

Jose D. Calixto Assoc. AIA

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Education

Kean University

School of Public Architecture Michael Graves College | Union, New Jersey | 2019-2025

- Master of Architecture Degree
- Bachelor of Arts in Architectural Studies Degree Cum Laude

Employment

Architectural Associate

Camera Design + Build, LLC | Metuchen, New Jersey | July 2025 - Present

- Residential and commercial project experience
- Construction administration experience
- Drafting existing conditions and preliminary designs
- Translating spanish-speaking trades during site visits and client meetings

Architectural Internship

NV5 | Parsippany, New Jersey | August 2022- September 2024

- Commercial and industrial project experience
- Project closeout experience
- Experience in design & production of construction documents
- Field logs, surveys, field reports, submittal logs, RFI's, COR's, Punch list
- Collaborated with teams to align design intent with budget and code constraints
- Managed overlapping tasks across multiple design phases and consultants
- Working familiarity with IBC codes & optimization of code libraries
- Organizing lunch & learns with consultants & architects
- Translating landscape architects' survey to spanish
- Translating spanish-speaking trades during site visits

Architectural Internship

Richard J. Pierce, Architect, LLC | Cranford, New Jersey | June 2021- August 2022

- Residential project experience
- Drafting existing conditions
- Client meetings and coordination
- Conducting field measurements
- Translating spanish-speaking trades during site visits

Skills

Design Software: Rhinoceros 3D, AutoCAD, Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Bluebeam, Revit, Blender, Twinmotion

Office Software: Microsoft Office, Teams, Word, Excel, Power Point, Outlook

Languages: English, Spanish

Awards

AIA Newark & Suburban Architects | Design Award Winner | 2023

BEAU | Most Popular Design Award | 2022

Kean University | Graduate Assistant Scholarship | 2023-2025

Kean University | William Livingston Full Scholarship | 2019-2023

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Professional Summary

Mr. Calixto is a recent graduate with a Master of Architecture and Bachelor of Arts in Architectural Studies degree. With efficient technical ability, he has over three years of experience working under professional architects involving AutoCad, Bluebeam, and the Adobe Suite. Mr. Calixto has experience in Residential based projects and two years working on Public Agency based projects for clients including New Jersey Division of Property Management (DPMC), higher-education, commercial, and industrial projects. Jose also has experience in construction administration and project closeout.

Project Timeline

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Commercial/Industrial

T0544-00 NJDOT SECAUCUS MAINTENANCE YARD

DPMC | SECAUCUS, NJ
New Construction
DD, CD, CA/CO | (2022-2024)

T0573-00 NJDOT BORDENTOWN TRAINING FACILITY

DPMC | BORDENTOWN, NJ
Major Architecture & Interior Renovation
CD, CA/CO | (2022-2023)

T0619-00 NJDOT CLINTON ROAD MAINTENANCE FACILITY

DPMC | CLINTON, NJ
New Construction
SD, DD, CD, CA/CO | (2022-2024)

T0564-02 FREEHOLD MAINTENANCE YARD

DPMC | FREEHOLD, NJ
New Construction
DD, CD, CA/CO | (2023-2024)

T0664-00 HACKETTSTOWN SALT STRUCTURE

DPMC | HACKETTSTOWN, NJ
New Construction
DD, CD, CA | (2022-2024)

T0649-00 JERSEY CITY MAINTENANCE YARD

DPMC | JERSEY CITY, NJ
New Construction
DD, CD, CA | (2022-2024)

T0666-00 BRIDGEPORT AND ELMER NEW FABRIC COVERED SALT SHED

DPMC | BRIDGEPORT/ELMER, NJ
New Construction
SD, DD, CD, CA/CO | (2023-2024)

T0665-00 HAZLET NEW FABRIC COVERED SALT SHED

DPMC | HAZLET, NJ
New Construction
DD, CD, CA/CO | (2022-2024)

NJOIT ENTERPRISE DATA CENTER BUILDING RECONFIGURATION

WEST TRENTON, NJ
Interior Renovation
DD, CD | (2024)

NASSAU COMMUNITY COLLEGE CLUSTER C RENOVATION, LIBRARY, & DATA CENTER

NCC | NEW YORK, NY
Major Architecture & Interior Renovation
CD, CA/CO | (2022-2024)

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SWARTSWOOD CAMPGROUND BATHROOM ROOF REDESIGN

SUSSEX COUNTY, NJ
Architecture & Interior Renovation
CD | (2022-2024)

WAWAYANDA STATE PARK MAINTENANCE ROOF REPLACEMENT

HEWITT, NJ
Architecture Renovation
CD, CA/CO | (2022-2024)

WESTSIDE PARK RESTROOM BUILDING & PAVILION

CITY OF PATERSON |
PATERSON, NEW JERSEY
Architecture & Interior Renovation
SD, DD | (2022-2024)

MVC INSPECTION STATIONS DCA VIOLATIONS

CHERRY HILL, NJ
Interior Renovation
SD, DD | (2024)

LINDEN MAINTENANCE FACILITY ROOF AND MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT REPLACEMENT

PSE&G | LINDEN, NJ
Major Architecture & Interior Renovation
SD, DD, CD | (2023-2024)

Residential

56 BARTELL PLACE CLARK, NJ

Architecture & Interior Renovation
SD | (2022)

113 JOHN STREET CLARK, NJ

Architecture & Interior Renovation
SD | (2022)

100 BAMB HOLLOW ROAD MIDDLETOWN TOWNSHIP, NJ

Architecture & Interior Renovation
SD | (2022)

145 BURNS WAY FANWOOD, NJ

Architecture & Interior Renovation
SD | (2022)

353 RARITAN ROAD LINDEN, NJ

Architecture Renovation
SD, DD, CD | (2022)

9 MICHAEL LANE SCOTCH PLAINS, NJ

Architecture & Interior Renovation
SD | (2022)

252 KENT PLACE BOULEVARD SUMMIT, NJ

Architecture Renovation
SD | (2022)

218 HILLSIDE AVENUE CRANFORD, NJ

Architecture & Interior Renovation
SD, DD | (2022)

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118 HILLCREST AVENUE

CRANFORD, NJ

Architecture & Interior Renovation

SD, DD | (2022)

67 LAWN TERRACE

CRANFORD, NJ

Architecture & Interior Renovation

SD | (2022)

5 ONEIDA PLACE

CRANFORD, NJ

Architecture Renovation

SD, DD | (2022)

7 THOMAS STREET

CRANFORD, NJ

Architecture & Interior Renovation

SD, DD | (2021)

710 DRUM POINT ROAD

BRICK TOWNSHIP, NJ

Architecture Renovation

SD | (2021)

336 WALNUT AVENUE

CRANFORD, NJ

Architecture & Interior Renovation

SD | (2022)

124 OAK LANE

CRANFORD, NJ

Architecture Renovation

SD | (2022)

48 MENDELL AVENUE

CRANFORD, NJ

Architecture & Interior Renovation

SD, DD | (2021)

216 SCHERRER STREET

CRANFORD, NJ

Architecture & Interior Renovation

SD | (2021)

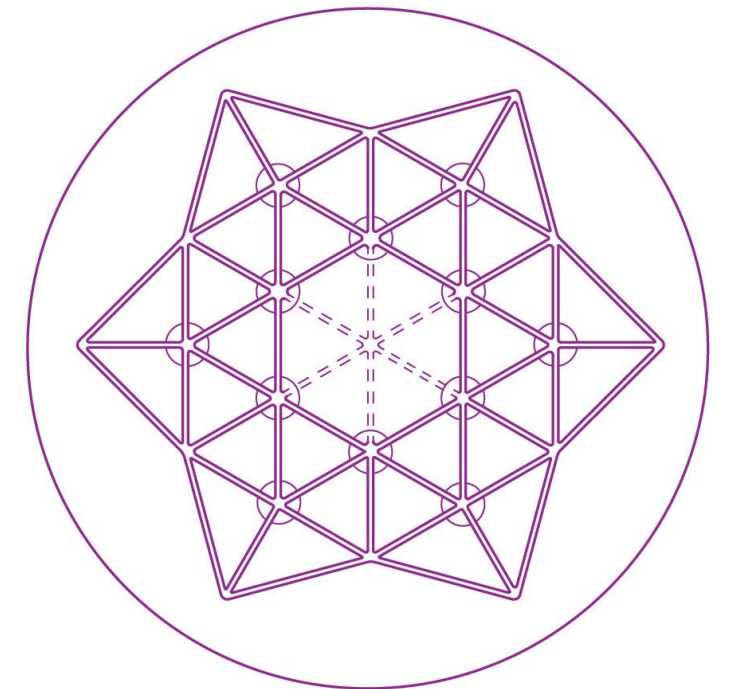
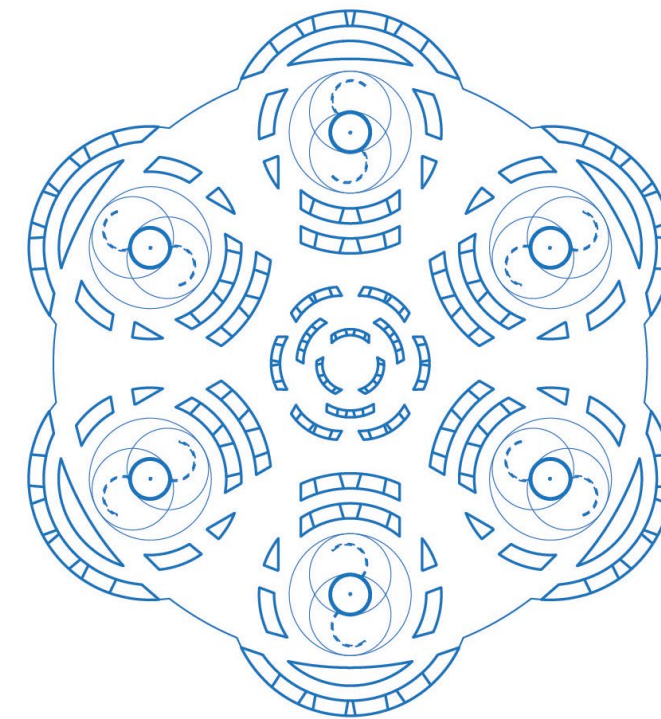
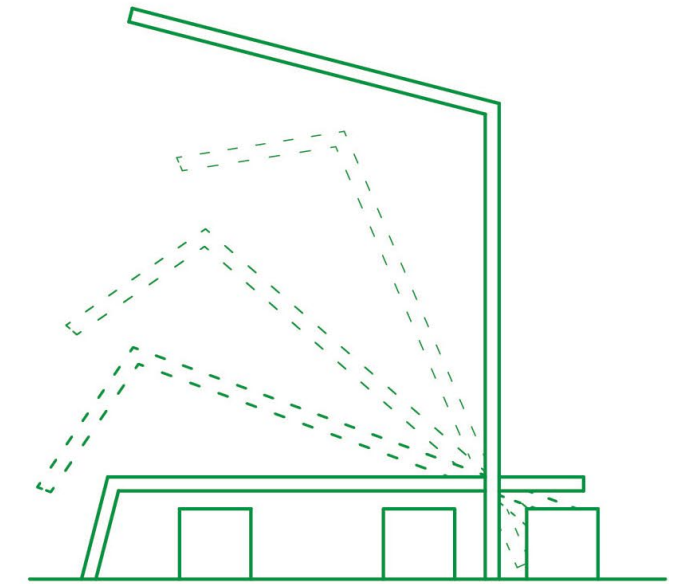
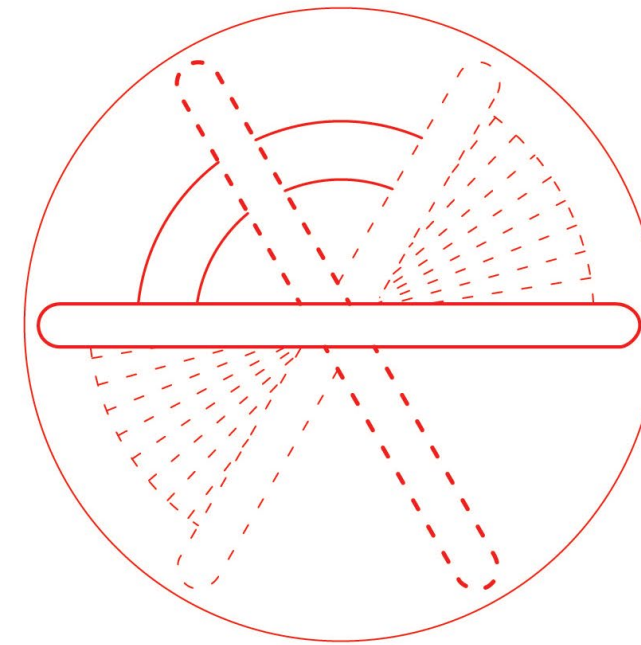
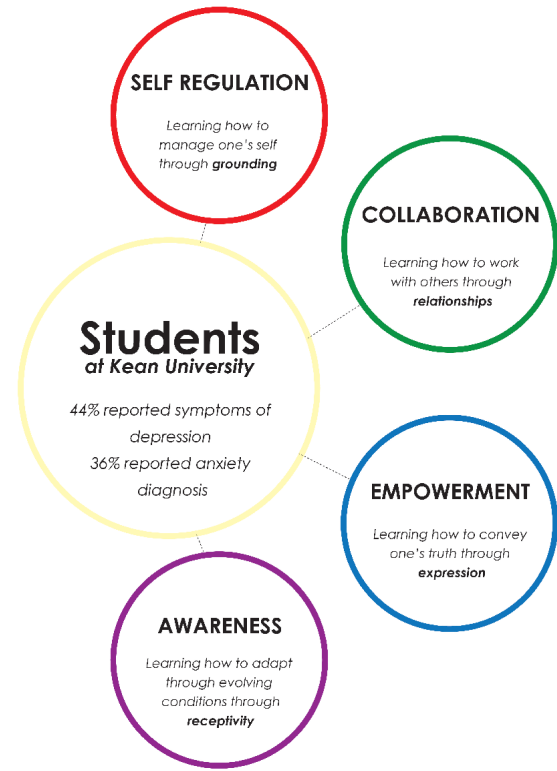
CONSCIOUS CONSTRUCTS

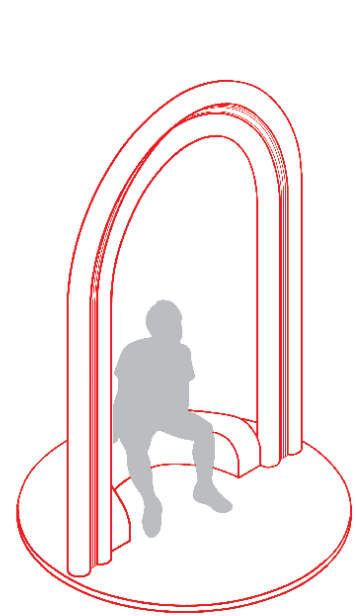
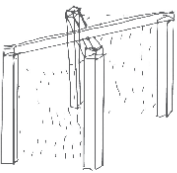
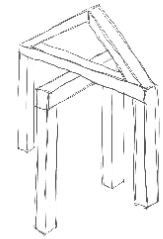
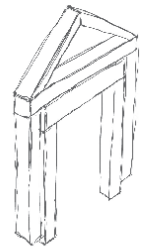
PROFESSOR LUIS MUÑOZ | KEAN UNIVERSITY | GRADUATE SEMESTER | SPRING 2025

Conscious Constructs can be used to form various assemblies of spatial experiences that cater to the specific needs of a community while harmonizing them with the natural rhythms of themselves and reality.

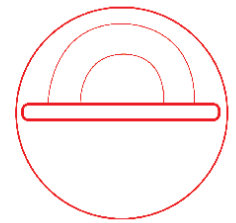
To manifest this concept, the project will intervene on Kean University's campus, focusing on the needs of college students which is to gain independence whilst transitioning into adulthood. These necessary skill sets translate into the assemblies as follows, self-regulation as The Hut, collaboration as The Flux, empowerment as The Forum, and awareness as The Aether.

Embedded in these assemblies is the concept of the 'kit of parts' which allow the users to be shaped by the design, and the design to be shaped by its users through consideration of psychological instincts and its connection to the external factors of the body, earth, and cosmos.

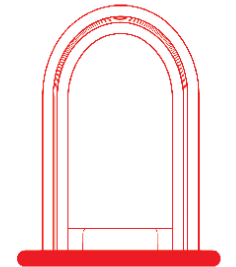




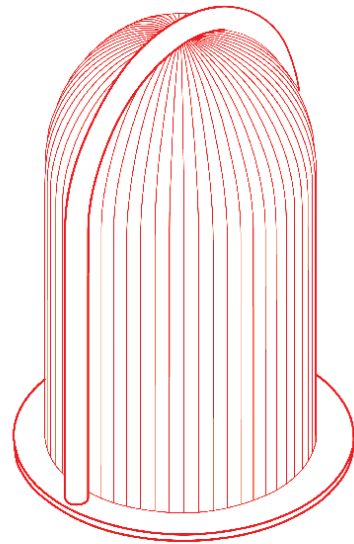
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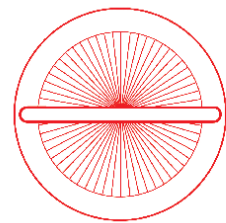
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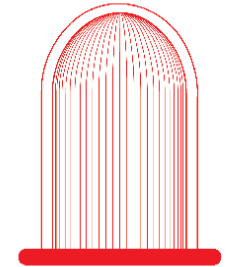
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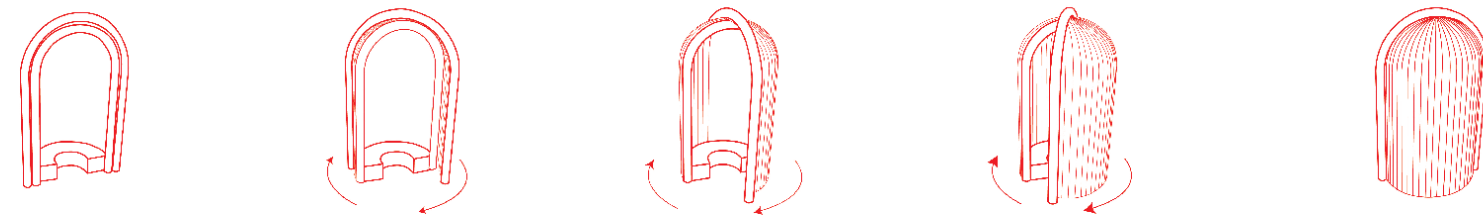
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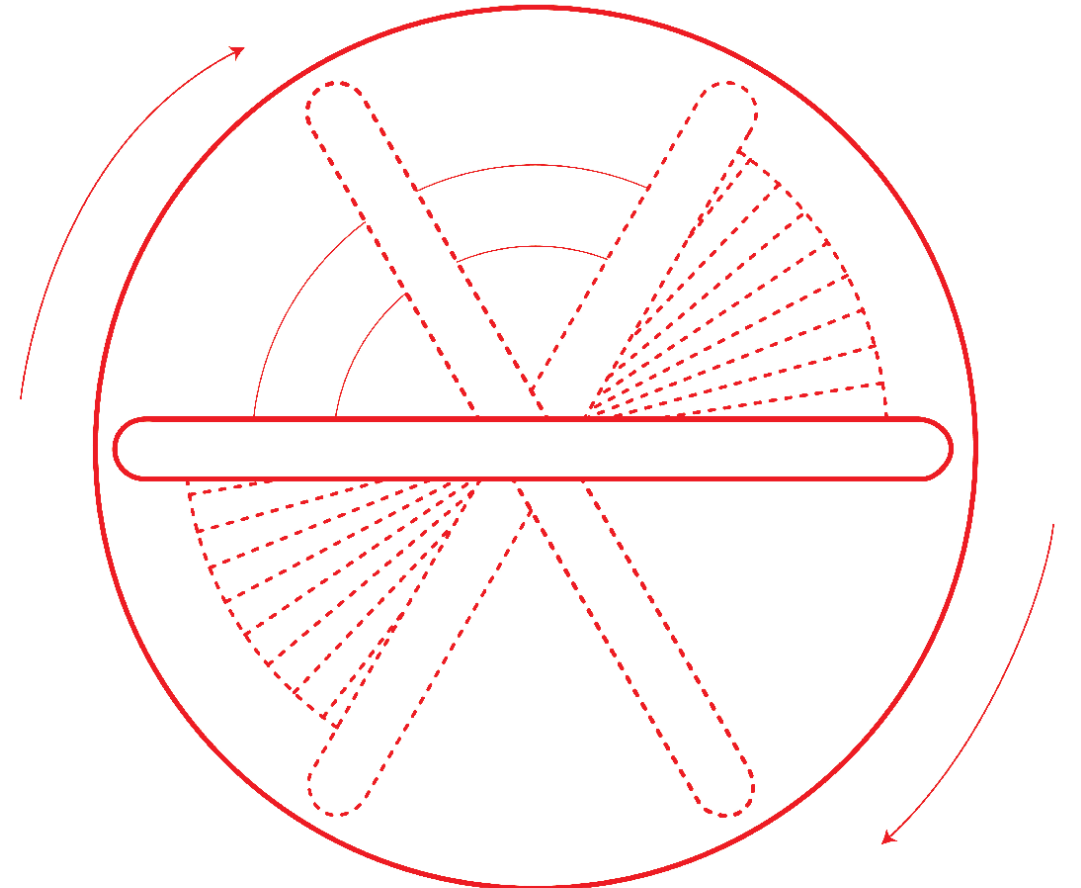
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Movement Diagram

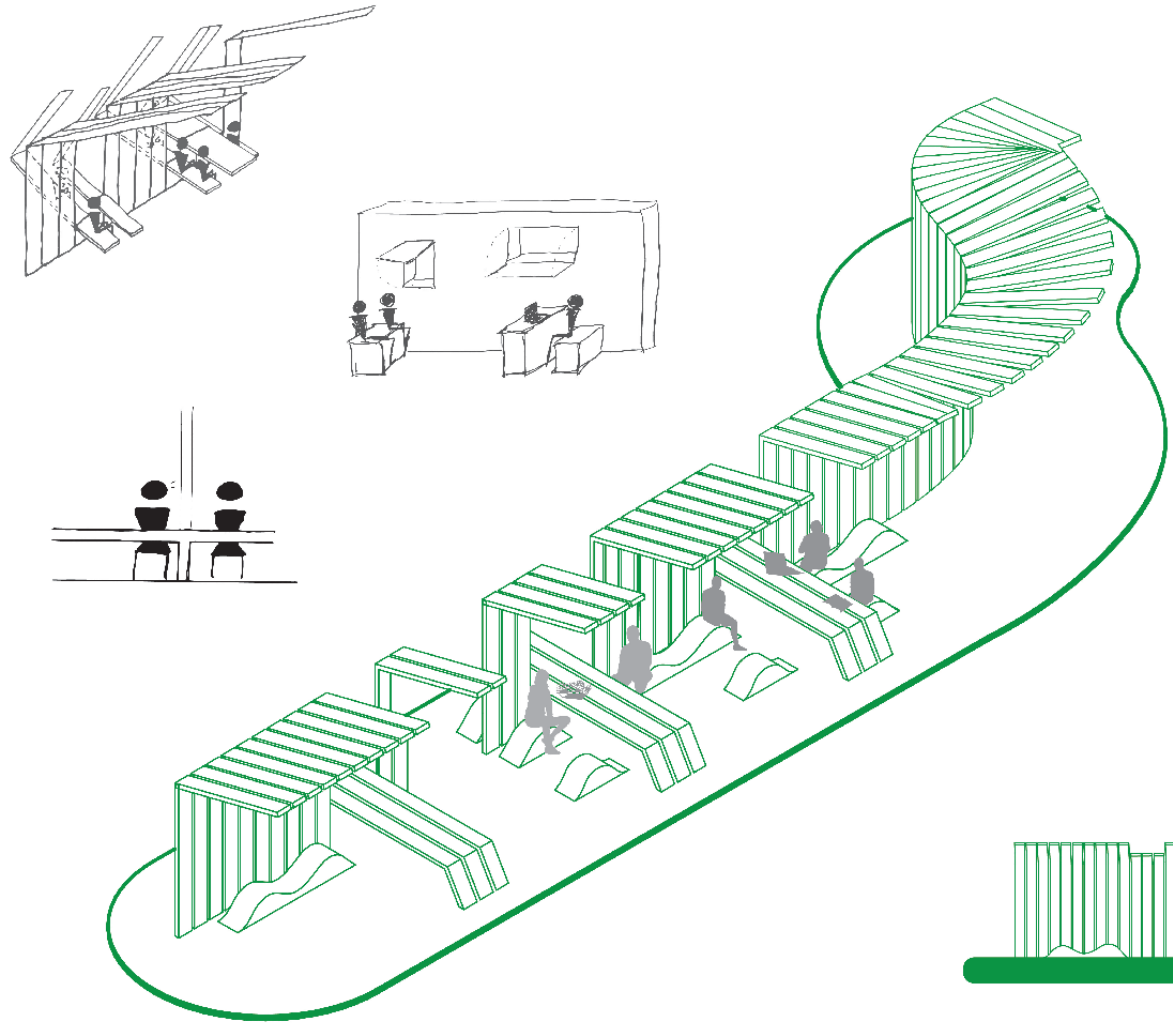


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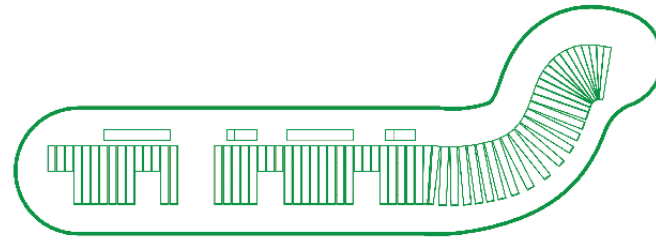


THE HUT

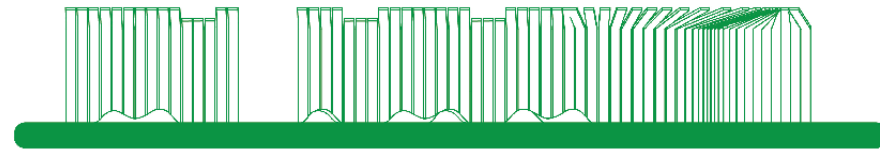




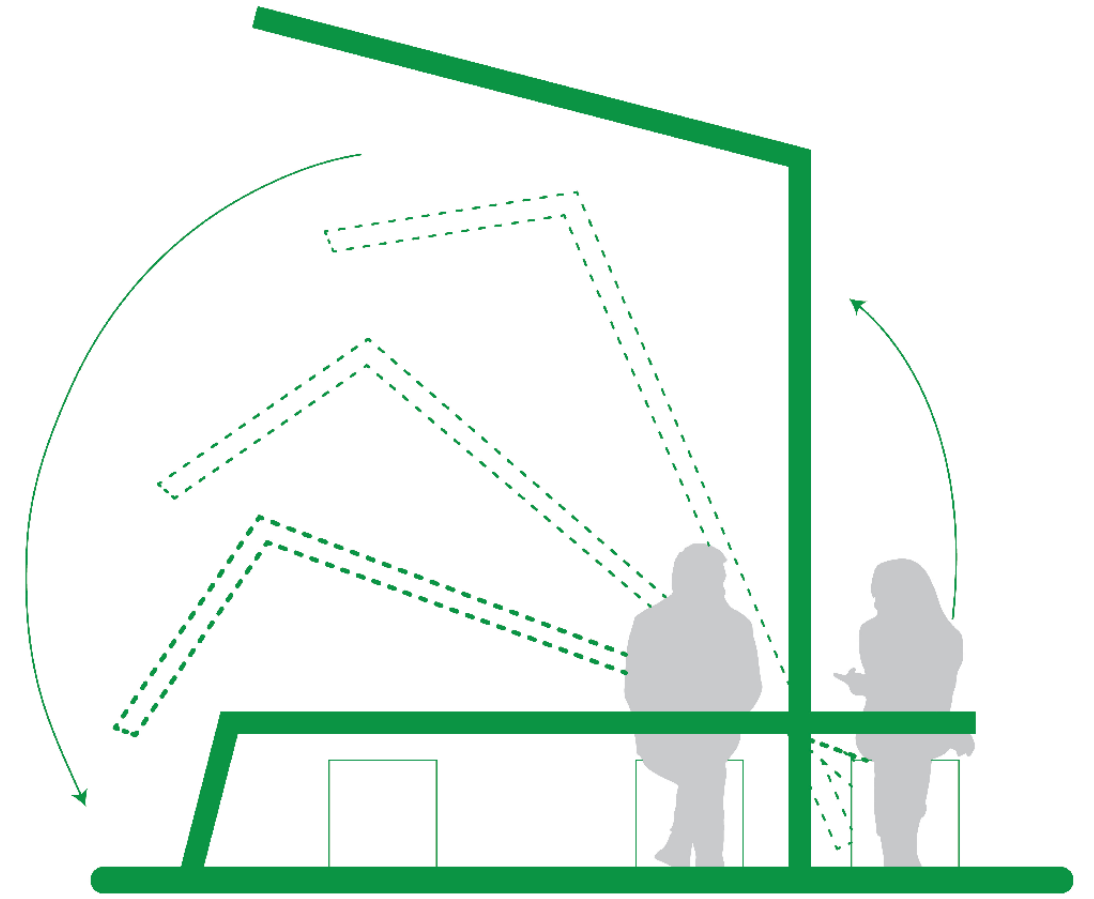
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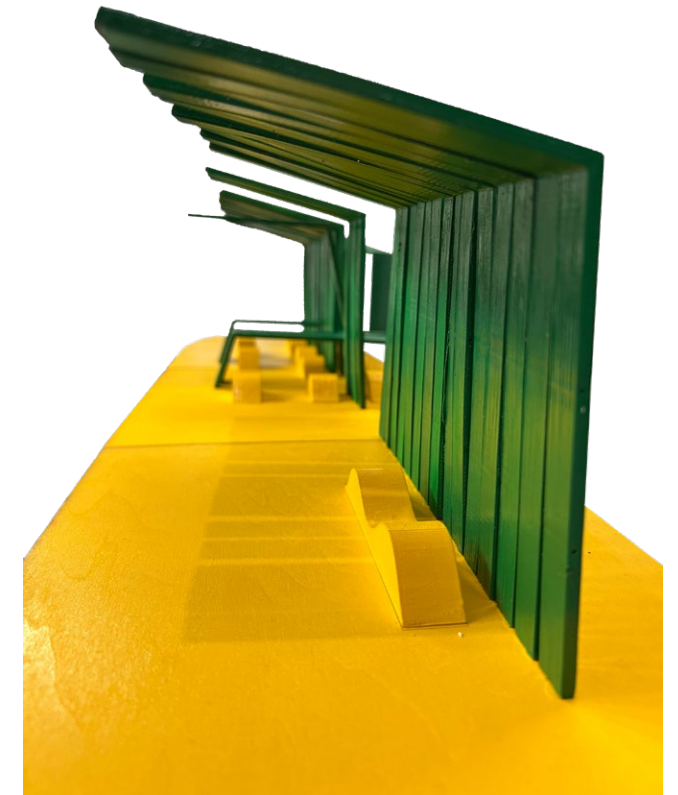
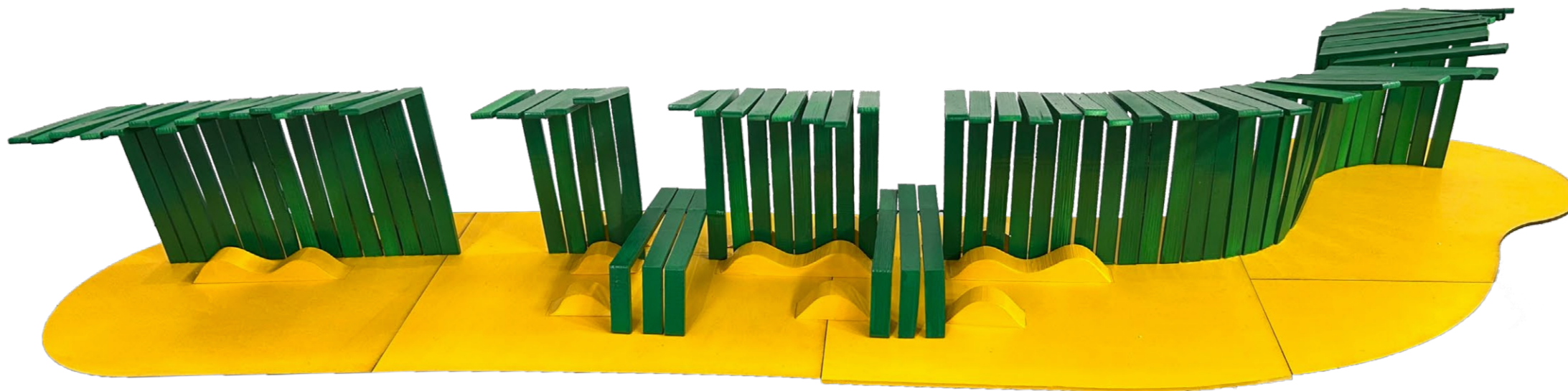
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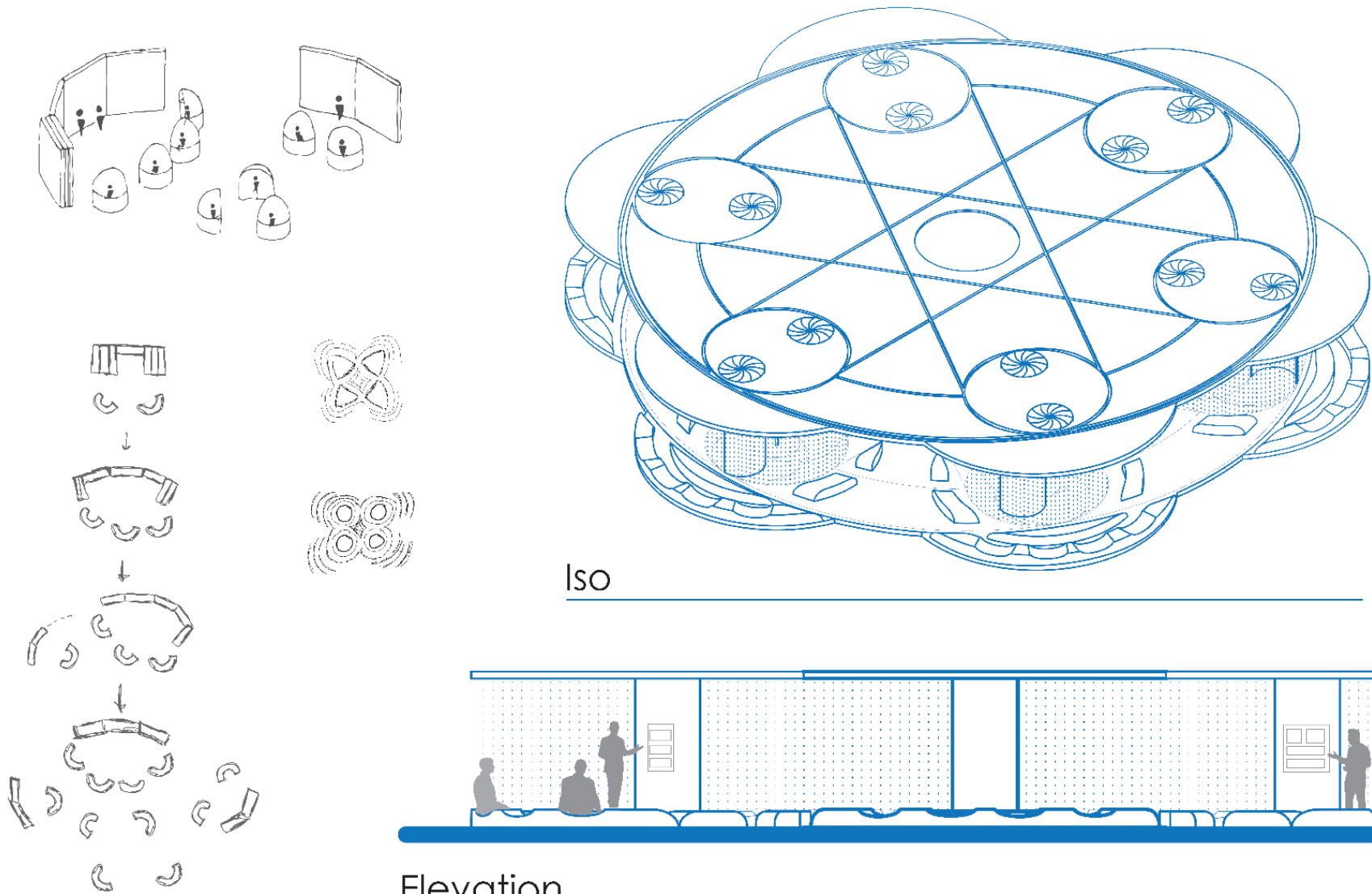


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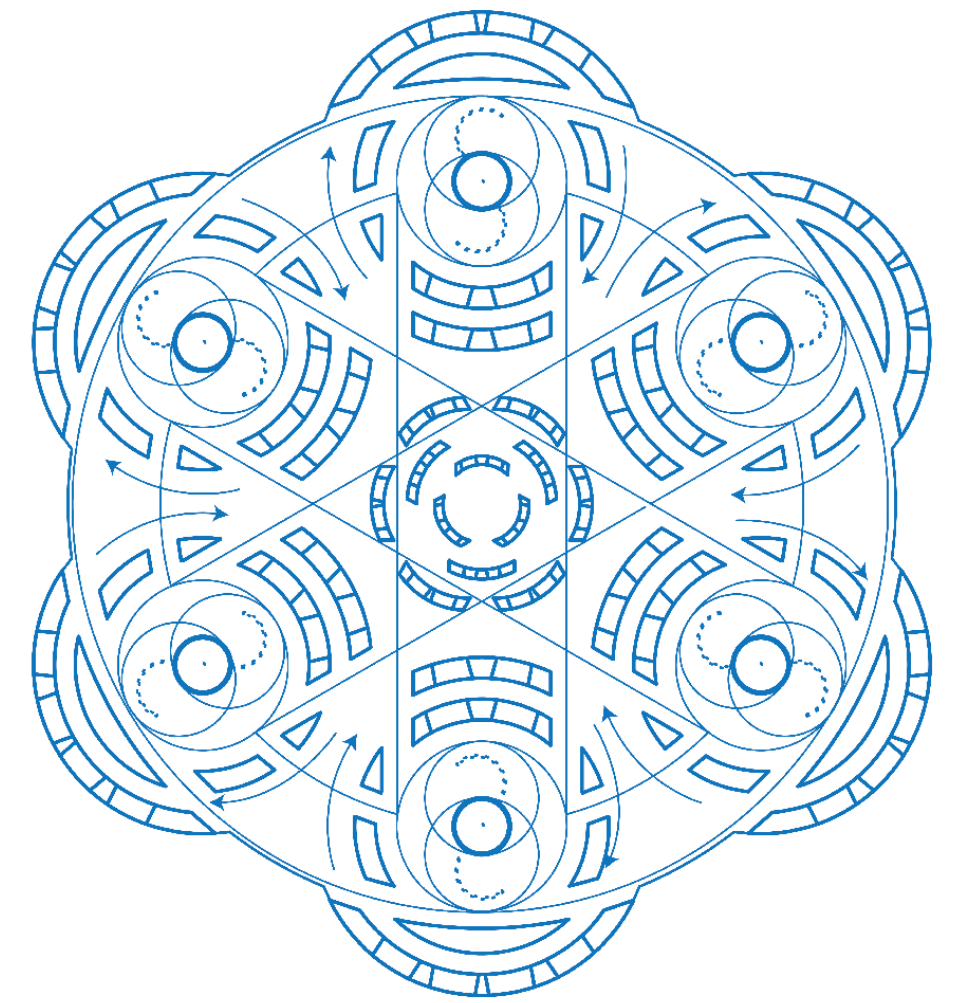
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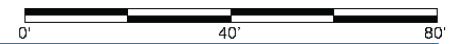


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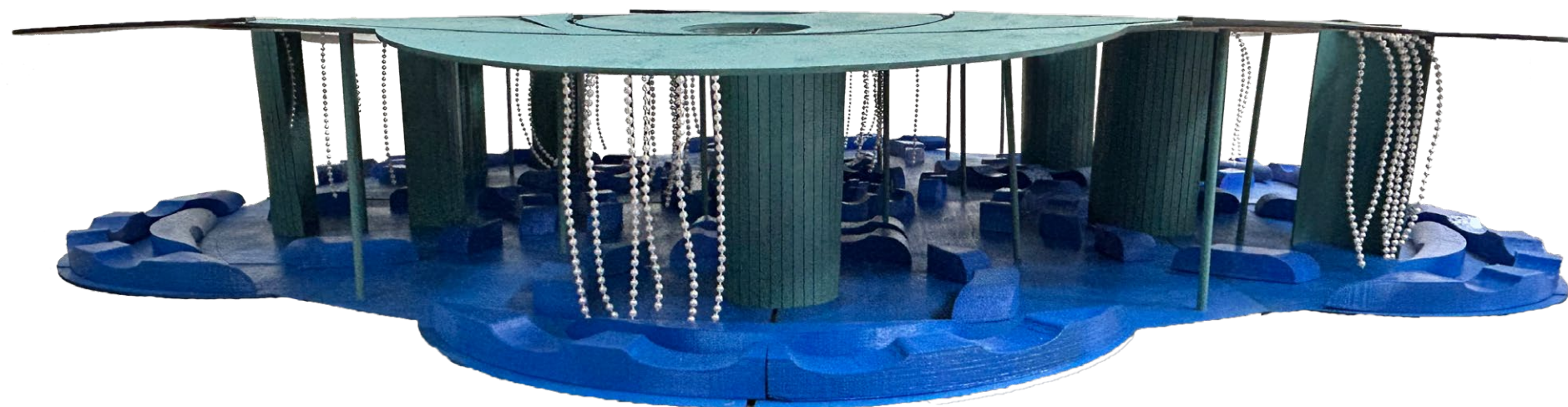
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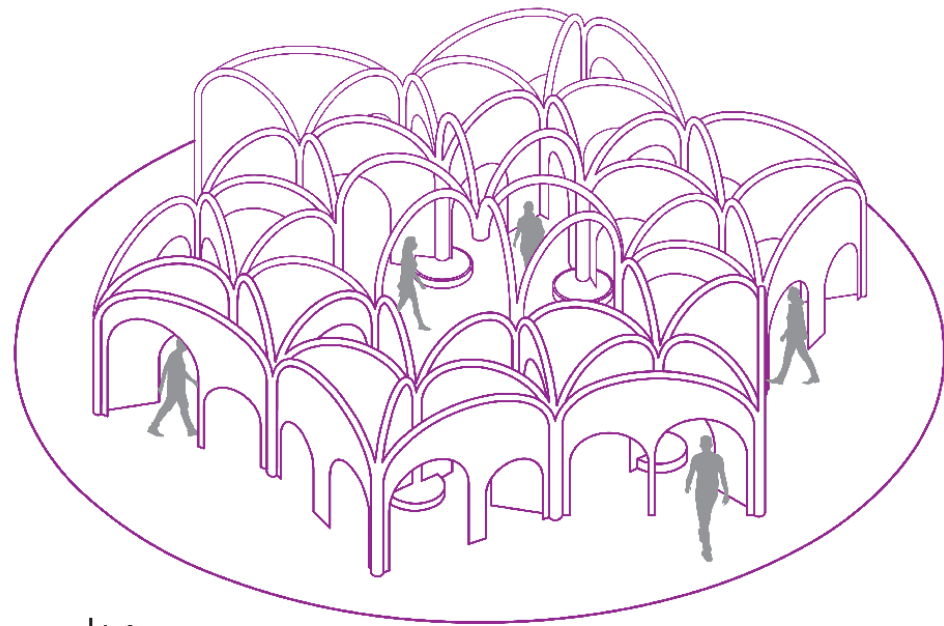
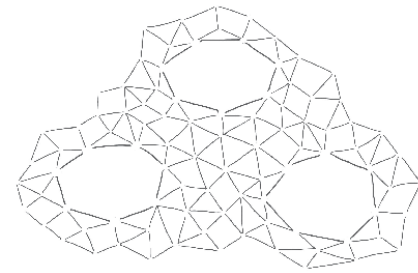
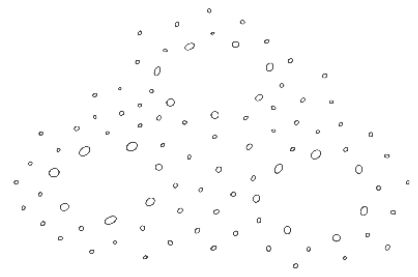


Floor Plan

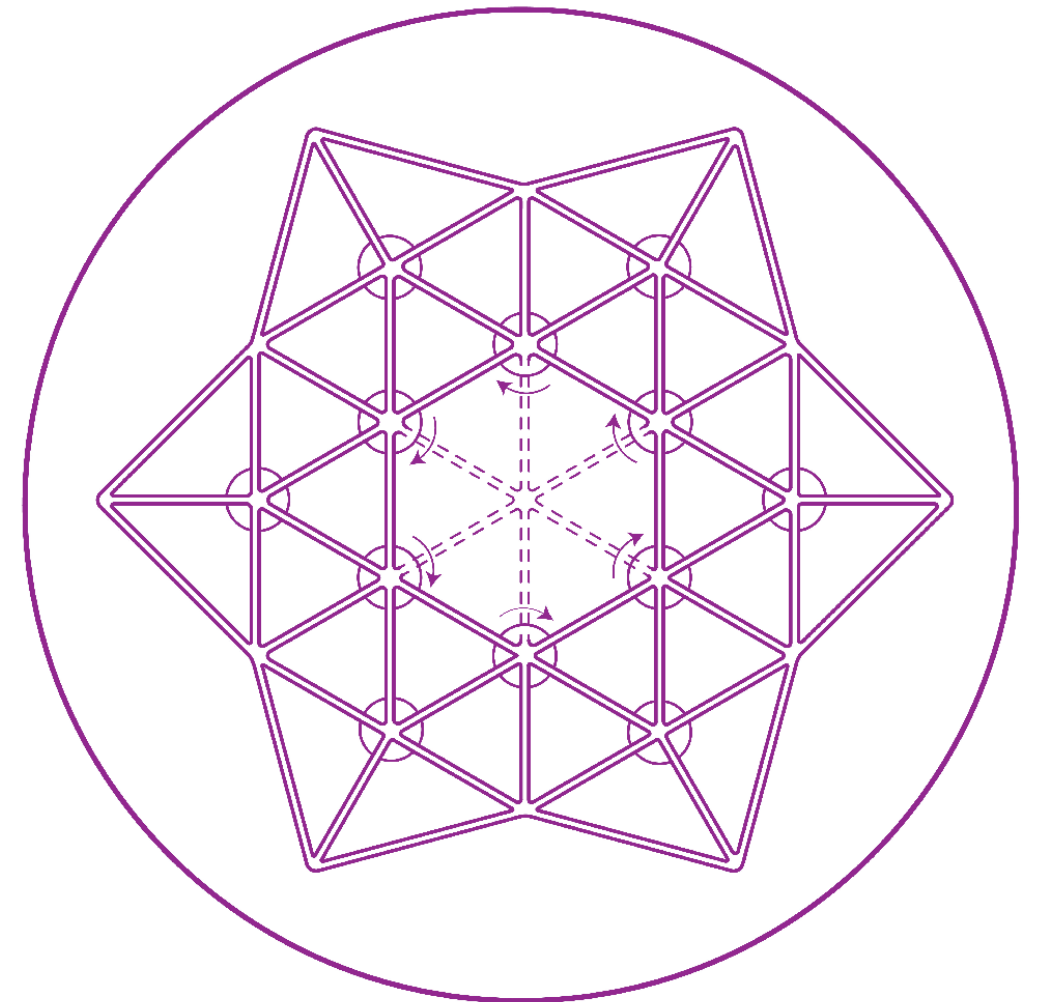


THE FORUM

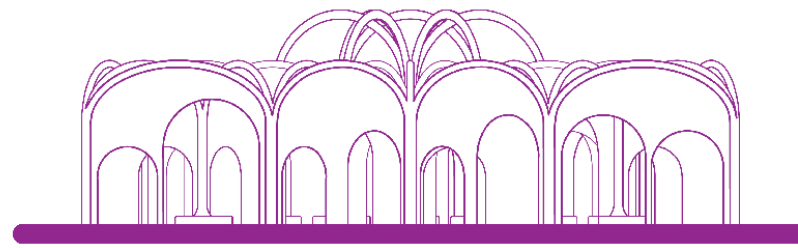




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Section

THE AETHER

