

brief development



UNIVERSITEIT VAN PRETORIA  
UNIVERSITY OF PRETORIA  
YUNIBESITHI YA PRETORIA

context analysis

precinct design

precedents

design development

**design clarification**

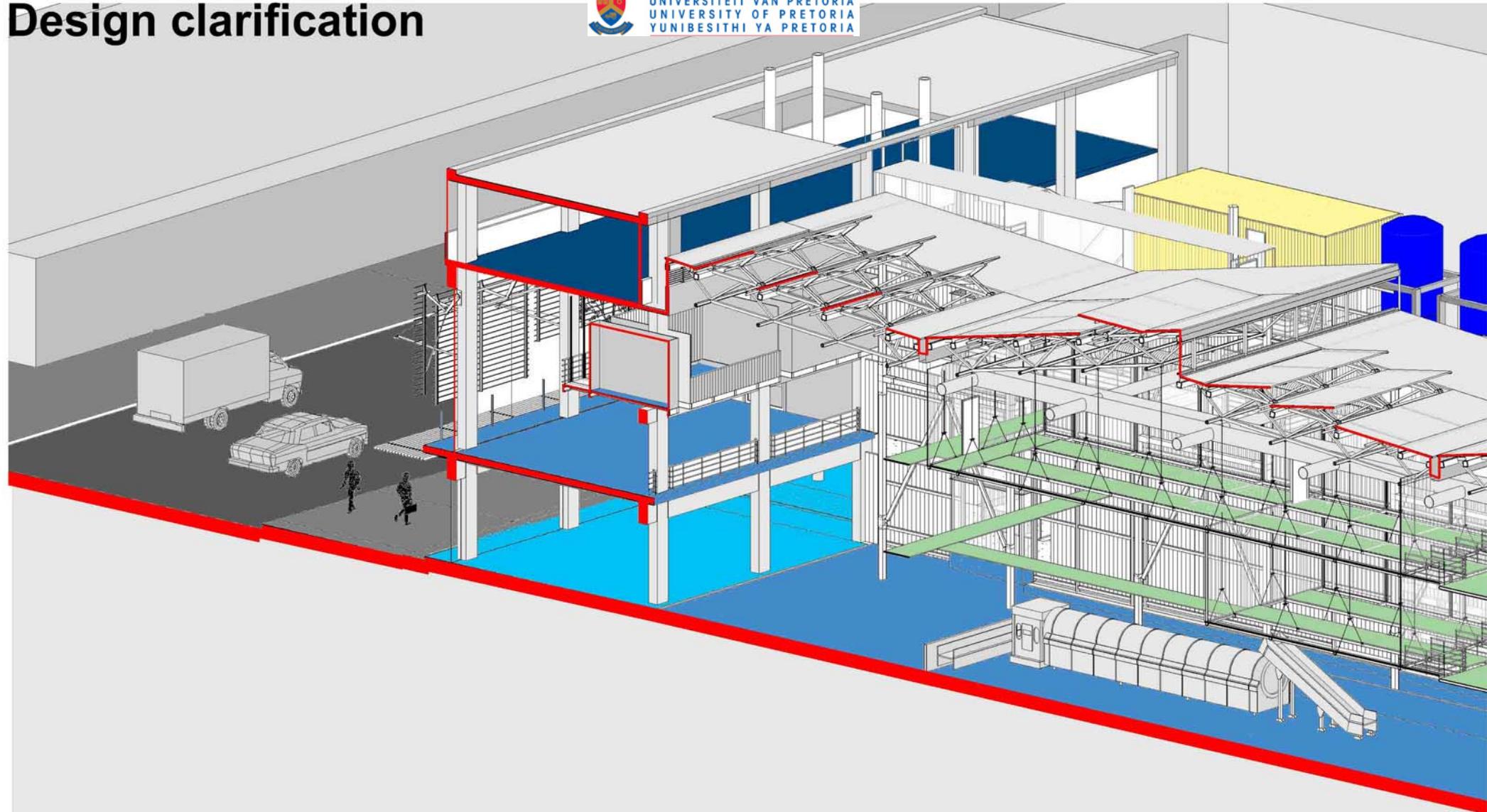
design documentation

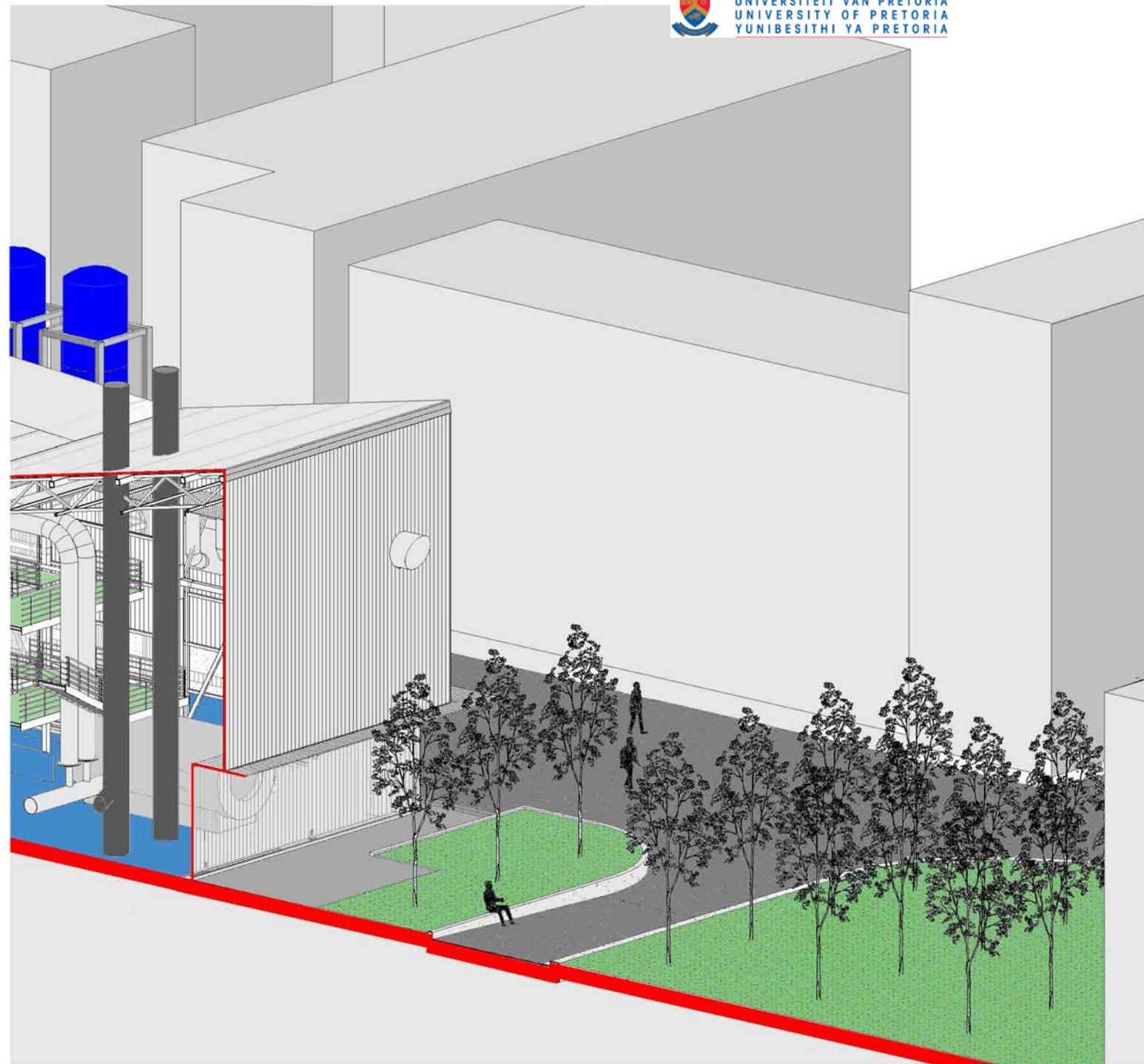


# Design clarification



UNIVERSITEIT VAN PRETORIA  
UNIVERSITY OF PRETORIA  
YUNIBESITHI YA PRETORIA





**Public launderette**  
[Ground floor]

- Pay-point
- Washing machines
- Dryers
- Iron area
- Waiting area

**Industrial laundry**  
[Ground and first floor]

- Dirty/soiled linen receiving
- Dirty linen sorting area
- Continuous batch washer
- Tumbler dryer
- Clean linen sorting and preparation
- Iron, folding and packing
- Clean linen dispatch
- Offices [second floor]
- Boiler room

**Pathology laboratory**  
[Third floor]

- Reagent preparation area
- Specimen preparation area
- Amplification [PCR] and detection room

**Greenhouse**

[First and second floor]

- Vanilla growth area
- Vanilla killing room
- Sweating room
- Processing and packaging

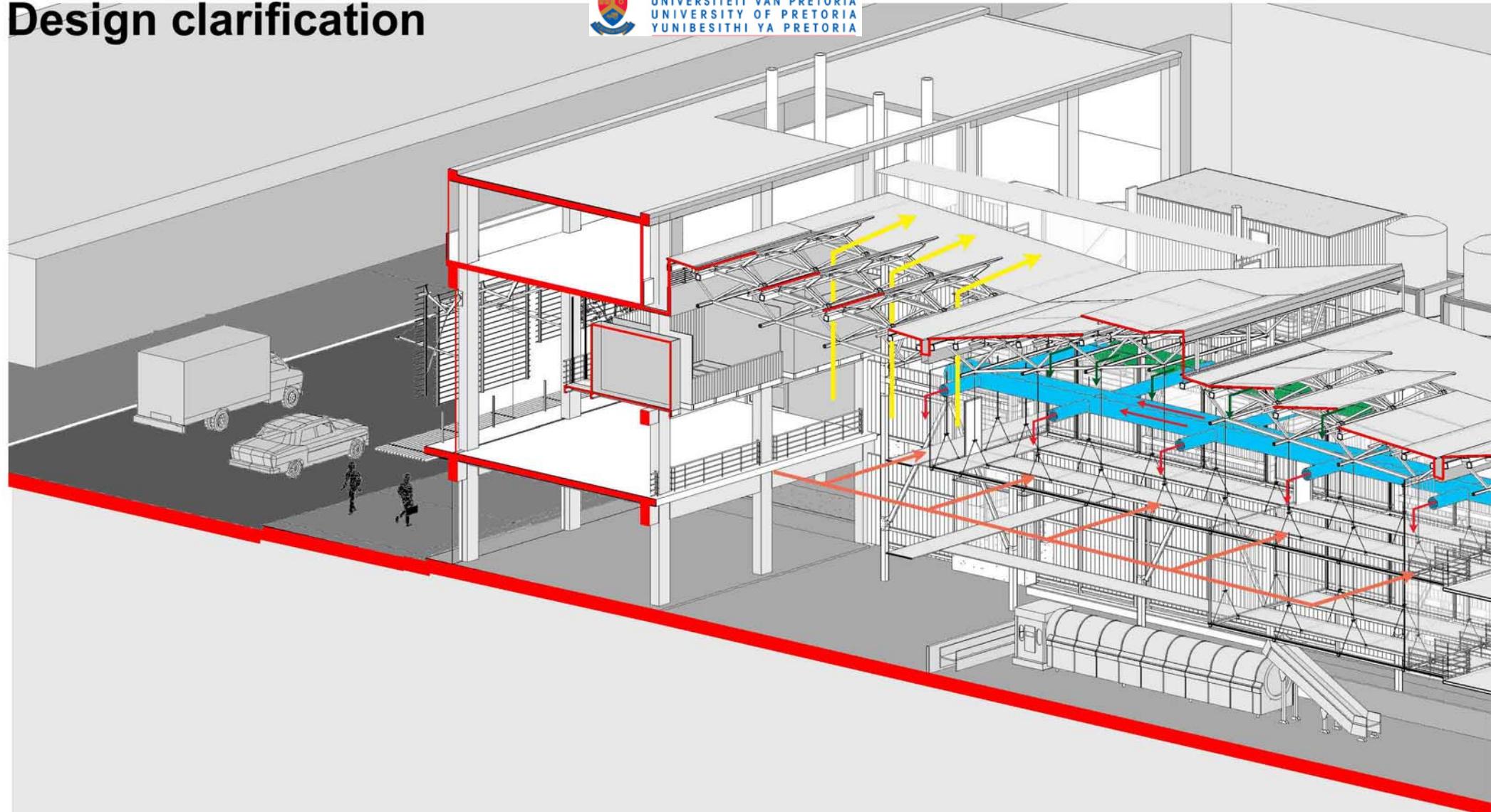
**Toilet/changerooms**

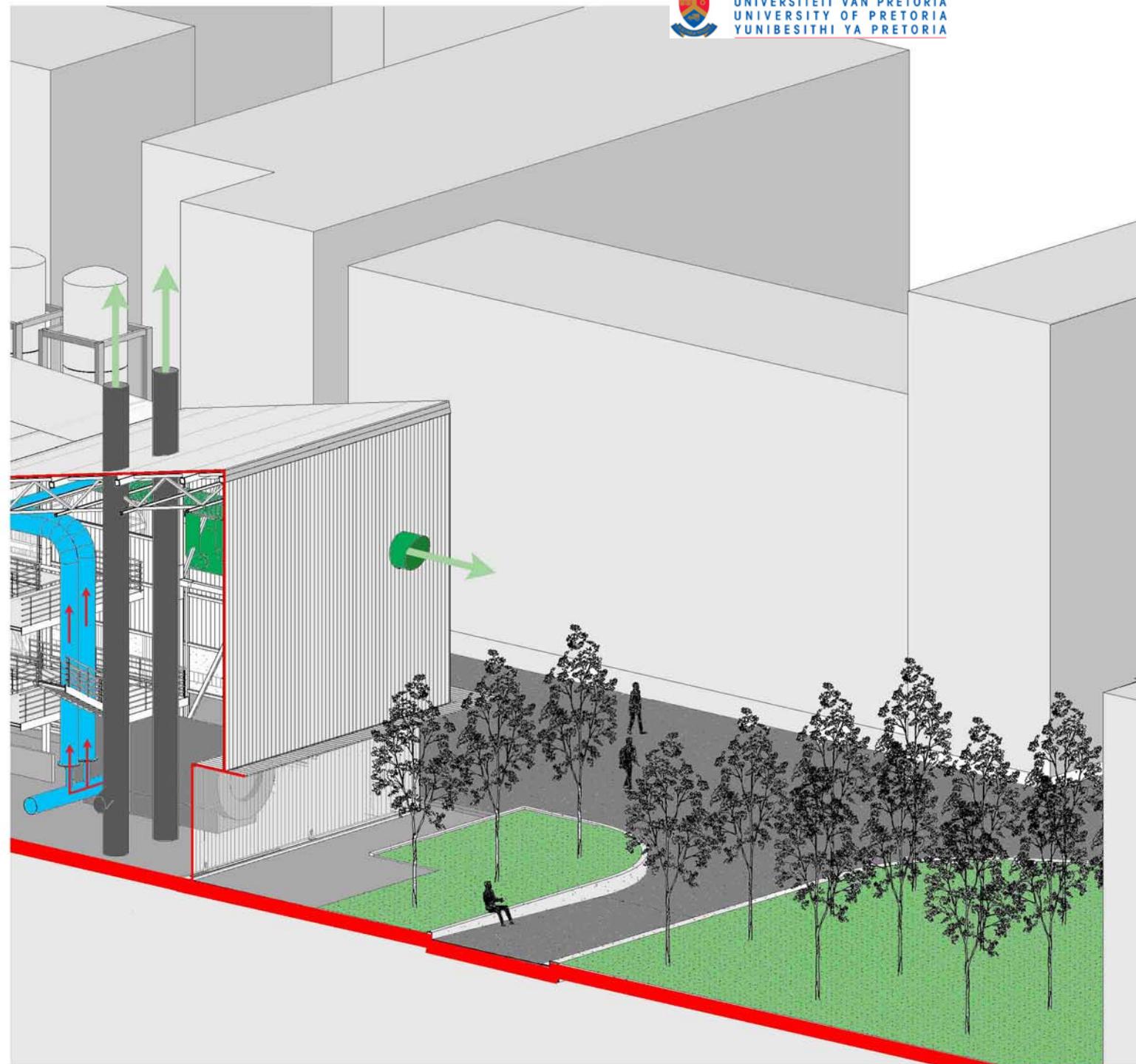
**Water tanks**

# Design clarification



UNIVERSITEIT VAN PRETORIA  
UNIVERSITY OF PRETORIA  
YUNIBESITHI YA PRETORIA





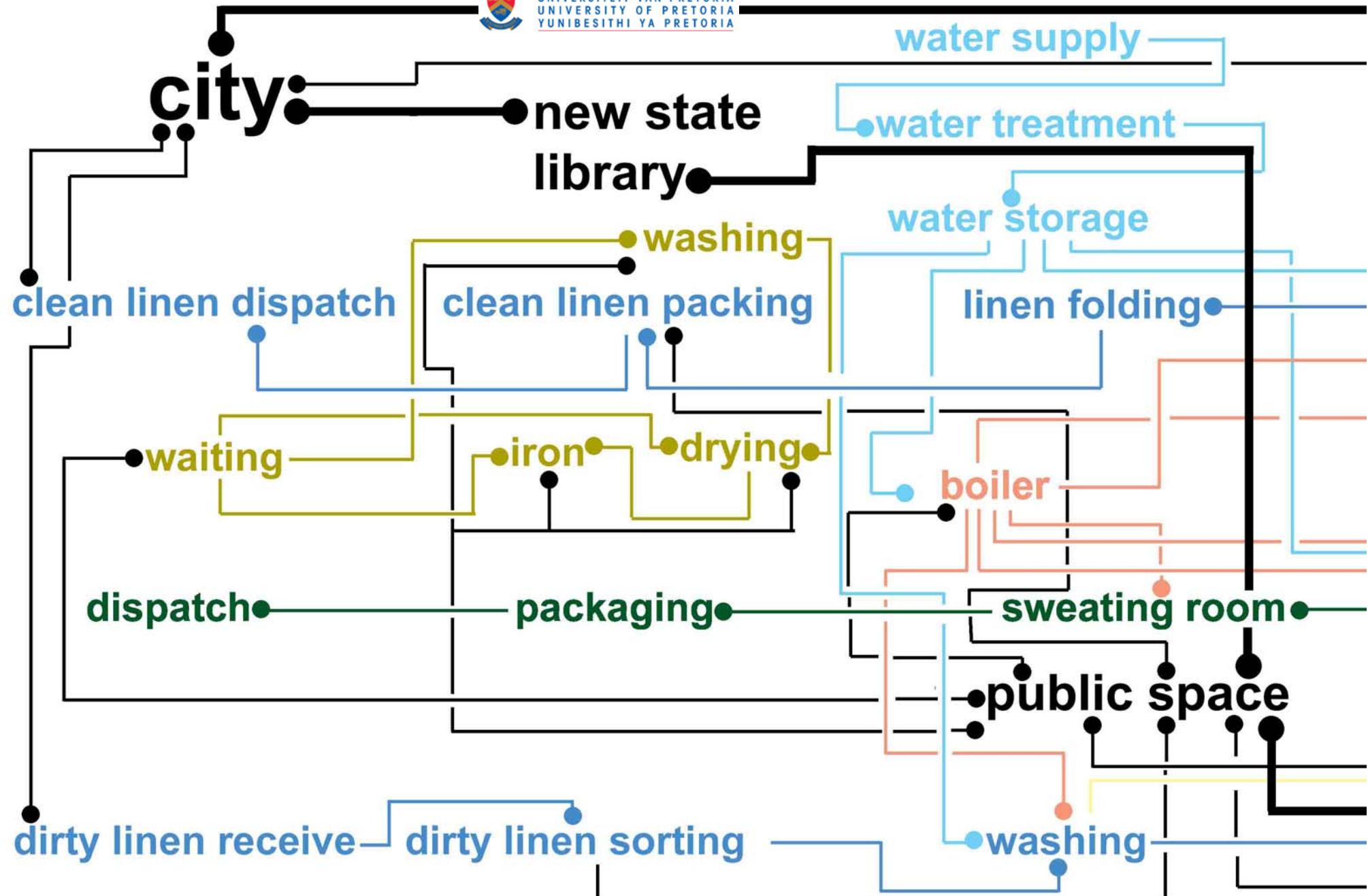
Red arrow pointing right: Dry steam from boiler into the vanilla greenhouse, killing and sweating rooms. [65-75°C]

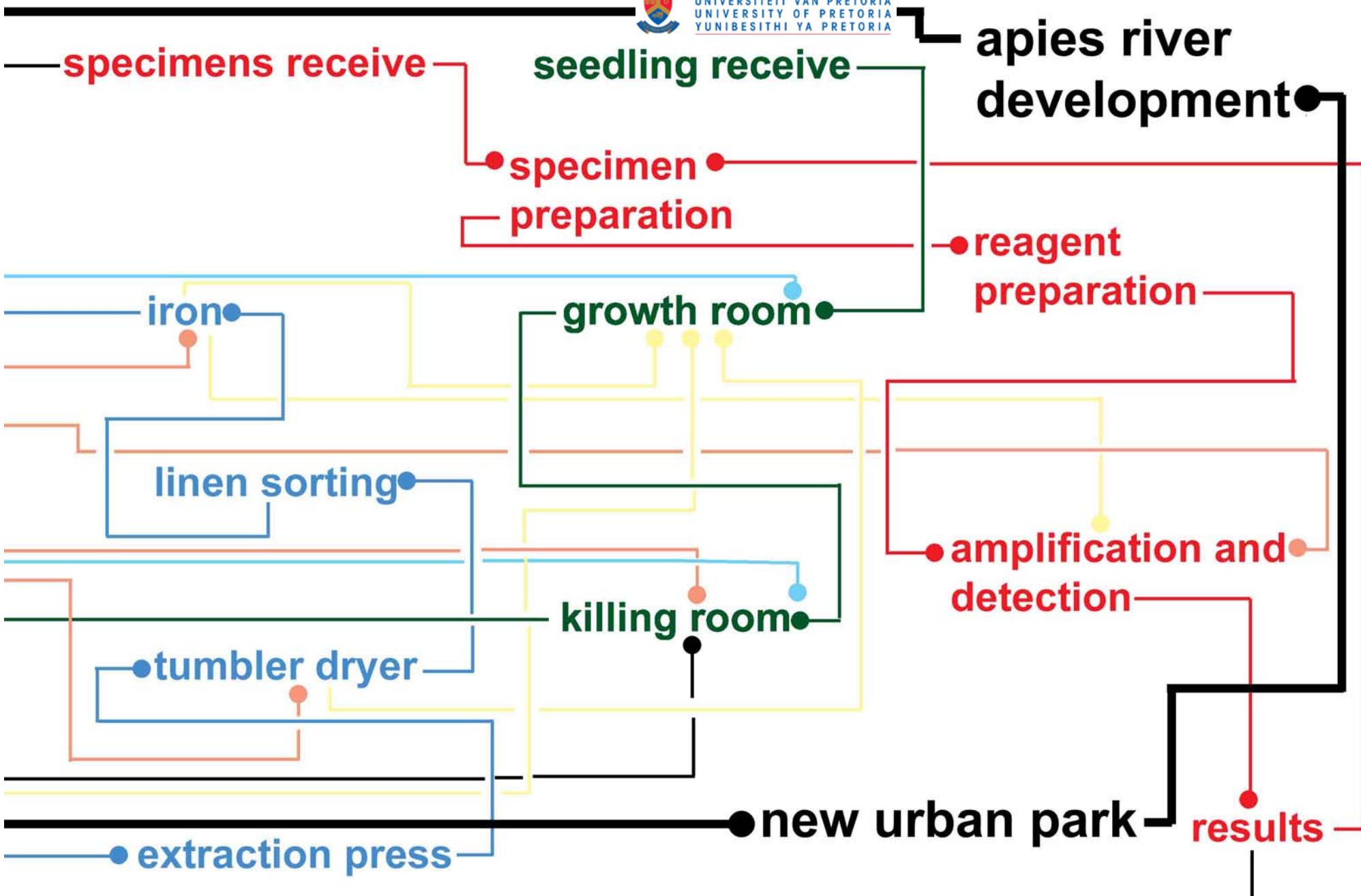
Red arrow pointing right: Wet steam from tumbler dryers to vanilla greenhouse [45-55°C]

Green arrow pointing right: Fresh mechanically induced air into the vanilla greenhouse, sweating and packaging rooms [18-25°C]

Yellow arrow pointing right: Stale humid air from laundry escape through mechanically operated roof louvres [20-30°C]

Green arrow pointing right: Excess mechanically induced air

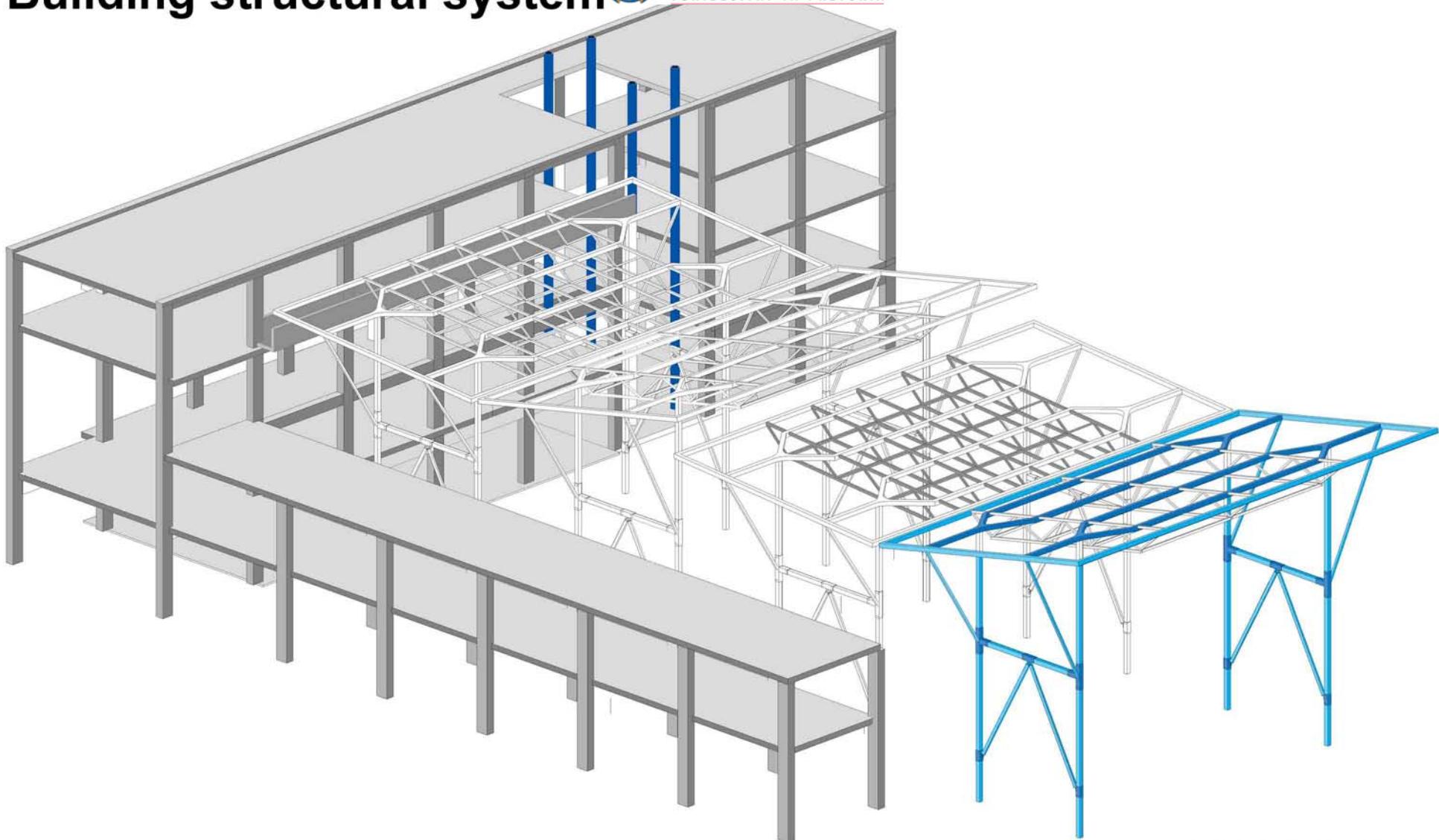




# Building structural system



UNIVERSITEIT VAN PRETORIA  
UNIVERSITY OF PRETORIA  
YUNIBESITHI YA PRETORIA



**Portal frame**  
Concrete slab  
and columns