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TRUE UNION OF HISTORY and culture, Millimetre Design has maintained the historical aspect while introducing Japanese elements into this project by recreating a Japanese Zen Garden and replicating the look and feel of an Omakase inside a colonial home. It makes Iki Omakase look timeless, one that honours the Malaysian colonial past and embodies the Japanese culture all at once.

The main entrance door is made of a black tinted glass panel with an organically shaped door handle carved out of Balau wood. To capture the restaurant's brand, the handle is charred using the Shou Sugi Ban technique, an ancient technique for waterproofing and preserving wood. The beautiful interior is greeted by the rugged, bare-brick feature wall behind the reception counter.

Each spot light is thoughtfully placed and measured to enhance the appearance of food plating. The chef's area is lit with soft lighting allowing customers to focus on the food preparation, with a table that has been carefully measured to provide a comfortable visual experience.

An eye-catching private lounge is tucked away at the back of the dining area, inspired by the Japanese Stone Art (Suiseki). The walls are coated with a beautiful thick dark grey-textured wall paint to replicate a small naturally occurring rock. This element adds to the overall aesthetics of the project, along with the glass roof covering to accentuate the contemporary look. Millimetre Design also allowed ample light into the space to keep things simple, modest, and chic.