



Night view 夜景

SOHO Shangdu

The faceted façades of the two 32-level towers and smaller landmark building onto Dongqiaolu are clad in a random pattern of grey glass and aluminum panels. The dynamic qualities of the pattern readily allowed the proportion of glass orientating to the south and west to be reduced, thus lowering the heat gain to units in those directions. Inscribed within the faced facets are a large-scale geometrical parametric network of lines which at night create continuous light-lines and the project's distinctive nocturnal image. The façade pattern was directly generated on the same principles and visual image of the traditional Chinese ice-ray pattern, a decorative motif used primarily for joinery and paving, which is parametric in its geometric properties.

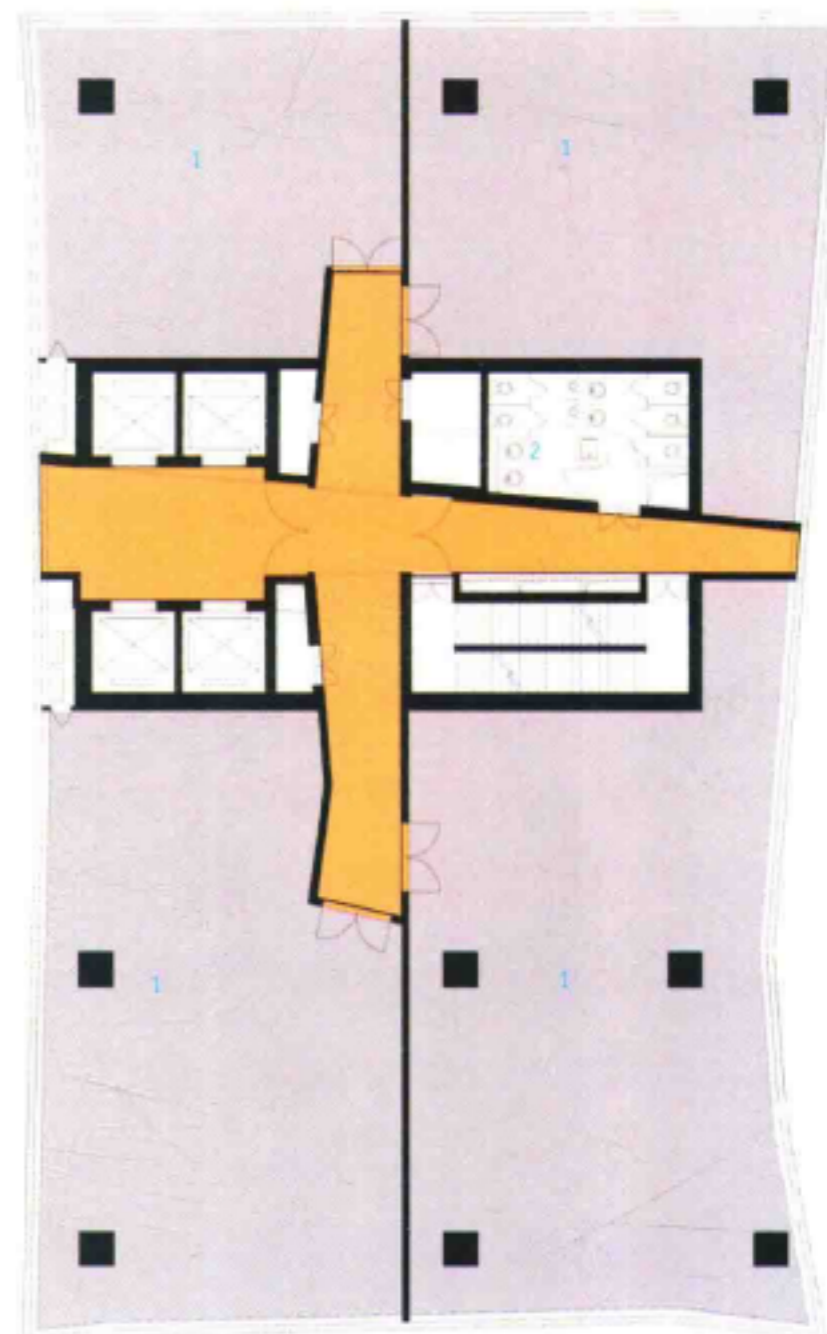
The organisation of the retail was designed on the principle of a vertical hutong with a series of internal streets and passages which vary in their position, width, height from floor to floor, thus generating differentiated circulation patterns which in turn, create the potential for localised and specialist retail zones.

Two large internal courtyards, which spiral vertically and link all the floors provide a navigational and activity focus to the retail area's "east" and "west-ends", facilitating a range of events from fashion parades, commercial launches to concerts and talks activities.

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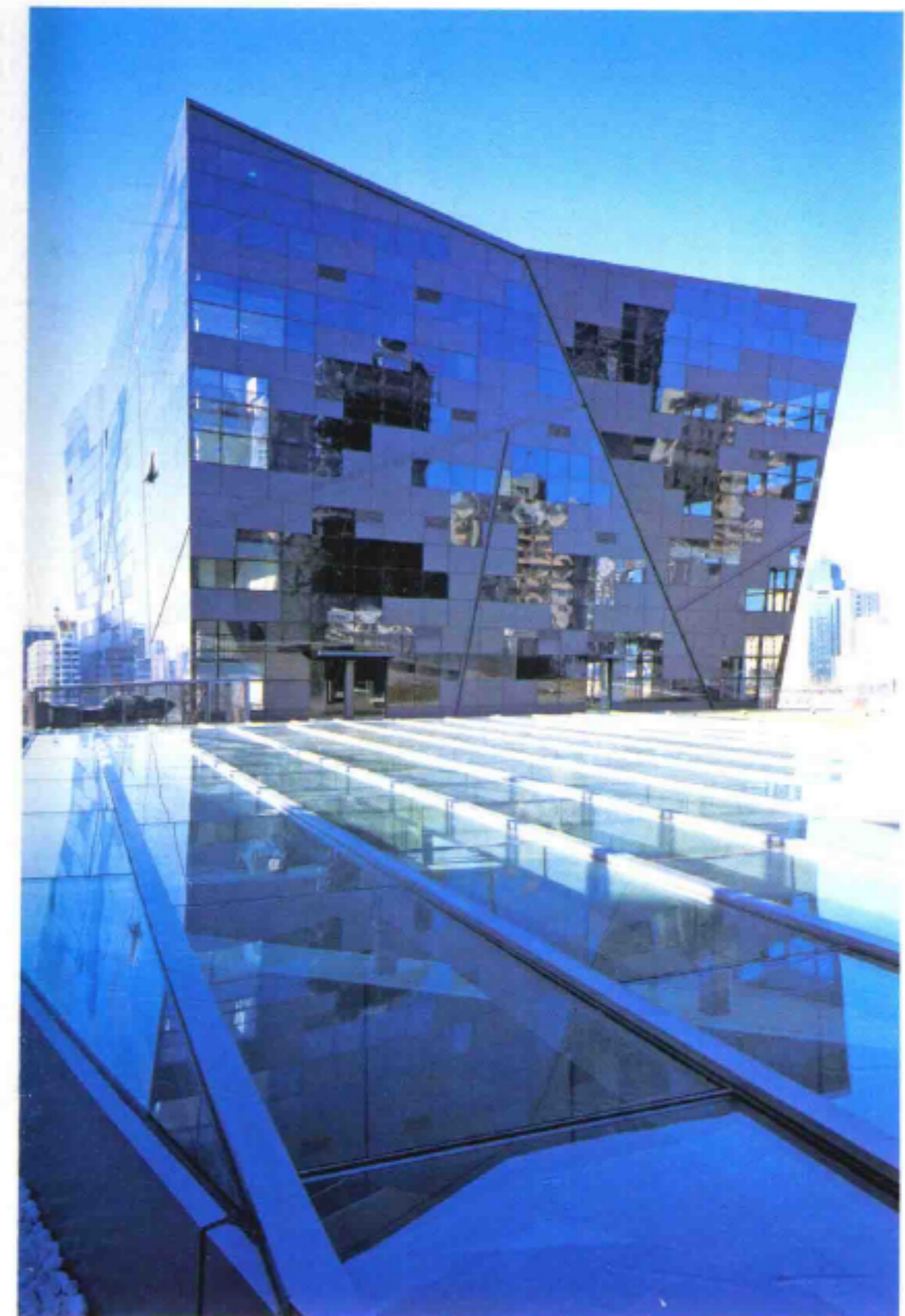
尚都由两栋32层大厦及一幢小规模地标性建筑构成，外观采用灰色玻璃和铝板镶嵌而成。随意的拼贴突出动感，同时减少了西、南两侧的玻璃材质数量，进而降低了强光的照射。尤为重要的是，表层下布满了各种电线，夜晚光线闪耀，并投射出不同的图案，这一设计源于中式传统的木工制品及铺石路面的图样模型。

商业区的设计以“垂直的胡同”为理念，内部街道及通道不断变换着宽度和高度，构成不同的样式。两个开阔的室内庭院蜿蜒向上，将不同的楼层连结起来，同时将大厦内部的景象尽收眼底。与周围同类建筑相比，尚都可以说是别具特色。

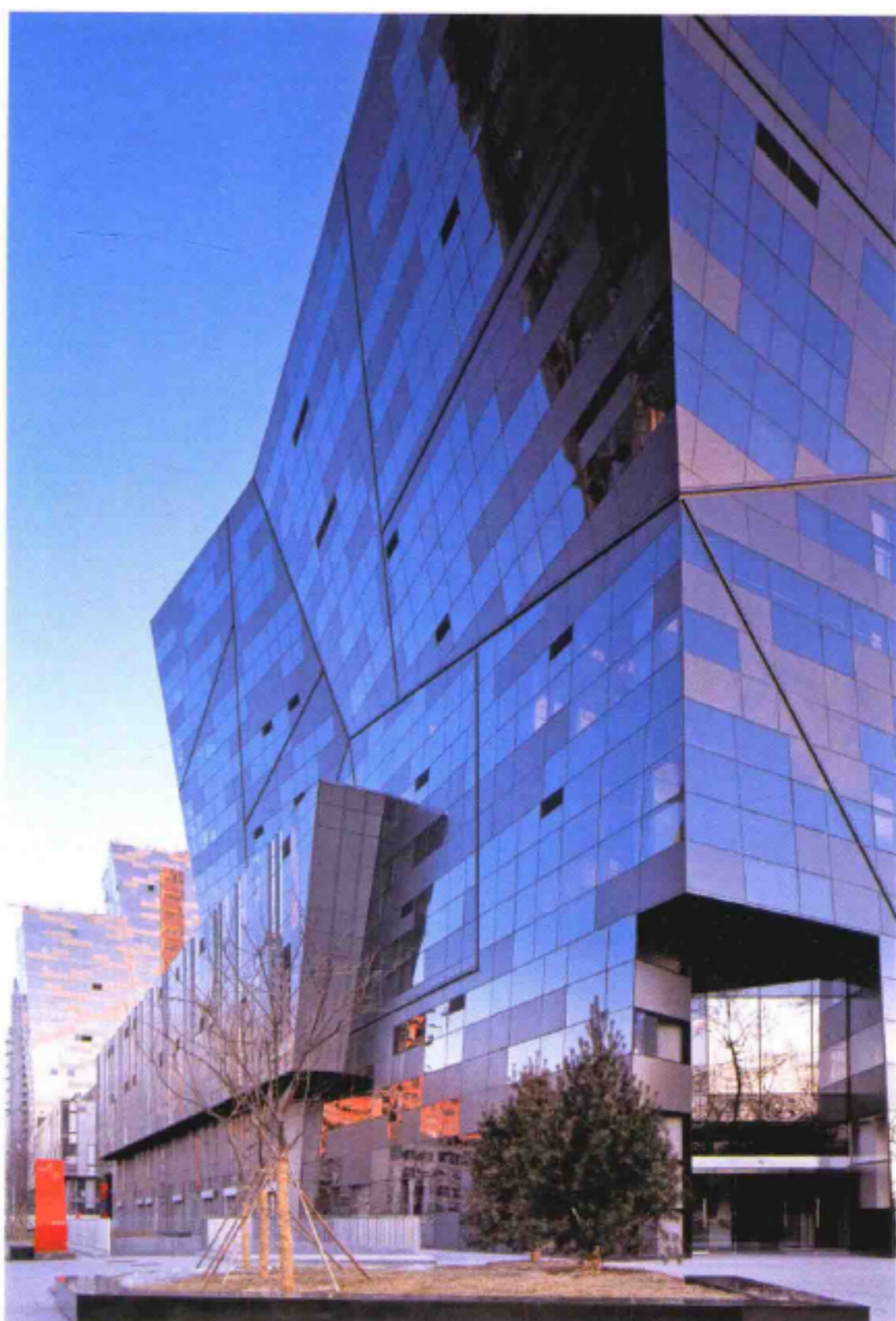


1. office area
2. WC

1. 办公区
2. 洗手间



建筑外景 Outside view



建筑外景 Outside view



大厅 Hall



室内 Interior view

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Complex

Completion Date: 2007

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