

The power of Feng-Shui in designing

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Abstract

As the old saying home is where the heart is. We would naturally want our home to be a positive environment. We have designed one project that is based on Feng-Shui, in this project we used principles of Feng-shui that is about energy moving through the home. The energy has several names; in china it is called “Chi”. As you know personal energy is always mixing with the Chi energy around you. The chi energy influences your moods, emotions, physical energy and overtimes your health. Chi energy is carried through the environment by wind, water, the suns solar energy, light and sound. We used the basic aim of feng shui that is enabling them to position their self where this natural flow of chi energy helps them to realize their goals and dreams in life. Our hope was that we can make some improvements to the space they already living in. we suggested you using the ultimate Feng- shui tips that was our basic plans for designing this project

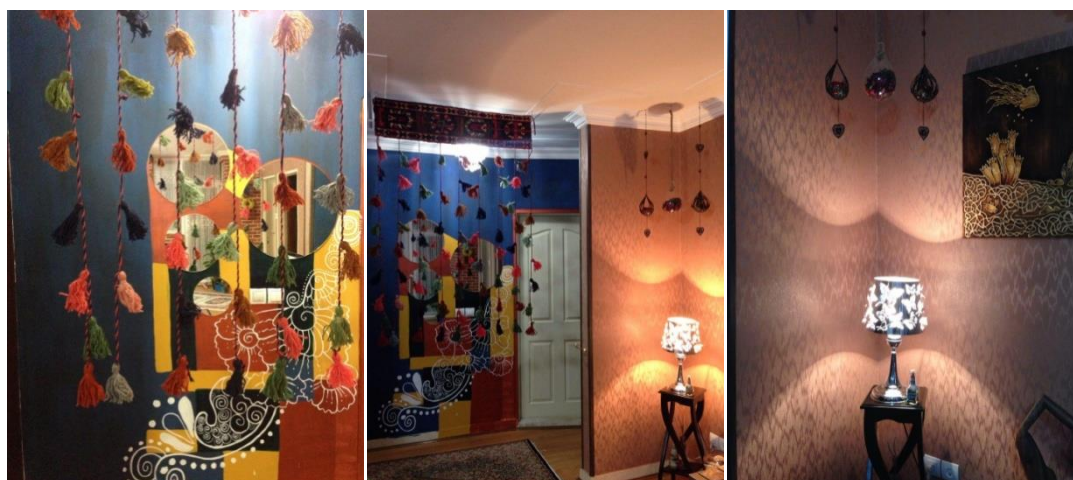
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Introduction

So what it does exactly mean, to name a house “decorating with Feng shui”? It is difficult to define the term with complete precision. “Any building that has significantly” lowers negative energy. The name Feng shui, which literally means ‘wind-water’, reflects the way chi energy moves. So what is Chi energy? What has come to be called Chi is a subtle flow of electromagnetic energy which links all things in the universe and ancient people were probably able to sense its movement. There are no specific words for it in the west but contemporary western feng shui focuses on creating a healthy flow of Chi through a space. The flow of Chi energy is the basis of Feng shui. It flows in and out of buildings mainly through the door and windows. But some Chi can enter and leave through the walls. We used this for achieving dreams and goals. In Feng shui we can use five elements for decorating. The concept of five elements is the principle of yin and yang there are: tree, fire, soil, metal and water. The five elements are related to the movement of the sun through the day. We can show these five elements with shapes, colors and materials. For example in this home we used different materials (brick and wallpaper) for flowing energy through the home.

1. Chi in buildings?

In an ideal situation Chi energy flows harmoniously through the whole of a building. Designer and interior decoration should enhance the kind of Chi energy. For example we didn't use synthetic fibers because it has negative Chi. We tried to decrease the stagnant chi energy by using light in dark corners, cluttered rooms which may cause serious health problem and loss of direction in their life. So we should know ultimate Feng shui tips when we want to have a place based on Feng shui principles.



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2. The motivation behind the Feng shui.

Designing that aim for authentic based on Feng shui should, at least, have:

South: Element : Fire Color: Red Brings: Name and Fame	South West: Element : Earth Colors: Brown Yellow Pink Brings: Romance Luck	West: Element: Metal Colors: Gold Silver Brings: Creativity and kids luck	North West Element : Metal Colors: White, Gold Silver Brings: Travel luck and Helpful people	Center Element : Earth Colors: Brown, yellow, pink	North Element : Water Colors: Blue, Black, Bring: career luck	North east: Element: Earth Colors: Brown, Yellow Pink Brings: Education Luck	East: Element : Wood Colors: Green Brings: Family and health	South East: Element : Wood Colors: Green Brings: Wealth
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North part of home



South part of home



Combination of the colors we used in this project

۳. The principle of using Feng shui.

- Although, from the table, you can see that the south- East (SE) corner of your home- and infact of all the rooms in your home- is the wealth corner. (South East and North) wealthy corner. We can use Fish aquarium or water fountain.and you can add wealth symbols like Gold coins, ingots, gems etc.
- You can have a mirror that reflects the dining table.
- Having image of fresh fruits and mouthwatering dishes in dining area. It brings abundance and increase appetite.
- Place a feng shui wealth pot filled with ingots, gems, fake diamonds and other wealth symbols in dining area.

۴. Feng Shui wealth corners- south- East- what to avoid:

- Avoid buying or renting a house that has cut in (SE) corner.
- Avoid having bathroom/toilet, kitchen, store room and bedroom in (SE) corner and north.
- Keep north and (SW) part of your home clean and clutter free.

CONCLUSION:

Traditionally, Feng Sui is seen as one of five factors that influence a person's life. The other factors are your Karma, Luck, education and actions, each of which may also contribute to the past, present and future degree of your business success. Still many reasons around the concept of sustainable architecture (green architecture) there should be references and guides for architects and designers to help them but also few people has the knowledge to use these techniques property. There are so many modern systems and technologies that no need is felt to new ones. Thus, sustainable architecture must be a subject of universities students. Also quality of this and respecting to the future and environment is very important point. It is also important to respect nature and the knowledge about climate of each country and habitant. If enough attention is given to all there, the next generation will not encounter the treats of air pollution.

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