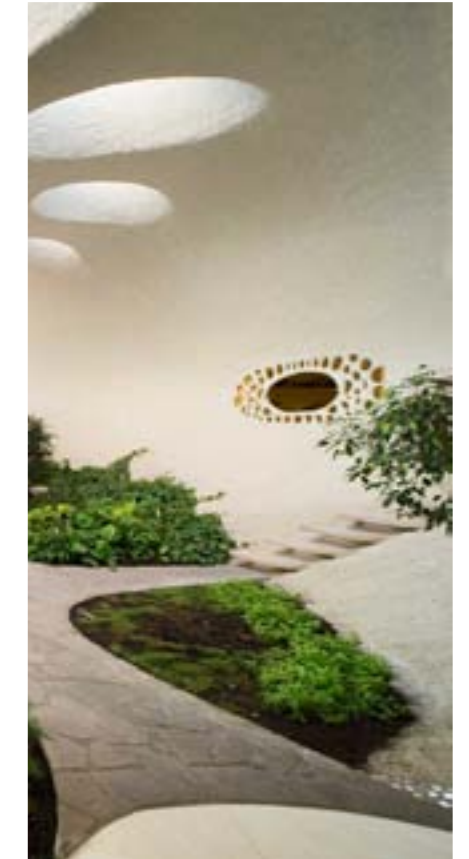




Nautilus House

“Literally, the dwelling is a big snail, structurally working as an evocative shell: resistance, protection and shelter.”



“Nature is the biggest source of inspiration.”

“The social life of this [home] flows inside the Nautilus without any divisions. Going up the spiral stairs, continuing through the hall, going through the television room (sheltered in the Nautilus belly) flows the space up [towards] the spiral stairs to the study room, where you can view the mountain’s landscape.”

“Neither the walls nor the floor or the ceiling are parallels.”

“Two elements are outstanding: the living room emerging from a inside garden, and the dining room table coming out from the wall.”

“For ventilation, there are two underground ducts. When the outside air enters, the house gets cold or hot according to the year’s season”

To learn more about the Nautilus house, visit us online at theemeraldmagazine.com

Every quarter we bring you unique and sustainable ways to create your Humboldt dream home. This Spring we share with you a design inspired by the sea. A house that architect Javier Senosiain created using nature as his guide. Shaped like a Nautilus shell, this house is just as alluring on the inside as it is on the outside. Senosiain’s close friend, Leon Faure, describes the creation of this magnificent house.



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