

University of Oregon

Erb Memorial Union Expansion & Renovation

User Group Meeting

SERA Architects
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PROJECT OVERVIEW

EMU INTERIOR

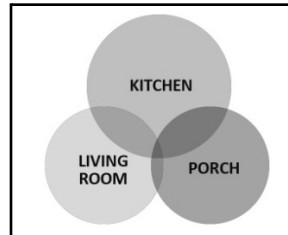
EMU PROJECT PATTERNS



Layers of Quiet and Buzz

How much distraction is good?

Provide a range of distractions.



Working Together

Collaborative work can happen in various environments.

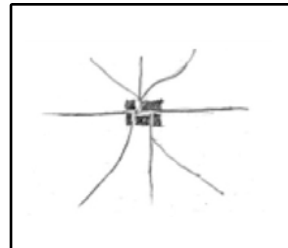
Provide three broad types of informal gathering spaces.



Light Attracts Use

Direct sun and daylight attract people.

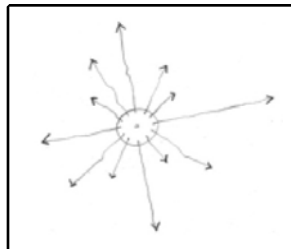
Use daylight functionally to replace electric lighting and architecturally to attract a variety of people and uses.



*Destinations
Pass Through not Around*

A large building can be a barrier to passage and lose potential for energy.

Ensure the ability to arrive from many directions and connect indoors with the outdoors.



Hub of Campus

The EMU is in the center of campus but isn't always the campus center.

Create a university center, a connecting, welcoming hub that reaches out to campus and community.



Kitchen – Great Room

The kitchen is always the room in the family home where people naturally gravitate to.

Create a kitchen/great room, the heart within the Heart, hub within the Hub.

PROJECT GOALS AND PATTERNS



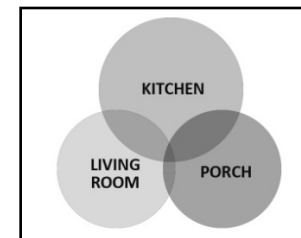
EMU INTERIOR

USER GROUP DESIGN SESSION

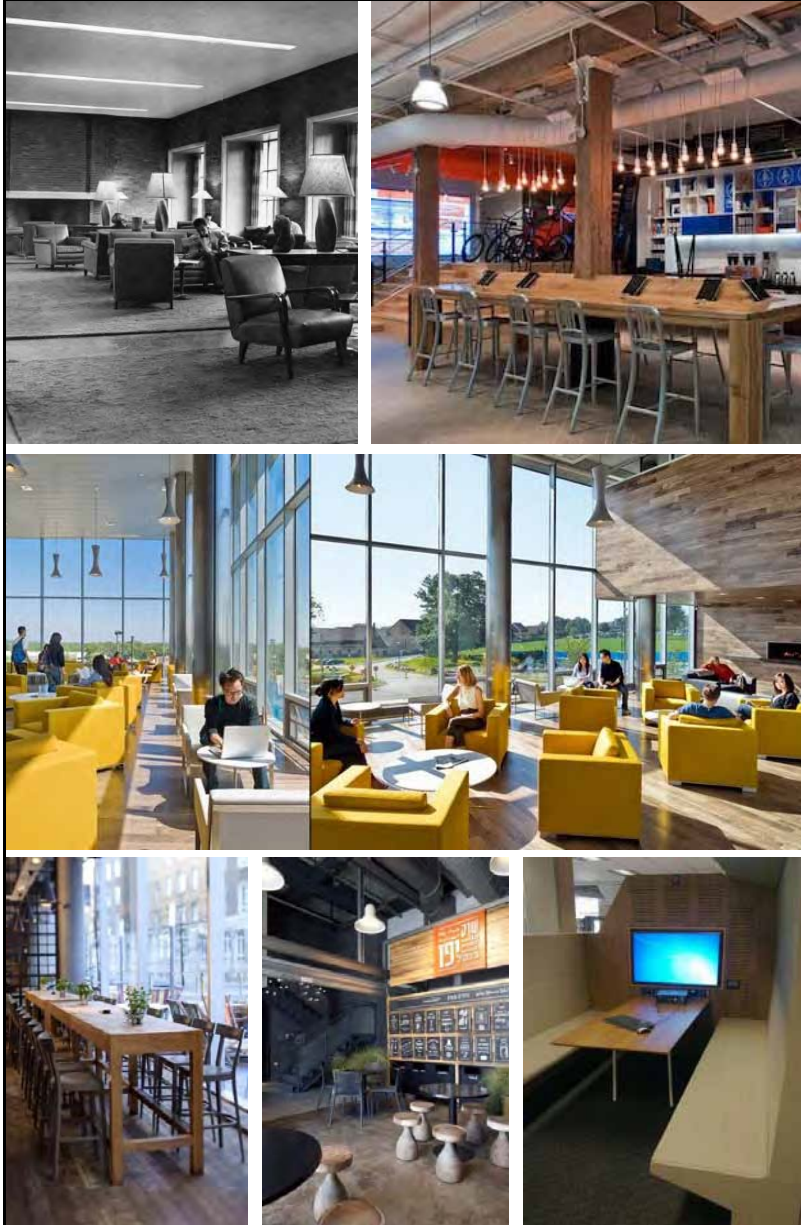
- LOUNGE SPACES
- STUDY SPACES
- COLLABORATIVE SPACES
- EVENT BREAKOUT
- FOOD SERVICE
- QUIET AND ACTIVE SPACES
- ACCESS TO TECHNOLOGY



Layers of Quiet and Buzz



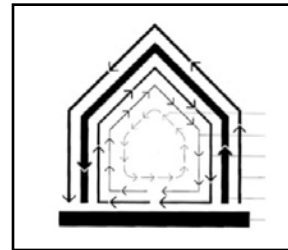
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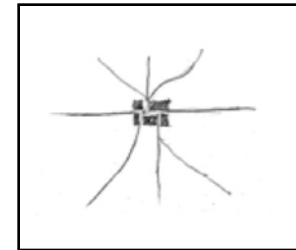
EMU INTERIOR

SPACE NEEDS

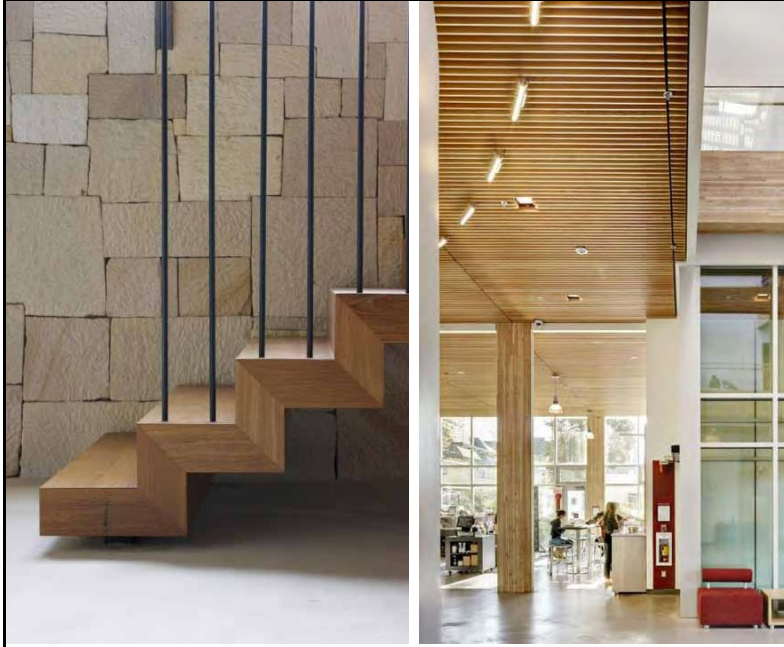
- FLEXIBLE SPACES
- VARIETY OF SPACES
- LET ARCHITECTURE DRIVE SPACE USE
- SPACES TO SUPPORT EVENTS
- IMPROMPTU CONNECTIONS
- UNLIMITED ACCESS TO TECHNOLOGY
- LET STUDENTS DETERMINE HOW LONG TO USE SPACE



Flexibility and Longevity



*Destinations
Pass Through not Around*



EMU INTERIOR

WHAT DOES THE EMU FEEL LIKE?

- WARM
- WOODY
- SOFT
- NATURAL MATERIALS
- NATURAL LIGHT



Light Attracts Use



South Facing Outdoors

SUSTAINABILITY PLAN UPDATE

PURPOSE:

**Discuss updates to the project
specific sustainability plan**

METRICS

ENERGY / HEALTH

RELATED SUSTAINABLE DESIGN GOALS

- Performance metric around energy use
 - Oregon Model min. (35% better than OR code)
 - 45% better than OR Code (Analyze Specific Measures)
 - Additional 10 to 15% from occupant engagement
- Provide daylighting for most student offices and views for 75% of regularly occupied spaces
- Solar Thermal (Analyze Specific Measures)
- PV Ready (investigate third party funding of demonstration PV array)

MATERIALS

SUSTAINABLE DESIGN GOALS REVISITED

- Reuse ~~most of~~ materials from the demolished building in the new student union
- Recycle 90-95% 75-80% of construction debris
- Prioritize sourcing products locally
- Minimize use of toxic products
- Local, Salvaged, wood
- Filter all materials decisions through a lens of Cost & Student Health
- Prioritize Identity & Inspiration
- Prioritize Durability

EQUITY(+)

SUSTAINABLE DESIGN GOALS

- Maintain access for daylighting for surrounding buildings
- Create a universally accessible design
- Incorporate and embrace diversity

WATER

SUSTAINABLE DESIGN GOALS

- Meet Oregon Model for Stormwater mgmt (Treating Stormwater on University)
- 35-40% reduction in water use from fixtures and fittings (with .125 urinals)
- 50-60% reduction in water use

CAMPUS SCALE SYSTEMS(+)

SITE RELATED SUSTAINABILITY GOALS

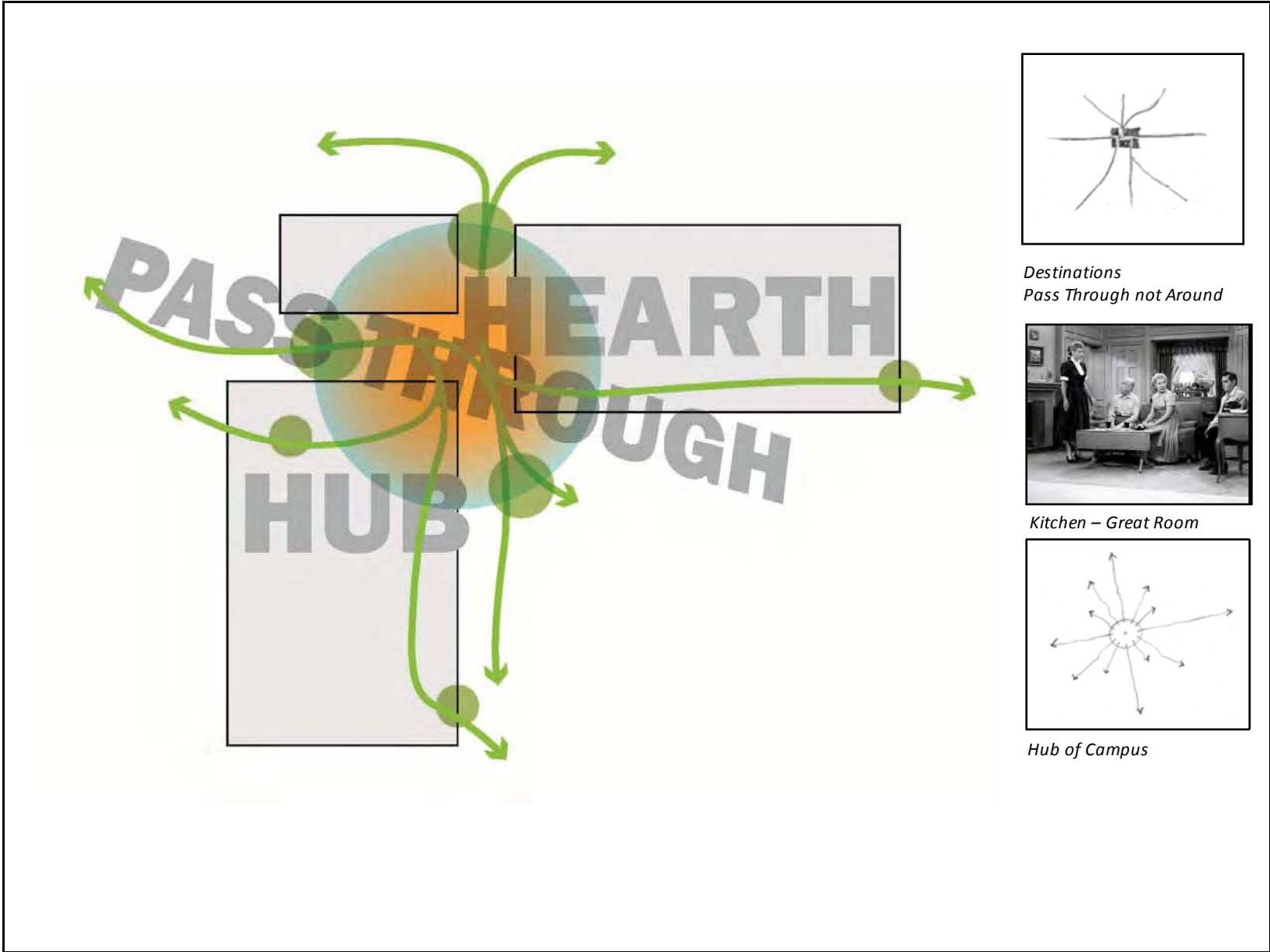
- Support non-automobile transportation
- Repair / reinforce campus connections
- District ready for future incorporation into a larger network
- Provide locations for edible landscape

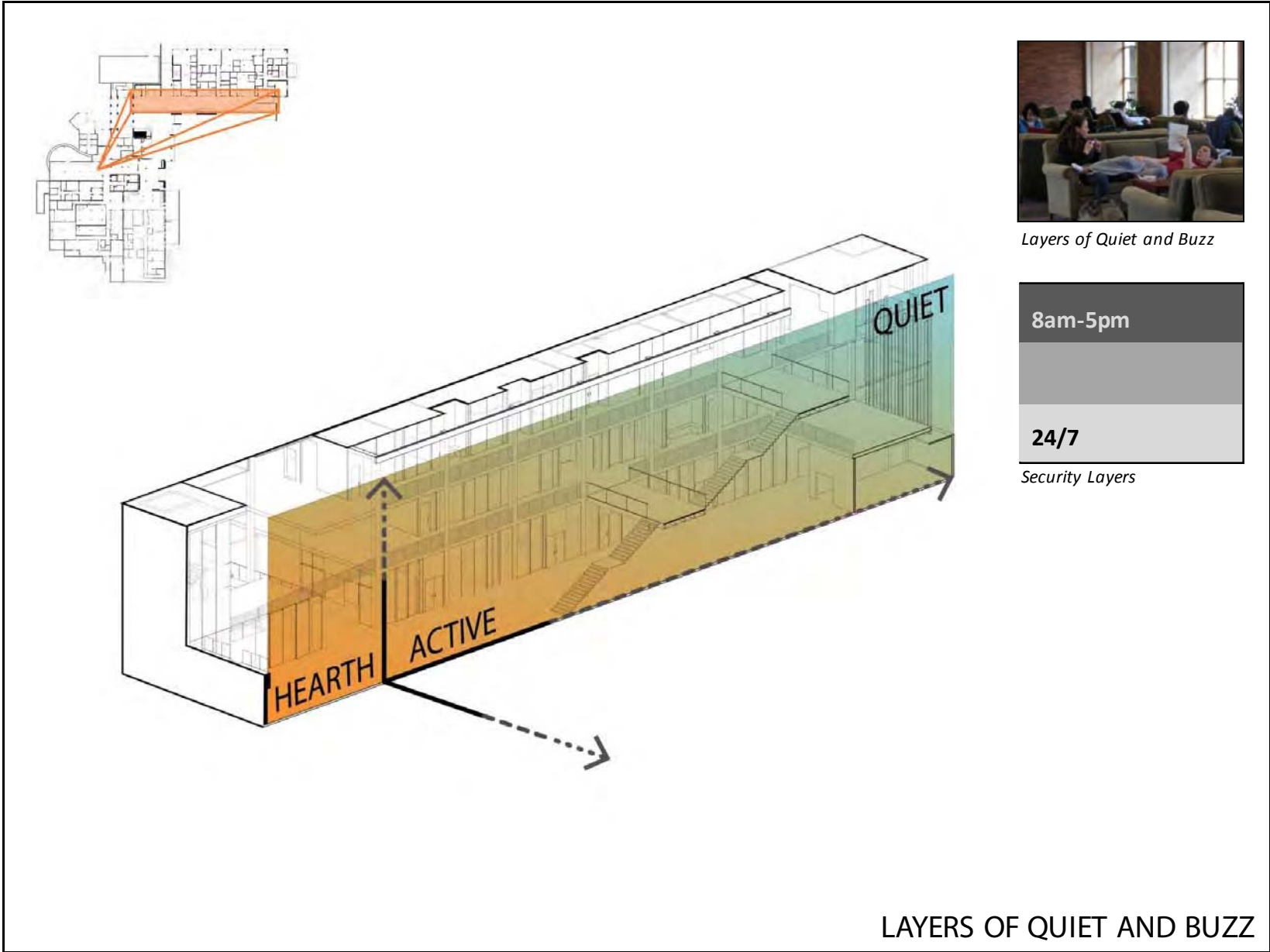
DESIGN PROCESS (+)

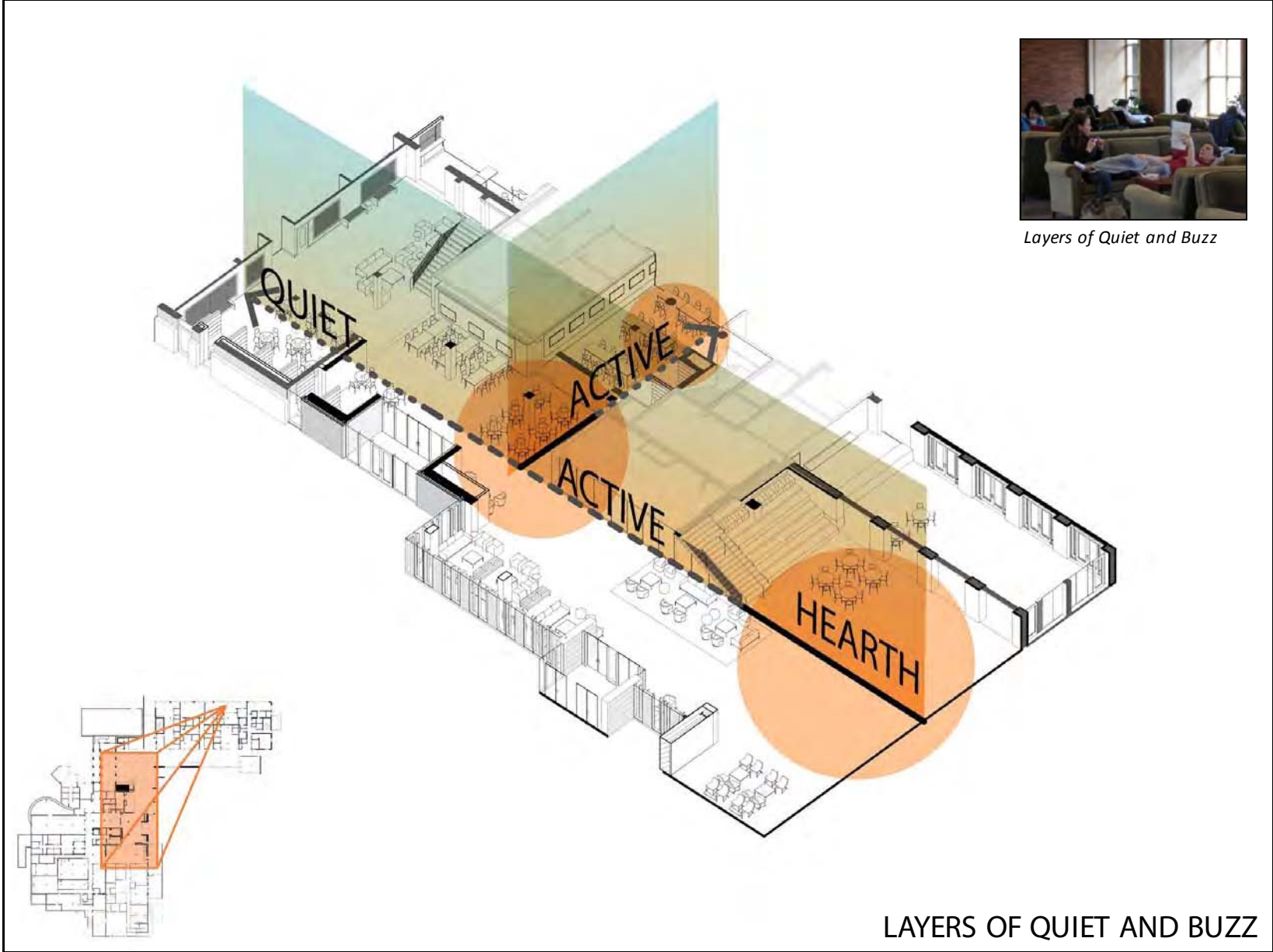
SUSTAINABLE DESIGN GOALS

- A Student Union that inspires its occupants to live their lives in a more sustainable way

EMU INTERIOR CONCEPTS



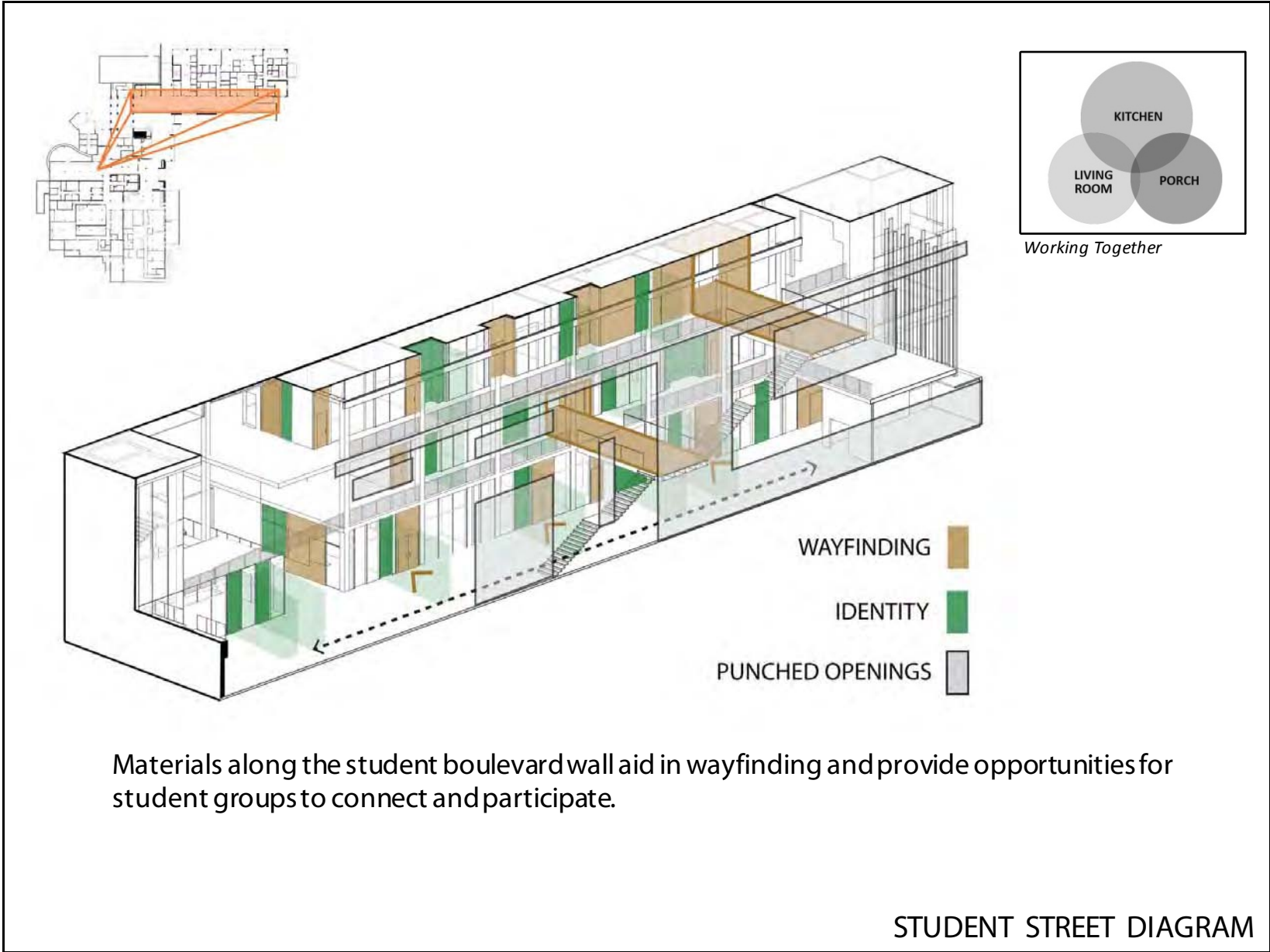


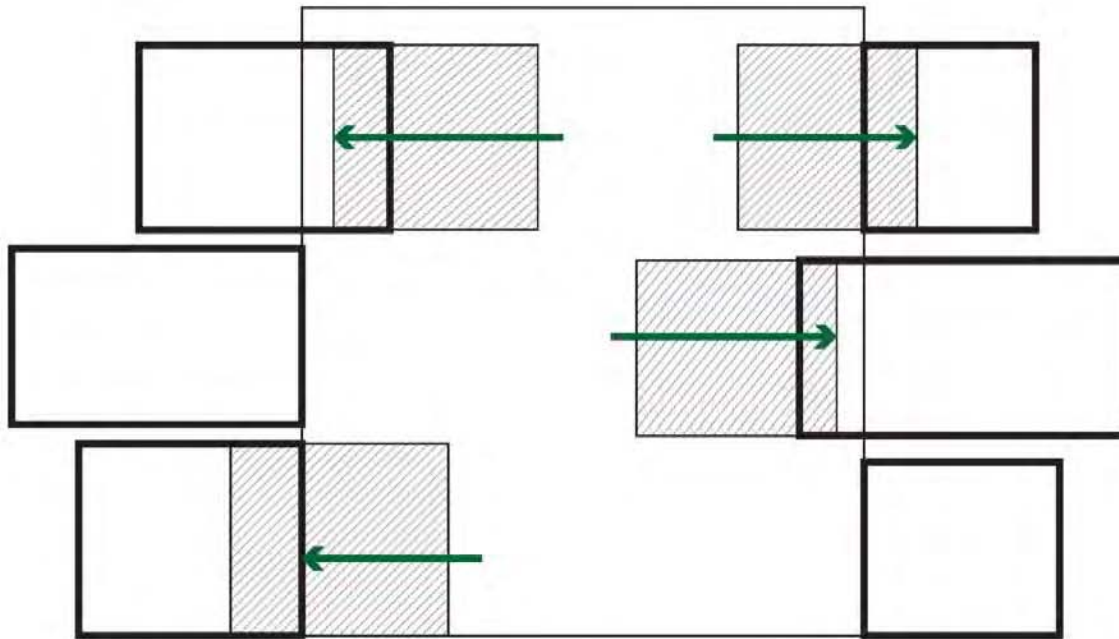


The diagram illustrates a building section with a central spine. A legend indicates that yellow shading represents 'NATURAL LIGHT' and grey shading represents 'OPENINGS'. The central spine is highlighted in yellow, showing light penetration through various levels. A photograph in the top right shows a dining area with people seated at tables near large windows, with the caption 'Light Attracts Use' below it. A site plan inset in the top left shows the building's location within a larger campus context.

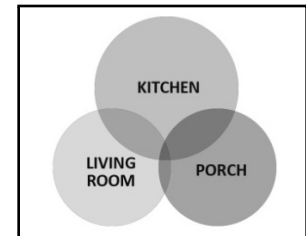
“Linked together by a central anchor point or circulation spine, the main element aids in internal wayfinding and provides visibility/exposure to the multitude of programs within the EMU.”

STUDENT PROGRAMS – ACCESS TO LIGHT





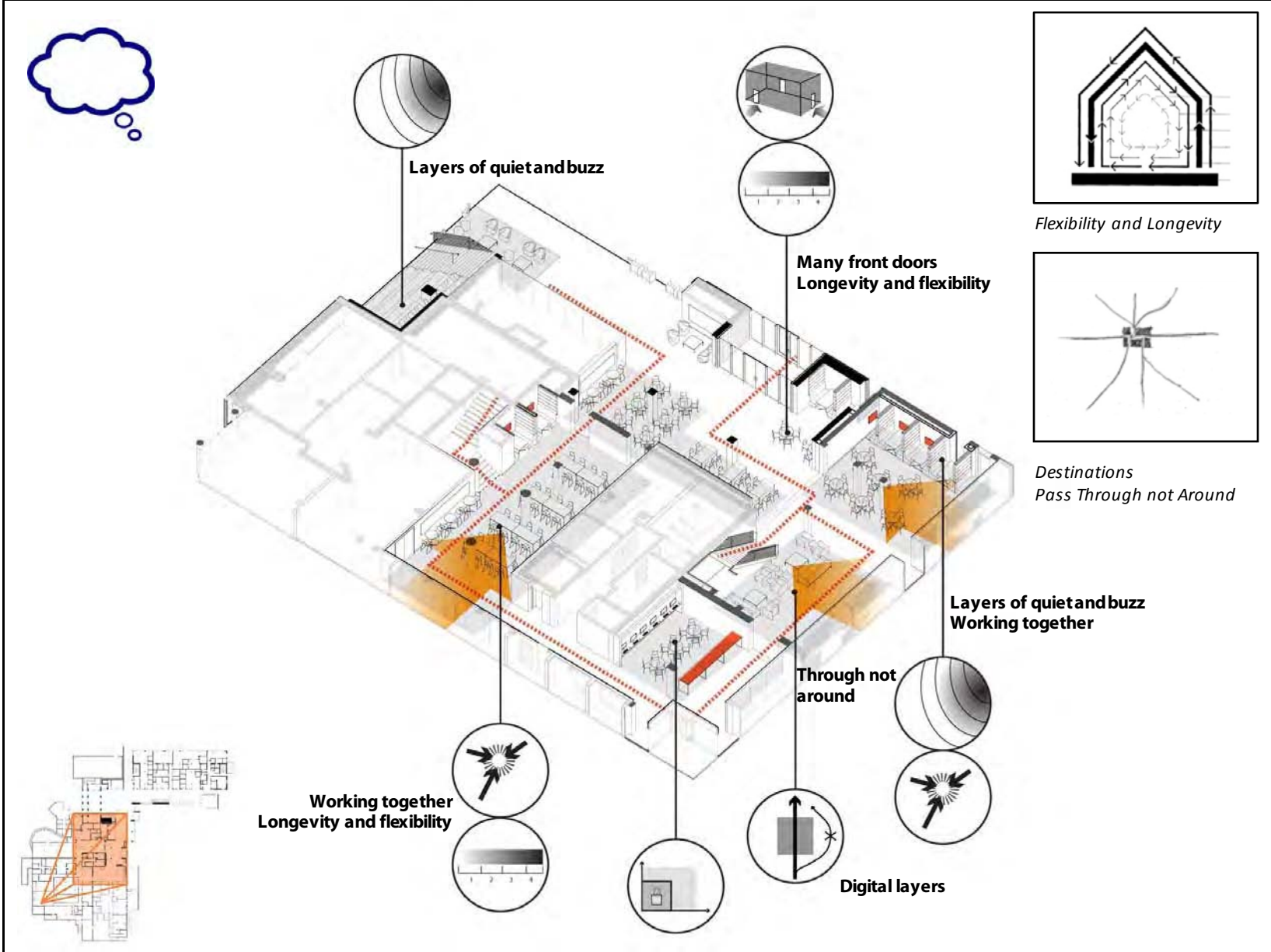
Layers of Quiet and Buzz



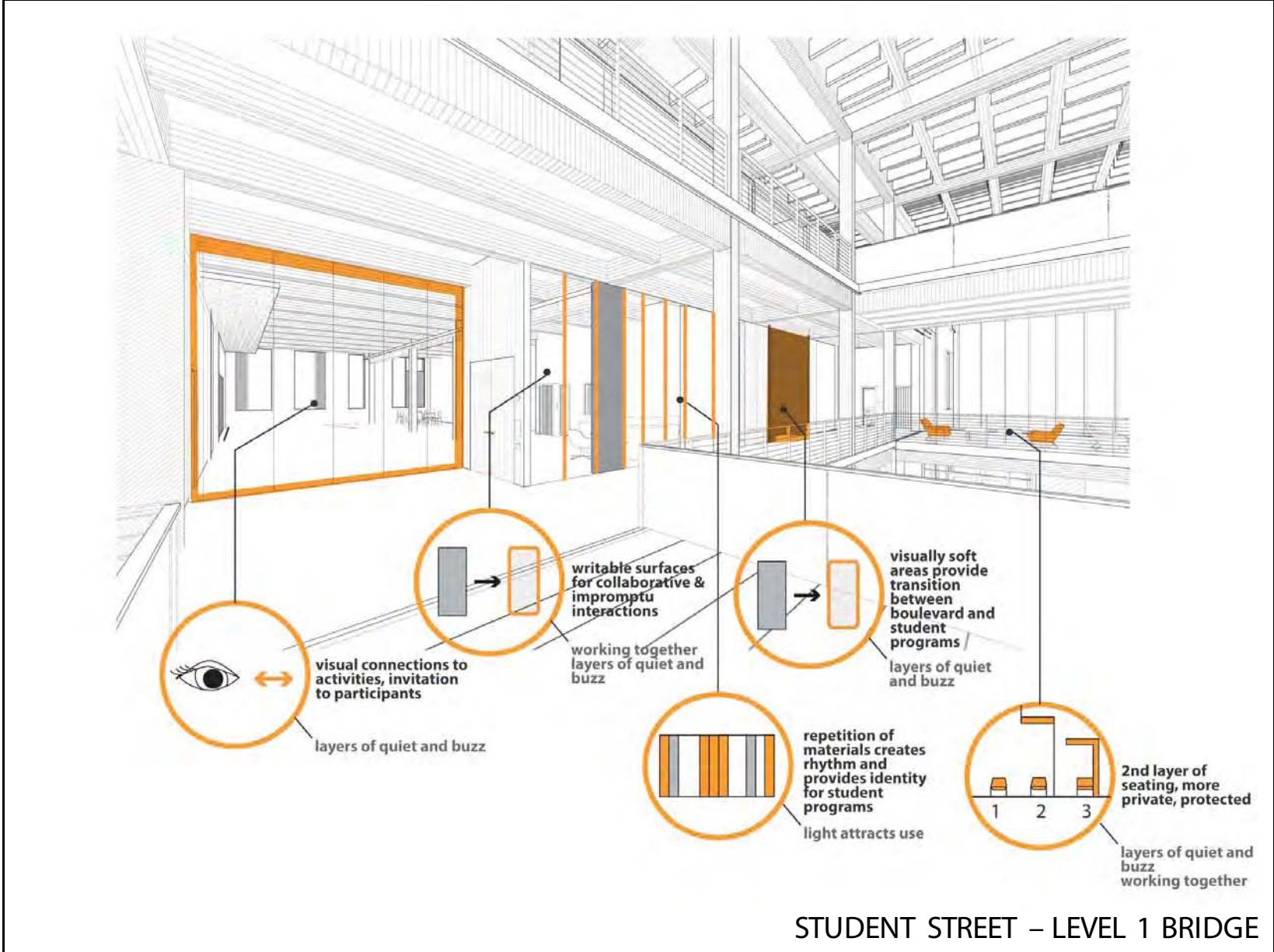
Working Together

Quiet spaces are insulated from the most public and high traffic areas and are accessed through transitional zones such as lounges.

LAYERS AND TRANSITIONAL SPACES



EMU INTERIOR DESIGN



inspiring
material is warm & welcoming

elegantly functional
exposed ceiling maximizes day-lighting & eliminates redundant finishes

showcases sustainable choices
deconstructable, repairable and biodegradable

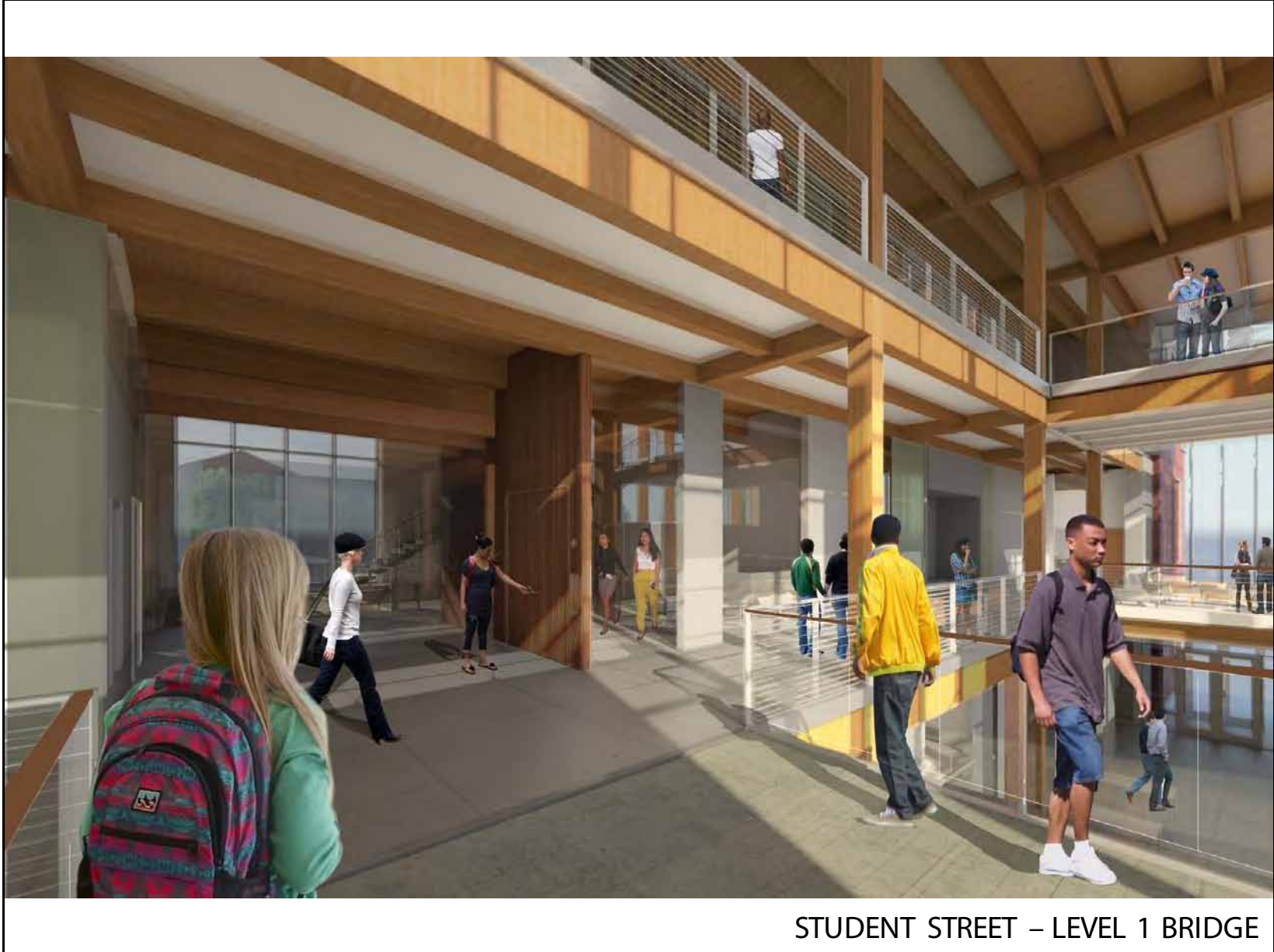
responsible material harvest
sustainable, non-toxic, renewable

do more with less
smaller columns maximize & enhance flexibility of space

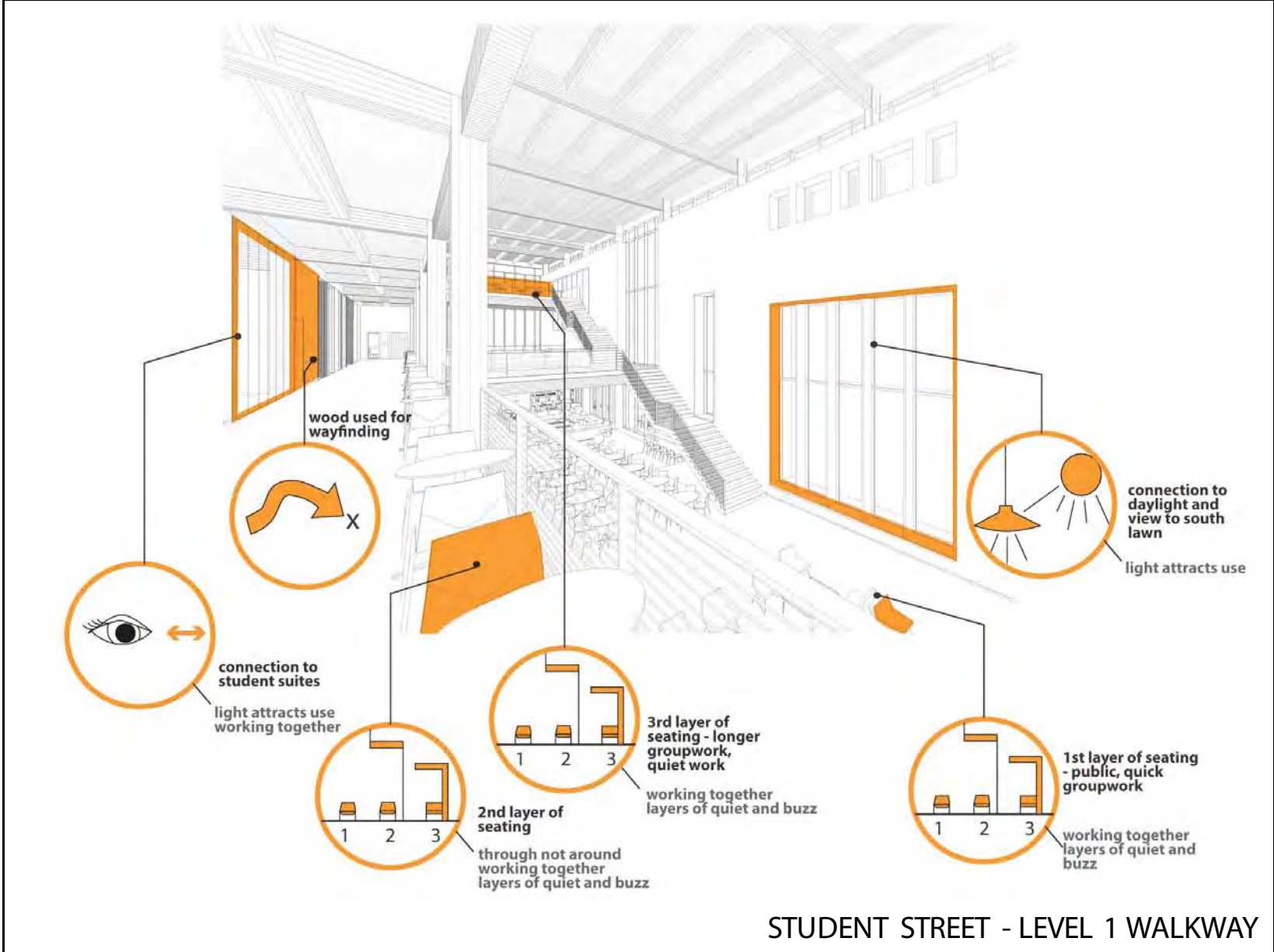
support local economy & strengths
uses local resources, builds identity of place

do more with less
lighter structure results in 1/3 the embodied carbon of concrete

SUSTAINABILITY AND PROJECT GOALS REINFORCED BY STRUCTURAL SYSTEM SELECTION

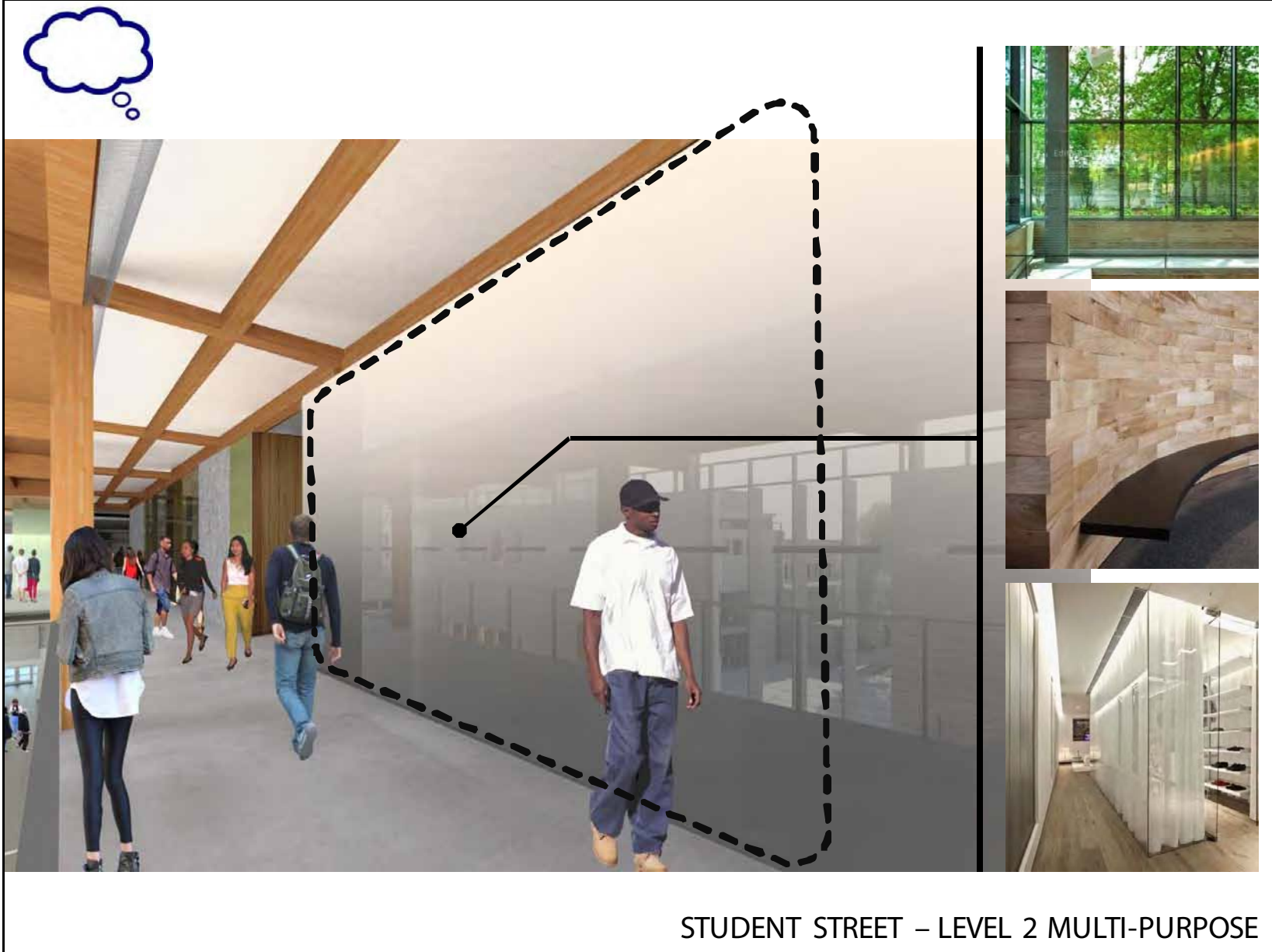


STUDENT STREET – LEVEL 1 BRIDGE



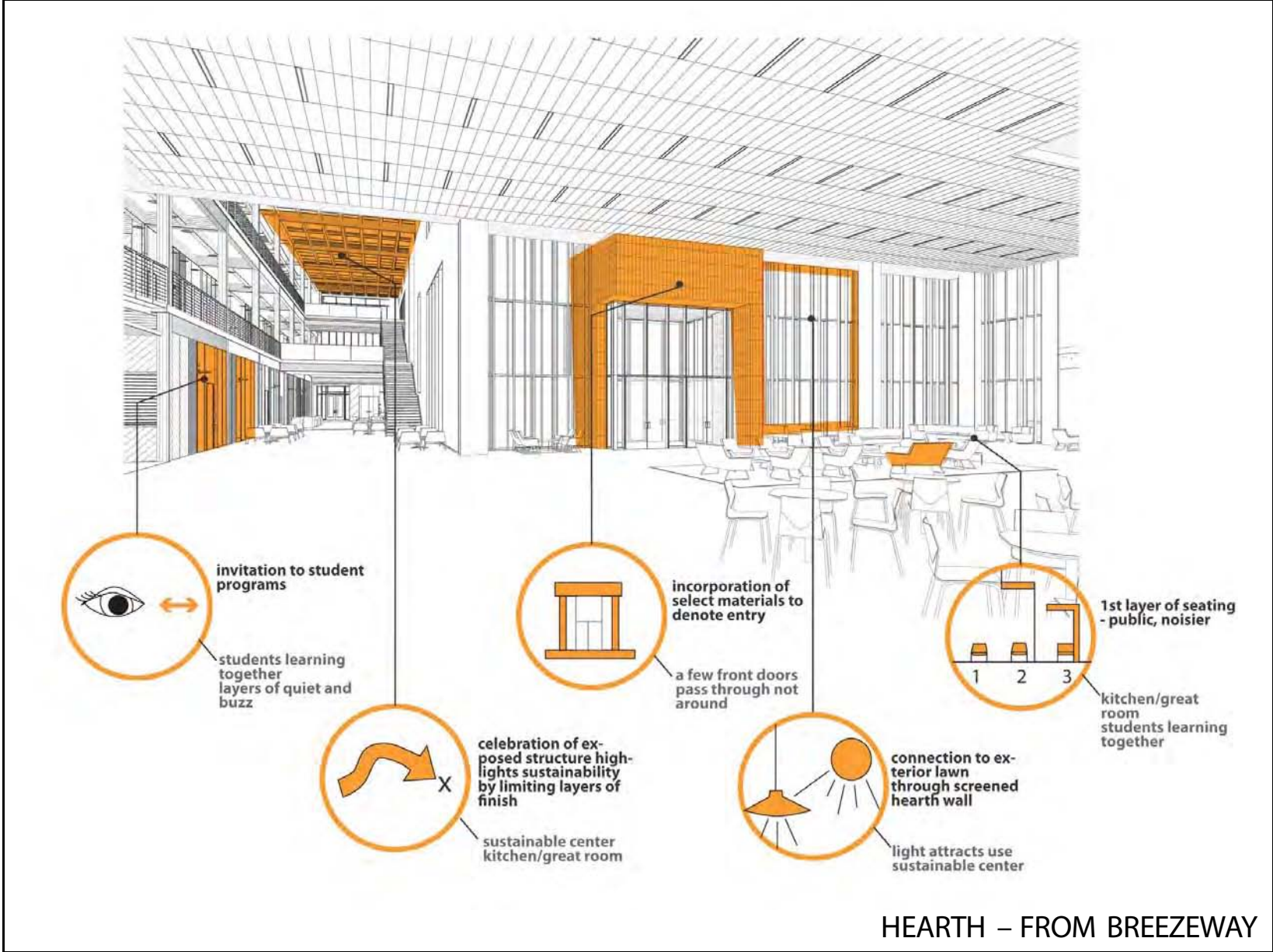


STUDENT STREET - LEVEL 1 WALKWAY



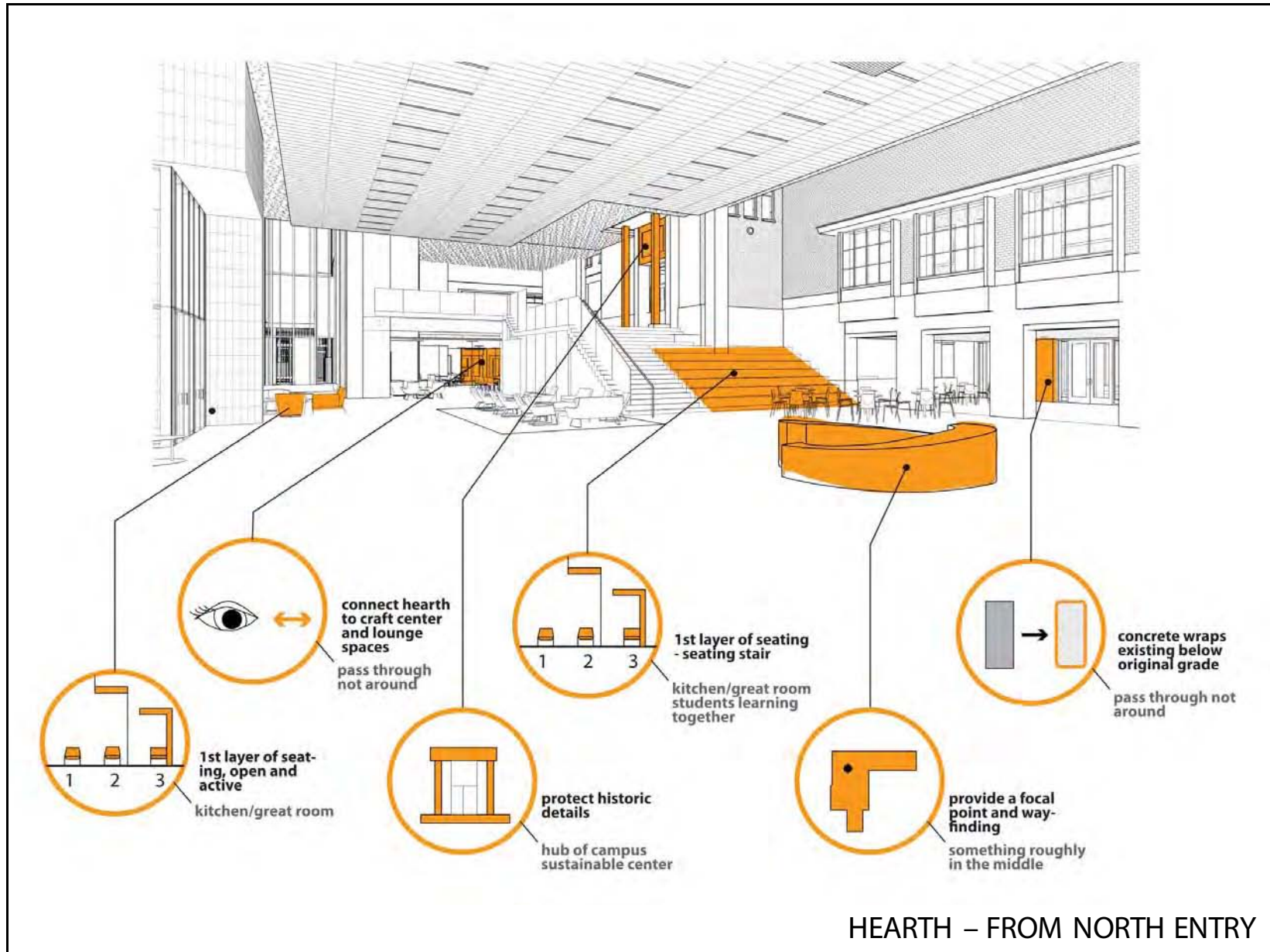
STUDENT STREET – LEVEL 2 MULTI-PURPOSE





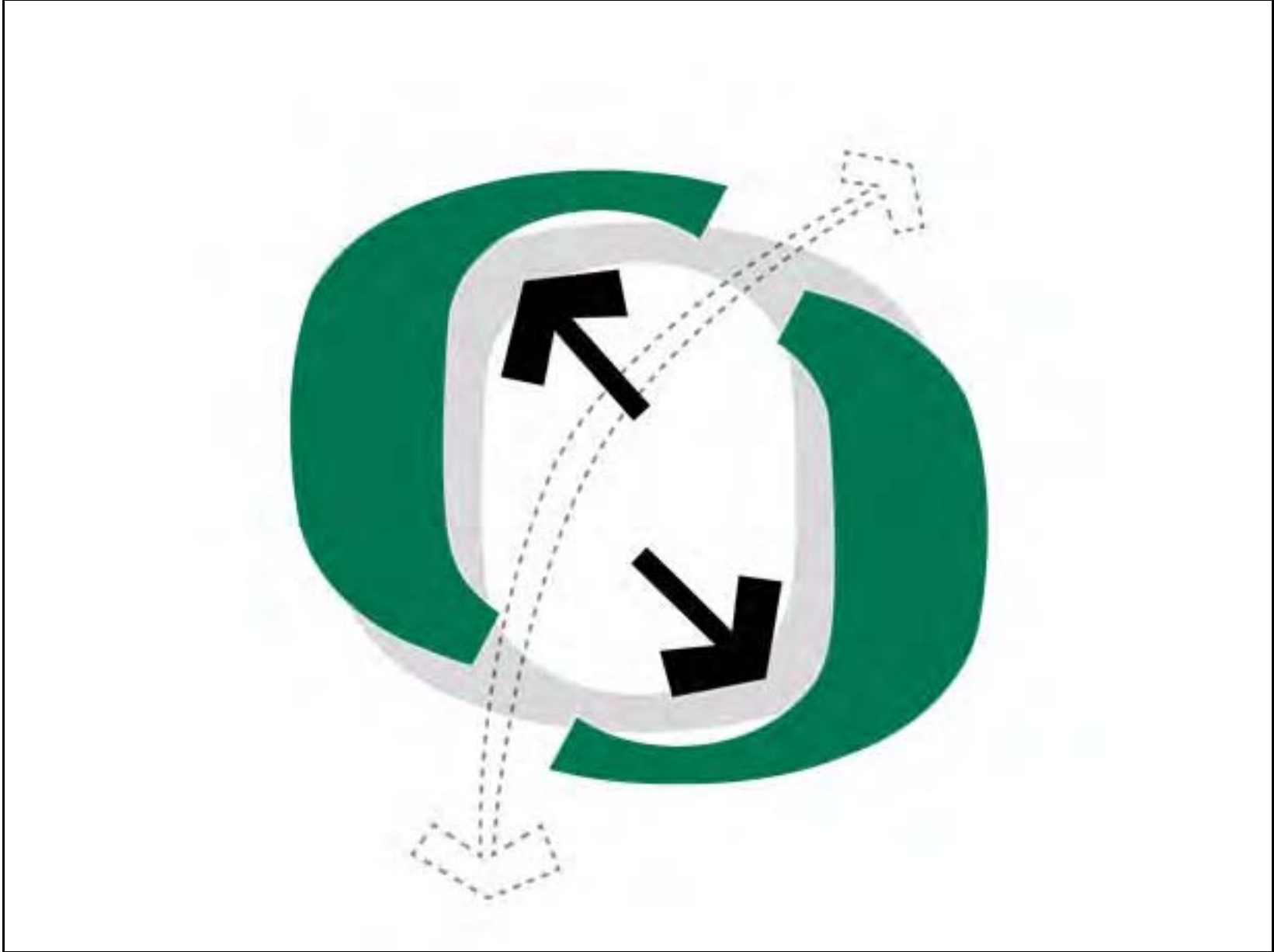


HEARTH – FROM BREEZEWAY





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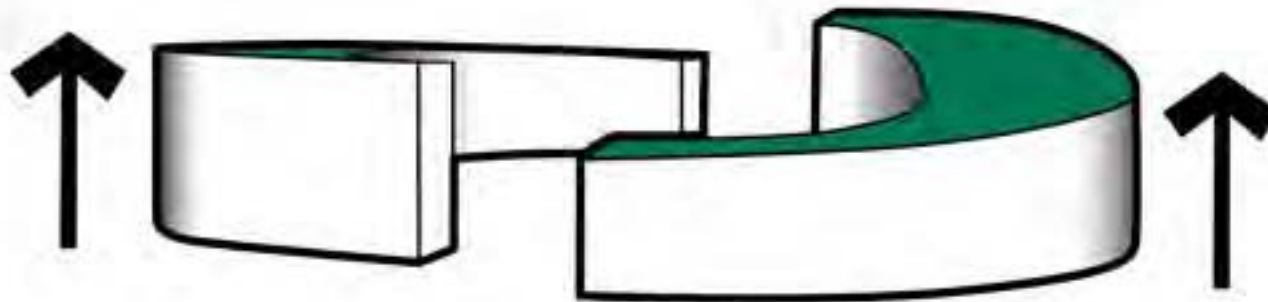
**SIMPLICITY /
MATERIAL REUSE**

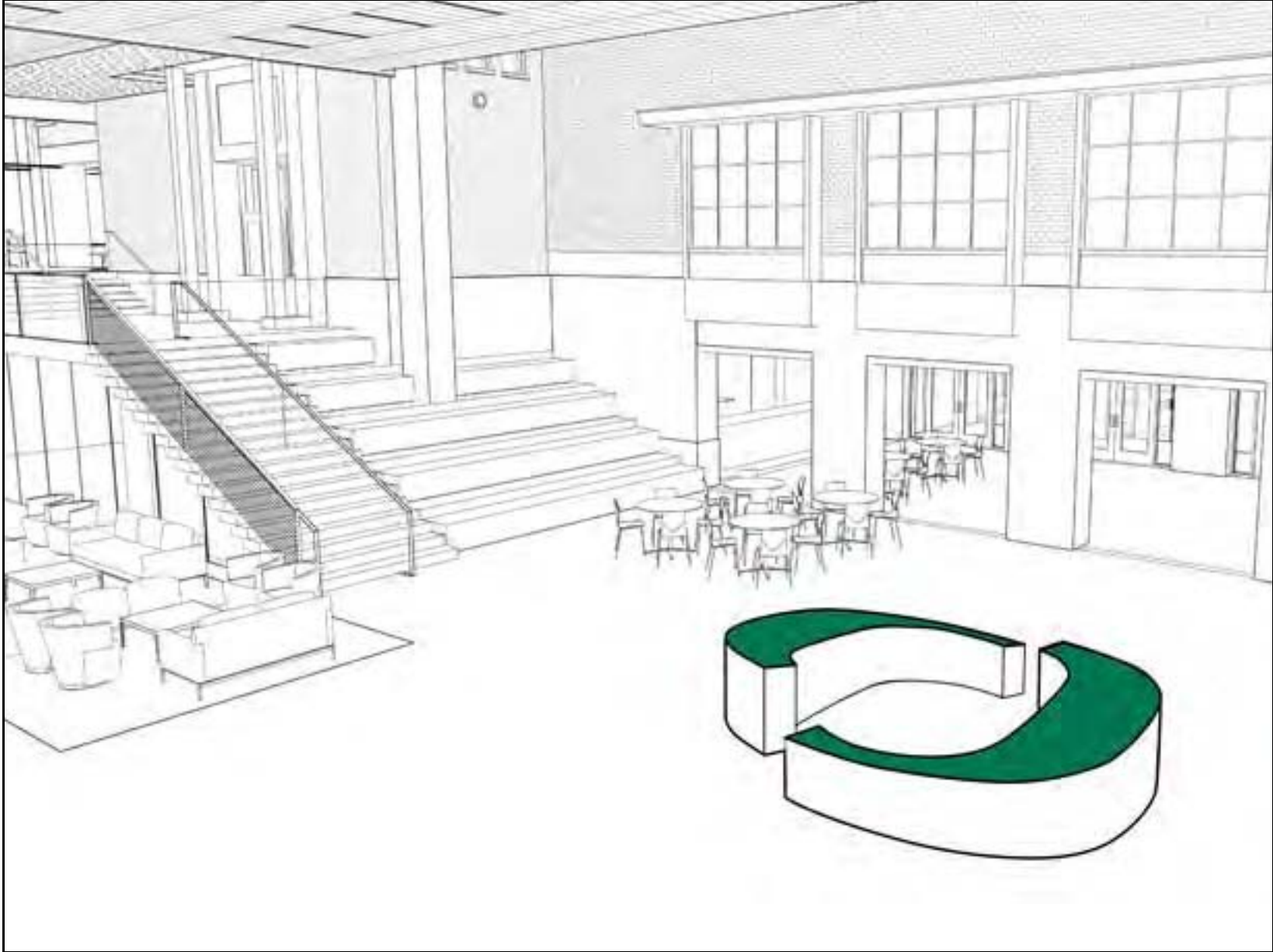


SECURITY



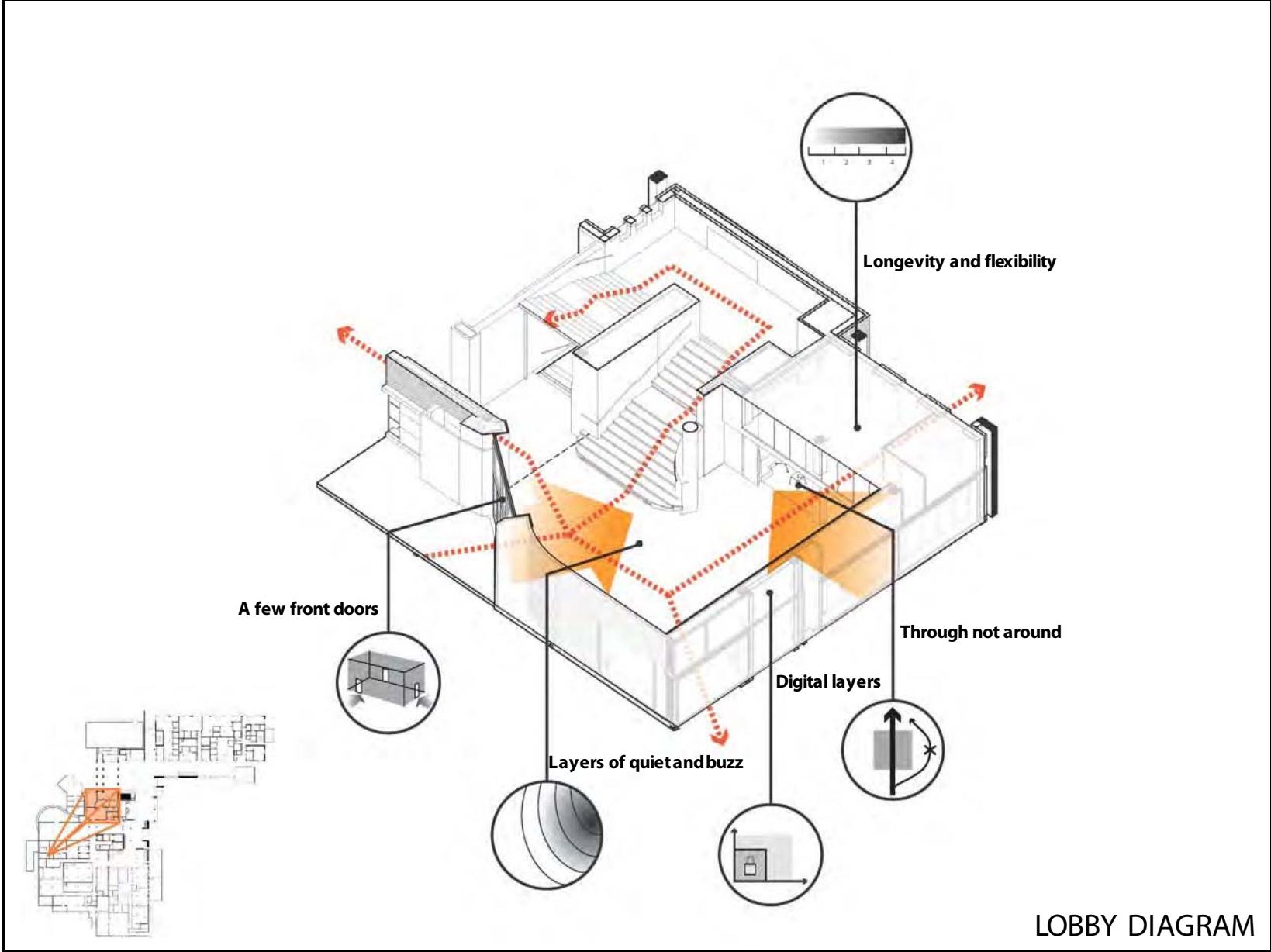
24 HOUR USE

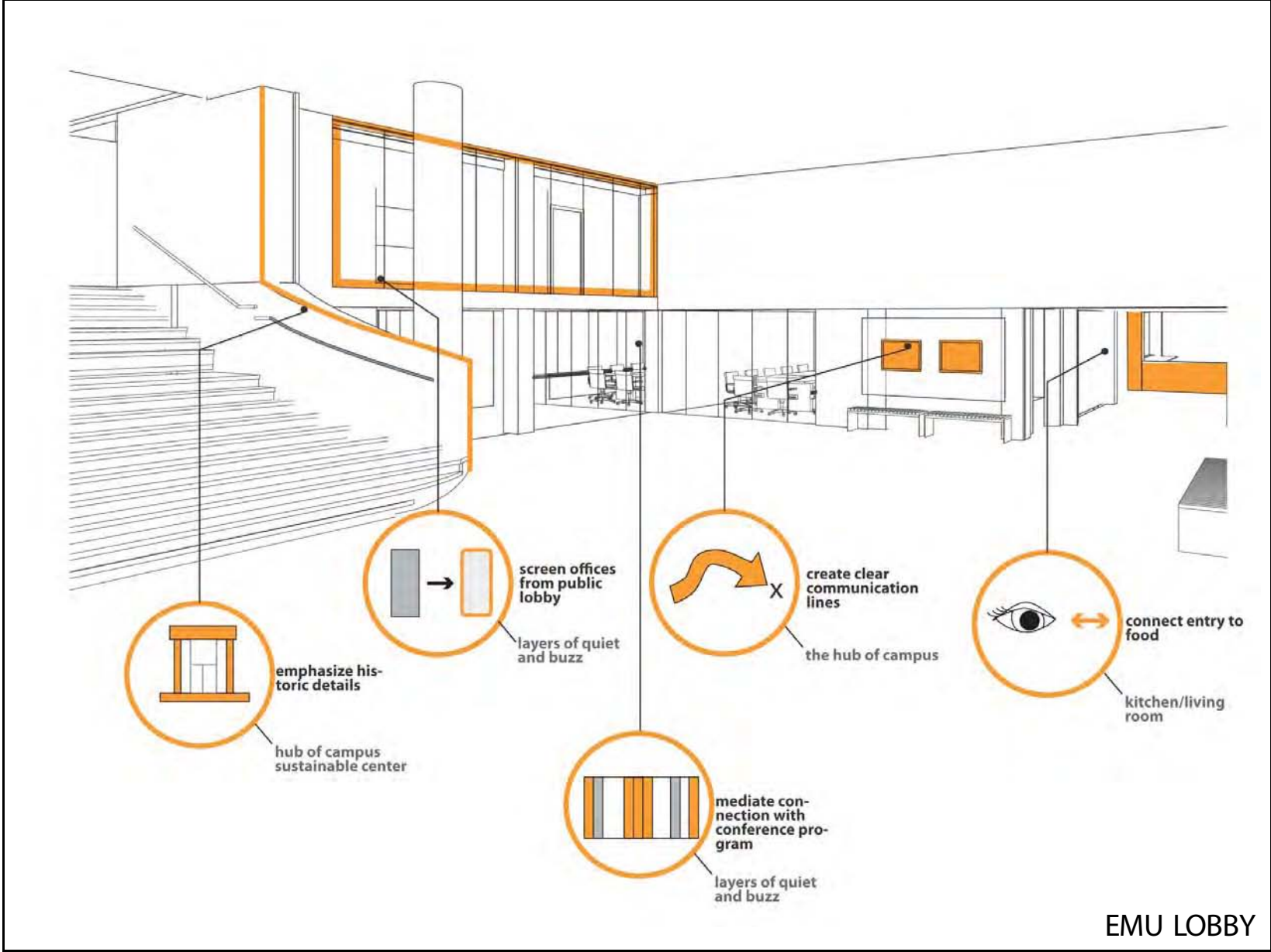






HEARTH – FROM NORTH ENTRY





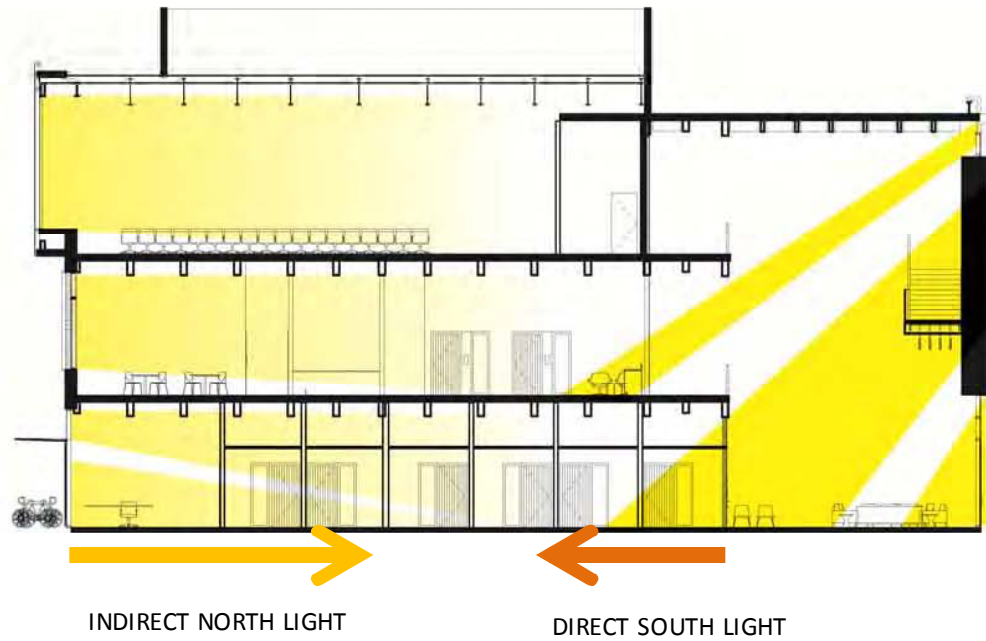


"I have a dream that my four little children will one day live in a nation where they will not be judged by the color of their skin but by the content of their character. I have a dream..."

EMU LOBBY




Light Attracts Use



ACCESS TO DAYLIGHT – NORTH WING PROGRAM SUITES



Working Together



Light Attracts Use



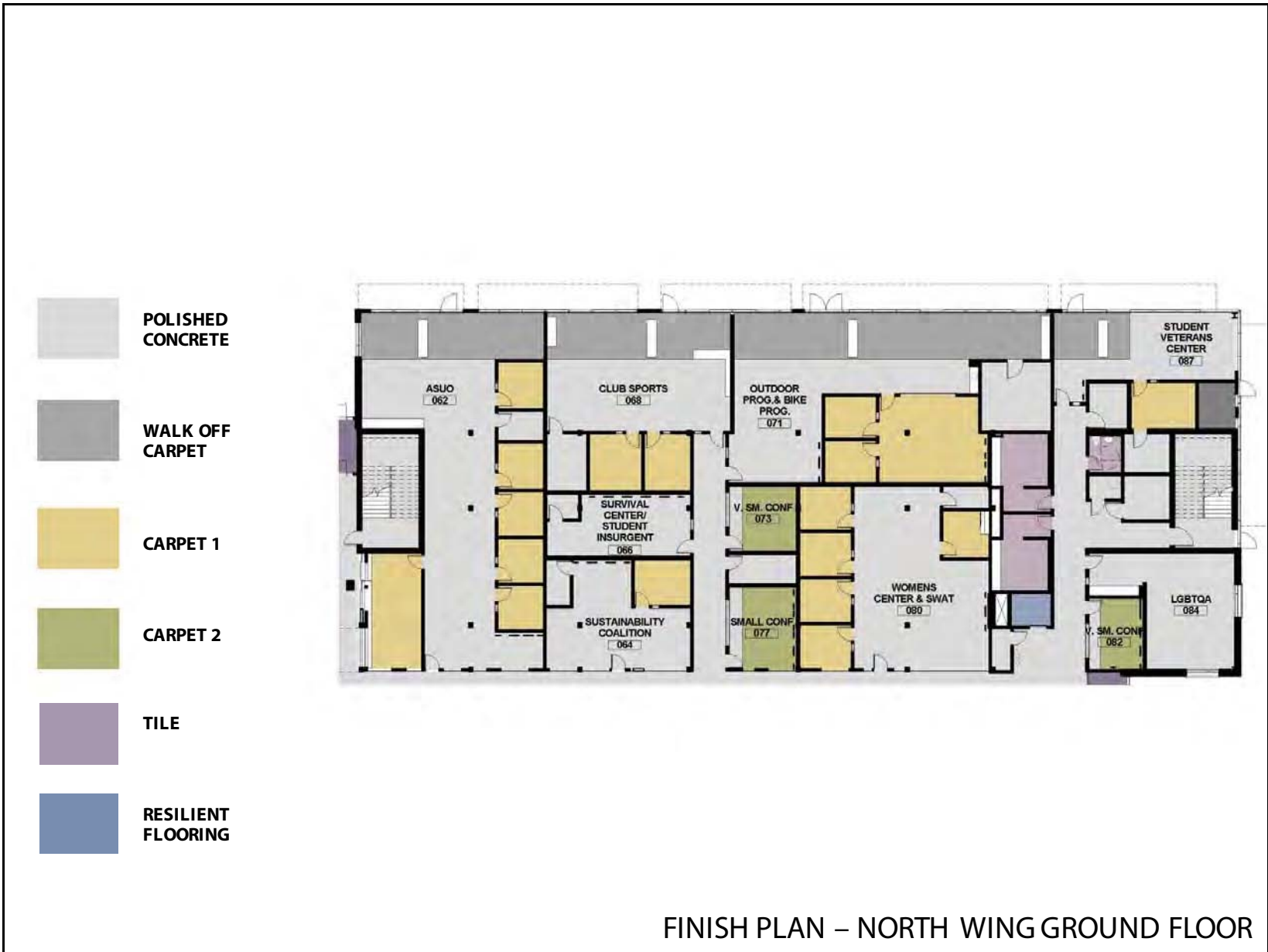
VISUAL CONNECTION TO PUBLIC SPACES

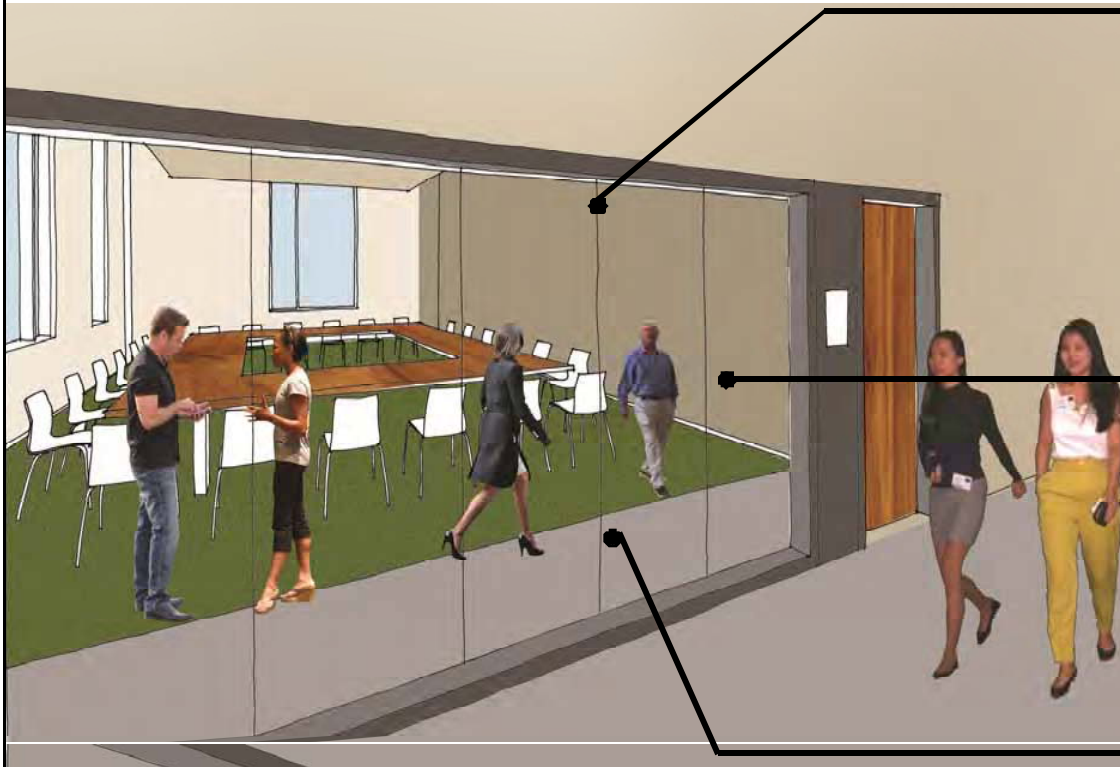


WOMEN'S CENTER PROGRAM SUITE – VIEW TOWARDS STUDENT BLVD

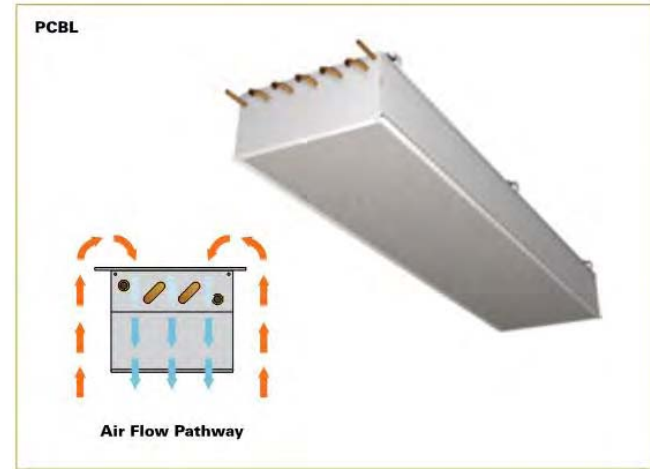


STUDENT ACTIVITIES & RESOURCE CENTER SUITE





CONFERENCE ROOMS

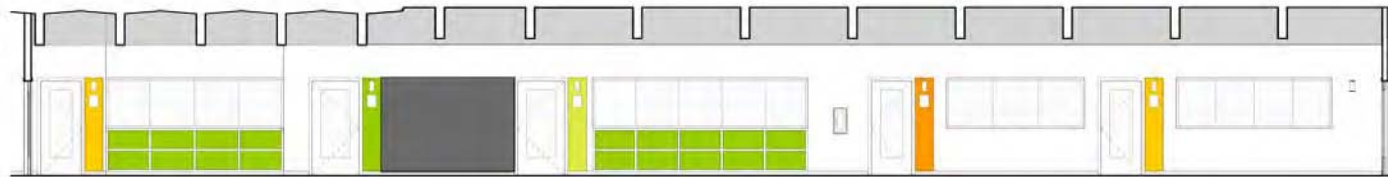
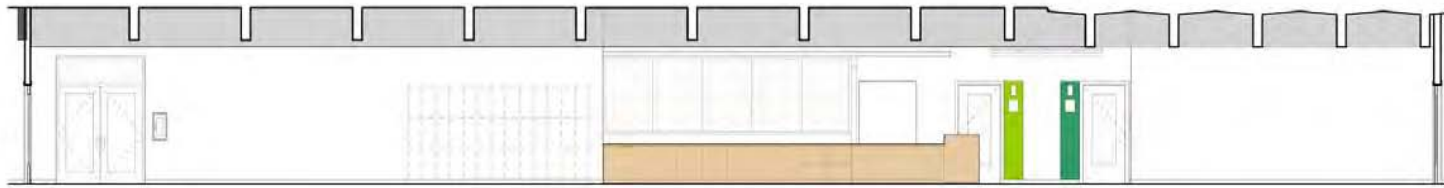


Bar Grille

CHILLED BEAMS



CRAFT CENTER - RECEPTION



CRAFT CENTER – PUBLIC SPACE ELEVATIONS



CRAFT CENTER PRECEDENT

BREAK

**PROJECT SPECIFIC
SUSTAINABILITY
MEASURES**

ENERGY / HEALTH

RELATED SUSTAINABLE DESIGN GOALS

- Performance metric around energy use
 - ~~Oregon Model min. (35% better than OR code)~~
Currently estimating 21-30%
 - With Added Solar Thermal 25-36%
 - With Steam Tunnel Heat Recovery 29-42%
 - Together 30-44%
- Provide daylighting for most student offices and views for 75% of regularly occupied spaces
- PV Ready (investigate third party funding of demonstration PV array)

ENERGY EFFICIENT ENVLP.

INSULATION

TARGET: AS MUCH INSULATION AS PAYS BACK USING LCCA

ANTICIPATED SAVINGS 3-5% ~~1%—3%~~



STRATEGIES:

Currently Modeling:

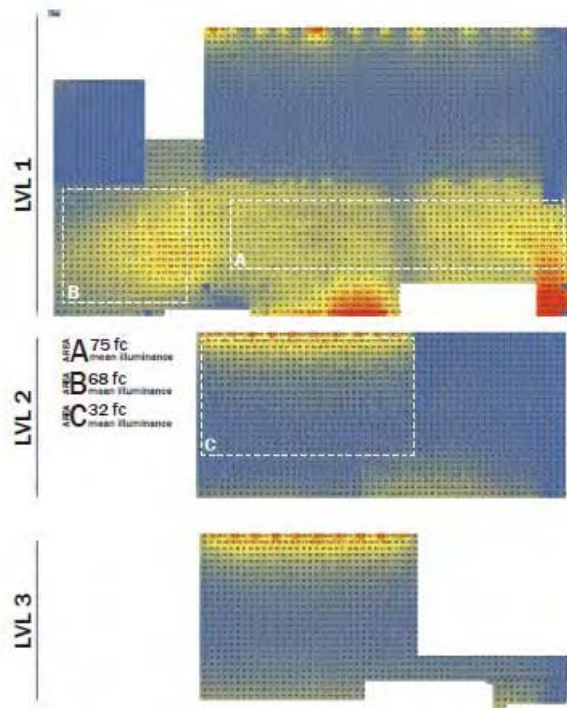
- R-40 roof insulation
- R-15 wall insulation
- R-10 floor slab insulation

ENERGY EFFICIENT ENVLP.

WINDOWS

TARGET: 32% 30% WINDOWS WITH NO IMPACT TO DAYLIGHTING

ANTICIPATED SAVINGS INCLUDED IN PREVIOUS SLIDE



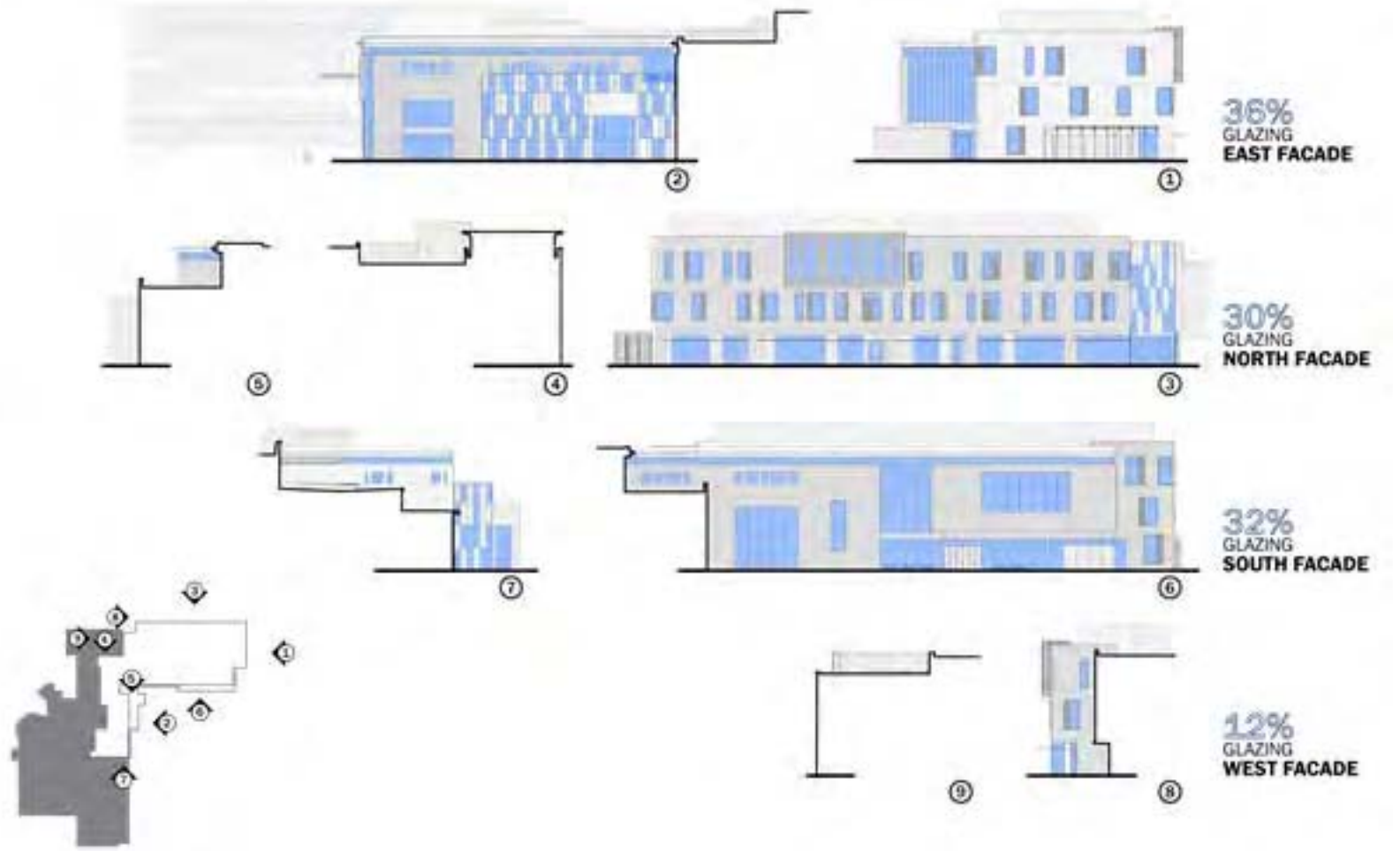
STRATEGIES:

Currently Modeling:

- $U = 0.29$ ~~0.33~~
- Thermally broken frames
- High performance low-e coating ($e=0.05$)
- Tinted / reflective coatings tuned per elevation and floor level

WINDOWS

31.7%
GLAZING
NEW ADDITION



UPDATED FACADES

OPTIMIZE DAYLIGHTING

TARGET: LIGHTS OFF 50% OF DAYLIGHT HOURS FOR **75%** ~~90%~~ OF SPACES

ANTICIPATED SAVINGS 6 - 9% ~~5% - 8%~~



STRATEGIES:

- Use light colors on walls and ceilings
- Locate windows high in space – not below 30”
- Locate closed offices away from windows
- Balance brightness to minimize contrast
- Separate circuits for zoning flexibility in daylit zones

LIGHTING SYSTEM

EFFICIENT LUMINAIRES

TARGET: LIGHTING POWER DENSITY 35% LESS THAN CODE

ANTICIPATED SAVINGS INCLUDED IN PREVIOUS SLIDE



STRATEGIES:

- Efficient fixture selection
- Optimize ballast selection
- Efficient lamp selection
- LED technology for exits signs and other applications

LIGHTING SYSTEM

SENSORS AND CONTROLS

TARGET: EXCEED CODE AND USE VACANCY SENSORS

ANTICIPATED SAVINGS INCLUDED IN PREVIOUS SLIDE



STRATEGIES:

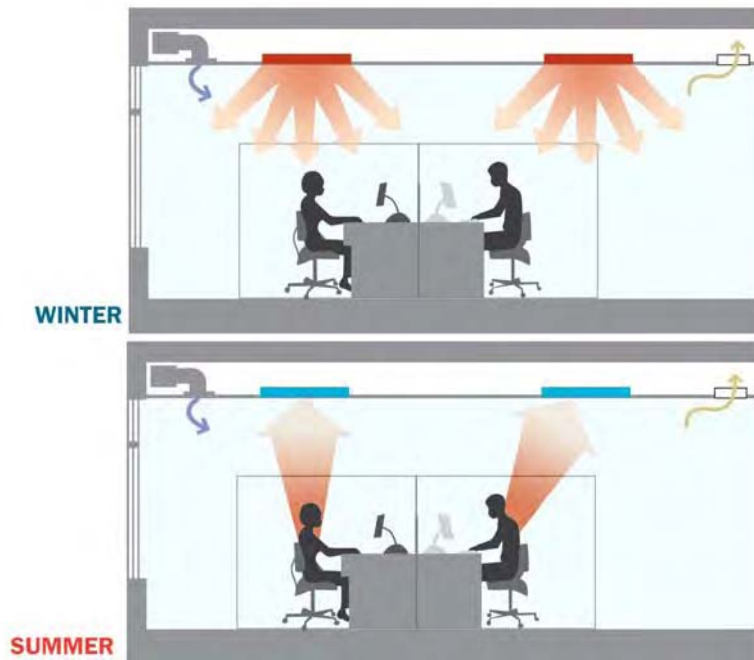
- Vacancy sensors
- Selective switching
- Egress lighting scheduled off during unoccupied periods
- Exterior lighting controls (lights extinguished after occupied period)
- Exterior LED lighting – different light levels for different times

MECHANICAL SYSTEM

~~RADIANT PANELS / CHILLED SALES SEE MECH. MATRIX~~

TARGET: MAXIMIZE ENERGY SAVINGS + IMPROVED COMFORT

ANTICIPATED SAVINGS 12-16% ~~10% - 20%~~



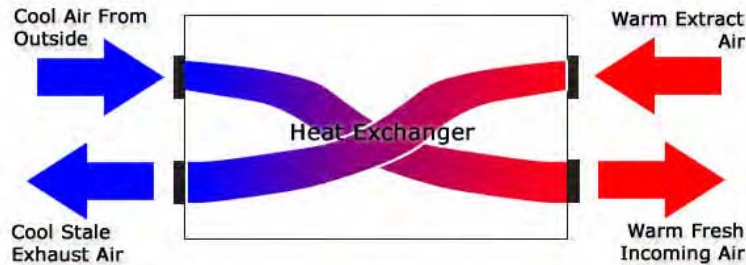
STRATEGIES:

- Radiant heating in all new spaces and many retrofit areas
- Minimized mechanical system air leaks and static pressure losses
- Airflow / temperature setback in unoccupied spaces through occupancy sensors / schedules
- Separate make-up air units for high ventilation areas
- Variable ventilation based on CO₂ control
- Night-flush cooling cycle

HEAT RECOVERY &

EFFICIENT SYSTEMS

NOT INCLUDED in BASE



STRATEGIES:

Currently being priced as Alternates.

Kitchen Refrigeration Systems

Heat Pump Hot Water

Steam Tunnel Reheat

Heat Recovery on Dishwashing

Craft Center Makeup Air

Variable Flow on Kitchen Makeup Air

Water Cooled Refrigeration

Exhaust Hoods

- Minimize exhaust hood airflow and run time
- Separate make-up air unit set at lower temperature

MECHANICAL SYSTEMS SELECTION CRITERIA

STEP 1:

REVIEW FIRST COST
RELATIVE TO BUDGET



STEP 2:

RANK IMPORTANCE OF ATTRIBUTES ACCORDING
TO IMPORTANCE TO UO

ENERGY

(ENERGY REDUCTION, OPERATING COST)

AIR QUALITY

(POLLUTANT CONTRL, CO2 LEVELS)

COMFORT

(THERMAL COMFORT, AIR MOVEMENT, SURFACE TEMPERATURES)

FLEXIBILITY

(COST AND EASE OF RECONFIGURATION)

ACOUSTICS

(SPEECH PRIVACY, NOISE LEVELS, SOUND TRANMISSION)

AESTHETICS

(INTEGRATION WITH ARCHITECTURE)

EASE OF MAINTENANCE

(SYSTEM SIMPLICITY, "SET IT, FORGET IT.")

CONTROLLABILITY

(DEGREE OF INDIVIDUAL CONTROL, GRANULARITY OF CONTROLS)

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MECHANICAL SYSTEMS SELECTION CRITERIA

NORTH WING ADDITION

HEARTH & STUDENT ST.

STEP 3:

EVALUATE CHOICES –
CHOOSING BY ADVANTAGES
FRAMEWORK

	BEST	BETTER	GOOD	BEST
	HYDRONIC RADIANT CEILING PANEL HEATING & COOLING	HYDRONIC HEATING W/ CONVECTORS & SUPPLY AIR, HYDRONIC CHILLED BEAMS	ALL AIR HEATING & COOLING	IN FLOOR RADIANT HEATING AND COOLING
VENTILATION TYPE				
FIRST COST	\$\$\$\$	\$\$\$	\$\$	\$\$+
ENERGY	●●●	●●●	●●	●●●
AIR QUALITY	●●●	●●●	●	●●●
COMFORT	●●●	●●	●●	●●●
FLEXIBILITY	●	●	●●	●●
ACOUSTICS	●●●	●●●	●●	●●●
AESTHETICS	INTEGRATED CEILING SYSTEM	CAN BE EXPOSED OR CONCEALED	REQUIRES CEILING FINISH	HIDDEN SYSTEM
MAINTENANCE	●●	●●	●	●●●
CONTROLLABILITY	●●●	●●●	●●	●●

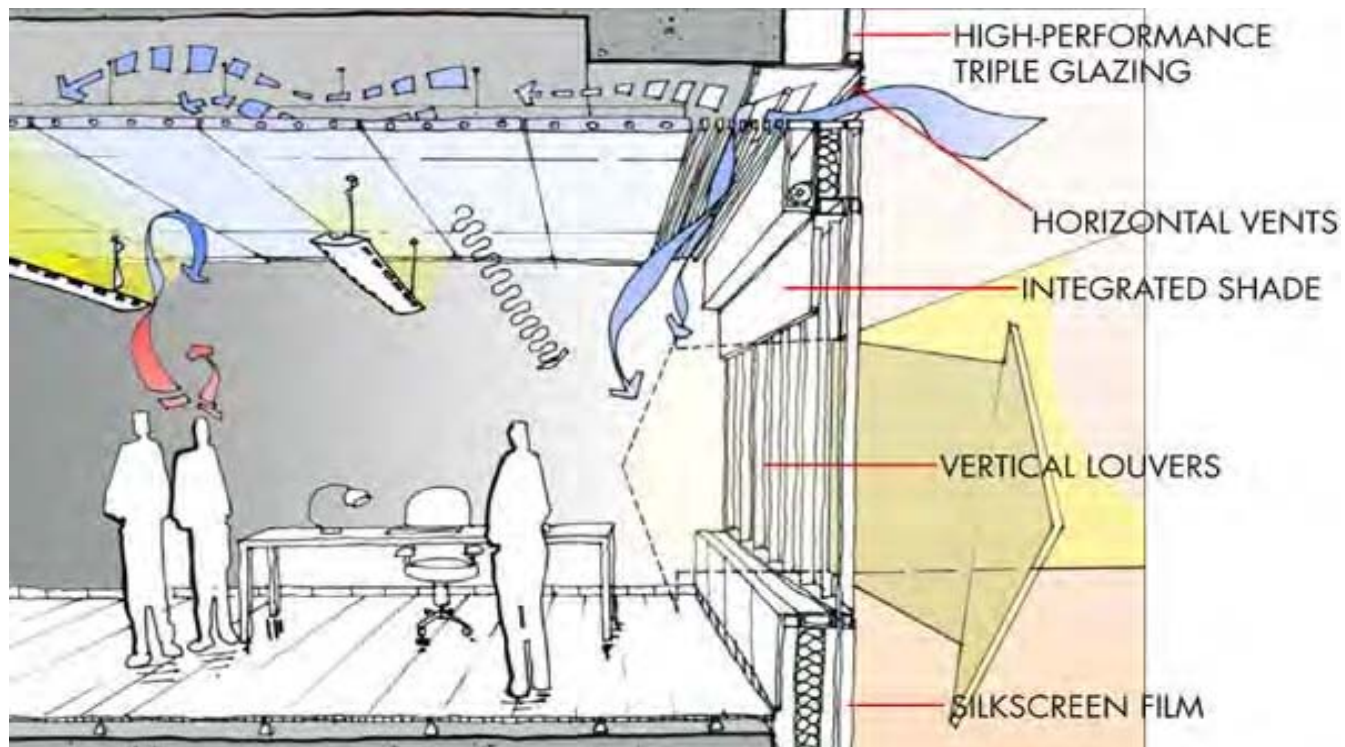
 **STEP 4:** BRING SELECTION TO UO

ALT. SYSTEMS TO EXPLORE

DISPLACEMENT VENTILATION

GOAL: SAVE ENERGY by TRACKING A LARGER TEMP. SWING (68-78 F)

STRETCH GOAL: EXPLORE ELIMINATION OF COOLING IN ATRIUM



ALT. SYSTEMS TO EXPLORE

SOLAR HOT WATER

STRETCH GOAL: EXPLORE IMPLEMENTATION OF SOLAR HOT WATER

ANTICIPATED SAVINGS 4 - 6% ~~2%~~ 4%

STRATEGIES:

- Preheat water for kitchen equipment



MATERIALS

SUSTAINABLE DESIGN GOALS **REVISITED**

- Reuse ~~most of materials~~ from the demolished building in the new student union
- Recycle ~~90-95%~~ 75-80% of construction debris
- Prioritize sourcing products locally
- Minimize use of toxic products
- Local, Salvaged, then FSC certified wood
- **Filter all materials decisions through a lens of Cost & Student Health**
- Use to provide Identity & Inspiration
- **Prioritize Durability, then Local / Reuse**

CONSTRUCTION WASTE

DIVERSION FROM LANDFILL

TARGET: 75% ~~90%~~ ON SITE CONSTRUCTION WASTE DIVERSION



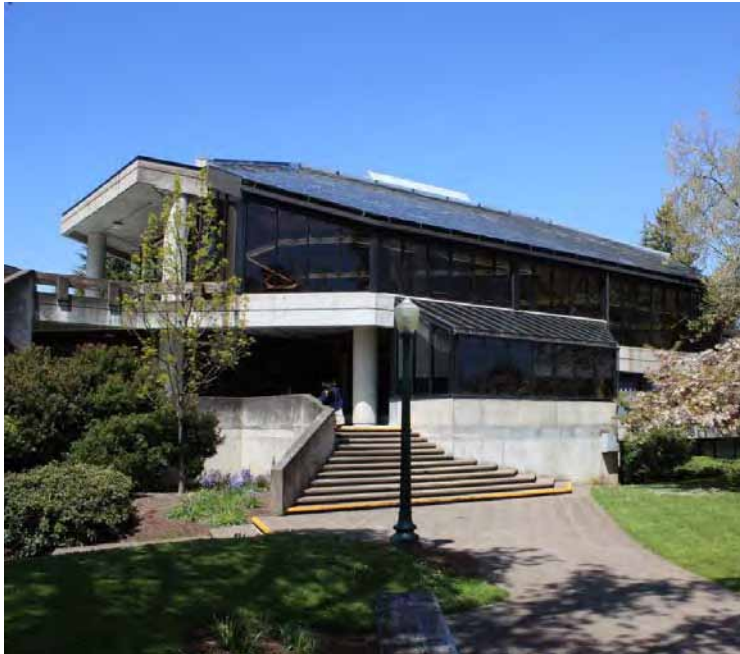
STRATEGIES:

- Streamline material palette to reduce complexity within the waste stream
- Reuse/ repurpose/recycle waste created on site to the greatest extent possible

EMBODIED ENERGY

MATERIAL REUSE

TARGET: REUSE/REPURPOSE **1-2%** 5% OF EXISTING BUILDING'S MATERIALS



STRATEGIES:

- Consider the material lifecycle loop from Cradle to Cradle
- Design for efficiency of material use to reduce on-site construction waste
- Design for future disassembly and reconstruction / reuse
- Design for reduced maintenance / replacement costs over the life of the building
- Stretch goal of 10% reuse

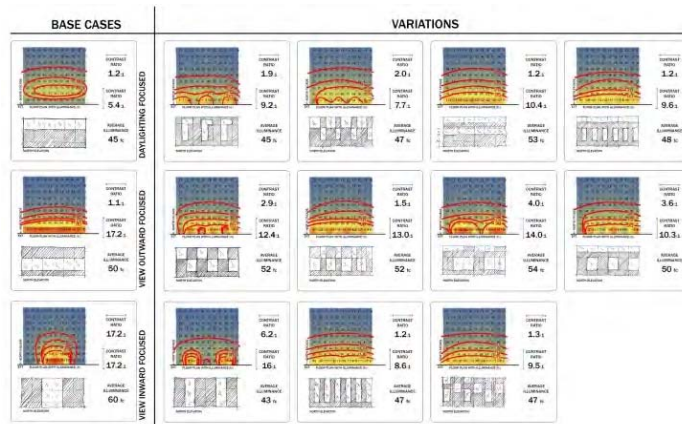
EQUITY

SUSTAINABLE DESIGN GOALS

89%

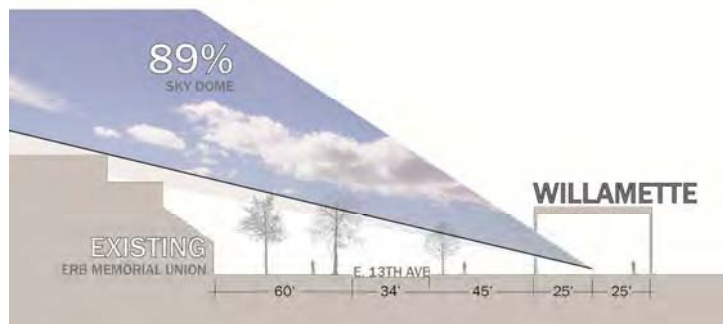
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- **Create a universally accessible design**
- **Incorporate and embrace diversity**

EQUITY RELATED STRATEGIES



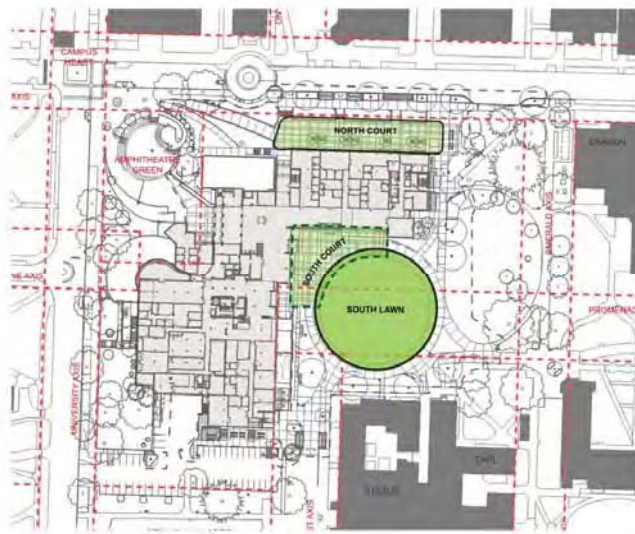
STRATEGIES:

- Provide daylighting for most student offices
- Minimize the building's negative impacts on neighboring buildings



EQUITY

RELATED STRATEGIES



HUB OF CAMPUS

STRATEGIES:

- Use building form to create positive impacts on surrounding spaces to create sunny, wind protected outdoor spaces for students
- Create a fully accessible building
- Use shared spaces to promote cross pollination of ideas / shared identity
- Reduce societal impact of materials source

WATER

SUSTAINABLE DESIGN GOALS

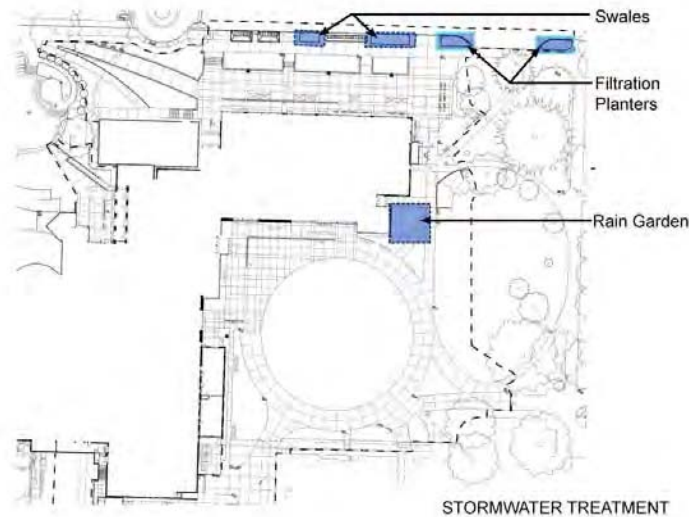
why should we
CARE ABOUT WATER USE IN
PACIFIC NORTHWEST?

- Meet Oregon Model for Stormwater mgmt (Treating Stormwater on University)
- **35-40%** reduction in water use from fixtures and fittings (**with automatic faucets**)
- **50-60%** reduction in water use

WATER

STORMWATER TREATMENT

TARGET: MEET OREGON MODEL FOR STORMWATER MANAGEMENT



STRATEGIES:

- Treat 13th Street stormwater
- Treat loading dock stormwater
- Treat parking lot stormwater

LEED SCORECARD

LEED CREDITS

CURRENTLY PURSUED



SUSTAINABLE SITES
22 of 26 pts



WATER EFFICIENCY
6 of 10 pts (+2)



ENERGY & ATMOSPHERE
28 of 35 pts (+15)



MATERIALS & RESOURCES
6 of 14 pts



INDOOR ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
11 of 15 pts (+1)



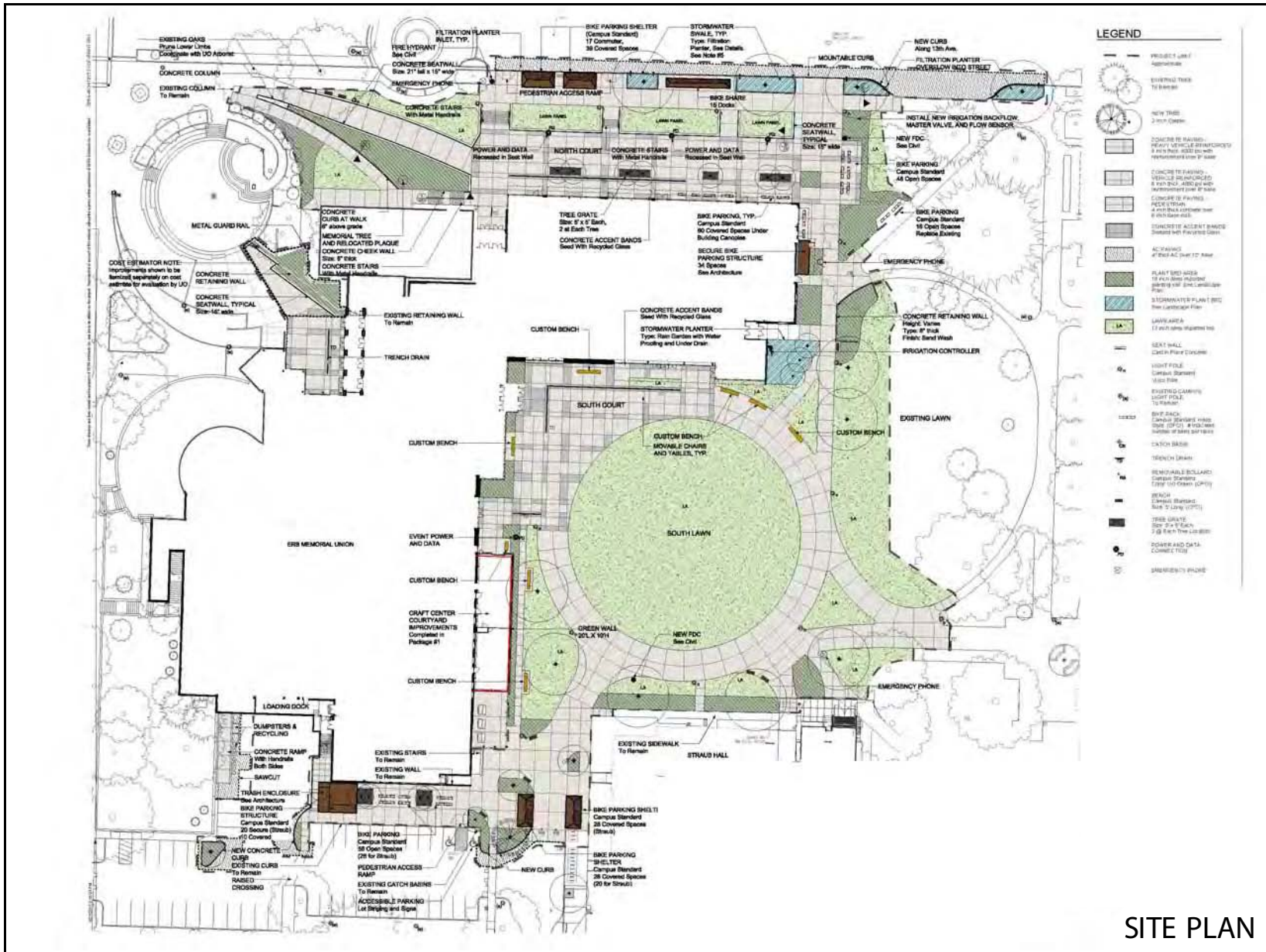
INNOVATION IN DESIGN
6 of 6 pts



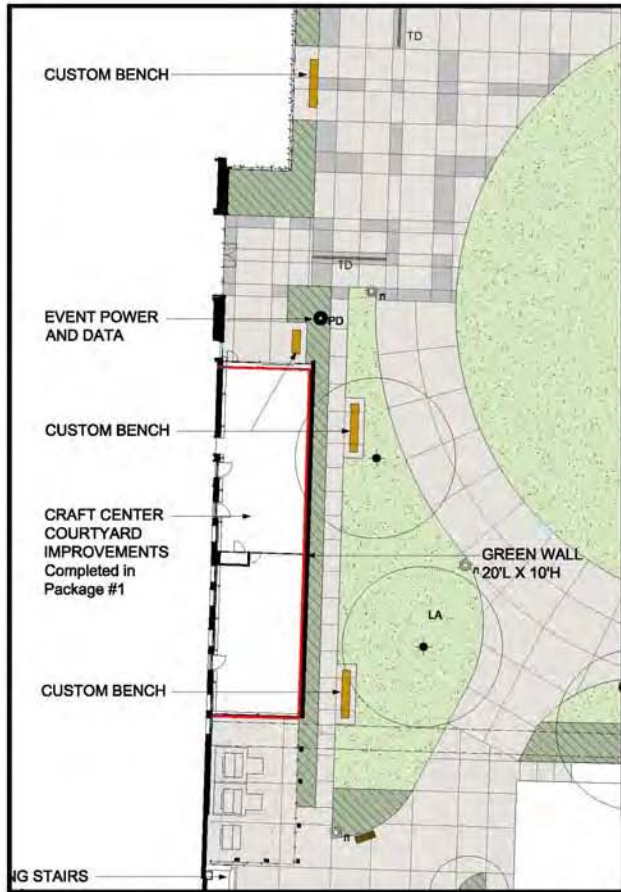
REGIONAL PRIORITY
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TOTAL **79 pts**
CURRENTLY TRACKING
LEED GOLD

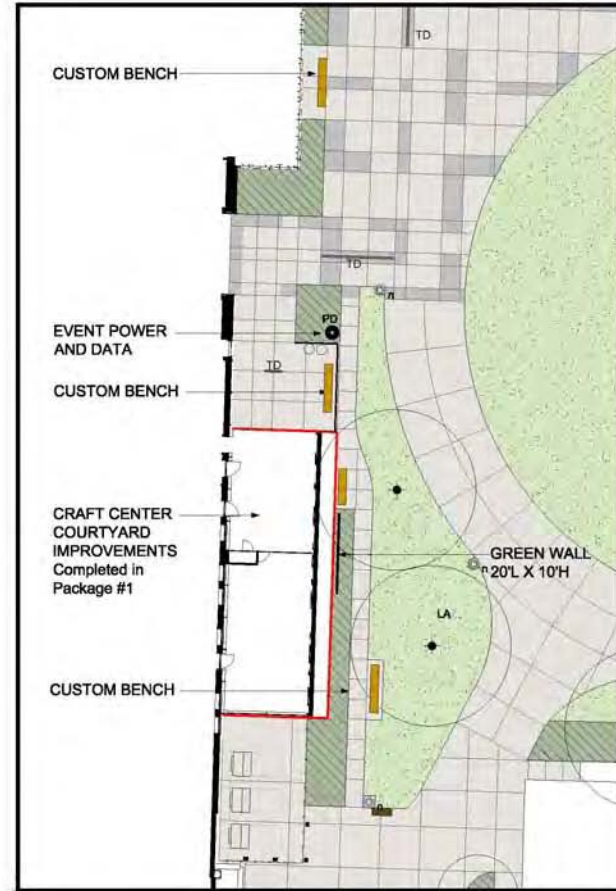
SITE DESIGN



SITE PLAN

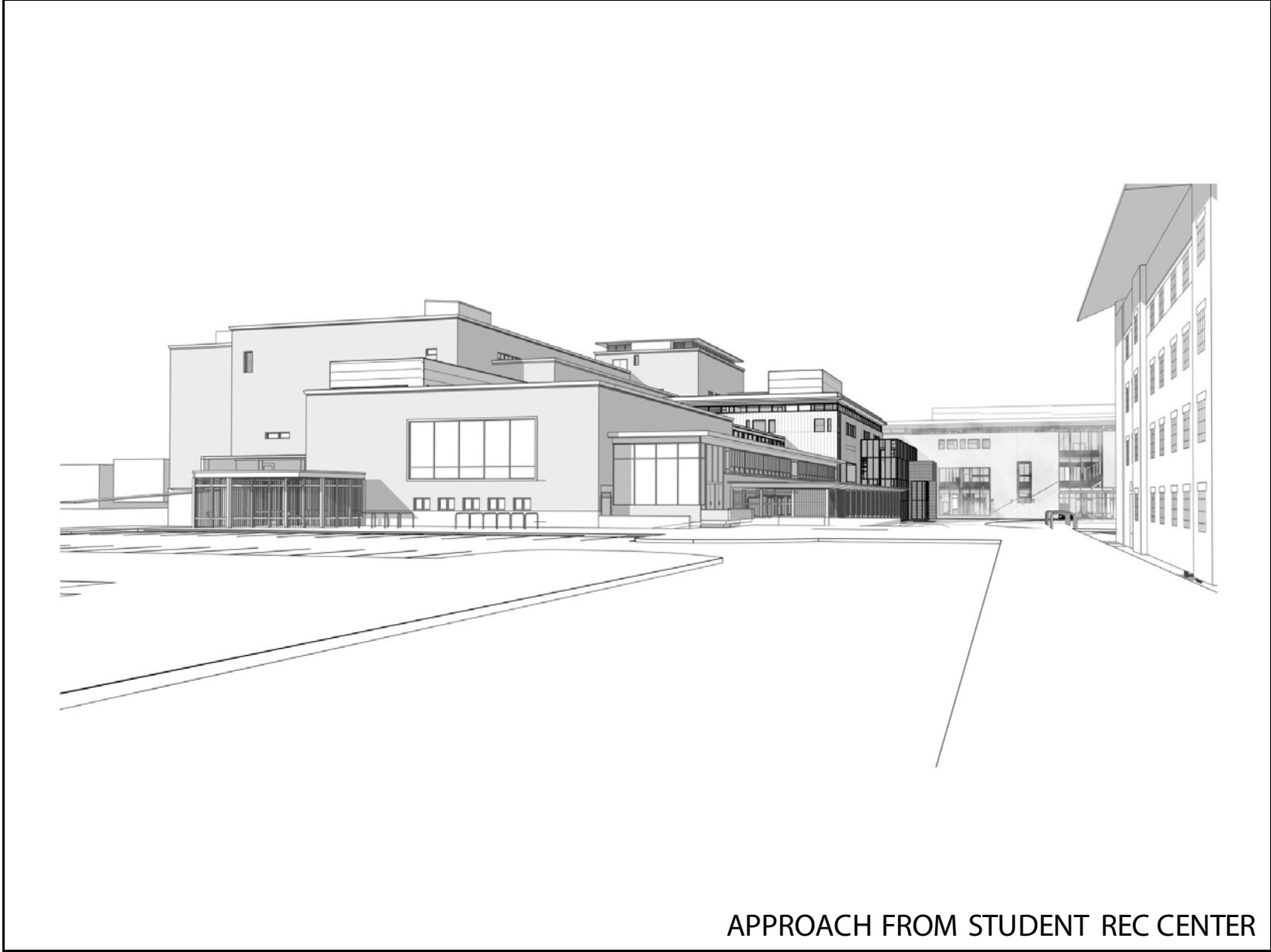


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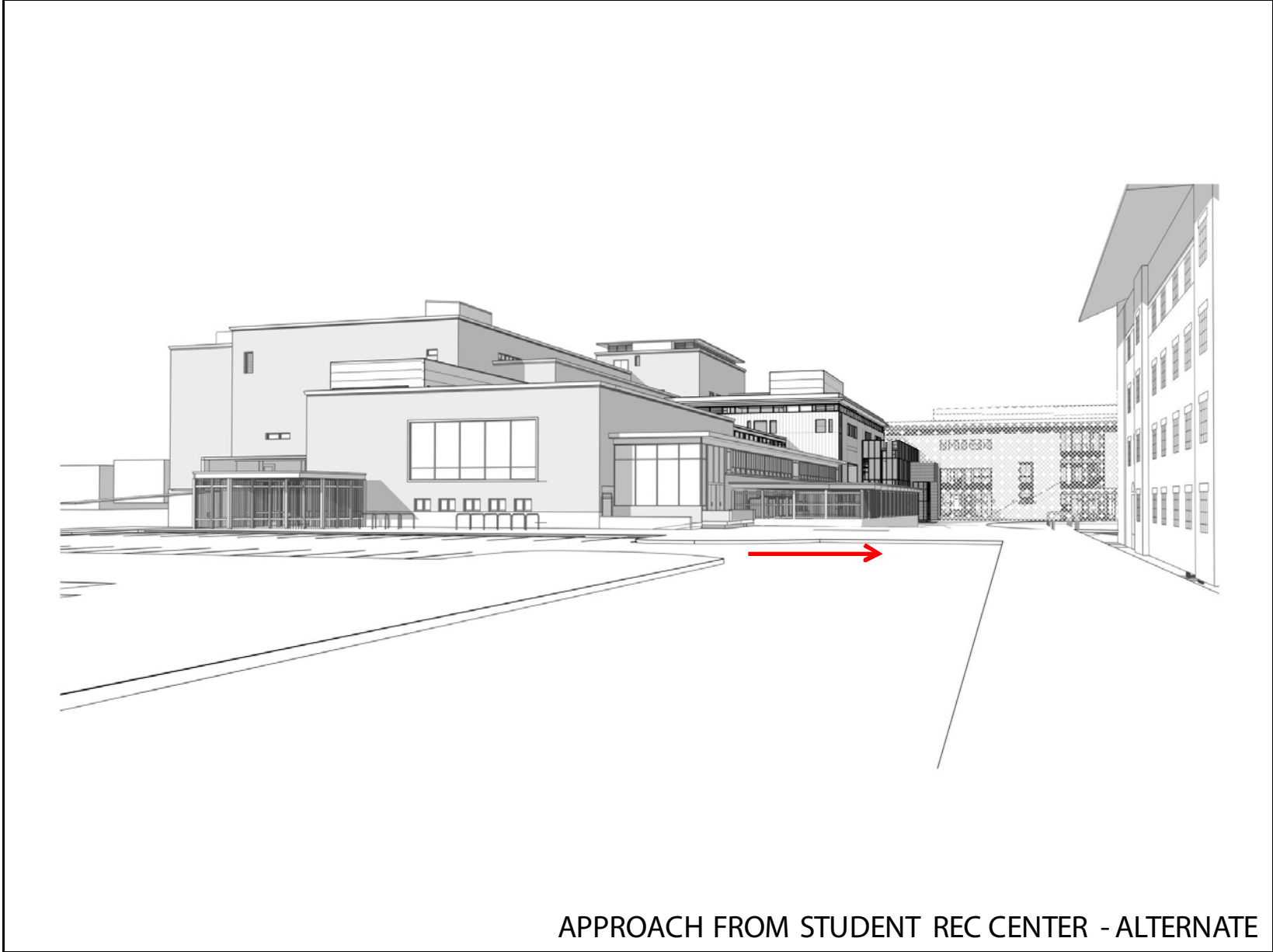


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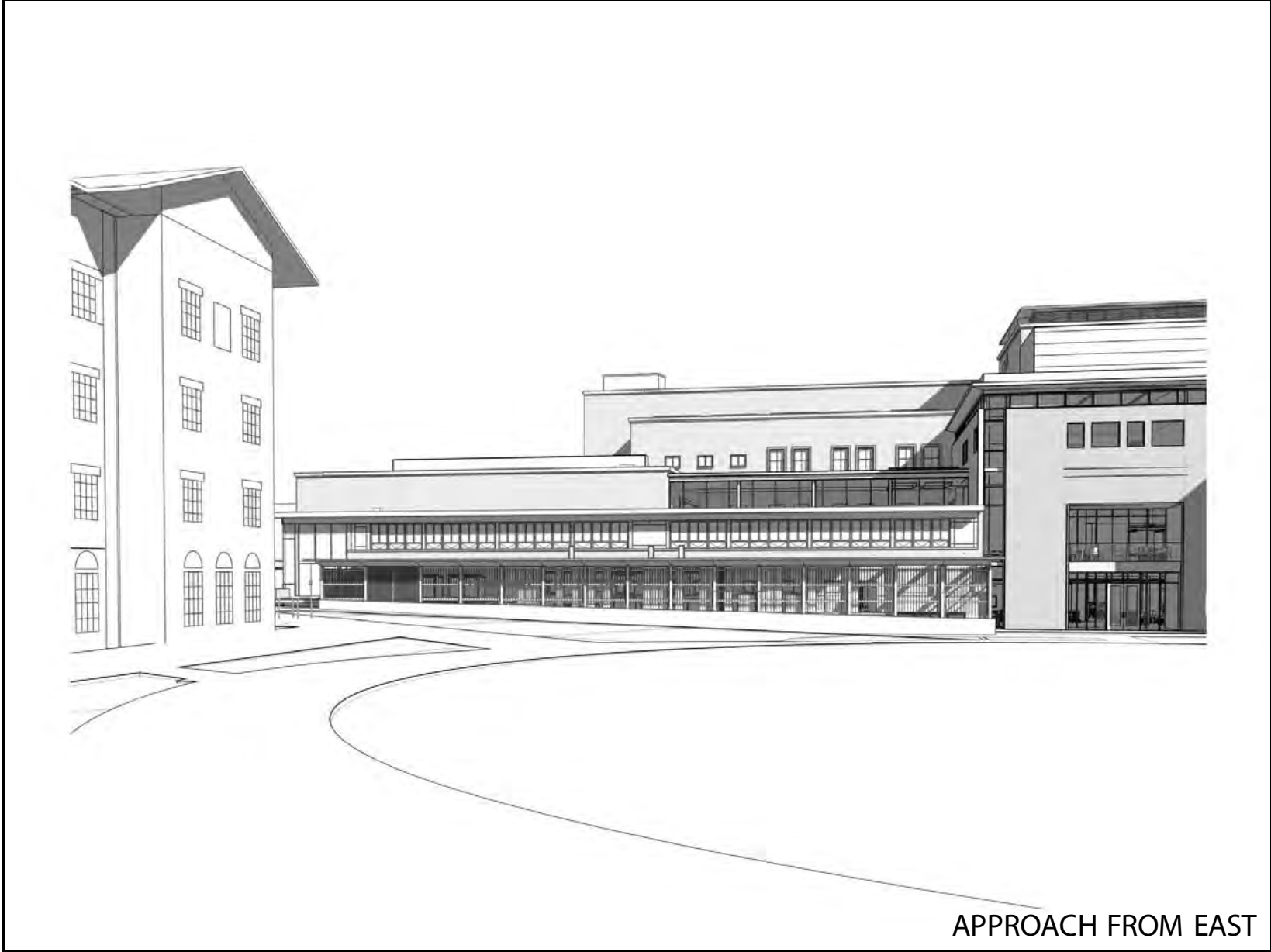
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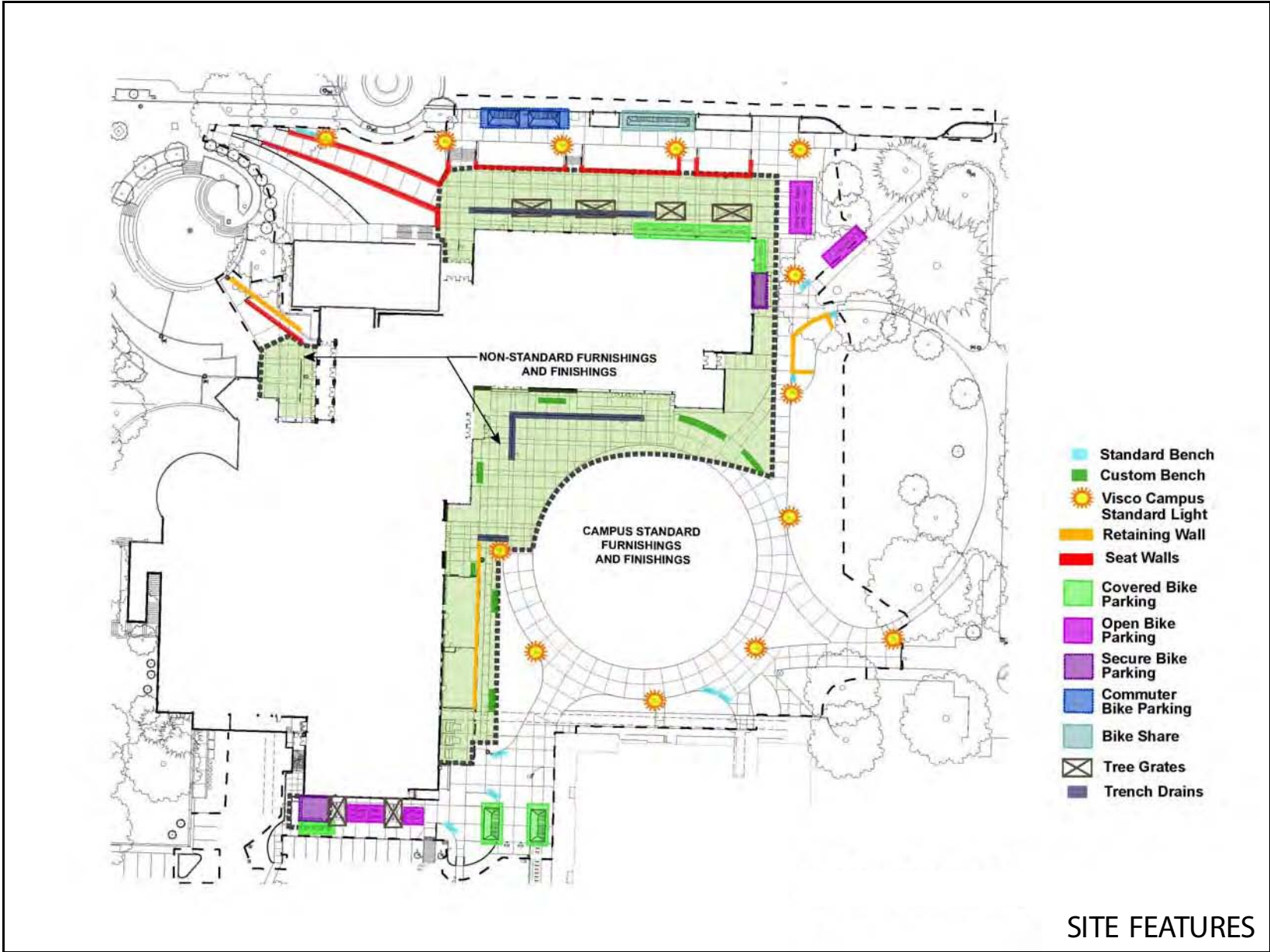
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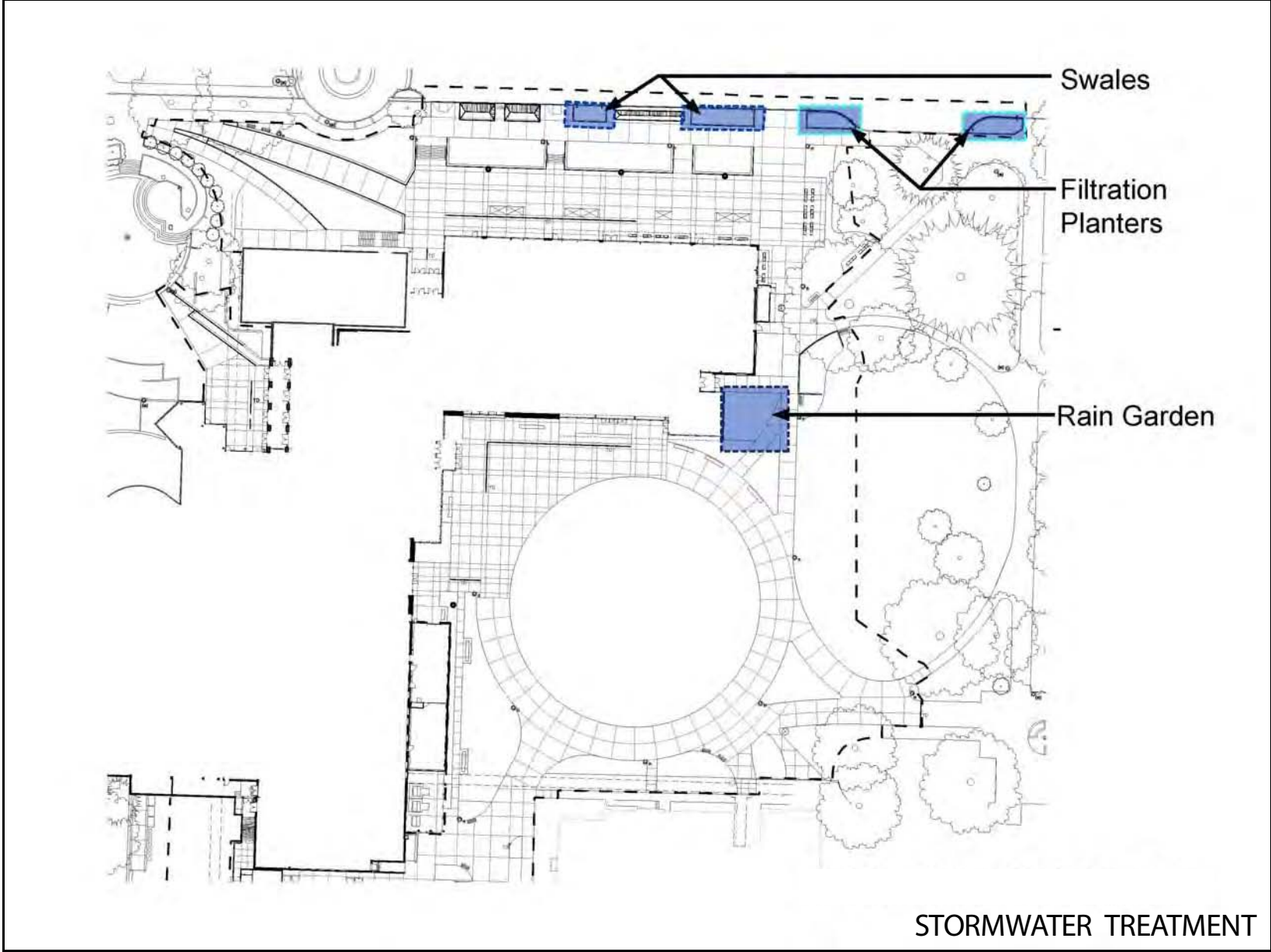


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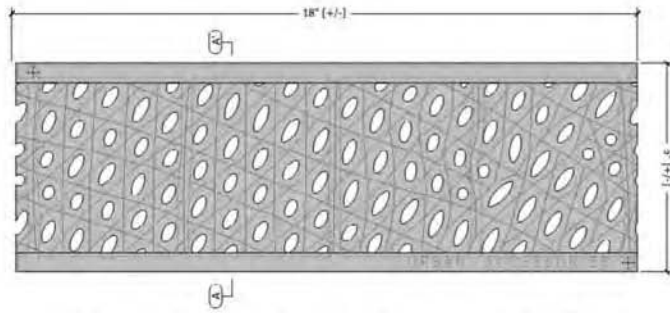


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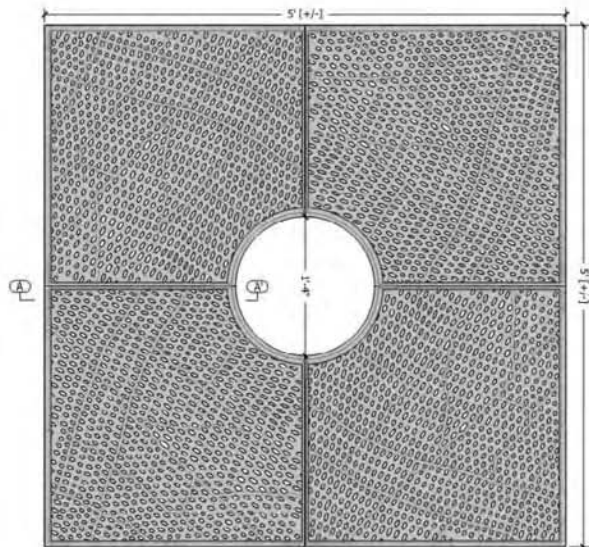


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CAMPUS STANDARD



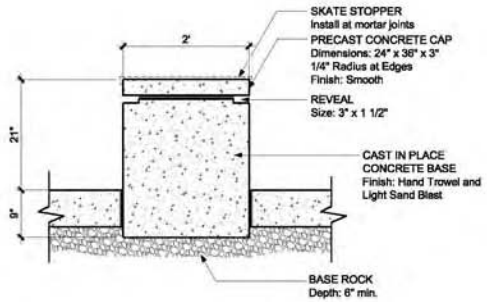
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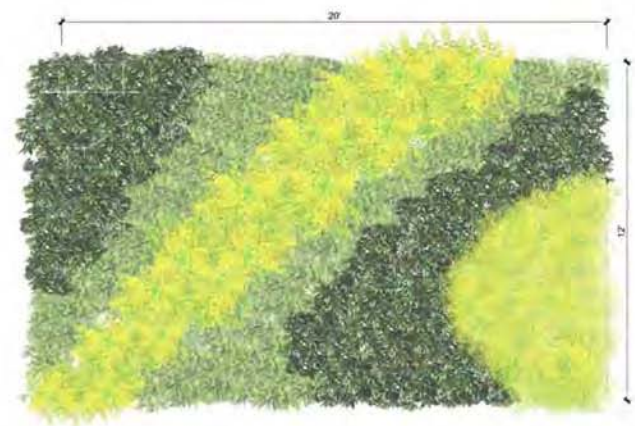
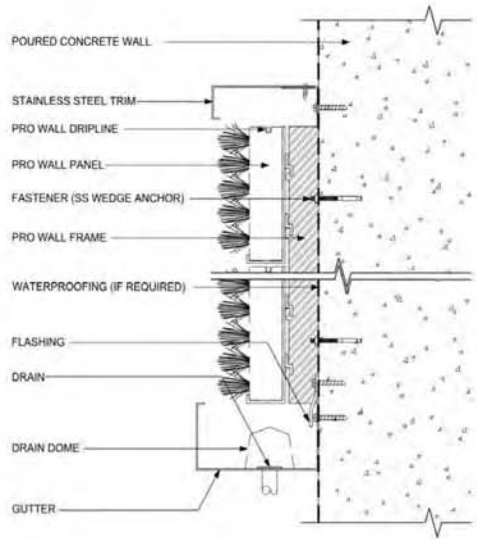
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TREE GRATES & TRENCH DRAIN



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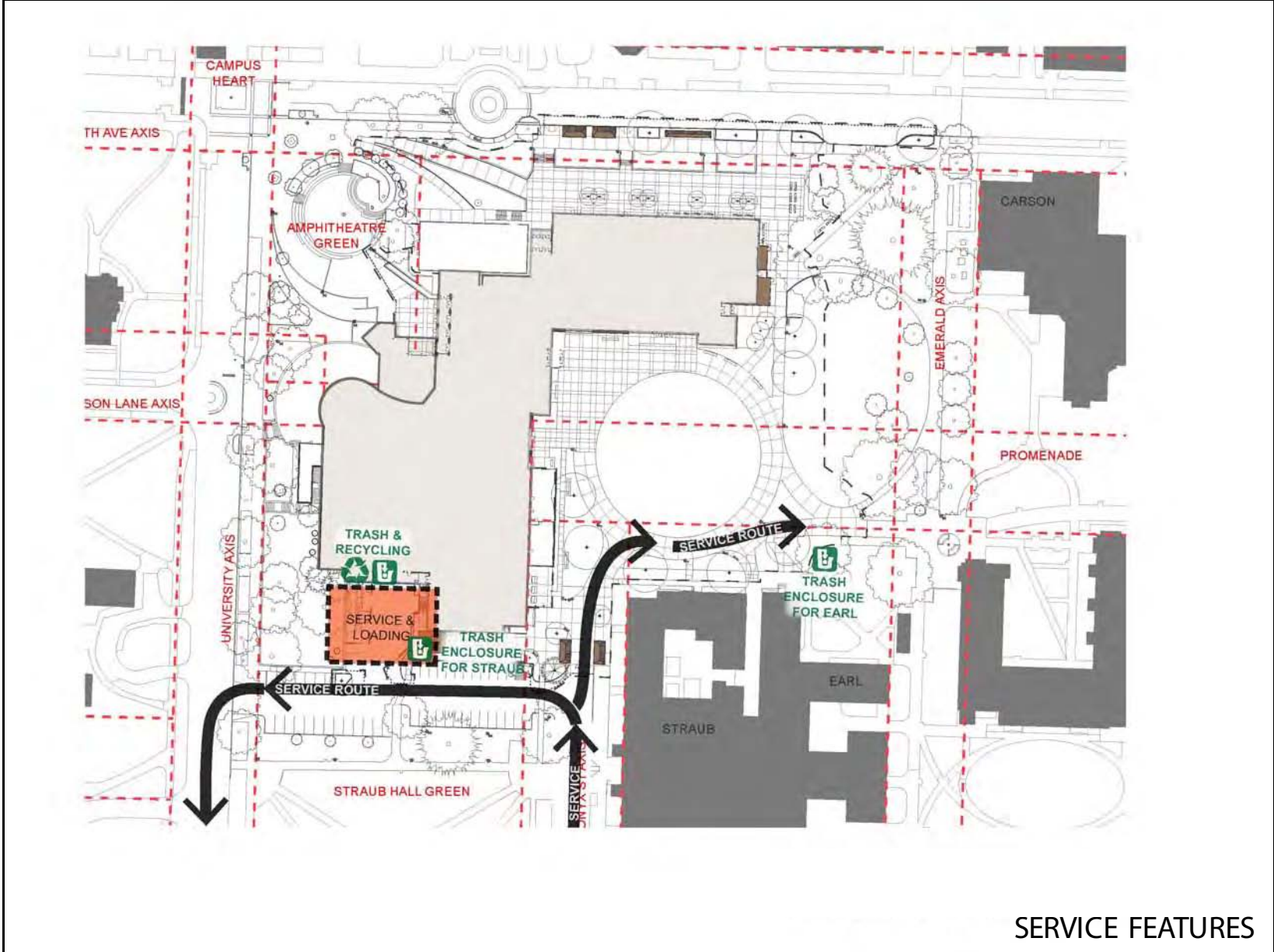
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NORTH COURT

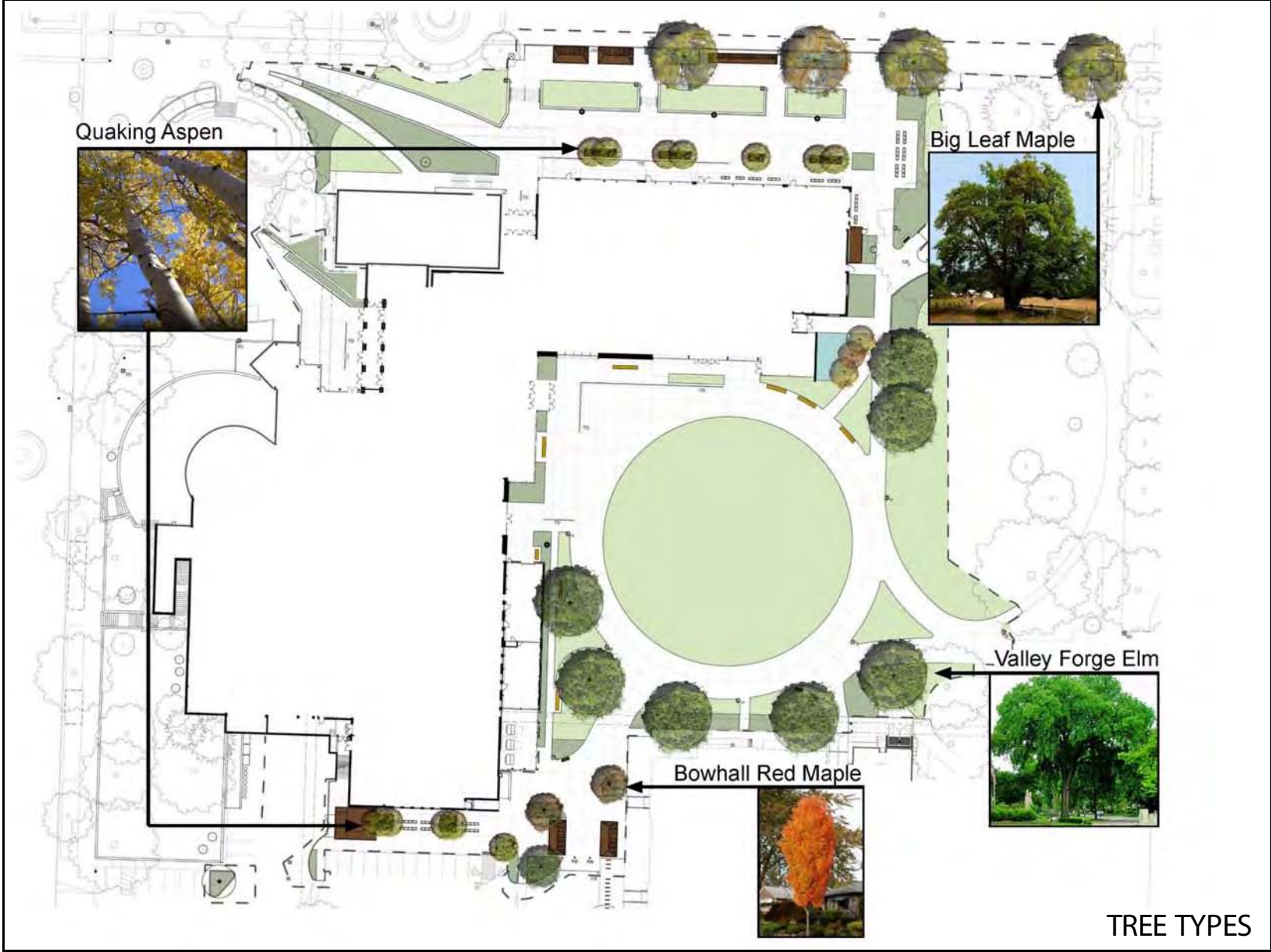


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