

The Chrysalis Residences in Athens Riviera

Inspired by the distinctive natural shape of a butterfly, this unique complex of four individual residential units is located in the southern Athens neighbourhood of Vouliagmeni and just 5 minutes walk from the sea.





The team at 314 Architecture Studio took their inspiration from nature to design four independent residences of three floors, including basement and roof top terrace, ranging from 36om² to 500m² each. The extending wings of the butterfly provide shade for the bottom floors while generating open roof top terraces.

Privacy is ensured through both the subtle drop of the butterfly's wings, the extensive use of U-Glass and the fully landscaped garden areas.



Seclusion and Peace both Inside and Out

Transparency is used as a bonding element between the exterior and the interior with U-glass replacing or camouflaging the solid walls to allow maximum natural light to permeate each residence. The surrounding landscape is designed to complement this composition, with artificial lakes reflecting the butterfly's organic shape, the glass surfaces and the surrounding vegetation, while creating a feeling of seclusion and peace. Floating paths pass over these lakes and plants to connect with all ground floor balconies allowing residents an immediate connection to the nature around them.

Designs are not final and subject to potential changes. More information to be provided upon request.