

# CASE: Fredricks House Gym

**Area:** Bath, UK  
**Architect:**

**Products used:** Acoustic Tiles  
Jasper Sanders + Partners



When innovative design bureau Jasper Sanders and Partners were commissioned to design a stunning build-to-rent apartment complex in the honey-coloured city of Bath, England, one part of the design was particularly challenging – a gym for residents to relax and work out. The only suitable space was located in a discrete corner of an echoey basement car park, and the designers realised that. If they were going to get people down there, they needed to create a space that was engaging and compelling. The idea – to use colourful acoustic wood wool tiles as a part of the concept.

With the key demographic of Frederick House being young professionals, this shared amenity space creates a sense of community and provides a focal point for social events. A gym in an underground car park might not sound very inviting. However, as soon as you walk in and see the pink, black and grey BAUX acoustic wood wool tiles, glass doors and pink fluorescent lighting, it immediately feels like a space where everyone is welcome. The hard surface concrete garage transforms into a warm sound environment and brings a natural element to fitness suite.

## **Products used:**

**Acoustic wood-wool Tiles** — Triangle, Parallelogram.

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