

EeStairs brings design ambition and construction certainty to Shoreditch Design Week

International staircase specialist EeStairs will present its approach to complex stair design, engineering and delivery at House of Icon during Shoreditch Design Week, 15-20 September 2026.

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EeStairs project imagery - The Pulse, Amsterdam

EeStairs is coming to Shoreditch Design Week to demonstrate that an exceptional staircase depends on much more than its appearance. At House of Icon, EeStairs will show how architecture, engineering, fabrication and installation need to work together from the earliest stages of a project. The presentation is aimed at architects and interior designers, as well as main contractors, fit-out specialists, technical specifiers and specialist subcontractors responsible for turning ambitious designs into buildable reality.

FROM ARCHITECTURAL IDEA TO BUILDABLE STAIRCASE

A staircase often sits precisely between base-build and fit-out. Its structure must respond to the building, while its geometry, materials and finishes can make it one of the most visible elements of the completed interior. EeStairs works with project teams to resolve structural loads, interfaces, tolerances, connections, finishes, logistics and installation before these become issues on site.

3D engineering and BIM help coordinate the staircase with surrounding construction, while off-site fabrication allows complex components to be produced and checked under controlled conditions. For contractors, this can reduce uncertainty during installation and provide greater control over programme, quality and interfaces with other trades.

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An extraordinary staircase should look effortless when it is finished. But achieving that simplicity requires an enormous amount of coordination behind the scenes. The earlier we can work with the architect, contractor and specialist trades, the more design ambition we can protect while reducing risk during manufacture and installation.

Cornelis van Vlastuin | Co-founder & Creative Director, EeStairs

RECENT LONDON LANDMARK: HERMÈS MAISON BOND STREET

The approach can be seen in one of London's newest high-profile retail projects: the recently opened Hermès Maison at 166 New Bond Street. EeStairs contributed to the staircase created with Foster + Partners within the transformed site, which brings together six historic buildings across five floors. The project demonstrates the precision required when complex new architectural interventions meet an existing and historically significant building.

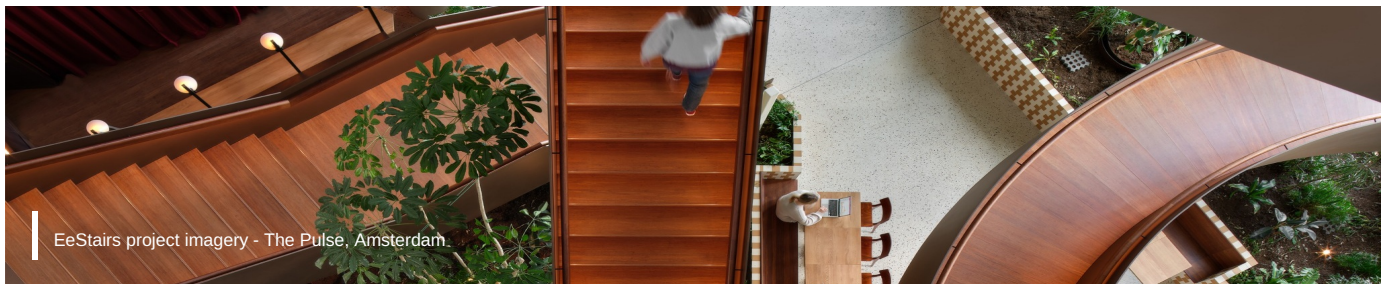
ESTABLISHED EXPERIENCE IN THE UK

Hermès builds on EeStairs' extensive portfolio in the UK and internationally. London references include projects with Foster + Partners, tp bennett and Sheppard Robson, including Hanover Square, Deutsche Bank, William Blair, 100 Bishopsgate and One Bank Street at Canary Wharf. The wider client portfolio includes international organisations and luxury brands such as Hermès, Cartier, LVMH, Bloomberg and Goldman Sachs, alongside high-profile private clients including F1 drivers and team principals.

MORE THAN A FINISHED OBJECT

At Shoreditch Design Week, EeStairs wants to shift the conversation from the staircase purely as a design object to the process required to deliver it successfully. Visitors can discuss:

- early staircase planning and engineering
- BIM and coordination with the building structure
- interfaces, construction tolerances and cost control
- prefabrication and off-site quality control
- transport, site logistics and installation sequencing
- bespoke staircase engineering and design-led railing systems



NOTES TO EDITORS

EeStairs designs, engineers, manufactures and installs feature staircases and balustrades for projects internationally. The company works with architects, interior designers, developers, main contractors, fit-out contractors and specialist construction partners from concept development through engineering, production and installation.

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