Rotterdam’s city centre impresses with its dynamism. Through its modernity, Rotterdam reflects, to a greater extent than other Dutch cities, a process of perpetual dynamism and change. In recent years the city’s dynamism has been directed toward an increasing concentration of residential units and a mixing of functions. Slowly but surely, the moment is coming when this process of change will no longer consist of a perpetual construction site, but rather, a gradual transformation into a timeless modern city centre. Even more than it already is, the heart of Rotterdam needs to become an attractive place to dwell, work and spend time. Impulses in this direction are being transformed into starting points for an urban culture in which meeting and spending time play central roles.

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Costs public space
€ 1,1 million,- ex. VAT

Design Start: 2008
Work start: 2011
Realization: 2012