



PIERRE ET PATRIMOINE

• CRAFT/PROFESSION

Jonathan CHOUVENC is a stonemason specialising, amongst other things, in architectural restoration. Jonathan and his business partner Bernard work in marble, engraving and stone cutting. They are also skilled at creating ornamental, interior decoration and architectural features using local stone. Jonathan and Bernard design and build a wide range of structures including pool surrounds, stairs, benches, fountains, BBQs, fireplaces, columns, door posts or pillars and commemorative stones...

Their products are on display in their showroom, located at La Pépinière hamlet in Dumbéa, where they plan and refine projects with customers to create made-to-measure designs.

• BACKGROUND

Before the two partners settled in New Caledonia, they worked in France in a number of craft workshops and with companies specialising in the restoration of historic monuments. At first, PIERRE ET PATRIMOINE

specialised exclusively in the restoration of listed buildings. Their business has been operating in New Caledonia for twenty years, working on key building projects in all three provinces: Noumea Cathedral, Fort Téremba, Quai des Volontaires... Jonathan and Bernard then decided to diversify and invested jointly in versatile equipment found nowhere else in New Caledonia and allowing them to offer customers an impressive variety of products with a wide range of finishes.

• INSPIRATION AND ART/DESIGNS

The two partners' expert knowledge and skills mean they are able to offer customers a range of products adapted to individual needs and tastes, with a versatile choice of styles and customised features. They work exclusively with high quality raw materials, working and processing the material in their workshop. Local blue stone is a favourite since it can be worked to achieve very different effects and finishes: chiselled, bush hammered, brushed, honed or polished.

Transforming their customers' dreams into stone is their true passion.