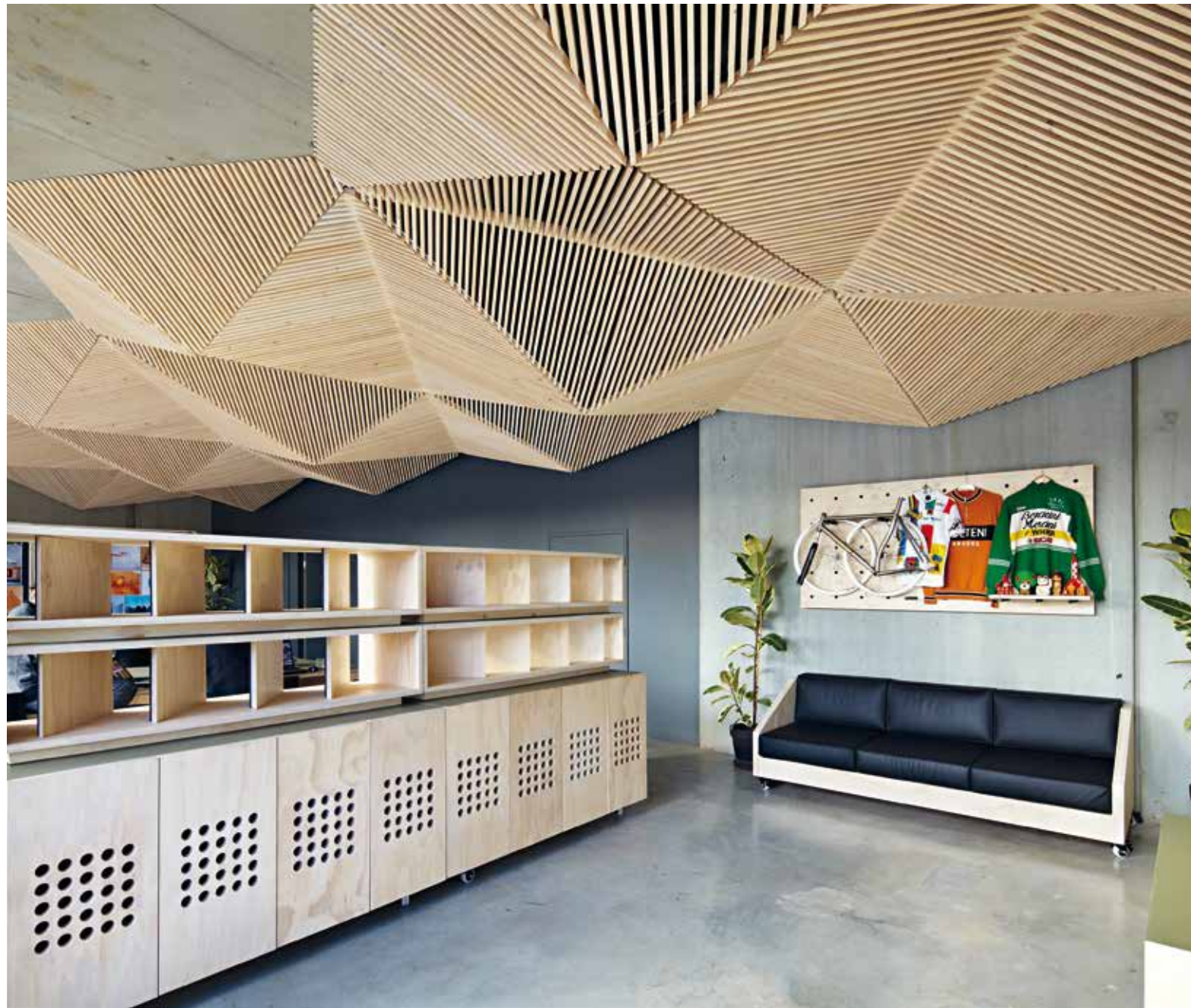




Location: 20 High St, Northcote, Australia. **Architect and contractor:** Assemble studio. **Completion:** 2010. **Gross floor area:** 100 m². **Type of business:** architecture, design and property development company focused on small footprint projects.

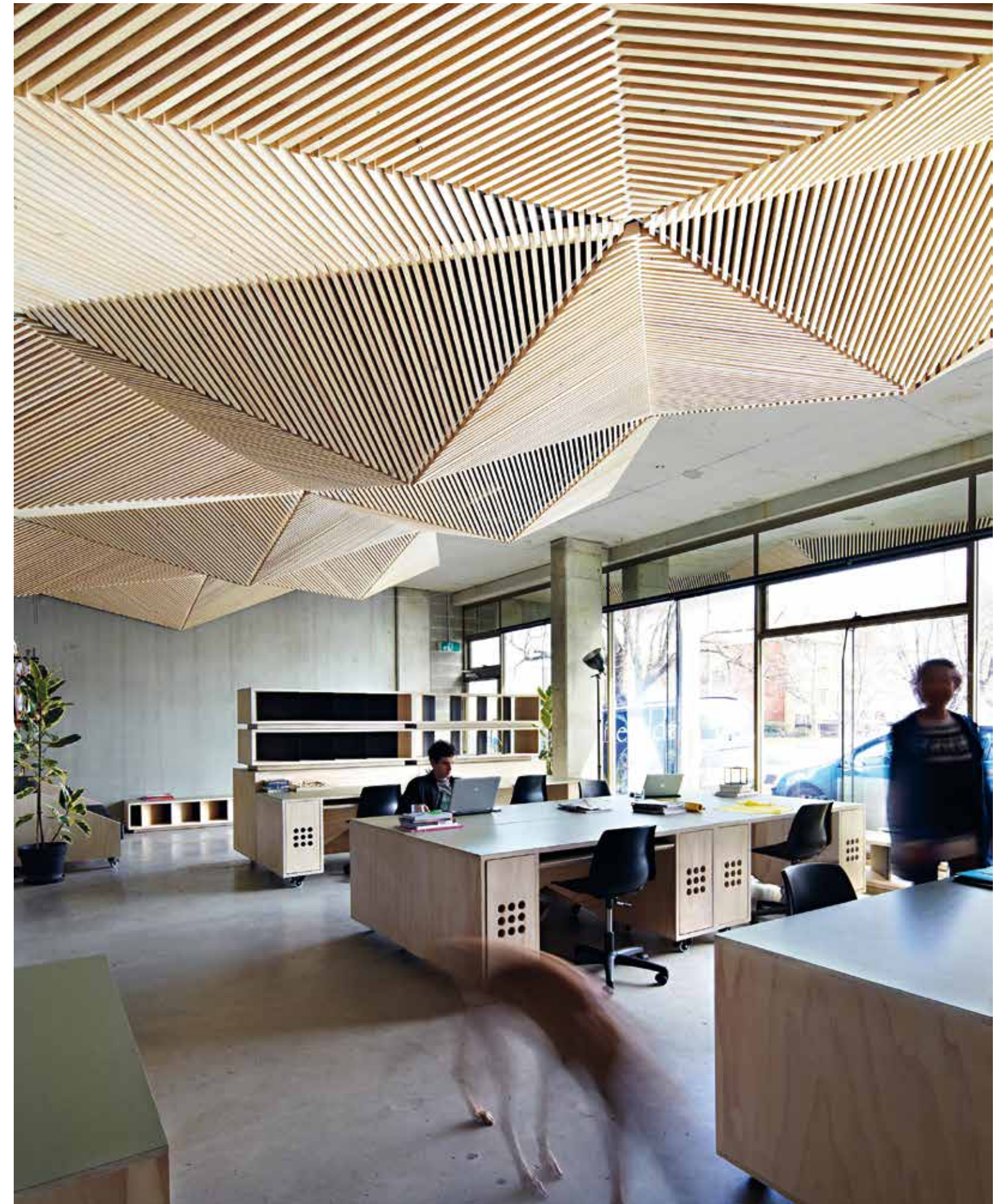


↑ | Experimental ceiling design
→ | Interior view

Assemble studio

Northcote

Assemble designed their own studio in Northcote. The aim was to create a low cost, flexible workspace that would be an inspiring workplace. As a company with design at its core, it was important for the office to use the studio as a kind of three-dimensional showcase for their design capabilities and sensibility. Assemble studio negotiated the design and construction through an organic process in which the design and detailing of the fit-out were improved upon and adapted as the build progressed. The ceiling design grew out of a process of experimentation, folding different sculpted origami forms in paper. The eventual design was composed of five triangles mirrored and repeated eight times across the length of the ceiling. All the custom-built furniture in the studio is on castor wheels so it can easily be shifted and the space reconfigured for events and design workshops.





←← | Interior view
 ↑ | Custom-built furniture
 ← | Floor plan and schematic drawing

