



# APARTMENT OF PERFECT BRIGHTNESS

BEIJING, CHINA

## QUICK FACTS

- + High-Rise
- + Residential
- + 2,906 square feet
- + 2016 IES Illumination International Award of Merit
- + Smith + Andersen Electrical and Lighting

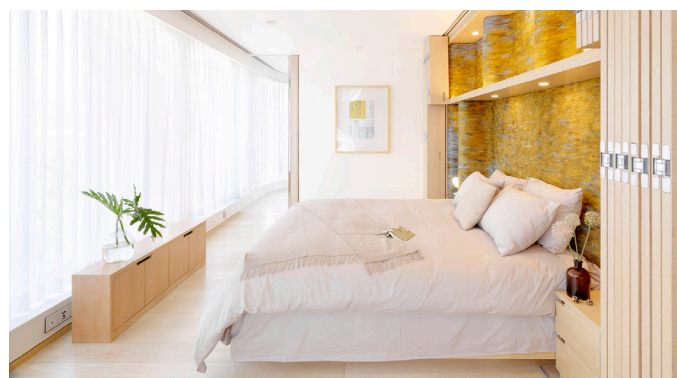
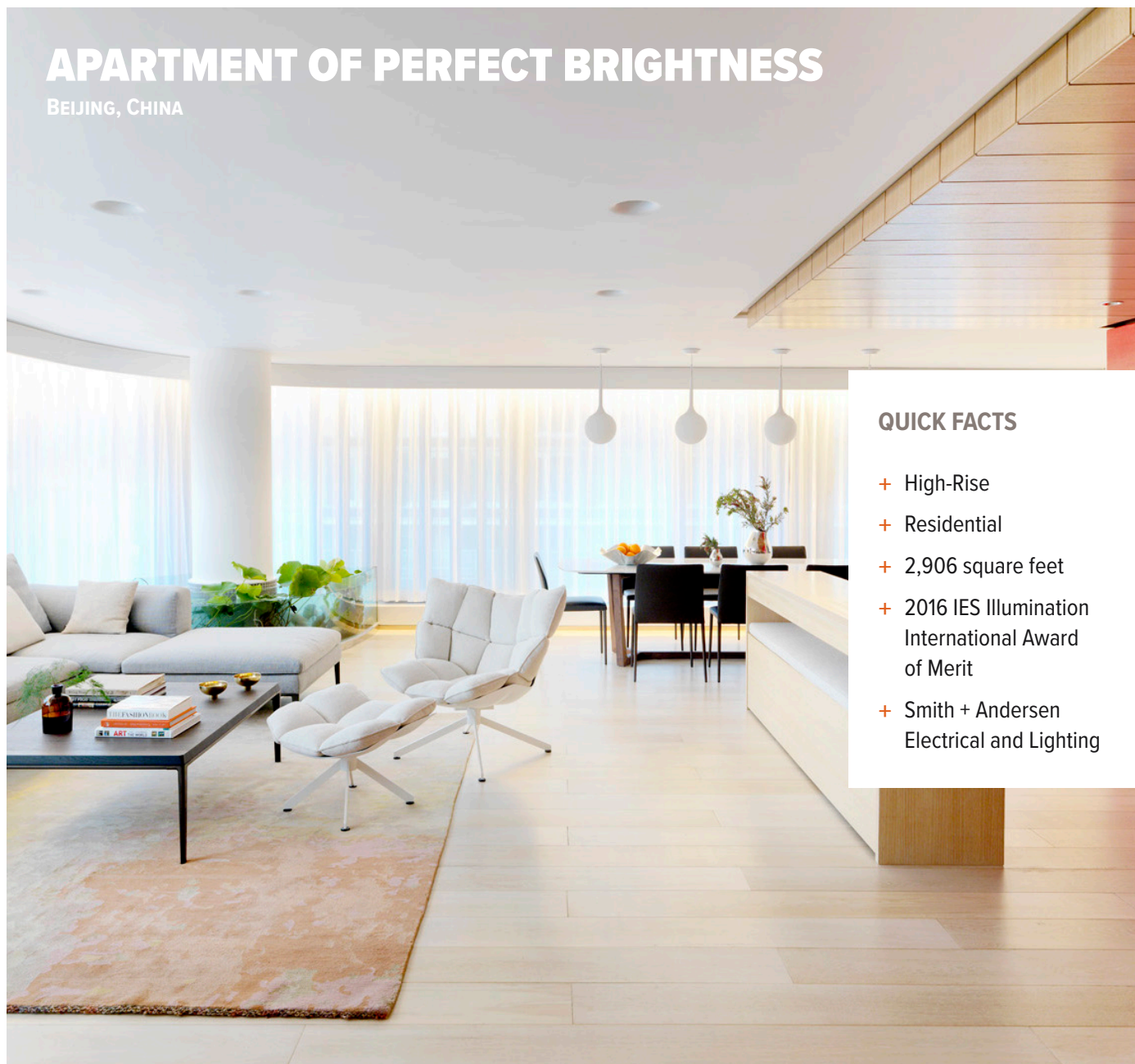


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## ABOUT THIS PROJECT

- + Combined two units from a former office tower to provide a contemporary space while maintaining the art gallery feel throughout.
- + Lighting design incorporated the owner's preferences.
- + To eliminate the visual and psychological effects of heavy smog, treated all perimeter glazing areas to simulate daylight.
- + Developed an LED intelligent white system hidden inside the perimeter cove to simulate ambient lighting (can change from warm (2700K) to cool white (6500K), depending on the season, time of day, and outdoor lighting conditions).
- + A semi translucent curtain redirects the lighting in the cove towards the interior area.
- + Decorative LED pendants and downlights (3500K) provide task lighting.

**LOCATION**  
Beijing, China

**SMITH + ANDERSEN  
SERVICES PROVIDED**  
Electrical, Lighting

**KEY TEAM MEMBERS**  
Adam Sokol Architecture  
Practice pllc

**SIZE**  
2,906 sq. ft. (270 sq. m.)

**BUDGET**  
Confidential

**COMPLETION YEAR**  
2015

**AWARDS**  
IES Illumination  
International Award of Merit  
(2016)

IES Illumination  
*Toronto Section Award (2016)*

American Institute of Architects,  
New York State Chapter *Design  
Award, Interiors (2016)*

American Institute of Architects,  
Buffalo/Western  
New York Chapter *Design  
Award for Residential (2015)*

## HOT BUTTONS

OTHER RESIDENTIAL

LIGHTING

RENOVATIONS

INTERNATIONAL

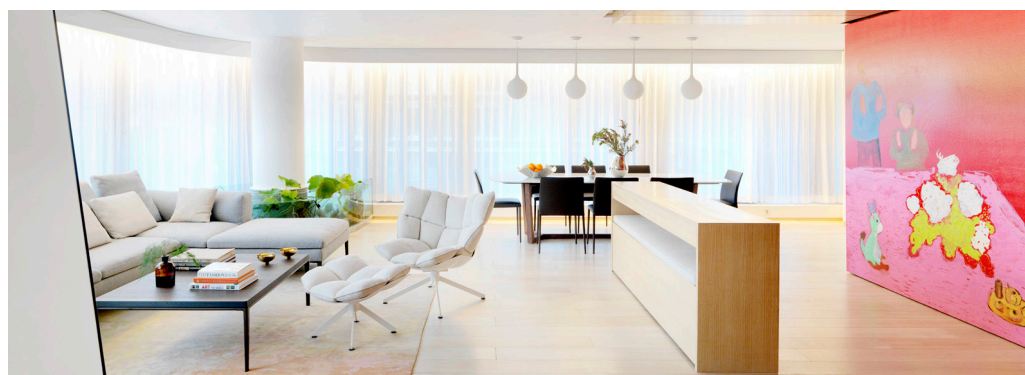


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