CHIP WEBSTER
ARCHITECTURE







ABOUT

Every project at Chip Webster Architecture is defined by a deep commitment to collaboration. We work closely with our clients to design homes that are as unique as the people who live in them. Our approach is not bound to a single style. Buildings designed by CWA prioritize efficient and intelligent use of space, while focusing on the relationship of rooms and flow through the structure.

Established in 1991, CWA has been repeatedly voted Nantucket's Best Architecture Firm. As an 18th generation Nantucketer, Chip has deep respect for Nantucket's history and understands the intricacies of building on an island. Nantucket has some of the strictest building requirements in the world, which has given the firm the ability to navigate processes anywhere. CWA currently works throughout the United States and in Costa Rica.

From luxury vacation homes to multigenerational estates, CWA honors regional heritage while embracing contemporary lifestyles. Whether traditional or modern, oceanside or mountainside, each design reflects a sensitivity to its natural setting, surrounding context, and applicable regulations.

Chip is directly involved with every client during the entire design and construction process. Relying on effective communication and utilizing cutting edge technologies, we work in partnership with our clients to create spaces that surprise, delight, and inspire.




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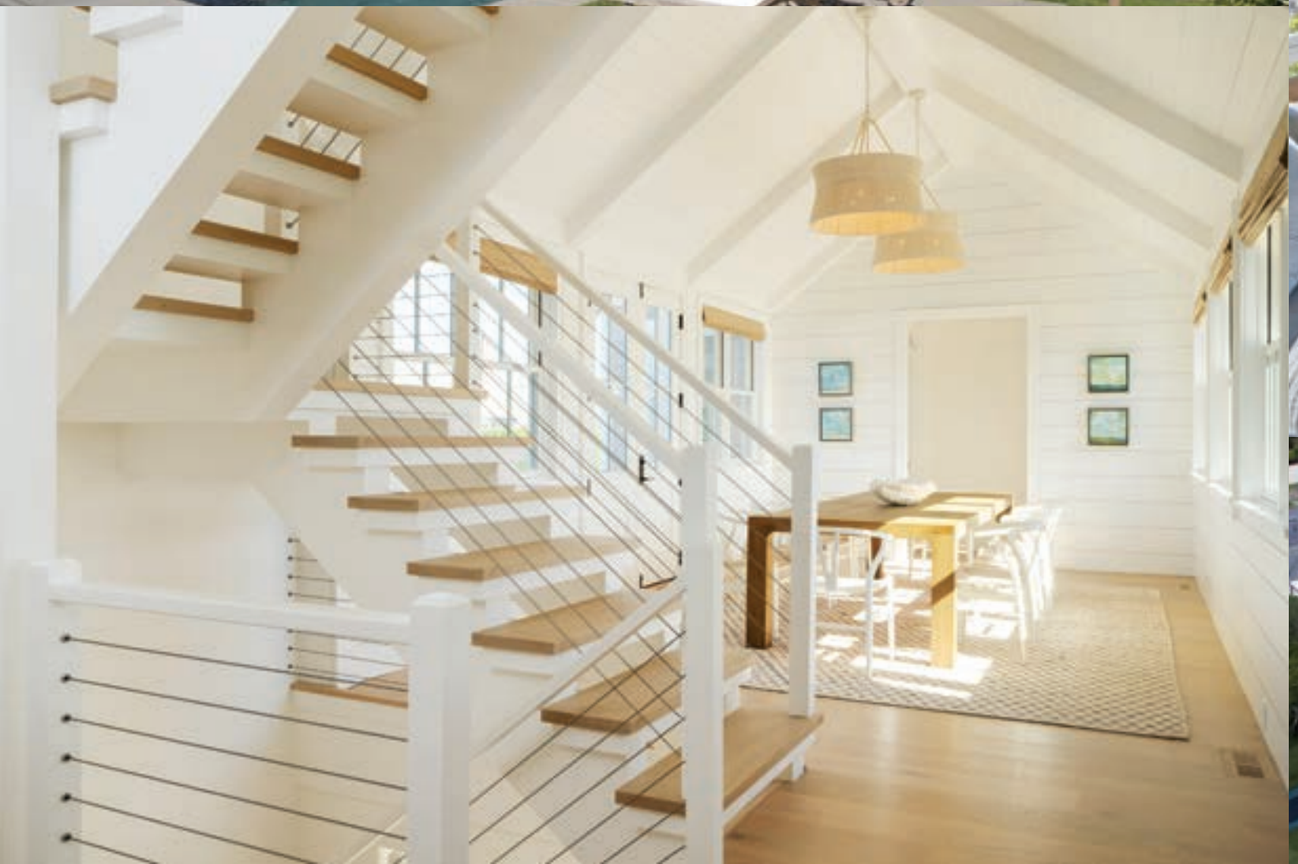












































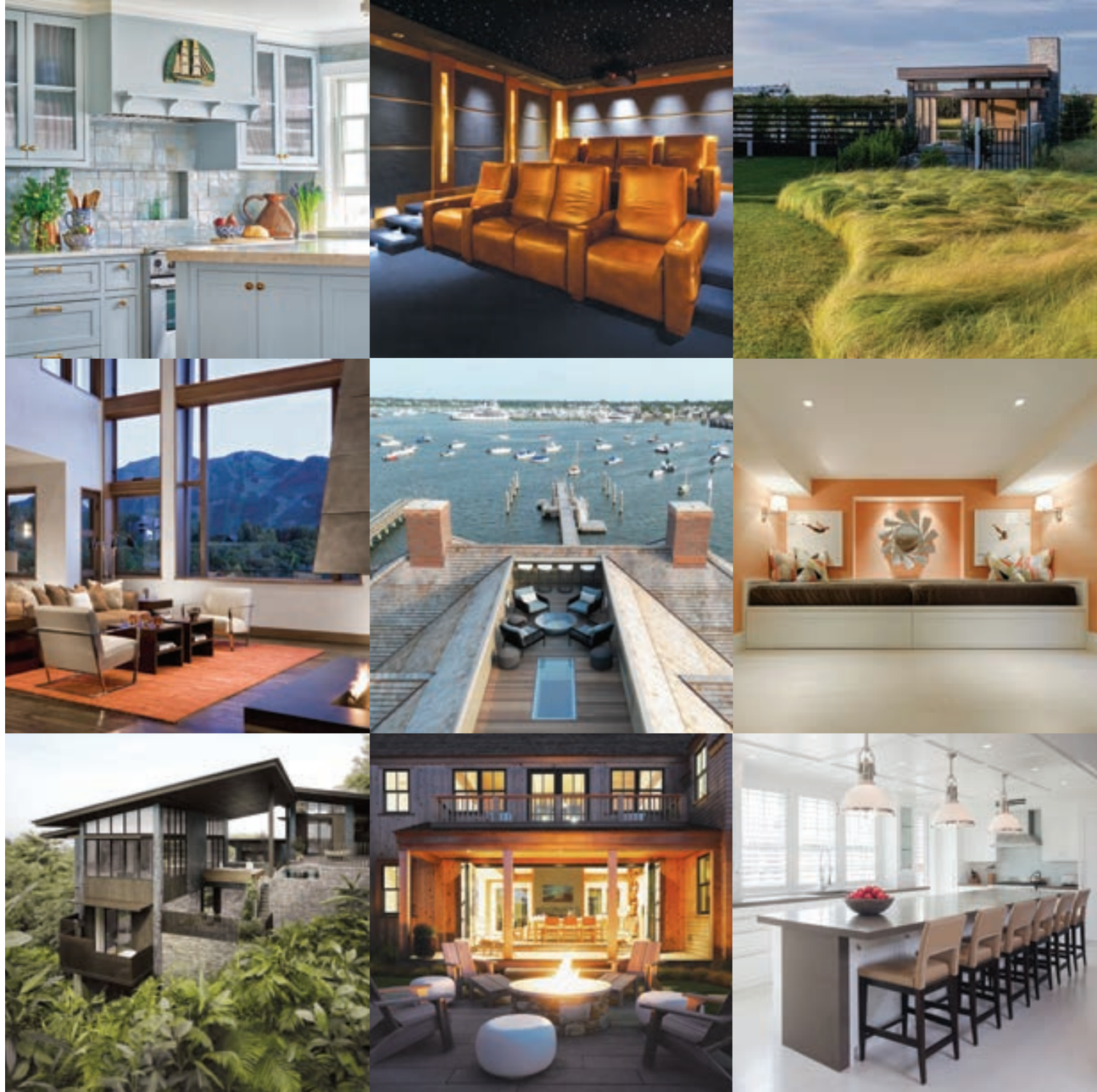




PHILOSOPHY

Our lives are shaped by the spaces we inhabit. How we live, work, and play is profoundly influenced by our built environment. We believe architecture must meet the essential human needs of comfort, functionality, and security, while nurturing a sense of well-being and inspiration.

Many architecture firms have an identifiable, signature style. CWA tailors every project specifically to each client. Before putting pen to paper, we listen carefully to the goals of our clients and synthesize these objectives with the surrounding community and the opportunities of the site. With this underlying design philosophy rather than a preconceived architectural style, we help bring our clients' visions to life.





























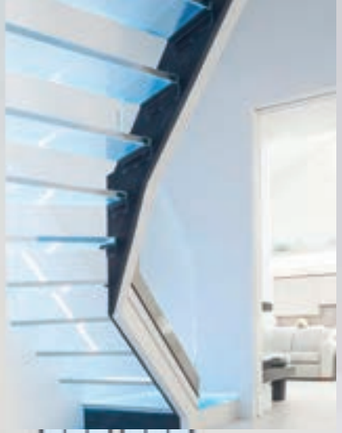




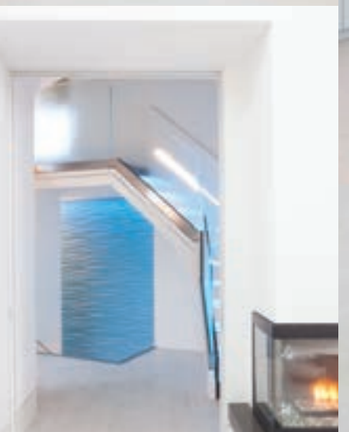


































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Chip Webster's passion for architecture started early in life. As a boy, he obsessively drew homes and communities. Observant of his interest, Chip's mother asked him to design and build a family vacation home on Dauphin Island, Alabama when he was 12 years old. In high school, Chip was the President of the Physics Club and the Editor of the school newspaper. Those formative experiences set the course for a lifelong career in design and community planning.

After earning dual degrees in Architecture and Business Management from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Chip established a Design/Build firm in Cambridge before founding Chip Webster Architecture on Nantucket in 1991.

When Chip is not designing houses, he is likely playing in his band, making a short film, or traveling the world. With a deep passion for total solar eclipses, and having viewed over 20, Chip is one of the few who has had the privilege of experiencing an eclipse on all seven continents.



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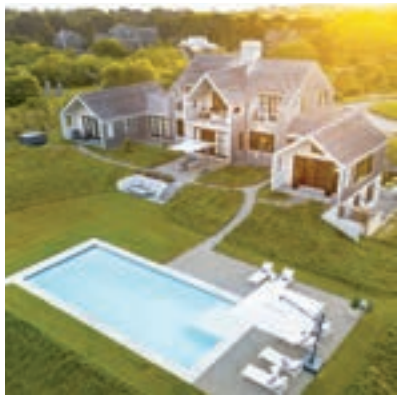

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