

Over 280 metres of steam bent Oak twisted, turned, spiralled, sprung and draped over celebrated garden designer **Andy Sturgeon's Cancer Research Garden** at the 2007 Chelsea Flower Show..

The commission was for a sculpture to link every individual aspect of the garden together. Included formal yew hedges, white limestone paths, informal 'wild meadow' planting, several trees and large steel framed Japanese pergola. It worked so well that the sculpture became known as the 'Together' sculpture at the show, and the garden won a Gold Medal.



To help our client communicate his complicated design intentions, we sent a specially designed modelling system to his studio. This included many long strips of thin galvanised steel, which he bent easily into the shapes he wanted.

The final design sprung out of the ground to make an arch, before spiralling for 20 metres across the garden to drape around a steel pillar and wrap around a tree. It then plunged underground to emerge through a limestone path and spiral up and around another tree, to finish 4 metres up in the air at the back of the garden.



'Together' Sculpture

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