



## L-House

### Tradition brought to the next level

The generous, linear and consequent design of this modern home for a young family in southern Burgenland appears to sit lightly and calmly in the gentle hills of the landscape. The idea was to rethink and develop the traditional L-shaped building with inner courtyard, which is typical of the region, further; transforming it into a contemporary, energy efficient living model. Lightness and functionality are matched in the same way as sustainability and quality of life.

### Contemporary country living

The building was partly built into the hillside, creating a protected courtyard. Continuous glass surfaces extend the living spaces into the garden and further into the picturesque landscape. The house is entered via a covered entrance area in the lower level, leading into a two-story foyer and the inner courtyard. Sleeping, living, cooking, reading and dining areas are all housed in the upper part of the building. In short: Plenty of space to live in. The boundaries of these areas are like the entire architecture of the building: Flowing and interlocking. Everything seems right.

Project description	Private residence (ultra low-energy house)
Location	Burgenland, AUT
Architecture	Architects Collective
Completion	2012
Floor area	300 m <sup>2</sup>

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