



The Lamborghini parked in the garage below can be seen through the glass window floor and adds to the glamour of this stunning bar.

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# A BAR WITH A VIEW

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The precise level of craftsmanship from Invision NT is seen in this meticulous wine cellar.

The views from the bar, both inside and out, at this private home entertainment room in Cullen Bay, would easily rival any five-star establishments.



Solid granite bar top adds the luxurious touch.

Created by award-winning top-tier builder Brad Claydon, owner of Invision NT, the bar and cellar took over 18-months to plan. 'The client was undertaking a massive extension to his existing home, which included an enclosed garage and room above for a bar, wine cellar and entertaining,' informed Brad. 'With over 600 precious wines the purpose-built cellar was of premium importance, and material choices were a critical factor.' Not only did the cellar have to look amazing it needed to be able to handle the temperature-controlled environment and provide adequate ventilation. Brad chose a sophisticated timber look material with a 3D embossed surface that looks and feels like timber but is scratch, abrasion, UV, stain and water resistant. The intricate timberwork also ensures that each bottle can be easily rotated as required. From the cellar, beautifully crafted solid Blackbutt stairs lead you to a fully serviceable contemporary wet bar. The acrylic smokey mirror on the back wall behind the suspended glass shelving elegantly displays the liquor bottles, while the 70mm dark

granite top conceals a sink, led strip lighting and a backlit RGB LED light box Marblo feature panel on the front, creating an ambience that would rival luxury commercial property. The owners also agree that the elegant and practical finishes that Brad and the team created in their cellar and bar area is a testament to Invision NT's attention to detail and craftsmanship. 'We love helping our clients create their dream space,' admitted Brad. 'Crafting one-off pieces of furniture, custom storage for precious showpieces and transforming unused nooks and crannies to usable areas is our speciality. We're immensely proud of the projects we've delivered for Territorians.' For the last decade Invision NT has been providing first-rate renovations, custom joinery and new builds for residential and commercial clients in Darwin, Palmerston and right across the Territory. Contact Invision NT 15 Travers Street Coconut Grove NT 0810 T: 8948 2964 E: sales@invisionnt.com.au W: www.invisionnt.com.au