## Cerveira House

DESIGN COMPANY: dEMM arquitectura DESIGNER: Emanuel Fernandes Silva LOCATION: Cerveira, Portugal AREA: 600 m<sup>2</sup>

MATERIALS: Stone coating of the basement floor, white painted walls, travertino pavement, white painted plaster, and stainless steel covers standers profiles, etc. PHOTOGRAPHER: Pedro Lobo



Located in the Portugal Northwest border, the Vila Nova de Cerveira House is designed for weekend use. In order to promote the relationship between interior and exterior, the designers integrate the astonishing surroundings with a glass interior. Emphasizing the equilibrium with the surrounding morphology, the horizontal volumes contrast with the stone coating of the basement floor, on a material and chromatic counterpoint dialogue. The upper floor is divided into two volumes, which intersects in the axis of horizontal and vertical circulation, conferring efficiency to the space articulation. Based on minimal intervention, the outdoor spaces promote relaxation and enjoyment of the surroundings. Bringing the interior configuration accuracy to outside, the communion needed and desired in a summer house is accomplished.

























