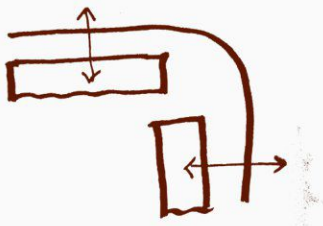


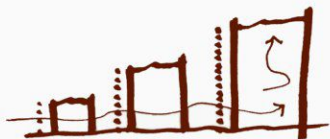
1. Buildings on boundaries

visual and physical access



2. Hierarchy and threshold

human scale, public spaces



3. Natural space

as a landmark



4. Movement across site

stitching sides



5. Building as exhibition

of ethos



BUILDINGS

FRANCIS CHING 1979  
Form, Space and Order

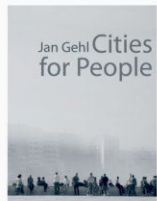
Frank Ching's book "Form, space and order" was used to establish hierarchy and the repetitive placement of selected components on site. In his book, Ching talks about hierarchy by size, shape and placement. The question of which parts of the design should be more dominant is raised, which then informs the design process. The repetition is used to bring a certain element of order amongst various other design strategies employed. With visually repetitive elements, the components do not need to be identical to have a striking impact on an individual's perception of space. This will be executed on site boundaries when individuals are introduced to the built form. Hierarchy of vertical volumes is applied as a principle from the book. This guides the user to locate different spaces on site by visual assessment.



PUBLIC SPACE

JAN GEHL 2010  
Cities for People & In Search of Human Scale & Life Between Buildings

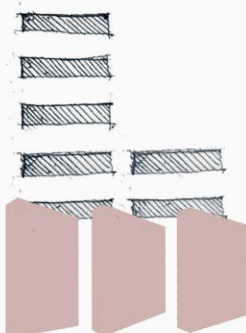
Jan Gehl's theory in "Cities for People" states that people have been neglected in cities. This project is in agreement with that statement with specific focus on the lack of attention given to public green spaces in cities. Jan Gehl explores the difference between human dimensions and planning ideologies and the disconnect between these concepts, with simple design solutions such as walking, sitting- and meeting spaces as the solution towards safer, more sustainable and healthy cities. In another book "In search for human scale" he echoes this idea again by noting the confusion of people when navigating their way in cities due to the loss of human scale. Making and maintaining contact with people with activity as an attraction is another solution that the author offers for design in the city realm.



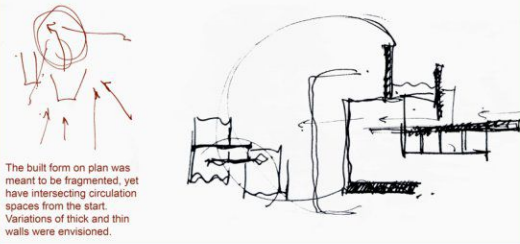
GENERAL

DEKAY MARK 2011  
Integral and Sustainable Design: Transformative Perspectives

"Integral Theory"/ "All Quadrants" = the inside/outside of the individual/collective. Simplest model that sums up user experience/s. The author wrote this book "for sustainability and for the positive effect on people and nature." This book proposes that integral designs for sustainability are found in considering multiple levels of developing complexity: the self, culture and nature. The intersection between these realms is the ideal space from which an integrated design should emerge. The integral theory suggests that the four quadrants used to analyse a design would include the inside and outside perspectives of the collective- and individual user. These quadrants are filtered for applicable information for the project and then linked to systems and spaces in the design.

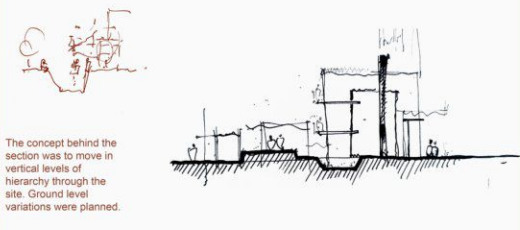


PLAN



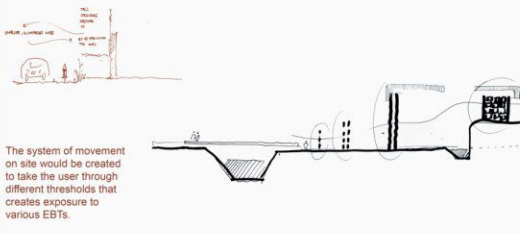
The built form on plan was meant to be fragmented, yet have intersecting circulation spaces from the start. Variations of thick and thin walls were envisioned.

SECTION



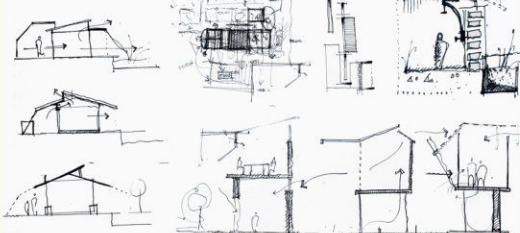
The concept behind the section was to move in vertical levels of hierarchy through the site. Ground level variations were planned.

SYSTEM

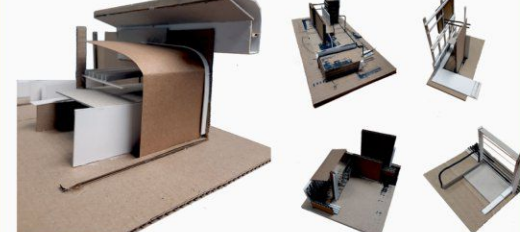


The system of movement on site would be created to take the user through different thresholds that creates exposure to various EBTS.

SKETCHES



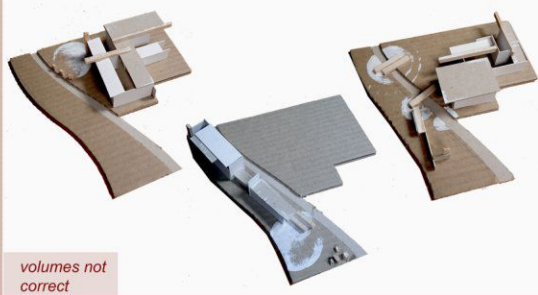
MODELS



INDIVIDUAL	<p><b>SUBJECTIVE</b> PERSPECTIVES OF EXPERIENCES (Shape form to engender experience)</p> <p>1. The individual user is exposed to elements on site within spatially designed natural areas. The river becomes an integral part of how the user experiences natural events.</p> <p>2. The exposure to natural elements within certain building components (rammed earth walls) and recycling in others (composite glass bottle walls) reflects the integration of green design aesthetics for a person to observe.</p>	<p><b>OBJECTIVE</b> PERSPECTIVES OF BEHAVIOURS (Shape form to maximise performance)</p> <p>1. Energy, Water, Materials</p> <p>2. High Performance Buildings</p>	INDIVIDUAL
	<p>1. Experience of Natural Cycles, Processes &amp; Forces</p> <p>2. Green Design Aesthetics</p>	<p>1. The waste of building materials and resources is mainly eliminated by the construction process of the 3DCP Wall that requires no formwork and minimal reinforcement. Water is managed on site to become harvested and re-used for irrigation and ablation systems and the need for large amounts of energy is managed with high performance in the buildings.</p> <p>2. High performance is ensured in the buildings by the simulations done on parts of the structure that contain the selected building materials in the project. Passive strategies for optimal thermal comfort and natural lighting is tested to ensure maximum comfortability for each individual.</p>	
COLLECTIVE	<p><b>SUBJECTIVE</b> PERSPECTIVES OF CULTURES (Shape form to manifest meaning)</p> <p>1. Relationships to Nature</p> <p>2. Rituals</p>	<p><b>OBJECTIVE</b> PERSPECTIVES OF SYSTEMS (Shape form to guide flow)</p> <p>1. Fitness to Site and Context</p> <p>2. Ecosystem</p>	COLLECTIVE
	<p>1. People in the city need to be connected to natural spaces not only as individuals, but in groups as well. Creating seating space that accommodates multiple individuals enables groups of people to form a collective relationship to nature on site.</p> <p>2. Rituals are embedded in new areas of the project, such as the design and construction ritual found in the architectural profession, as well as rituals that were existing on site, like the Sunday church services in the existing public seating area) that will be maintained for the users.</p>	<p>1. The project's fitness to site and context is exposed to the collective user by shaping the built and natural forms on site to weave into each other, blending the boundaries between the larger city context and the natural spaces on site.</p> <p>2. The ecosystem is celebrated for the collective users by pulling the Apies River's edges into the users' spaces. Floodbanks are created to accommodate the different floodtimes during the year, which in turn creates areas where vegetation can flourish.</p>	



**MODEL**



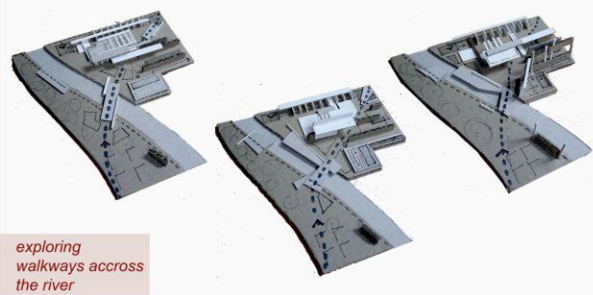
volumes not correct



meeting spaces in East to West orientation



meeting spaces in South to North orientation



exploring walkways across the river

**SCALE**

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**KEY ELEMENTS**

Massing on the Eastern side of the Apiesrivier

Massing on the Western side of the Apiesrivier

Massing as a hybrid on site

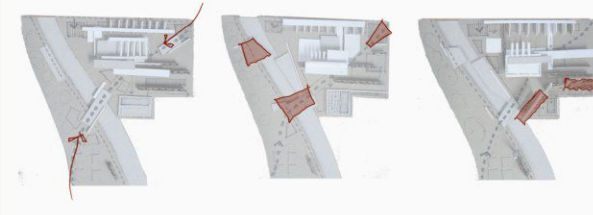
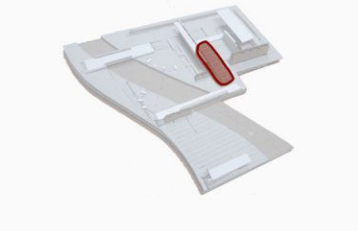
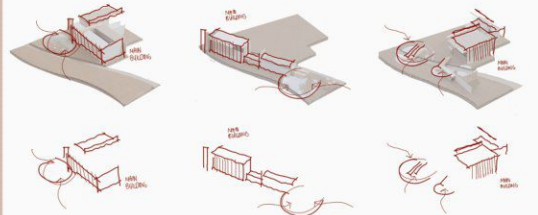
Meeting spaces identified and placed within the cluster of buildings in vertical orientation.

Meeting spaces rotated and placed on edge of the cluster of buildings in a horizontal orientation.

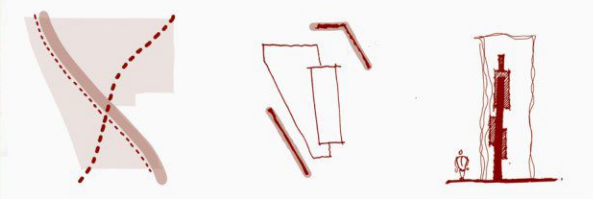
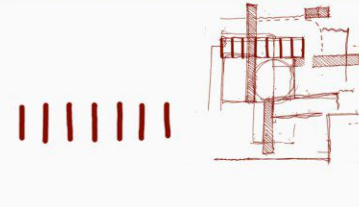
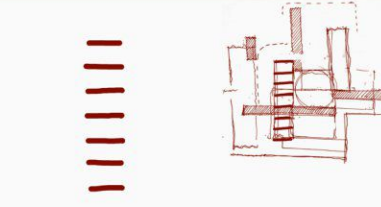
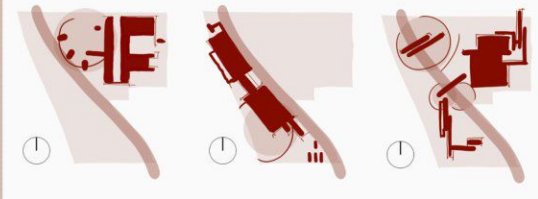
Explore walkways throughout the site

Explore walkways and different forms

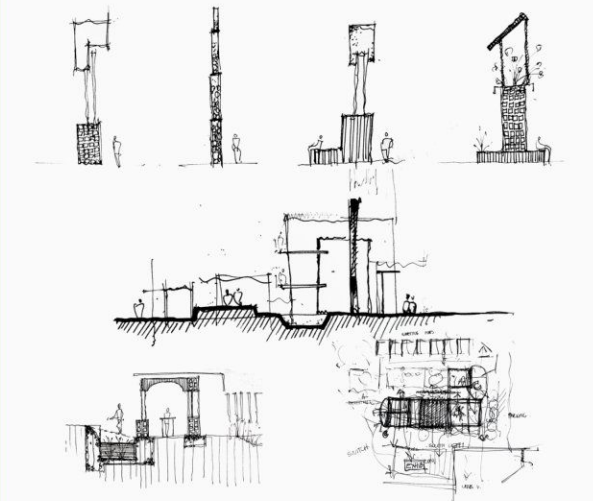
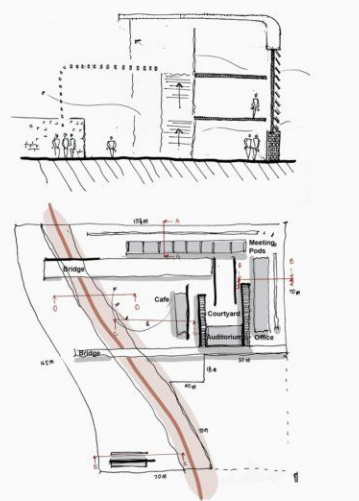
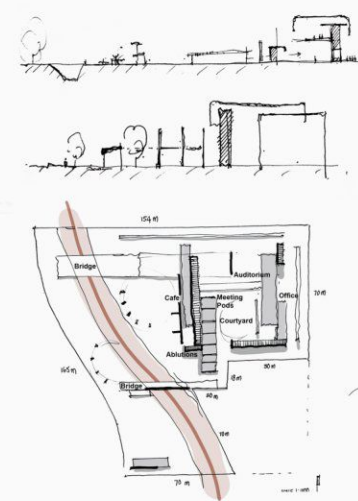
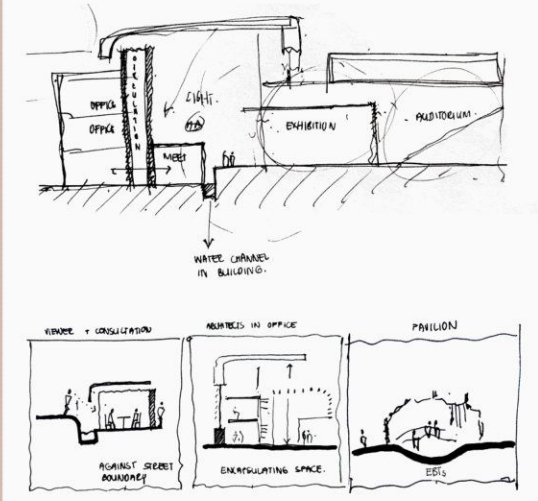
Explore walkways and built fabric as a landmark



**PART I**



**SKETCHES**



**OUTCOME**

Positive outcome for testing massing on site. Sketches gave way to manipulation of NGL during later design stages.

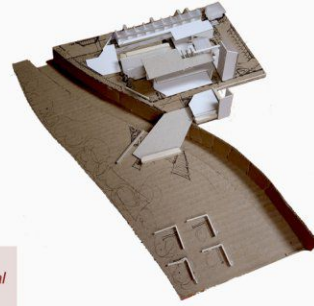
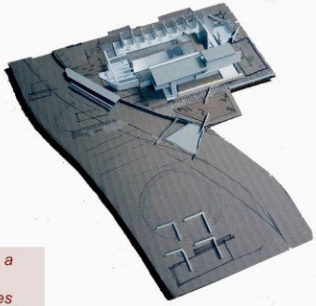
Negative outcome of situating buildings away from the boundary, orientation was problematic.

Positive outcome of re-orientating the meeting pods towards buildings.

Positive outcome of exploring routes on site and walkway across the river. Landmark concepts gave way to gabion structures in the design.

**DESIGN DEVELOPMENT**





repeating on a larger scale, volume issues

moving vertical fabric to a central point of axis

removing parking from Eastern boundary

creating space in river to create public space

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Repeating the exploration on a larger scale and deciding where the bulk of the massing should be placed

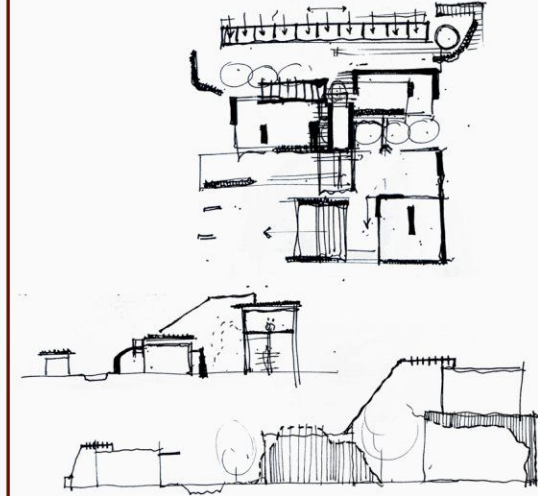
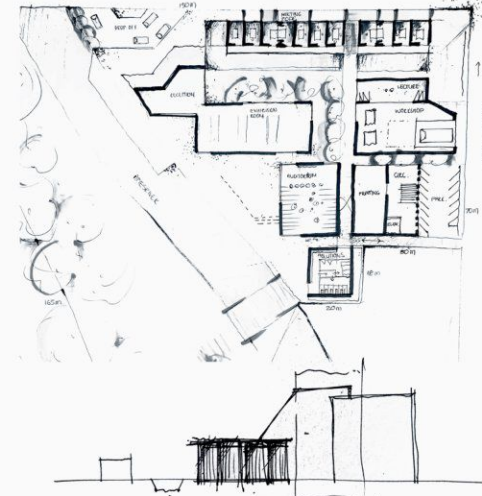
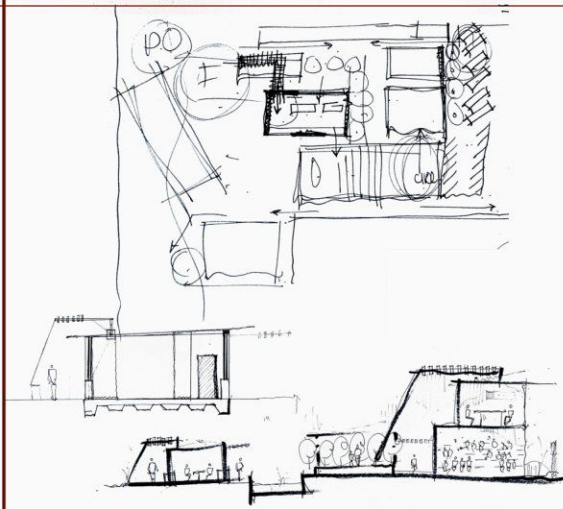
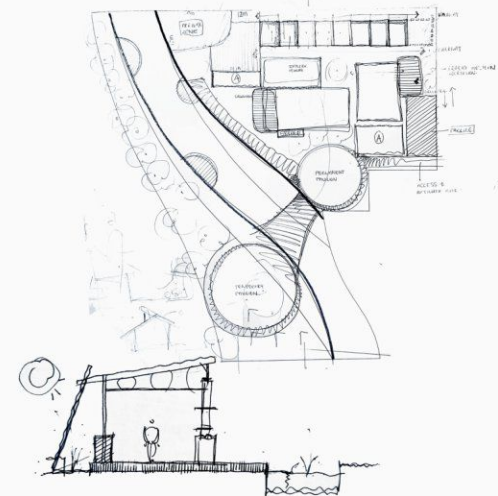
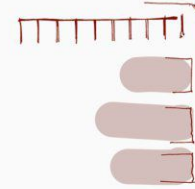
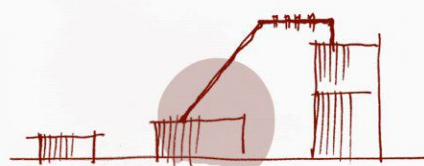
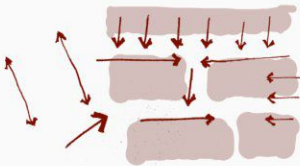
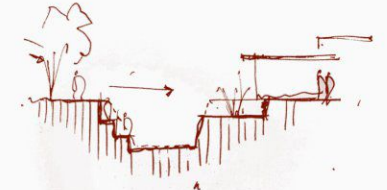
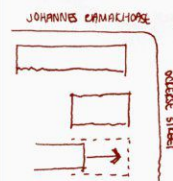
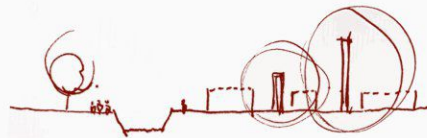
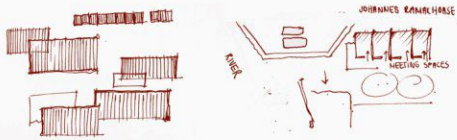
Considering where circulation space should be for vehicles

Creating elements where vertical built fabric is placed throughout the site between the buildings

Placing all buildings on boundaries again as per form generators

Creating a core within the site as a focus point for programme and technology

Expanding the space from the river to filter through the buildings.



Positive outcome for moving to a larger scale, but negative for the overall placement of buildings.

Negative outcome for the placement of parking on the ground level - not adhering to form generators.

Positive outcome for the development of the floor plan and finer spatial details that came into place.

Positive outcome for the creation of public seating on the river bank and addition of plants and retaining walls.

# DESIGN DEVELOPMENT



# PASSIVE STRATEGIES

## CRITERIA

To create an acceptable indoor office environment for the users that will operate in accordance to human thermal and lighting needs, while decreasing the necessity of energy to compensate for factors that can be controlled by passive design strategies.

- Kristel Botha  
"buildings are complex systems," (De Wilde, 2018, p. 1)

"Thermal comfort is that condition of the mind that expresses satisfaction with the thermal," (ASHRAE, 2019)

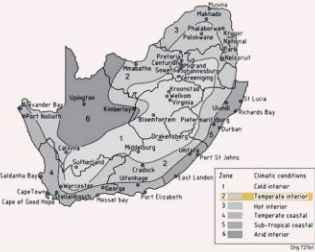


## LIGHTING + THERMAL COMFORT / VENTILATION

### PROJECT INFORMATION

Location and coordinates	Arcadia, Pretoria, Gauteng, 25.744°S, 28.190°E
Climatic Zone	2
Building Classification	G1 - Offices (SANS 2011, p. 2)(Table 1)
Building Occupancy	1 person per 15m <sup>2</sup> (SANS 2011, p. 8)
Metric	PMV - ASHRAE 95

### CLIMATIC ZONES OF SOUTH AFRICA



### DESIGN POPULATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH SANS 10400-A (table 5) (SANS, 2021)

Class of occupancy of rooms or storey or portion thereof	Population
A1, A2, A3, A5	Number of fixed seats or 1 person per 4 if there are no fixed seats
E1, E3, H1, H3	2 persons per bed/m <sup>2</sup>
G1	1 person per 15 m <sup>2</sup>
E4	18 persons, provided that the total number of persons per room is not more than 4
C1, E2, F1, F2	1 person per 10 m <sup>2</sup>
H5	16 persons per bed/m <sup>2</sup> unless provided that the total number of persons per room is not more than 4
C2, F3	1 person per 20 m <sup>2</sup>
A3, H2	1 person per 10 m <sup>2</sup>

### MAXIMUM ANNUAL CONSUMPTION PER BUILDING CLASSIFICATION FOR EACH CLIMATIC ZONE (table 3)

Classification of occupancy of building	Description of building	Maximum energy consumption values*					
		1	2	3	4	5	6
A1	Entertainment and public assembly	400	400	440	390	400	420
A2	Theatrical and indoor sport	400	400	440	390	400	420
A3	Places of instruction	400	400	440	390	400	420
A4	Workshop	100	115	125	110	115	120
F1	Large shop	240	248	260	240	240	255
C1	Office	200	190	210	180	180	200
H1	Hotel	600	600	660	600	620	630

### MINIMUM TOTAL R-VALUES OF ROOF ASSEMBLIES (table 7)

Description	Climatic zones					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
Minimum required total R-value (m <sup>2</sup> K/W)	3,7	3,2	2,7	3,7	2,7	3,5
Direction of heat flow	Up	Up	Down and up	Up	Down	Up

### METAL SHEETING ROOF ASSEMBLIES (table 8)

Description	Climatic zones					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
Direction of heat flow	Up	Up	Down and up	Up	Down	Up
R-value (m <sup>2</sup> K/W) of roof covering material	0,10			0,30	0,30	
Added R-value of insulation	3,35	2,85	2,35	3,35	2,35	3,15

## BASE CASE

### STRATEGY

Simple form and low values

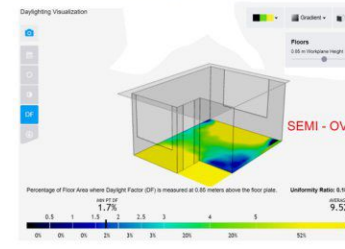
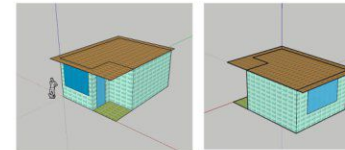
- Build initial form of what the building
- Values for the materials in lower range
- Simplest form of the meeting room

### RESULT

FAILED PMV



### TESTING



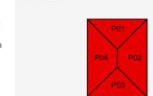
### STRATEGY

Shading

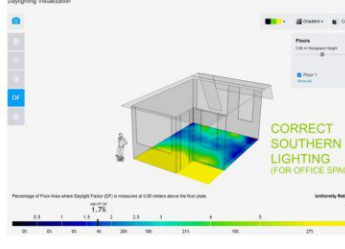
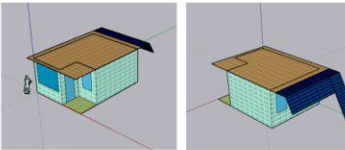
- Add shading to the Northern overhang
- Bend shading at an angle for less harsh light in office space
- Add another section of shading for privacy (design strategy - not tested in analysis)

### RESULT

FAILED PMV



### TESTING



## ITERATION 2

Office - in Pretoria, GT, ZA, G...

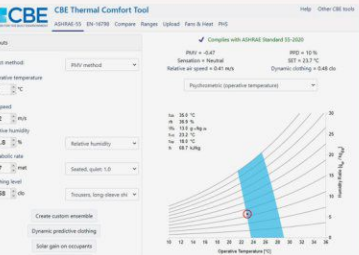
Model Properties Close

HVAC type: VAV - Return Air Package (System 5)

Baseline: ASHRAE 90.1-2019

ASHRAE Climate Zone: 2

Wall Insulation	2 W/m <sup>2</sup> K	
Floor Insulation	1.8 W/m <sup>2</sup> K	
Roof Insulation	0.8 W/m <sup>2</sup> K	
Glazing U-Factor	3.2 W/m <sup>2</sup> K	
Visible Light Transmittance	0.65	Unchanged
Solar Heat Gain Coefficient	0.55	
Infiltration Rate	0.14 m <sup>3</sup> /m <sup>2</sup> h	
Ventilation Rate	18 L/s-person	
Equipment	20 W/m <sup>2</sup>	
Lighting	18 W/m <sup>2</sup>	



## BENCHMARK

Office - in Pretoria, GT, ZA, G...

Model Properties Close

HVAC type: VAV - Return Air Package (System 5)

Baseline: ASHRAE 90.1-2019

ASHRAE Climate Zone: 2

Wall Insulation	0.8 W/m <sup>2</sup> K	
Floor Insulation	1.25 W/m <sup>2</sup> K	
Roof Insulation	0.31 W/m <sup>2</sup> K	
Glazing U-Factor	3 W/m <sup>2</sup> K	
Visible Light Transmittance	1	Best practice values
Solar Heat Gain Coefficient	0.81	
Infiltration Rate	2.24 m <sup>3</sup> /m <sup>2</sup> h	
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Equipment	15 W/m <sup>2</sup>	
Lighting	5 W/m <sup>2</sup>	

## ITERATION 3

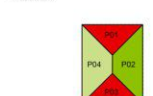
### STRATEGY

Insulation values

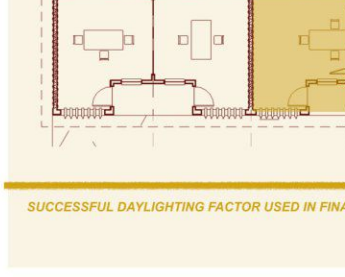
- Wall, floor and roof received lower u-values
- The values were changed slightly from the original values from the base case
- Values closer to benchmark values

### RESULT

MEDIUM PMV



### TESTING



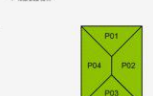
### STRATEGY

Insulation values

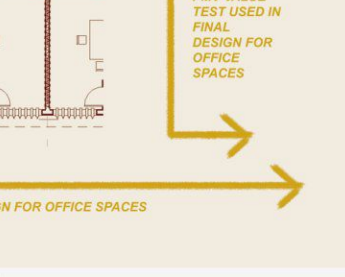
- Wall, floor and roof received even lower u-values
- The values were changed drastically from the original values from the base case
- Values now fall beyond what the benchmark predicted for best practice

### RESULT

SUCCESSFUL PMV



### TESTING



## FINAL DESIGN

Office - in Pretoria, GT, ZA, G...

Model Properties Close

HVAC type: VAV - Return Air Package (System 5)

Baseline: ASHRAE 90.1-2019

ASHRAE Climate Zone: 2

Wall Insulation	0.2 W/m <sup>2</sup> K	Lower
Floor Insulation	0.45 W/m <sup>2</sup> K	Lower
Roof Insulation	0.32 W/m <sup>2</sup> K	Lower
Glazing U-Factor	2.8 W/m <sup>2</sup> K	Lower
Visible Light Transmittance	0.65	
Solar Heat Gain Coefficient	0.2	
Infiltration Rate	7 m <sup>3</sup> /m <sup>2</sup> h	Lower
Ventilation Rate	18 L/s-person	Lower
Equipment	12 W/m <sup>2</sup>	Lower
Lighting	6 W/m <sup>2</sup>	Lower

# BUILDING PERFORMANCE



# INDUSTRY PROBLEM



CONVENTIONAL BUILDING TECHNOLOGIES / PRACTICE

& CONSTRUCTION WASTE MATERIAL

INDUSTRY ENVIRONMENT



The construction industry is a main contributor to climate change, pollution, energy use and the exhaustion of valuable and limited resources (Othman, 2009: 39) with the role that an architect plays as critical in the execution of sustainability (Sebake, 2008: 12).

The built industry is not only a culprit in terms of its destructive impact on the natural environment, but acts as an essential role player in the country's economic and social development (Othman, 2009: 36).

There is a crucial need for architects to include appropriate building technologies that would contribute to the further development of the tectonic trajectory in South Africa, which will benefit the economy and the natural environment.

The solution cannot be to simply continue with new building technologies that are void of specific values that contribute to the built environment, but to be innovative and include building technologies that will be able to add value to the built environment and larger context in South Africa.

## RESEARCH QUESTION

Can the inclusion of Emerging Building Technologies within the built industry contribute value to the environment such as being more versatile, economical, contextually responsive and socially responsible in the South African context? Can this cause the EBTs to be catalysts for the development of the current stagnant state of the tectonic trajectory in South Africa?

INDUSTRY ENVIRONMENT



# RESEARCH

## DEFINITION

### emerging building technology

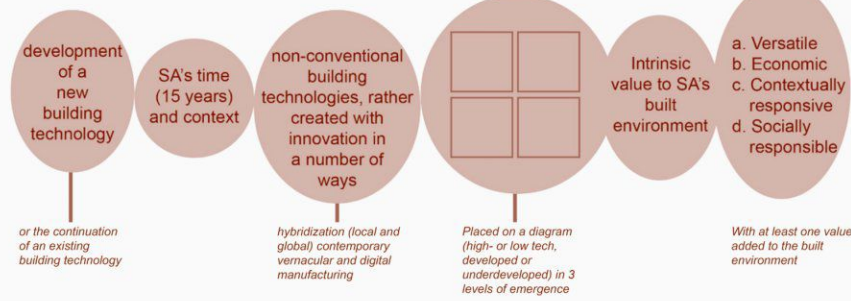
/i'mə:dʒɪŋ/ /bɪldɪŋ/ /tek'nɒlədʒi/

noun plural 'emerging building technologies'

Material Construction Process Structural system

Research on the Evolution of Building Technology Based on Regional Revitalization (Wu, Wei, Peng, 2019)

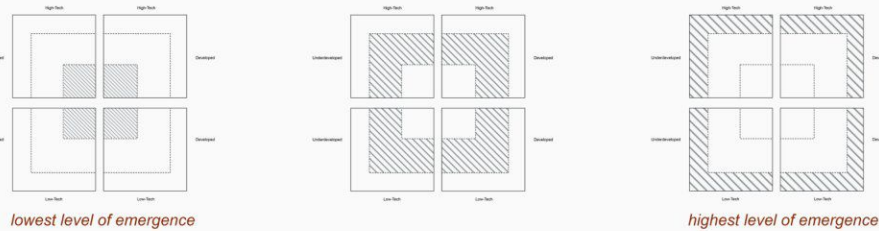
1. An emerging building technology (EBT) is the development or continuation of a building technology that has emerged over the past 15 years within the South African built environment. Emerging building technologies are counter to the current/conventional building technologies that are mainly used in the industry and can be formulated in a variety of ways.
  2. It can be due to the hybridization of local and global technologies (Louw, 2022: 2) or the contemporary consideration of vernacular traditions/African building dynamics (Steyn, 2020: 2). Another way is by means of digital manufacturing with involvement of "craft practice as a knowledge-generating activity..." (Loh, 2019: 258), or the invention of a complete new material, construction process or structural system (Wu, Wei & Peng, 2019: 1).
  3. These building technologies can be placed on a spectrum of being low-tech (hand-based) or high-tech (industrialised) as a mode of production as well as receiving a development status within the local context.
  4. Emerging building technologies hold intrinsic value to the built environment by being either versatile, economic, socially responsible or contextually responsive.
- (DIT 801 Extend Ways of Working, Cobus Bothma Research Group 2023)



## CATALOGUE

ARCHITECT & PROJECT	IMAGE	YEAR	LOCATION	REPORT	EMERGING BUILDING TECHNOLOGY			PRODUCTION MODE		DEVELOPMENT		VALUE
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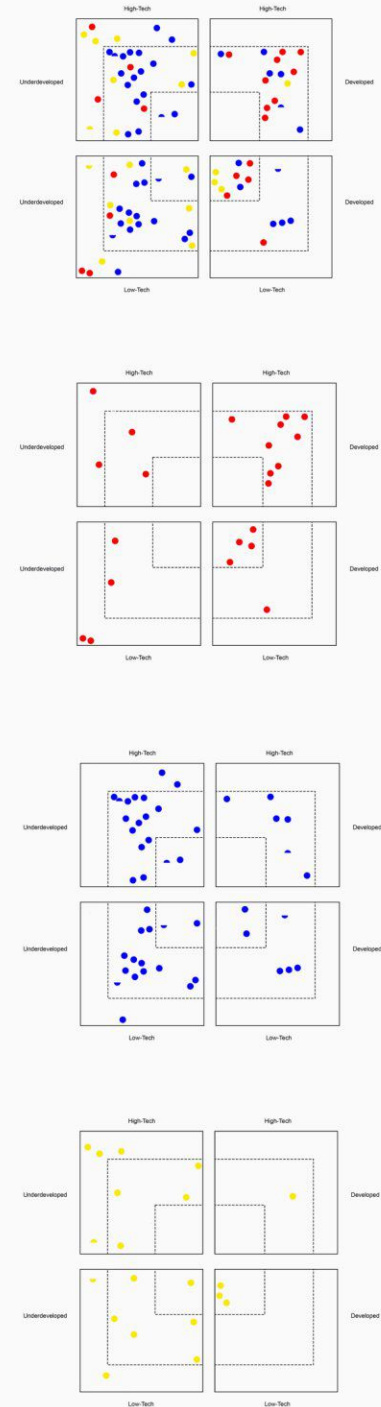
## PLOTTING



## PROJECTS

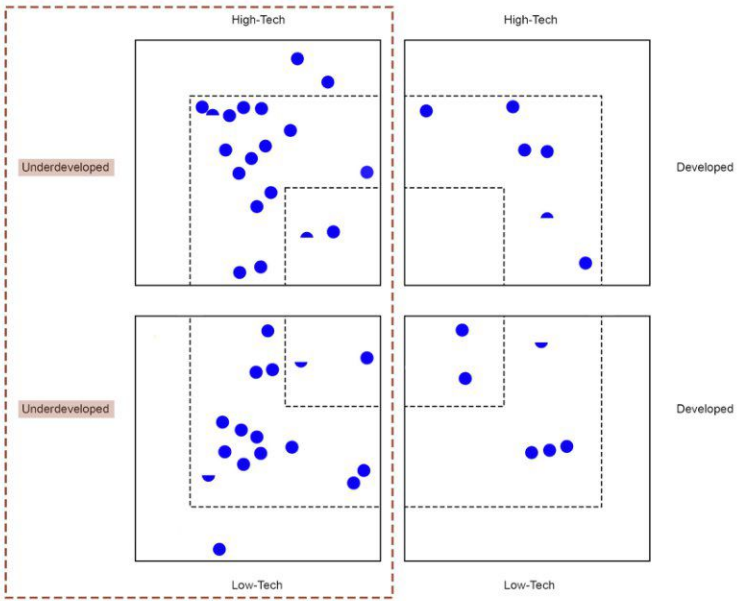


# RESULTS



# (EMERGING) BUILDING TECHNOLOGIES

# ANALYSIS

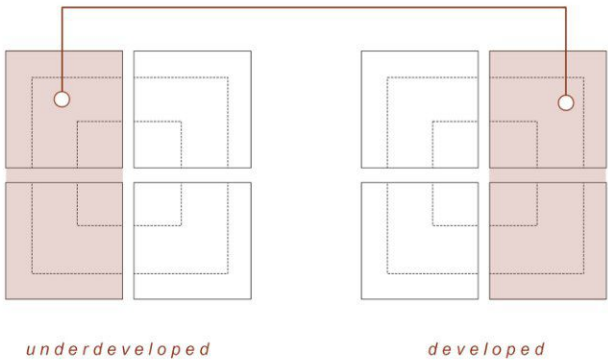


## focus on construction process

The construction process was the selected category of emerging building technology that would receive focus within the project. The majority of EBTs as construction processes are underdeveloped due to a range of challenges, which could be arguably caused by the lack of systematic integration into South Africa's built environment.

## CONSTRUCTION PROCESS

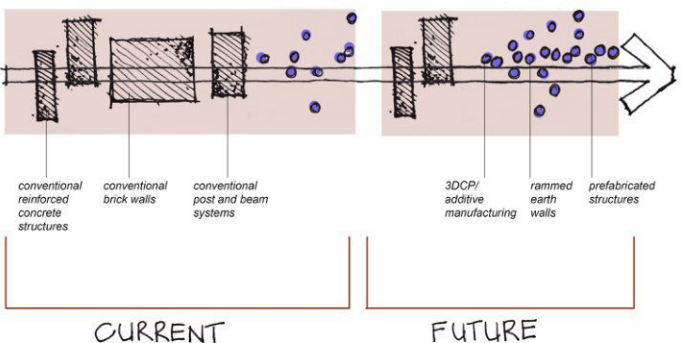
The aim is to shift the placement of EBT construction processes in South Africa from the "underdeveloped" to the "developed" side of the industry. This project contributes to this aim by including EBT construction processes in the buildings on site with the emphasis on 3DCP of walls.



gradual, but deliberate shift

## INDUSTRY AIM

The aim of placing the focus on the construction process as the main EBT is to use the opportunity of the aforementioned building technologies that are currently on the spectrum along with conventional building technologies within the built industry. Based on the research conducted, by incorporating emerging construction processes in the project, the probability of shifting this category of EBT from "underdeveloped" to "developed" is the most likely within the South African context. Built environment professionals will have front seat exposure to construction processes when they are involved with the project's programmes. The public will additionally also gain exposure, creating a wide entry level for the selected construction processes.




integrated approach


# EBTs




## Silindokuhle Creche

ARCHITECT & PROJECT	IMAGE	YEAR	LOCATION	REPORT	EMERGING BUILDING TECHNOLOGY			PRODUCTION MODE		DEVELOPMENT		VALUE	
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Kimwelle, Kevin Silindokuhle Creche		2017	Joe Slovo Township, Qeberha, Eastern Cape	The building is made out of recycled materials by local builders that constructed a section of the building as a composite wall that contains glass and concrete within a timber frame. The architect works with the "Grassroot Community" concept that enables positive change from a community, to a region, to the local context all the way to an international level.	N/A	Recycled glass bottles, timber and corrugated iron used in structure						The project is <b>economical</b> because of the recycled glass bottles that they make use of to build parts of the structure.  The composite wall with the glass bottle ensures natural light to enter the building for the educational programme, that lowers the need for electricity usage in the community.  The project is also <b>socially responsible</b> because the different class-income groups were connected due to the contribution and donation process "...connecting the most privileged members of the city with the most marginalised." (Chapman 2019)	
						N/A	The construction process involved conventional techniques						
							Composite wall with glass wine bottles between plywood panels	The composite wall is constructed by hand by layering the glass bottles and concrete within the timber frame by hand.	Using glass bottles as part of a structural system is under-developed in SA. Usually walls are constructed from conventional elements that don't let light through a recycled object.				

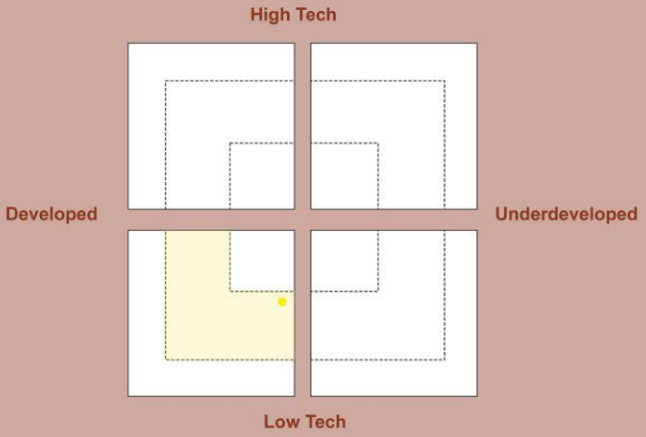
## Soil and Serenity

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Veld Architects Soil and Serenity		2022	Rhenosterspruit Conservancy, Centurion, Gauteng	A residence project where the rammed earth walls contain soil takes from the site to pay homage to the context.	N/A	Soil used for the rammed earth walls						The project proves to be very <b>economical</b> since the shipping containers "... are 25 percent cheaper than conventional brick and mortar homes." (Laylin, 2013)  This project is <b>versatile</b> because this structure can be repeated and linked infinitely, meaning that it is versatile in size and usage.
						Rammed earth walls made on site by using the soil from the excavations, with plywood formwork and a pneumatic press.	It is low-tech due to the fact that simple methods are used to construct the walls.	It is high-tech due to the fact that industrial machines are used to construct the walls, such as pneumatic compressors.	Rammed earth walls are developed within the SA context - it has been done by many practitioners			
							N/A steel columns					

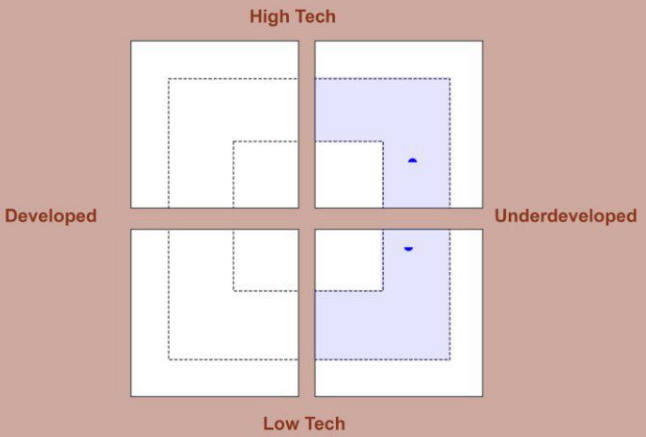
## UJ 3DCP House

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UJ's Faculty of Civil Engineering and the Built Environment, in partnership with the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Human Settlements and AfriSam  South Africa's first 3D printed low-cost house		2022	Johannesburg, Gauteng	South Africa has completed its first 3D printed low-cost construction home.  The 3D printing technique used can build a house in less than 24 hours.	N/A	Concrete						Due to its efficiency, this means of construction resulted in residential infrastructure being produced at an unprecedented rate while using 32% less of the materials required for traditional construction methods. This could be a catalyst for procuring sustainable human settlements while strengthening the economy.
						3D printable concrete layered in layers one on top of another by a robotic industrial printing arm. Openings were accounted for as the printing process was in session	Automated robotic printing arm utilised on site to print the main concrete structure of the low cost home. Although a smaller labour force is needed for this project, the people involved need to be highly skilled practitioners.	Automated construction practices and BIM modeling techniques				
							N/A	Load bearing walls				

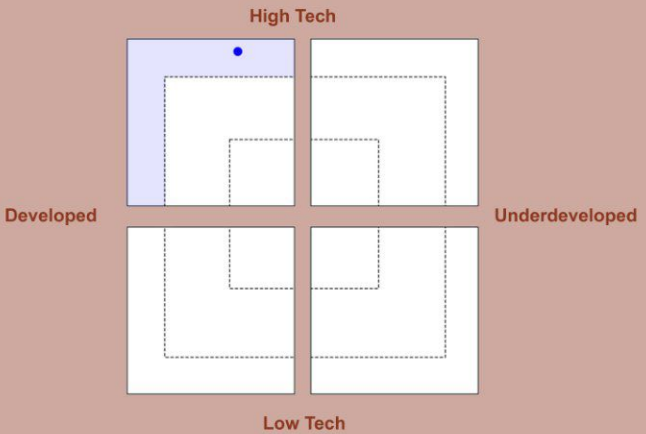
**Silindokuhle Creche** *structure*



**Soil and Serenity** *construction process*



**UJ 3DCP House** *construction process*



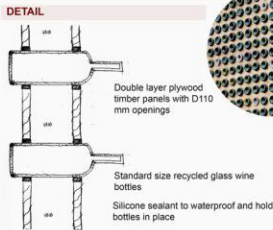
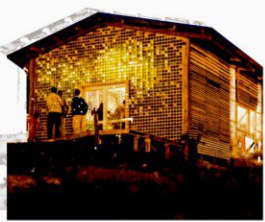


# CONSTRUCTION

(Chapman, 2019)

## Silindokuhle Creche

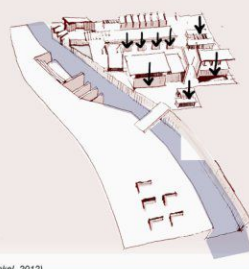
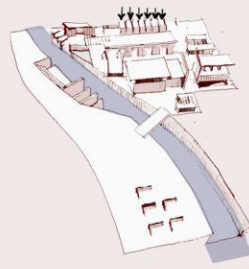
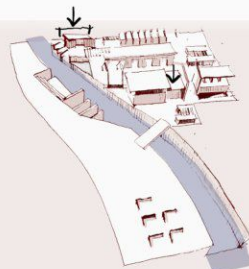
Kevin Kimwelle  
2017, Eastern Cape, SA  
50 m2  
Educational



**Low Tech & Underdeveloped**  
Composite wall with glass wine bottles and timber panels as infill

## COMPOSITE BOTTLE WALL SYSTEM

INCLUDED IN SELECTED AREAS OF THE BUILDINGS IN COMBINATION WITH 3DCP WALLS. COMPOSITE WALL DESIGNED TO SHOWCASE THE MORE SUSTAINABLE ASPECT OF EMERGING BUILDING TECHNOLOGIES.



## RAMMED EARTH WALL

WALLS ARE PLACED ON THE NORTHERN BOUNDARY OF THE SITE. TO PLACE AN EBT ON THE REAR FRONT OF THE PREMISES TO ACT AS AN INITIAL INTRODUCTION. REPIETITION IS ALSO CREATED BY THE PLACEMENT OF THE WALLS ON SITE.

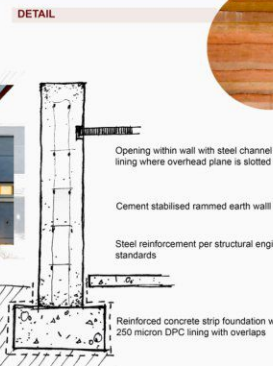
## 3DCP WALLS

STRUCTURES TOWARDS THE INNER PARTS OF SITE ARE CREATED FROM ADDITIVE MANUFACTURING TECHNIQUES. THE WALLS REQUIRE NO FORMWORK DURING CONSTRUCTION AND MINIMAL REINFORCEMENT IN STRUCTURAL COLUMNS.

(Veld Architects, 2023)

## Soil and Serenity

Veld Architects  
2022, Centurion, SA  
500 m2  
Residence



**Low Tech & Developed**  
Rammed earth walls made on site by using the soil from the excavations, with plywood formwork and a pneumatic press.

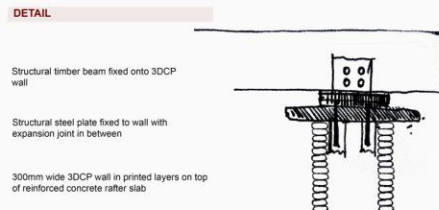
(Bahmann, Frenkel, 2012)

## House Zero

ICON and Lake Flato  
2022, Texas, USA  
Residential House



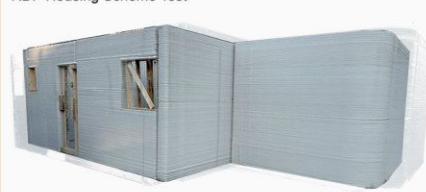
**High Tech & Developed**  
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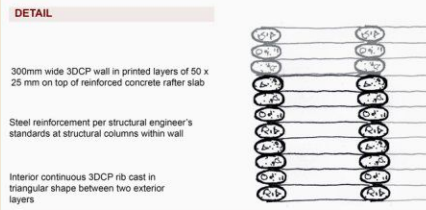
(News 24, 2023)

## UJ 3DCP House

University of Johannesburg & Afrisam  
2022, Johannesburg, South Africa  
RDP Housing Scheme Test



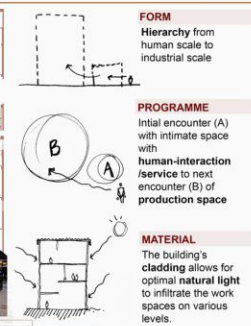
**High Tech & Underdeveloped**  
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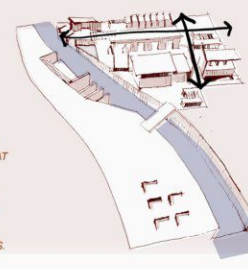
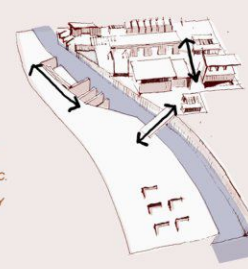
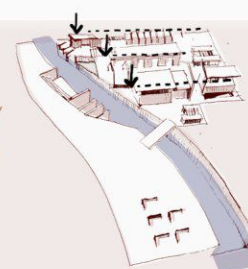
# SPATIAL

## Middle West Spirits

Jonathan Barnes Architecture and Design,  
2016, Columbus, US  
10 000m2  
Restaurant, Brewery



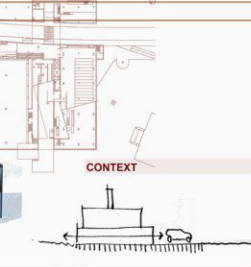
**HIERARCHY OF BUILDINGS IN VERTICAL VOLUME**  
THE NORTHERN BOUNDARY STARTS WITH THE SHORTER STRUCTURES STARTING AT A HUMAN-SCALE. BUILDINGS GROW IN LENGTH AS ONE MOVES CLOSER TOWARDS THE BACK OF THE SITE. THE PROGRAMME IS ALSO TAILORED TO MOVE FROM HUMAN-SERVICE SPACE TO PRODUCTIONS SPACE.



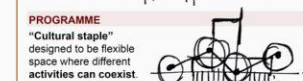
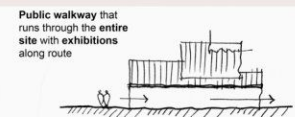
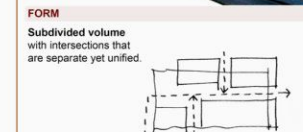
(Kroll, 2011)

## Kunsthal

OMA Architects  
1992, Rotterdam, Netherlands  
3 300 m2  
Museum



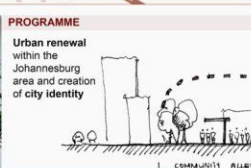
**INTEGRATION OF WALKWAYS BETWEEN BUILDINGS**  
PUBLIC WALKWAYS ARE INTEGRATED BETWEEN THE BUILDINGS ON SITE. EXHIBITION SPACES ARE CREATED AND DIRECTED TOWARDS THE PUBLIC. VARIOUS LEVELS OF TRANSPARENCY ARE APPLIED BY ADDING LAYERS OF DENSITY THROUGHOUT THE DESIGN.



(Bahmann, Frenkel, 2012)

## 44 On Stanley

Kate Otten Architects  
2023, Johannesburg, South Africa  
11 000 m2  
Mixed Use Urban Development



"foothold for emerging creative businesses"

Selected zones that close during evening hours for security

