

CITY CENTER TOWER MANILA, PHILIPPINES

CAZA's design sought to defy the average core and shell design of standard corporate office buildings by introducing refreshingly unexpected geometries that produce new experiences for users. By infusing a series of concentric circles extended across the horizontal axes of each floor, the tower's exterior facade marries the structured shape of a cube with the free-form organic pattern of a wave. The circular patterning gradually forms a series of balconies and bulging metallic mullions that provide the office spaces-which are traditionally closed and inwardly-focused—with a lush green overgrowth that invites employees to look outwards towards the vista and orient themselves within the metropolitan yet verdant landscape of Manila. The resulting visual impact elicits efficiency and innovation while retaining a sense of light playfulness.

