

Hot Cube

Hot Cube is a minimalist sauna experience that is built above water either on pontoons or pillars. It is assembled of wooden elements and treated with tar from outside. Light and air enter through the floor that is constructed of European ash wood racks.

Special experience comes from sensing the live fire, play of light from water below, sound of waves and the smell of tar and wood. Distractions from outside are minimized.

The design and scale of construction is based on traditional Finnish knowledge of perfect sauna. Yet the visual outcome is something totally new.

The designer is a sculptor and interior architect Harri Markkula. He showed Hot Cube first in Jämsä 1998. The second prototype participated the EU Capital of Culture event in Turku 2011 where it gained international attention and design awards.

Hot Cube fits 5-6 people at a time. The elements based design makes it easy and fast to assembly and transport.

At Helsinki Design Week 2013 we are warming the sauna once more for all friends of good design and slow sauna culture. We are also searching for a production partner and sales channel to international markets.



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