

POLICE STATION BRUGES (BELGIUM)

Early 2013, the Bruges police force will relocate to their brand new location situated on the Coiseaukaai. The key differentiating factors in the design by Beel & Achtergael Architects and Technum are the compactness of the building, energy efficiency, sustainability, accessibility and customer service. The Slimline Floor System plays a key role in the savings achieved on material use, weight and energy consumption, as well as adaptability and sustainability of the building.

The winning design is praised because of its refreshing soberness, high ease of use, both now and in the future, and its flexibility. The jury: "This project outperforms the other initiatives in terms of both energy performance as well as CO2 footprint. Moreover, this cooperation aims to reduce material use by limiting the structural concrete and applying a lightweight steel structure. This design offers a considerable potential for sustainability."

The new station, which measures 125 meters in length and 58 meters in width, is comprised of an administrative and a logistics complex. The 4.400m² logistics department will house the fleet of vehicles and an 1.100m² cell block. The administrative complex will allow housing a staff of 150 on about 6.700m² office space.





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