

The front on Commercial Street



The water feature in the evening

# **COMMERCIAL PROJECT**

20-24 COMMERCIAL STREET

London

**CLIENT:** 

AITCH GROUP

ARCHITECT:

**BUCKLEY GRAY YEOMAN** 

COST:

£2,200,000

#### **East One**

The building, now known as East One, used to be a clothing warehouse, on the borders of the City of London in Spitalfields. The client wanted to provide shell-and-core units, which could be used for retail, on the ground floor and flexible office space above.

# Flexible Space

Services are arranged so that each floor can be split into two separately lettable areas. A new fifth floor was added to the building, using all-round glazing to take full advantage of the city roofscape views. Ground-floor full-height glazing overlooks the street.

### Cooling

The office floors have mixed mode comfort cooling, using four-pipe variable-refrigerant-flow multi-split cooling units. The units have individual control, and can be used as heat pumps whenever necessary. Thus, although the heating is all-electric, the running cost is low and carbon dioxide production is minimised.

#### Water Feature

Services were provided for the specially designed and built water feature. The feature, in the office reception, uses glass and granite to dramatic effect.

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