

Aldworth James & Bond

Order

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Creative build specialists Aldworth James & Bond present feature installation **'Order'** — pushing the boundaries of component based digital fabrication, handcrafted joinery techniques and the solid surface Corian™

Creative build specialists Aldworth James & Bond are working with Corian™ to create **'Order'**, an installation at St John's Gate for Clerkenwell Design Week 2017. Using the octagonal form inspired by the Cross of St John, the structure will celebrate the arch as a gateway to the design festival, and its design is firmly rooted in the rich history of Clerkenwell.

The concept is inspired by Anthony Powell's description of visiting the Charterhouse, another historical Clerkenwell building, alongside the geometric beauty of the four dimensional tesseract form.

"I went under an arch... it was like moving into the Fourth Dimension, several centuries back in Time, everything round but completely still, like a dream."

Anthony Powell, Journals 1982-86

'Order' will push the boundaries of component based digital fabrication by forming 145 700mm Corian™ octagons that connect together in nine sections, forming a unique multidimensional structure. It will measure almost three metres in height, and over five metres in length. The material's strength will be integral to **'Order'**, and will truly showcase the versatility and benefits of using Corian™ as a structural element in manufacture.

About Aldworth James & Bond

Aldworth James & Bond is a multidisciplinary group of designers, project managers, tradespeople and makers based in Deptford, south east London. Founded in 2008, the company are creative build specialists and recognised as experts in design, prototyping, joinery, metalwork, finishing and digital fabrication.

Working with some of the world's biggest and most forward-thinking brands, renowned architects and interior design studios, Aldworth James & Bond has established a strong reputation in the commercial fit out industry; as well as delivering premium residential joinery throughout the UK and building temporary installations and pavilions worldwide. Aldworth James & Bond is led by three directors: Del Bond, Tim Hill and Nik James.

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