

Fukita Pavilion

case study
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Location: Shodoshima, Kagawa, Japan



Architect: Ryue Nishizawa

Owner: N/A

Year of completion: 2012

Climate: Humid Subtropical Climate (Koppen Climate Classification: Cfa)

Material of interest: Steel

Application: Exterior

Properties of material: Two gently sweeping curved planes form a sheltered internal volume, which provides a raised seating area through a crescent shaped bench. The planes are delicately joined at each of the structure's four corners, evoking a sense of weightlessness integral to the pavilion's composition.

Sources:

Architect Website: <http://www.ryuenishizawa.com/>
Web Magazine: <https://www.designboom.com/architecture/ryue-nishizawa-places-fukita-pavilion-amongst-the-trees-11-11-2013/>

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