

Case Study



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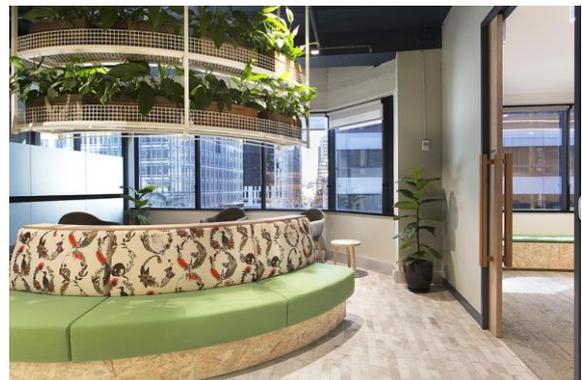
Australian Ethical Investment, Sydney

Australian Ethical Investment (AEI) recognised the importance of creating a workspace that represented its culture and commitment to social and environmental responsibility. A part of revitalising their Sydney head office was to address the indoor air quality through a Junglify Breathing Wall.

The brief for this project was to include “as much greenery in the office as possible”¹ said Jacqueline Lapensee from AEI on their decision to install a Junglify Breathing Wall. Their green vision was brought to life by Siren Design and FDC Construction & Fitout with a workspace that brings the outdoors inside through plants and carefully selected sustainable materials.

OUR ROLE

Junglify designed and constructed a Breathing Wall in a central hub of the office to give all staff access to the plants, including those not located near a window. To complement the Junglify Breathing Wall, we planted an additional 250 plants that overhang office desks to enhance the biophilic effect on staff.



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KEY INNOVATION

The installation of the Junglefy Breathing Wall, an innovative and award-winning system, was an efficient way to deliver cleaner air and wellbeing benefits to AEI's staff.

The use of LED grow lights over the Breathing Wall and overhead desk planters was effective in encouraging the plants to grow and thrive indoors.

AUSTRALIAN ETHICAL INVESTMENT OUTCOMES

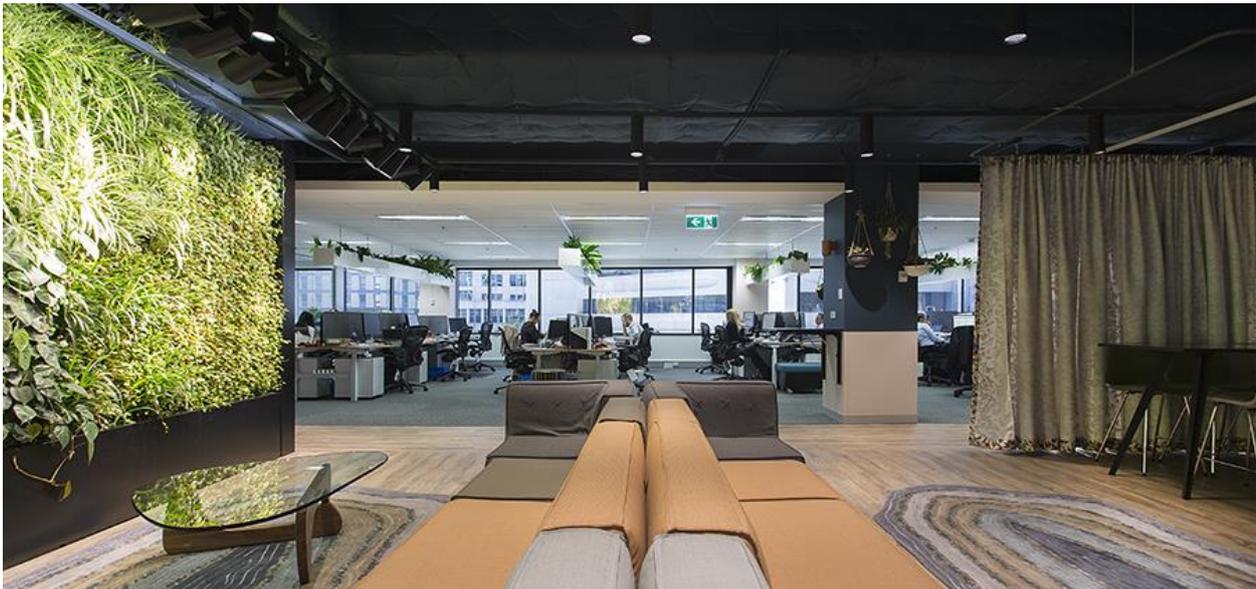
AEI recognised the benefits of plants in office spaces for air quality, productivity and their biophilic effect on staff. The addition of the Breathing Wall and other plants in the office was well received by staff. Jacqueline Lapensee says "there has been great feedback from staff, but there was a better level of engagement once Junglefy came in and explained the benefits of the wall and the research that had been done."²

KEY FACTS

- Garden type:** Junglefy Breathing Wall, potted plants
- Type of species:** Peperomia, Philodendron, Chlorophytum (all plants have been researched by UTS and Junglefy)
- Number of plants:** 720 Breathing Wall plants, 250 potted plants

"...people are now responding to the productivity benefits of plants. During that slump time in the afternoon people are moving to the couches by the green wall."³

Jacqueline Lapensee
Executive Assistant to the CEO,
Australian Ethical Investment



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