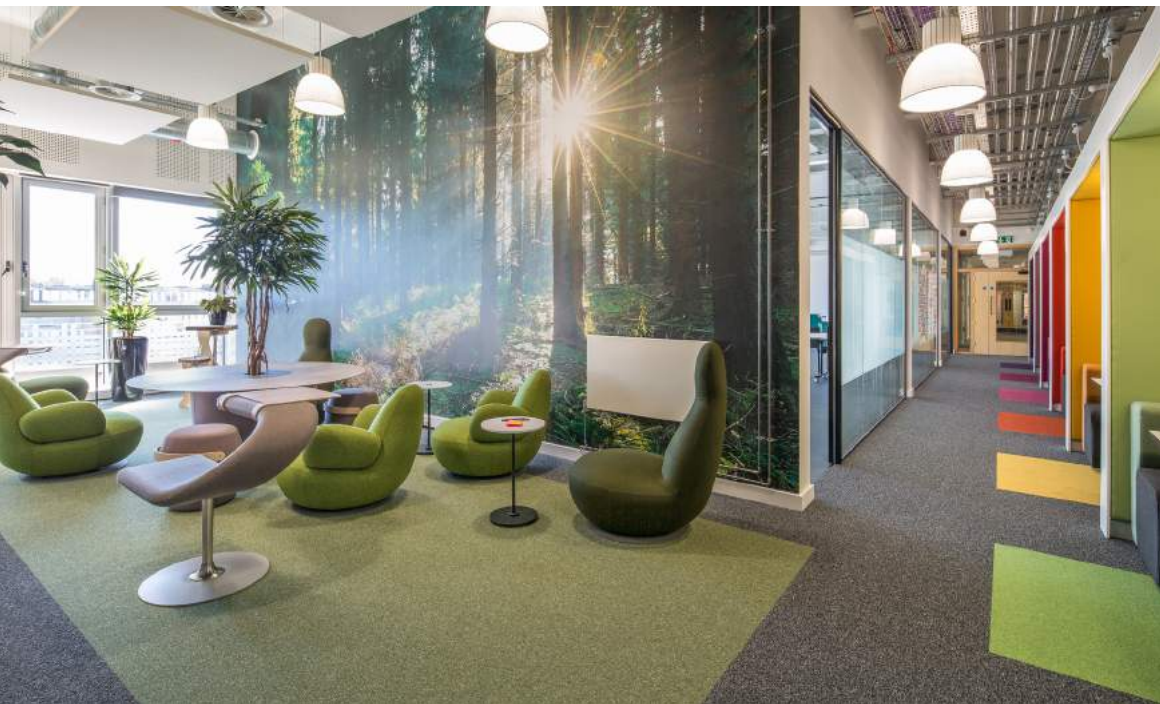


# Centre for Innovation

University of Bristol



## Space to Innovate

Following Oxford Architects work with the Arts & Social Science Library, we were asked to design the new home for the Centre for Innovation within the University's Richmond Building focusing on offering a combination of primary teaching spaces and informal student research and debate spaces.

The project comprises the internal refurbishment and re-organisation of an open plan office space with some cellular offices to provide a new teaching space for under graduates and post-graduates.

To maximise the potential for the primary teaching space we devised a modular 'Innovation Wall' which incorporates 12sqm of fold out white board space on a wall space of 4sqm, a 48" display monitor, pin board and laptop docking point. Through I.T. support, the Innovation Centre's Walls are linked so that the discussions and teaching can be cast from one wall to another, allowing students to immediately see how others are tackling and solving the presented problem, thereby sharing ideas and creating new ones.

The spaces will be furnished with high quality products from Vitra, BlaStation and Howe with light fittings supplied by Fagerhult.

## Project Details

- **Scope**  
 Refurbishment and re-organisation of 863 sqm of office space to create cellular teaching space
- **Role**  
 Architect, Principal Designer
- **Client**  
 University of Bristol
- **Contract**  
 JCT 2011 Design & Build
- **Contractor**  
 J4 Projects
- **Value**  
 £300k
- **Dates**  
 March 2017 - Sept 2017





## Key Aspects

- Demolition and construction of new partitions
- Alteration and additions to existing M&E services
- New joinery
- New acoustic ceiling rafts
- End users consultation
- High quality furniture and fittings



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