

Featured Project

Warner Bros. World™ Abu Dhabi

Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates

Services

- Architecture and Design
- Construction Management

Warner Bros. World™ Abu Dhabi joins the multitude of attractions on Abu Dhabi's entertainment and leisure destination, Yas Island. Spread across 15 hectares (the size of 21 football fields), Warner Bros. World Abu Dhabi is the world's second-largest indoor theme park.

Visitors can enjoy 29 state-of-the-art exhilarating rides, interactive family-friendly attractions, and unique live entertainment, located across six immersive lands:

- Gotham City
- Metropolis
- Cartoon Junction
- Bedrock
- Dynamite Gulch
- Warner Bros. Plaza

AECOM's involvement began at the project's inception, providing design consultancy and construction supervision services. We brought together master planners, economists, architects, engineers, and show set design-build vendors in Orange County, London, and Abu Dhabi to deliver this attraction. Our construction supervision team nurtured a committed safety culture by rewarding positive safety behaviors and actively engaging with the construction contractor. Key attraction and facility design features include:

- Warner Bros. Plaza – the park's hub and venue for high-impact audio visual shows
- A dramatic guest entrance that connects the six immersive lands
- Themed retail and dining outlets throughout the park

Fast Facts

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- The indoor attraction covers the equivalent of 21 football fields, or 15 hectares
- The facade features a 200-foot-tall tower inspired by the iconic Warner Bros. Water Tower in Burbank
- Each and every brick that makes up the park's facades was individually carved and painted by hand

COST

\$1B

START/COMPLETION DATE

2007-2018 (the entire project took about seven years to complete; it was put on hold for several years due to the Great Recession)

BUSINESS LINES

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