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The wave-shaped building complex contains attractive workstations in Frankfurt's city centre, not far from the Alte Oper.



Invesco, one of the world's largest investment companies, has moved into new premises in Frankfurt. In "Die Welle" (The Wave) building, the company was confronted with an interesting and challenging floor plan. For several years now, Invesco has been working with ABA-design, an Interior Design Agency specialising in corporate architecture, branding and communication concepts. Invesco's offices all over the world are open plan spaces. The same concept was introduced in the new building in Frankfurt. Invesco placed great value on a high-quality, aesthetic design as competition for staff in the financial sector is very strong. Attractive workplaces are therefore an important means of gaining personnel and tying them to the company over the long term. The floor plan is divided into three areas: the Welcome Area with meeting and conference rooms, the Central Hub as the heart of the recreational break and waiting area and, finally, the offices.



Only a few workstations are situated in cellular offices with most being in the open plan space.
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Most of the internal space-dividing walls are transparent. Glass elements are fastened in place between sword-shaped posts. Privacy is guaranteed through translucent film combined with an ornamental filigree detail (top photo). On the left, is a single workstation with a **zenon** desk and modesty panel. Below: conference rooms with **open up** cantilever chairs. Photos: © Stefan Streit



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In the open plan area, a bench situation was created with the **zenon** furniture system. Every employee can thus individually adjust the height of his/her workstation.

The acoustically active Sedus **privacy elements** ensure visual privacy, serve as holders for elements such as filing trays and are used to attach monitor brackets. Sedus **containers** with corrugated surfaces are used for storage directly at the workplace. Additional personal storage space is provided by **activation** roll-fronted cabinets with an acoustic front.

From the workstations next to the outer facade as well as from the interior areas, employees have a view of the landscaping outside.

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The heart of the office floor enables employees from all departments to meet. The Central Hub cafeteria is designed like a roof garden. Unobtrusive tree silhouettes decorate the walls, while a striking ceiling detail made of oak arches over the kitchen area. A plasma screen enables the employees to follow financial market trends.
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