

Sheftall House

Florida

D U A N Y P L A T E R - Z Y B E R K & C O M P A N Y



Location: Coral Gables, Florida
Type: Housing
Year Design: 1988
Status: Built



This house draws its plan organization from Genoese predecessors. The automobile entry is a drive-through from which one can enter directly into the tall living room. The pedestrian entry is an exterior stair to the second level front porch, around whose two-story height the floor plan is arranged. The passive space of the house are contained in the main volume, while the kitchen and family room are in the wing that reaches toward a canal at the back of the lot. The envelope of the main house reveals its columnar structure on the exterior as well as inside its interior spaces.

