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**Modern Residence**



**Category:**  
*Residential*

**Location:**  
*Huntsville, AL*





This new residence was designed in response to the owner's desire for a distinct modern aesthetic, not to be out of place in its existing 1960's era neighborhood. The angular forms and slanted rooflines of the home were carefully arranged on the sloping site to achieve a scale and massing consistent with the surrounding tri-level ranchers. Brick and stone clad the exterior, while contrasting trim and dark fenestration provide a pop of drama. The design team was also tasked with creating an interior which would serve as a gallery for an extensive art collection (including many noteworthy pieces by the homeowner herself), yet still feel warm and livable for the young family. To address the homeowner's concerns for privacy and safety, views into the home from the street were limited, thus a courtyard plan was implemented. This affords the family privacy in their outdoor living space without compromising natural light that washes the interiors through large windows.









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