite stone, is is a naturally based material that out performs any other stone composite. Durable and sensually tactile, it is easy to clean and will not crack or stain. This material performance is one of the keys to Apaiser's ongoing global success in luxury and hotel bathroom designs.

