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GLOBAL EXPERTISE AND LOCAL INSIGHT, DELIVERING OUTSTANDING SOLUTIONS

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Our vision: Ramboll is committed to helping create inspirational and long-standing solutions that allow people and nature to flourish.

Unwavering passion for design
We have an unwavering commitment to design and creativity. We marry exquisite design with a comprehensive appreciation of function, buildability and end-user needs. We trust in the power of design to create competitive edge, social betterment and problem mitigation. We combine human ingenuity and self-expression together with technological advancement to solve the most complex challenges and ensure our designs are insightful and progressive.

High ethical standards
Our founders and indeed B. J. Rambøll instilled our strong moral and ethical principles. The high ethical standards, responsibility towards society and happy and content employees are still key elements in Ramboll’s approach to business.

“The essence is that you have to behave properly and decently as a person... This relates to individual customers, colleagues and society as a whole... It is about treating other people and society right in a longtime perspective,”

- B.J. Ramboll talking about Ramboll’s philosophy.

We are a values driven business. Our values exist to guide our decisions in our daily work and define the attitude and culture of our business and how we conduct our relationships.

Our values:
Insight
Integrity
Empathy
Enjoyment
Empowerment

ABOUT RAMBOLL
Ramboll is a leading engineering, design and consultancy company founded in Denmark in 1945.
The company employs 15,000 across 300 offices in 35 countries with expertise in the Nordic, North America, the UK, Continental Europe, Middle East and India, supplemented by a significant representation in Asia, Australia, South America and Sub-Saharan Africa.

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Cover: Karolinska Hospital
This €1.8bn scheme is the largest hospital currently under construction in Europe.
HEALTHCARE CAPABILITIES

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Our extensive multidisciplinary services enable us to offer our healthcare clients creative and innovative solutions to meet diverse needs. Working with local and national government departments, the private sector and building contractors, our experience includes designing new and refurbishing existing healthcare facilities from major hospitals, community care facilities to specialist care centres.

We offer management and client consultancy that includes project management, strategies for operation identification of automation potential and change management, communication policy, engineering, BIM (Building Information Modelling) Level 2 and procurement as well as IT solutions.

A healthcare sector facing a changing world population

The world's population is evolving through changes in climate, lifestyle, urbanisation, and an ageing population. All of these impact the delivery of healthcare facilities.

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Our holistic approach and ethical standards mean that we also look for solutions that meet the needs of our clients, the end users and society as a whole.

Køge Super Hospital, Denmark

Optimised operational efficiency, simple navigation and connectivity were all key design drivers for this new hospital. Image: Rådgivergruppen USK
“Collaboration across departments is crucial to (a hospital’s) success.”

- A quote from a hospital user process

The environment within and surrounding a hospital has a huge impact on the outcome of patients. We take great care in helping to deliver the provision of quality facilities and ensuring their efficiency and effectiveness, ensuring they have positive influences on both staff and patient’s morale and general well-being.

Ramboll has extensive global expertise in delivering some of the world’s leading and pioneering hospitals and treatment facilities, from designing the UK’s first Proton Beam facility to engineering a new hospital for technologies and diseases that do not yet exist in Denmark, our imagination and ambition results in outstanding solutions.

Sustainability
With many healthcare facilities having the benefit of scale, significant savings can be achieved in energy, waste and materials. Our multidisciplinary experts combine their skills in sustainable construction materials, energy supply, conservation of natural resources, energy saving technologies and environmental impact that ensure the solutions we design have minimum effect on the environment.
DESIGNING FACILITIES FOR THE FUTURE

With healthcare budgets under constant strain, we pride ourselves on designing insightful solutions that deliver high quality care that improves efficiencies.

“Automated goods vehicles that can deliver clean beds and linen within the last 50m of the room used is one example of how technologies can be used to deliver efficiencies and improve infection control.”

– Steven Bentley, Project Director Ramboll

With new hospital facilities taking anything up to 15 years from concept to completion, anticipating future needs is vital. For example, over the next 50 years, people over 60 years of age is forecasted to surpass those under the age of 14 creating a shift in priority from transferable to non-transferable diseases, including cancers, diabetes, and heart disease as well as injuries.

Ramboll is involved with some of the world’s cutting-edge healthcare facilities. Through this experience and our knowledgebase that spans technology sectors including science and laboratories and within developed and less developed countries, our teams deliver real insight into the solutions we design.

Through flexibility built into the design, future adaptations can accommodate changes in the climate from flooding, reconfiguration for technological advancement in plant or changes in patient needs. We work closely with clients to ensure a cutting edge facility at the point of completion.

High quality patient centric care
Our experts understand that a patient centric care approach to the design can directly impact healthcare professional’s ability to deliver patient centred care. For example, we put a great deal of attention into ensuring the design supports adjacencies and sight lines from nurse’s stations to the bays and wards.

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Hillerød Hospital, Denmark
Envisioned as a pavilion set within the forest. Despite its large size, this hospital will have human scale.
Our healthcare portfolio spans Europe’s largest healthcare facilities, designing medical centres that will house cutting edge equipment and research, to creating facilities located in the heart of communities.
HOSPITAL NOVA OF CENTRAL FINLAND

A new hospital Nova, planned to be operational in 2020, will be built in Central Finland in Kukkumäki, Jyväskylä. The basis of the hospital design is to support care that meets the patient’s needs. The new hospital is designed and constructed according to the Healthy House criteria to ensure a clean and safe environment for all people using the hospital. The hospital is functionally divided into four elements: hot hospital, office, hotel and support.

The hot hospital houses operating theatres, the emergency room, the intensive care unit and diagnostics. The office features reception rooms and staff facilities. The beds are in the hotel and the laboratories, equipment maintenance, pharmacy and logistics are in the support facilities.

The goal of the project is to change structural and logistical solutions to enhance the efficiency of healthcare, and to integrate basic healthcare, special health care and social services.

Location: Jyväskylä, Finland
Value: €411m
Gross area: 107,000 m²
Client: Central Finland Hospital District
Services: Project management, site supervision, structural and electrical engineering.

NORTH ZEALAND HOSPITAL HILLERØD

The new North Zealand hospital will be the result of consolidating the three existing hospitals across the region and is part of Denmark’s healthcare consolidation programme, which includes the redevelopment of seven hospitals. The 128,000m² hospital is the 3rd major healthcare building to be awarded to Ramboll as part of this consolidation programme.

Envisioned as a pavilion set within the forest, the design brings together all the hospital’s necessary functions within one clover-shaped structure. The low-rise building reaches horizontally into the landscape, surrounded by trees and native plantation. The upper level bed wards will open onto the roof garden, or provide views out over the surrounding trees, providing an opportunity for patient rehabilitation.

The hospital’s innovative design forms are flexible enough to accommodate technology yet to be invented and handle epidemics yet to be unleashed.

The hospital will be equipped with cutting edge Logistics solutions including pneumatic tube system (PTS) and Automated Guided Vehicles (AGV) for transport of carts and beds, waste chutes and connected processes.

Teams from the UK, Management Consulting, Global Engineering and Denmark will be working collaboratively to deliver this project.

Location: Hillerød, Denmark
Value: €320m
Client: Herzog & de Meuron / Vilhelm Lauritzen Arkitekter
Services: Civil engineering, structural engineering, MEP engineering, sustainability, acoustics, logistics, fire engineering, vertical transport, façade engineering.
NEW KAROLINSKA HOSPITAL

Major new acute and research hospital in Sweden. The largest hospital in construction in Europe.

This massive €1.8bn scheme is the largest hospital currently under construction in Europe. It is planned to be a world class treatment, teaching and research hospital.

The hospital will have 9,000 rooms including:
- 36 operating theatres
- 700 hospital beds
- 100 bed day care centre
- Research laboratories
- 1,200 space car park

Ramboll is solving significant structural challenges including a future underground line and station; double rooftop helipad and stringent vibration limits. New Karolinska Hospital will house a 40 ton gamma knife on the 3rd floor and a 126 ton hyperbaric chamber.

Certified as an LEED Gold green building, the building services engineering scope has consisted of conceptual and detailed design for the oncology treatment and ward building.

The building services systems include coordination of medical gases and fire protection systems.

The 19,000m² oncology building spans 10 floors and contains radiation protected facilities for eight linear accelerators, three brachy therapy rooms, a MR, a CT and 80 single patient ward rooms, six of which are radiation protected.

This is the first major PPP building in Sweden. Ramboll UK is assisting Ramboll Sweden in the design of the building structure and also sharing their PPT/PPP experience. Ramboll Finland has significantly input into elements of the design. The 10 storey structure plus two storey basement, is formed in precast concrete with steel beams.

Location: Solna, Stockholm, Sweden
Value: €1.8bn
Client: Skanska Healthcare
Services: Structural engineering, civil engineering, building services design.
The Tunbridge Wells Hospital in Pembury, Kent is the first acute all single bed ward NHS District General Hospital in the UK; with 513 bedrooms this redevelopment consolidates Pembury Hospital and Kent & Sussex Hospital into one new, modern facility.

The hospital was designed to take advantage of the difficult natural sloping site by having three floors to the North and six/seven floors to the South. The majority of the single rooms are arranged to take advantage of the magnificent views across the surrounding woodland areas that are listed as areas of outstanding natural beauty and Sites of Special Scientific Interest.

The design also incorporates features for patient safety and effective infection control. In total the new development has 1,200 car parking spaces and includes a helipad to cater for air ambulances on the upper part of the site.

With a total floor area of approximately 66,000m², the main hospital building consists of an in situ concrete frame on reinforced concrete pad foundations with post tensioned floor slabs and traditional in situ concrete columns and retaining walls. The structure is braced by concrete shear walls to the stair/lift cores, while its height is squeezed between the rock line and a maximum planning restriction level.

The site is set in an environmentally sensitive area, bordered by designated sites, and was developed whilst keeping the existing facilities operational; as a result phasing issues were critical, involving complex species translocation programmes throughout construction.

Location: Tunbridge Wells, UK
Value: €230m
Client: Maidstone & Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust and Laing O’Rourke
Architect: Anshen + Allen
Services: Structural, geotechnical, highways and civil engineering, environmental services, surveying, transport planning, public health drainage, vibration analysis.
MALMÖ, SWEDEN
Commissioned by Region Skåne to manage multiple parts of the multi-billion project at the University Hospital in Malmö.

Since the amalgamation in 2010 of the two university hospitals in Malmö and Lund in southern Sweden, they now represent one of the largest university hospitals in the country. In order to meet future healthcare demands, the Malmö hospital area will be expanded with a new healthcare facility of approximately 65,000 m², and other new buildings of 30,000 m². Alongside the renovation and demolition of existing buildings, construction of new building services and transportation culverts will be needed.

The healthcare facility will consist of several separate buildings bound together by a common basement, culverts and passageways. Ramboll is planning and designing the building’s electrical and telecommunication installations. We are also part of the organisation that oversees planning and control of finances and deadlines for the entire project. Planning and designing in flexibility is a critical element of this project to ensure the future needs of the hospital can be accommodated.

This large and complex project is to be delivered in parallel with the hospital’s ongoing business operation and will affect the entire hospital area. “It is very satisfying to be able to contribute to developing the hospital area to future healthcare demands,” explains Joakim Westerlund, Head of Department, Project Management.

Ramboll has provided project planning, construction management, electrical engineering, security and IT system design.

HOSPITAL KLAGENFURT WÖRTHERSEE, AUSTRIA

The Hospital Klagenfurt Wörthersee is the third largest hospital in Austria with about 1200 beds, 62,000 inpatients and 527,000 outpatient treatments each year.

It’s located in the center of Klagenfurt and was ready for use in 2010. Approximately 327 million euros were spent on the 95,000 m².  The landscaping was rearranged to create a park around the hospital and a river was relocated to create space for the building. The overall structure of LKH Klagenfurt consists basically of two units, a Surgical Medical Center (CMZ) and the Supply and Disposal Center (VEZ). In the Supply and Disposal Center (VEZ) a large kitchen and a fully automatic laundry are situated. Further technical innovations are the Automated Guided Vehicles (AGV) system and a pneumatic tube system (PTS).

The Hospital Klagenfurt management is very keen on exploring innovative solutions and state of the art medical technology, optimized and multi-site use of the facilities and rooms (operating theaters, examination and treatment rooms, nursing stations and logistics areas) has given this hospital pioneering status throughout Europe.
NORTHUMBRIA HOSPITAL

With senior consultants in all medical disciplines on duty 24 hrs a day, this is the first dedicated specialist emergency hospital in the UK.

Located on the edge of Cramlington to the north of Newcastle in the UK, this new build facility provides a uniquely comprehensive range of emergency care to patients in Northumbria. Specialist consultants and senior doctors are available at all times to deliver expert emergency diagnostics and treatment to A&E patients. Our structural, geotechnical and civil engineers, along with our environmental consultants, worked on the concept design.

The clinicians’ ambition was to create a pioneering facility that focussed on patient pathways, adjacencies, nursing efficiency and sight lines. Through close collaboration the design team from Ramboll and architect Keppie Design worked alongside clinicians to ensure this vision was realised and achieved a column layout that would enable direct lines of travel between wards and central functions therefore maximising efficiency in staff travel. In addition a radial layout, which allows clear sightlines into each patient room from a central nursing station evolved from direct input by clinical staff during the design process.

At the centre of the development is a three-storey hub, housing laboratories, radiology and operating theatres. The hub is flanked by a series of ‘cogs’ that house wards on one side, and the entrance and ambulance podiums on the other. A concrete frame solution was specified. The floor slabs vary between 275mm - 350mm in depth, depending on the vibration criteria in specific rooms, with the theatres, MRI and scanner rooms being the most vibration sensitive. Our work on this project is wide-ranging, and includes intensive ground investigations and the design of a sustainable drainage system.

The Oxford Precision Cancer Medicine Institute (PCMI) will be one of the first proton beam facilities in the UK. The UK’s National Health Service is currently developing two proton beam centres for treatment of specific cancers. The PCMI will also be a state-of-the-art research facility for Oxford University, which will evaluate the benefits of proton beam therapy for other cancers under the guidance of leading clinicians. PCMI will be equipped with two 360 degree gantries and one fixed beam treatment room. The fixed beam room will be flexibly designed, allowing for the future conversion to a 360 degree gantry system.

The cyclotron, proton beam line and treatment rooms are to be contained within a 48x24m reinforced concrete bunker to contain radiation. The bunker around the treatment rooms is three stories tall to accommodate the 360 degree gantry system. For radiation shielding, the bunker walls will be up to 4m thick, and in critical locations magnetite concrete (3800kg/m³) will be used to reduce the required shielding thickness. To minimize the footprint of the bunker the project will also use direct entry radiation shielded sliding doors rather than a traditional ‘maze’ type entry. The proton beam process has a huge demand for power and water and it is envisaged that up to 12km of conduit and services will need to be embedded within the bunker walls. Rigorous coordination will be required involving the Radiation Protection Advisor (RPA), the equipment provider, the concrete frame contractor, the building services engineers and the structural engineers to achieve a viable solution. Outside of the bunker a four storey building will be constructed following the Laing O’Rourke Design for Manufacture and Assembly (DFMA) approach to construction. We are also solving other significant structural challenges including the proton beam equipment’s strict differential settlement criteria, which are approximately 10 times more onerous than those for a ‘standard’ building, the stringent vibration requirements for the laboratories on the upper floors of the building, and accommodating the cyclotron, a particle accelerator, at just 4.4m in diameter, weighing 220 tonnes.

Location: Oxford, UK
Value: £45m
Client: Laing O’Rourke
Architect: Stantec
Services: Structural, civil and geotechnical engineering, specialist vibration analysis, flood risk assessment, hydrogeological study, contaminated land assessment.
UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL HAMBURG-EPPENDORF

The hospital Hamburg-Eppendorf is among Europe's most modern clinics. In 2010, a seven-floor building together with a Heliport on the rooftop was built. This hospital has 400 rooms and each ward contains 28 beds; the intensive care unit alone has 60 beds. It took three years to complete the new hospital and the cost of the construction amounted to 188 million euros.

For the new building an Automated Guided Vehicle (AGV) system and a pneumatic tube system was desired and 33 vehicles, 34 transmitting and receiving stations, 250 return containers, an automatic container washing system, two automated storage systems and automated lift systems for transporting containers were realized.

Today the total University Hospital Hamburg Eppendorf consists of more than 80 clinics, polyclinics and institutes distributed amongst 14 centers. With 1736 beds, including 242 beds in the University Heart Center Hamburg (UHZ) and 58 beds in the Martini-Klinik.

The University Hospital Hamburg Eppendorf is still undergoing restructuring measures. They are looking to add new buildings, Martini-Klinik with a pneumatic tube system and an AGV system. The research building "Campus Forschung" (Campus Research) will also be provided with an AGV system. Further infrastructure measures at the tunnel construction between the new buildings with an AGV system and a pneumatic tube system are on their way with the "Zukunftsplan 2050" (Future Plan 2050).

HAUKELAND UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL - PHASE 1

New Children and Youth Hospital (BUS-Hospital)

Helse Bergen held a design competition for a new children and youth hospital attached to the Haukeland University Hospital.

The aim was the provision of a comprehensive modern centre of the highest international standard, while at the same time finding a holistic and functional solution adapted to the specific site conditions, surroundings and climate. The new hospital facility should provide for an inspiring and functional framework for patients, families, staff and students. The architecture should evoke a feeling of trust and confidence, quality and openness.

The competition jury unanimously declared the architecture consortium of KHR Arkitekter, Per Knudsen Arkitektkontor and Studio 4 Arkitekt as (now a part of Ramboll) the winner of six entries.

The concept consists of 'piano keys' resting on a heavy stone clad base, spanning across the terrain in an east-west direction. Between the keys lie green stretches of terraces, gardens or play areas. This serves to break down the building’s mass into smaller and friendlier elements. The wards are elevated for light, air and view. The heavier functions are located in and across the ‘base’ to bind the facility together.

Phase 1 consists of physical rehabilitation facilities, the children’s energy centre with swimming hall and heated pool, gym, treatment room, laboratories and education facilities, which are located in the base of the building. Above are the laboratories and ECT treatment. In the middle of the facility lies a central access point where patients, staff or visitors can easily orientate themselves.

The centre is further tied together by suspended cross circulation on the upper floors to ensure easy movement by staff and patients. The new hospital is to be built in two stages, with the above mentioned in the first phase and the general sections in the second phase. The first phase will have a gross area of 29,000m². Phase 1 opened in May 2017 and won the city of Bergen's price for architectural and urban development.
HAUKELAND UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL - PHASE 2
New Children and Youth Hospital (BUS-Hospital)

Phase 2 of BUS builds on phase 1 of the competition entry and contains the general medicine section of the children’s and youth hospital as well as the maternity and childbirth section of the Women’s Clinic. The building will provide a fully-fledged hospital with all functions, wards, outpatient clinics, operating theaters, postoperative areas, radiology, delivery rooms, reception, laboratory, office and research spaces, etc. When finishing phase 2 we will have a complete hospital for children and youth.

Phase 2 also includes wards for gynaecological treatment. The general architectural concept for the child and adolescent hospital is rooted in the unique location on a green hillside north of ‘Sentralblokken’ at Haukeland Hospital. The focus has been on breaking up the building mass into smaller and comprehensible elements and using scale, light, greenery and materials to create a child-friendly and welcoming feel in addition to lessening the impact of its institutional nature.

The reduction in the height of the Children and Youth hospital eases the transition between the larger ‘Sentralblokken’ and the lower residential buildings to the north. Despite the intensive utilization of site coverage in the revised concept for BUS 2 and a rationalization of the façade modulations, the new hospital as a whole takes on an increasing openness and transparency, which merges with the green landscape. Phase 2 will open in 2022-2023.

Location: Bergen, Norway
Value: €3.75m
Client: Helse Bergen
Architect: Rambøll Architects, pka and KHR
Services: Architecture, interior and landscape design and implementing art in the project.
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The building has been awarded with the rating Silver in the Swedish certification scheme Miljöbyggnad. The Centre for Imaging and Intervention with flexible and modern solutions to meet the demanding challenges of tomorrow’s medical equipment and treatments.

Ramboll has designed the following installation systems:

- Tap water and drainage systems
- Heating systems
- Cooling systems
- Fire and safety systems
- Medical gas system
- Vacuum systems
- Water sprinkler systems (fog)
- General ventilation systems
- Process ventilation
- BMS

MÄLAR HOSPITAL, ESKILSTUNA

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In the region of Sörmland, southwest of Stockholm, Ramboll is modernising three local hospitals in the cities of Eskilstuna, Nyköping and Katrineholm.

The existing buildings were originally constructed between the 1950’s and 1970’s and cannot cater for the delivery of modern healthcare services. The new facilities will provide many benefits and make it possible to introduce state-of-the-art medical equipment and minimise contamination risks.

Comprehensive project

In total, the project (across the three hospitals) consists of four new buildings of approximately 70,000 m² and involves approximately 30,000 m² of refurbishments. In addition, around 25,000 m² of the existing buildings will be demolished - without disturbing the daily routine of the hospital.

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Location: Cities of Eskilstuna, Nyköping and Katrineholm, in the region of Sörmland, Sweden
Value: €150m
Client: NCC Building Sweden & Landstinget Sörmland (region of Sörmland)
Services: Multidisciplinary engineering services
A multidisciplinary, international team worked together on this important healthcare project. The extension of the King Saud University Medical City comprises of several new buildings for the university with an approximate area of 350,000sqm. The first stage includes a new National Diabetic Centre “King Khalid Medical City – National Diabetic Centre”, a new Dental college and an expansion of the medical college.

The medical college extension includes teaching facilities, lecture halls, public spaces, a full scale skills lab, mosques and a spectacular main auditorium with an audience capacity of 1,400. The National Diabetes Centre will be a national institution for diabetes, containing research and central functions, as well as treatment for complicated cases. It will in effect be a miniature hospital, with outpatient facilities, radiology, a large polyclinics department, bed wards, and counselling and education.

The administration of King Saud University was also committed to equipping the college with state-of-the-art facilities to advance dental education. These state-of-the-art facilities and technologies included oral surgery operating theaters, a sterilization facility and almost 500 dental units (a world record at that time) in the same building. Ramboll delivered the building services and fire safety design for the three buildings in this project. Around 80 dedicated competences were involved across the Ramboll Group.

The new National Diabetic Centre in Riyadh is a state of the art building for diagnosis and treatment of severe diabetic diseases. Designed by C.F. Møller Architects in Oslo, this ultra-modern smart structure, houses general and flexible facilities with state-of-the-art technology. It houses examination facilities and bed wards in addition to laboratories, lecture rooms, auditorium and communication centre.

At approximately 15,600m², the building spans across four floors on top of the basement and a ground floor that partially sits below ground level. Ramboll was responsible for conceptual design of all technical installations in the building.

Location: Saudi-Arabia
Client: Samark AB, Malmo
Services: Multidisciplinary engineering services, including: technical supplies and connections, electrical design incl. telecommunications, fire alarm, access control, automation, audio, video, BMS system, generator-sets, UPS and elevators, mechanical design incl. sprinkler system.
USÖ, HÖGSPECIALITETSHUSET (H-HUSET)

H-House (building 40) at the University Hospital in Örebro, USÖ, is a strategic investment from the Region, Örebro County. H-House stands for High specialized house. The project comprises new construction of about 33,000 m² and rebuilding of parts of the emergency unit and at connections to existing buildings. The building includes outpatient rooms, surgery wards, including pre and postop and a ward for care such as eye clinic, ear-nose and throat clinic, plastic and maxillofacial surgery clinic, skin clinic and surgery and anaesthesia department.

The project also includes the redevelopment and expansion of emergency department with a completely new department for emergency X-ray.

Visitors/patients will be from the region but because it is a highly specialized care which will be conducted will also many patients from neighboring counties/regions. Centres are structured with a view to possible future team work as well as the particular healthcare unit where the premises are designed to support the way patient care.

The building is designed for high environmental standards as well as low power consumption meeting Swedish Miljöbyggnad level Gold.

Location: Örebro, Sweden
Value: €140m
Client: Region Örebro Län
Architect: SWECO
Services: Design of HVAC-/ cooling-/ tap water and sewage systems, medical gases, telecommunication systems and elevators

ALDER HEY CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

One of the largest specialist children’s hospitals in Europe

Alder Hey, situated in the City of Liverpool in the UK, is one of the largest specialist children's hospitals in Europe serving a total catchment population of 7.6m. The hospital is one of only a few with a University Institute of Child Health and one of only two Trust’s in the North West of England to be a formally designated provider of children’s specialist services. The hospital delivers a wide range of children and young adult services including over 50 sub-specialities configured across 50 departments.

The new hospital cares for more than 275,000 children each year and is the first NHS health park for children in the UK. With a floor area of 51,000 square metres it provides 270 beds, including 48 critical care beds for patients in ICU, HDU and burns, together with 16 digitally enhanced operating theatres. The majority of patients have private, en-suite rooms and within the building’s striking atrium there is an indoor tree house that provides a play and relaxation space for the children.

Designed in consultation with patients and their families, the Prince’s Foundation and National Arts for Health, the hospital is the UK’s first integrated children’s health park and it provides a pleasant healing environment for children, young people, their families and staff. The hospital is within Springfield Park and the majority of bedrooms have natural views and easy access to the park; wards also have access to play decks so that children who cannot leave the ward can benefit from outdoor space.

During the opening event, in 2015, Louise Shepherd, chief executive of Alder Hey, said: “From the beginning we’ve strived to create a world-class healing environment that will benefit children and young people from across the UK and throughout the world.”

Location: Liverpool, UK
Value: €190m
Client: Alder Hey Children’s NHS Foundation Trust
Services: Structural and civil engineering, technical advisor to the Trust
NEW CHILDREN’S HOSPITAL

The new Children’s Hospital in Helsinki, Finland, which was completed in 2018, spans 48,000 m². The hospital’s structure has been developed through the meticulous collection of user information including opinions of children and research into the special needs – physical and mental – of hospitalised children and their relatives.

Massive structures were designed to keep noise level down, as children in particular are sensitive to noise. To accommodate children’s sensory needs, all visible surfaces are designed to be interesting to look at and feel with your hands, safe to use and easy to clean. Floor heating installed in areas where children are likely to sit down and play will also create a comforting environment.

The building is designed according to the Healthy House principle. The construction project has significantly emphasised humidity and hygiene management in order to ensure that the hospital is safe and healthy for paediatric patients and the staff throughout its life cycle. These key elements were addressed during the design and construction phases through consultation, instructions, material selection, construction monitoring (including the drying of concrete casting) and dust management on the site.

Building Information Modelling (BIM) was incorporated into the design, enabling employees to view their future workplace virtually and enabling the site to be viewed from a child’s perspective, creating a hospital that feels as safe and relaxed as possible.

Location: Helsinki, Finland
Value: €183m
Client: Foundation for New Children’s Hospital
Services: Structural, mechanical, geotechnical engineering, fire seal design, building physics

NEW CHILDREN’S HOSPITAL

A hospital designed with children for children

GLOSTRUP HOSPITAL

New neuro rehabilitation building

Glostrup Hospital is the most specialized hospital of the Capital Region, in Denmark, within neuro-rehabilitation treatment. The new neuro rehabilitation unit will form the unique setting of treating patients in a highly specialized and interdisciplinary level, in an environment that helps increase the quality of life of patients. The unit brings together for the first time, the treatment of patients with traumatic brain injuries, spinal cord injuries and severely injured patients with complex brain damage caused by strokes, hypoxia, poisoning and encephalitis.

The vision for the new neuro-rehabilitation building is for the clinical unit to become one of the world leading units within neuro-rehabilitation therapy. The new building and surrounding outdoor facilities will as such not only frame the daily rehabilitation purpose but also facilitate research and development in a highly specialized and international context. This will support innovative therapy development, making use of new technologies and exploring new ways of working across the healthcare sectors.

The new building will include 125 single patient rooms and close integrated training facilities supported by advanced rehabilitation technologies. The building will include a hot water swimming pool, gymnasium as well as exterior garden facilities for training and recreation. The hospital unit will also include outpatient and research facilities, as well as offices, logistic and service functions.

Location: Glostrup, Denmark
Value: €56m
Sub consultants: Friis & Moltke, Bruunsgaard & Laursen
Design team: AART Architects A/S and Nordic Office of Architecture
Services: Client consultancy services
DANDERYD HOSPITAL
New building that houses surgery, intervention and radiology

The Danderyd Hospital will house incredibly sensitive medical equipment for intervention and radiology, putting high demands on the structure, where we also have to consider freight capacity and the ability to handle vibrations and prevent contamination.

Ramboll’s global experience of designing hospitals and research facilities brings extensive expertise when designing sensitive environments. We deliver solutions that are both robust and flexible, in order to meet future healthcare needs and technical innovations.

Location: Stockholm, Sweden
Value: €175m
Client: Locum AB
Services: Structural and ground engineering

Image: White architects

ALTA HOSPITAL
The project is an extension of the existing Alta Health Care Center in form of a new wing and reconstruction of the existing center. The extension is about 4,000 sqm BTA, on 4 floors.

Remodeling is about 1000 sqm of existing buildings. The project will include somatic and psychiatric beds, operations facilities, image diagnostics, dialysis and maternity ward.

The existing eastern wings are extended with the same building width and bearing direction in the new wing. This provides maximum flexibility in both existing and new areas and provides robustness in relation to co-operation and possibly future expansion of the hospital to the east.

Todays hospital has a variety of different colors, materials and surfaces, and a strong character. The new wing will be given facades in massive wood with a treatment like the old wooden houses in Norway. This color will correspond nicely to the existing brick walls. The project will open in summer 2019.

Location: Alta, Norway
Value: €42m
Client: Finnmarksykehuset HF
Services: Complete engineering and architecture design

Image: White architects
1902 BUILDING
ST. OLAVS HOSPITAL
The original 1902 building conserved and upgraded to meet current standards
The building that dates back to 1902 houses the hospital’s rehabilitation management and lighter clinical facilities. Careful and sympathetic attention was given to restoring the significant aspects of the building’s original character, with its distinctive high ceilings and old stairways - which were preserved to the greatest extent possible.

The same approach applied to roofs, floors and the brick façade. At the same time, the building had to provide for high quality, modern work spaces, adapted to today’s standards. Much emphasis was placed on the integration of technology and the architecture so that the new technical facilities would not compromise the quality of the historic building.

The use of natural materials, wood, parquet and stone, was an important factor in achieving a refined interplay between the old building practices and the modern architectural interventions.

The architects and interior designers were responsible for the coordination of the artistic installations. The interior designers designed the furniture in the auditorium.

Building of the Year Award 2008
Comment from the Jury:
“This year’s winner is characterised by an interplay of enthusiasm and creativity, and a result that satisfies all measurable requirements for a pioneering project. Requirements for energy, environment and universal design are addressed. As a transformation project, the winner will have great transfer value”.

“The nominated buildings for the Building of the Year are characterized by high quality of planning, implementation, and not least, in the finishing of the buildings. Each in their own way, projects have been carried out with great professionalism and the ability to integrate inputs of all professionals and the client. It is therefore no coincidence that the jury has witnessed strong evidence that the buildings more than serve their purpose”.

Location: Trondheim, Norway
Value: €10m
Area: 7,000m²
Client: Helsebygg Midt-Norge
Architect: Rambøll
Architects, pka and KKH
Services: Architecture and interior design.

1930 BUILDING
ST. OLAVS HOSPITAL
Office and administration building. Sketch design, design development and construction documentation
The ‘1930-Bygget’ (building) was a rehabilitation project. The building was to be converted to office and administration space and used in conjunction with the adjacent ‘1902-Bygget’. The top management of the university hospital and management of the faculty of medicine were to be located here to facilitate closer cooperation and better integration.

The project presented a challenge to architects and consultants, as it involved substantial changes to the exterior of a listed heritage building.

Our aim was to highlight the original characteristics of the old building while at the same time creating a well-functioning building adapted to the new brief. Sight lines, daylight, materials and use of colour were used as means to achieve this end.

We used the principles developed in the rehabilitation of the ‘1902-Bygget’, but adapted them to the current time and design.

The main entrances to the two buildings are directly linked, maintaining a clear line of sight through the building. The ground floor is used for presentations and contains a large meeting room, in addition to other related functions. The floors above are designated for office use.

Location: Trondheim, Norway
Value: €10m
Area: 1,200m²
Client: Helse Midt-Norge RFH/ Helsebygg Midt-Norge
Architect: Rambøll - Architects and pka
Services: Civil, electrical, fire, heating, ventilation and building physics, engineering, acoustics consultancy, architecture and interior design.
The new emergency centre for the Royal Wolverhampton Hospitals NHS Trust is a new building in the middle of the existing location, on the site of a former catering block.

The building comprises approximately 10,000sqm of new space across three floors, with a rooftop plant room and a helipad above the plant space.

The complications of constructing the building in the centre of the existing site posed a number of challenges for the design team, including links with existing buildings, and the need to build over an existing heavily-serviced basement level plant room.

To overcome these challenges, an accurate survey using 3D laser scanners to capture the geometry of the existing buildings was carried out; with Ramboll processing the raw point cloud data into a 3D model using LAM® (Laser Aided Modelling).

The 3D survey model was then made available to the Design Team, including the architect and M&E consultant. This enabled the team to develop their designs in full knowledge of the restrictions imposed by the existing buildings.

State of the art accident emergency department, designed with the help of LAM® (Laser Aided Modelling)

Location: Wolverhampton, UK
Value: €45m
Client: The Royal Wolverhampton Hospitals NHS Trust
Services: Civil and structural engineering, specialist laser cloud transports clinical goods throughout the whole campus. The introduction of new buildings means that the current supply system needs to be extended which has led to a complete overhaul of the logistics system for clinical goods and the integration into the existing building automation.

The same development is seen at the Hospital Neukölln. The logistics system for clinical goods will be extended and reconstructed. The solution has been replace the existing small conveyor system with a pneumatic tube system and a logistics system for clinical goods (AWT).

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Location: Vivantes Humboldt Hospital/ Vivantes Hospital Neukölln, Berlin, Germany
Client: Vivantes Service GmbH
Services: conveyor systems (AGV, PTS, logistics, container washing machines, elevators and maintenance)
PIONEERING HEALTHCARE FACILITIES

UNN TROMSØ UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL

University Hospital northern Norway - New A Wing

The new A wing adds new and necessary treatment facilities to UNN Tromsø and catalyzes a new strategy for the development of a framework for UNN Tromsø as an effective regional and university hospital.

The project for the new A wing has added new treatment facilities that will advance the provision of specialist health services at UNN Tromsø. In addition, it addresses the development of a longer term strategy for the whole facility.

Priority has been given to particular areas for outpatient surgery and day and outpatient treatment, together with laboratory facilities, ER and surgery. This will ensure a sound physical framework for the planned organisational restructuring of hospital operations, with more emphasis on outpatients and outpatient treatment.

This project sets out a long term strategy for the development of a framework for UNN Tromsø to become an effective regional and university hospital. Based on an overall assessment of the existing facilities and future needs and the close collaboration with the university of Tromsø, this framework will ensure the continued development of relevant competencies.

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Location: Tromsø Municipality
Value: €120m
Client: Helse Nord
Area: 20,000m²
Architect: Rambøll Architects, pka og KHR
Services: Architecture and interior design.

VIENNA NORTH HOSPITAL

The Vienna North Hospital is regarded as one of Europe’s most modern hospitals and one of Austria’s largest construction projects. Nearly €1.2 billion euros has been invested in the greenfield developing. The hospital of the Vienna Association of Hospitals (Wiener Krankenanstaltenverbund, KAV) is located on the left side of the Danube.

The former industrial area is being transformed into a high-quality healthcare area. The building itself has been designed as a high-tech hospital with making the most of the natural with its light-flooded atriums.

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After 9 years of planning and installation all conveyor systems are ready: an Automated Guided Vehicle (AGV) system, a pneumatic tube system, logistics, canteen kitchen, container washing machines, elevators, roll containers and the food distribution systems. Currently the conversion of the Vienna North Hospital is a concrete step towards the implementation of the program of the Vienna Hospital Association for the reorganization and further development of the Viennese hospital plan (Wiener Spitallandschaft) that is expected to be fully implemented by 2030

Location: Vienna North Hospital, Austria
Value: €1.2bn
Service: conveyor systems (AGV, PTS, logistics, canteen kitchen, container washing machines, elevators, roll containers, food distribution systems, maintenance)
Construction of the new surgical department and central sterile building is part of a larger project in Gävle Hospital, where Ramboll has worked on a number of the buildings, and facilities including the emergency department, laboratories, offices and specialist suites.

This project was undertaken in phases. Phase one included a 12,500m² new building that contains a surgical department with 10 operation theatres and 10 pre-operation rooms for outpatients. This phase also includes central sterile services department, technology and staff areas. Phase two included redevelopment of the new 1,100m² recovery area, with phase three a 3,000m² redevelopment of the pre-operation and endoscopy departments and two operation theatres.

Ramboll provided HVAC and infrastructure solutions for heating, cooling, ventilation, clean room and operating theatres, medical gases, control systems and clean water systems.
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