

Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden

Sculpture Garden Revitalization

Final Design



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Melissa Chiu

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Landscape Design

Faye Harwell

Details

Felix Ade

Project Goals: Art, Architecture and Context



Doug Aitken, *Song 1*, Hirshhorn Museum, 2012

Gordon Bunshaft

Isamu Noguchi
with Nina and
Gordon
Bunshaft,
Ryoanji, Kyoto,
Japan 1960



Gordon
Bunshaft
Personal Photo,
Japan, 1969



Hirshhorn Sculpture Garden, 1974

Lester Collins



Hirshhorn Sculpture Garden, early 1980s

Gordon Bunshaft - Lester Collins



Gordon Bunshaft



Lester Collins

Hiroshi Sugimoto



Hiroshi Sugimoto, *Hiroshi Sugimoto*, Hirshhorn Museum, 2006



Hiroshi Sugimoto, Hirshhorn Museum Lobby, 2018 7

Stacked Stone on the National Mall



Constitution Gardens,
US National Park Service,
SOM and Dan Kiley, 1976.



Potomac Park,
US National Park Service
Olin, 2013.



Bartholdi Park,
US Botanic Gardens
2016.

Display of Modern Art



Fall 2019 – 1st and 2nd Stacked Stone Wall Mockup



Summer 2021 – 3rd Stacked Stone Wall Mockup



Rendering of Hepworth / Moore Room in the East Gallery

Evolution of Contemporary Art



Central Gallery Rendering



Jen Rosenblit, Hirshhorn Museum, 2018



Laurie Anderson, Hirshhorn Sculpture Garden, 2021

Large-Scale New Art



West Gallery Rendering



Are Years What?, Mark di Suvero, Hirshhorn Sculpture Garden, 2021

Gordon Bunshaft - Lester Collins - Hiroshi Sugimoto



Gordon Bunshaft



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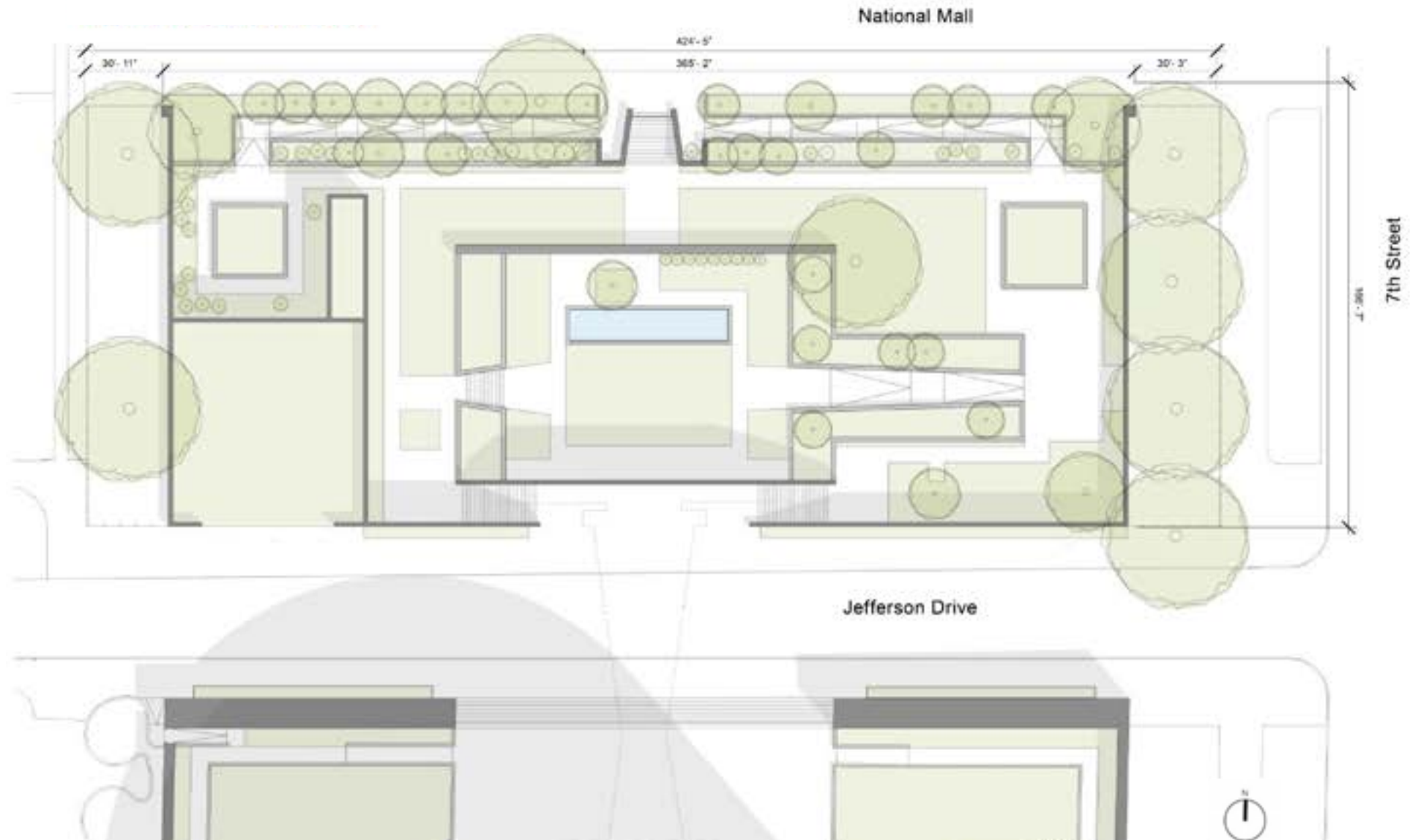
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A Message from Hiroshi Sugimoto

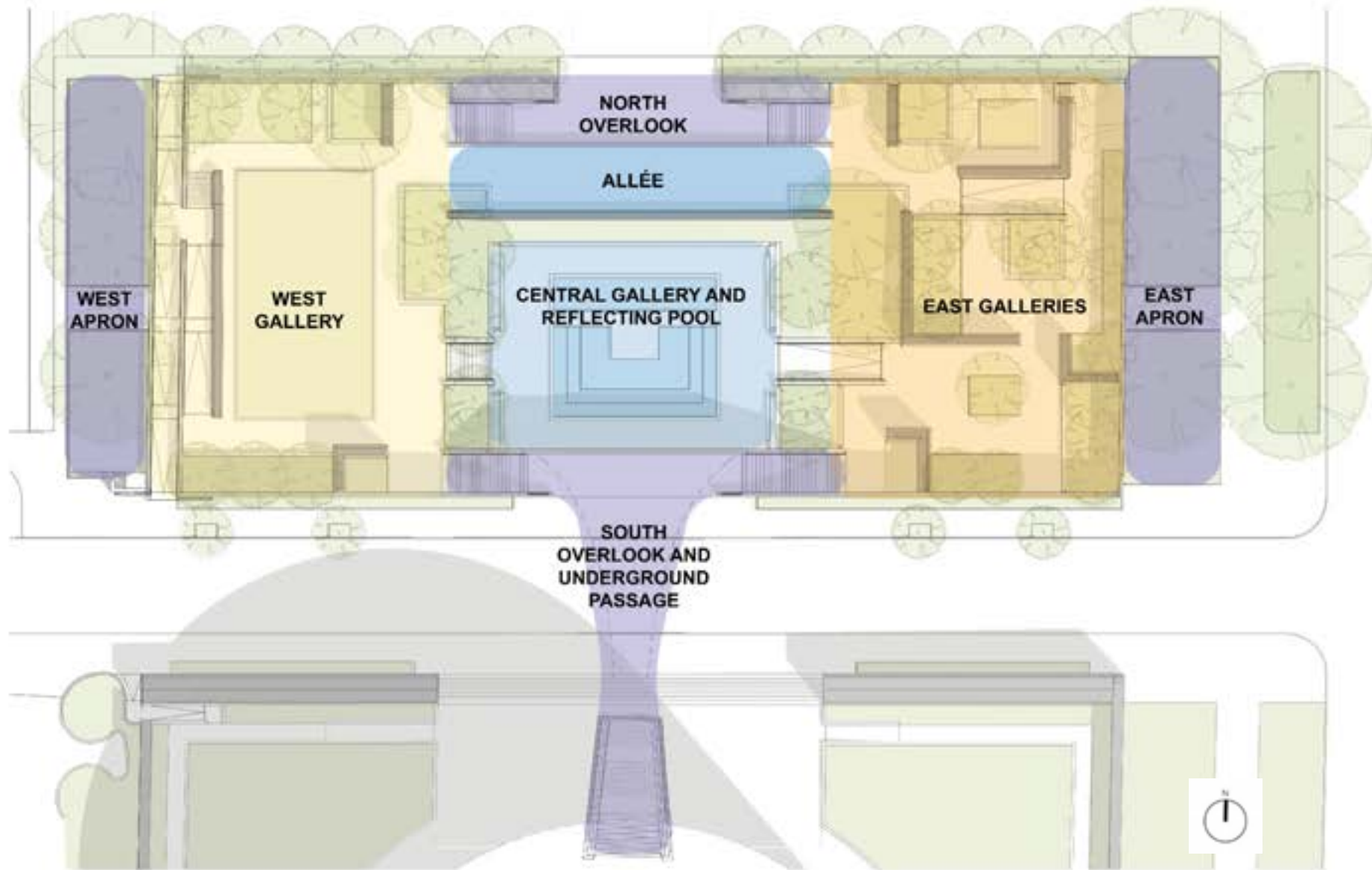


Aerial View of the Sculpture Garden

Existing Sculpture Garden Plan



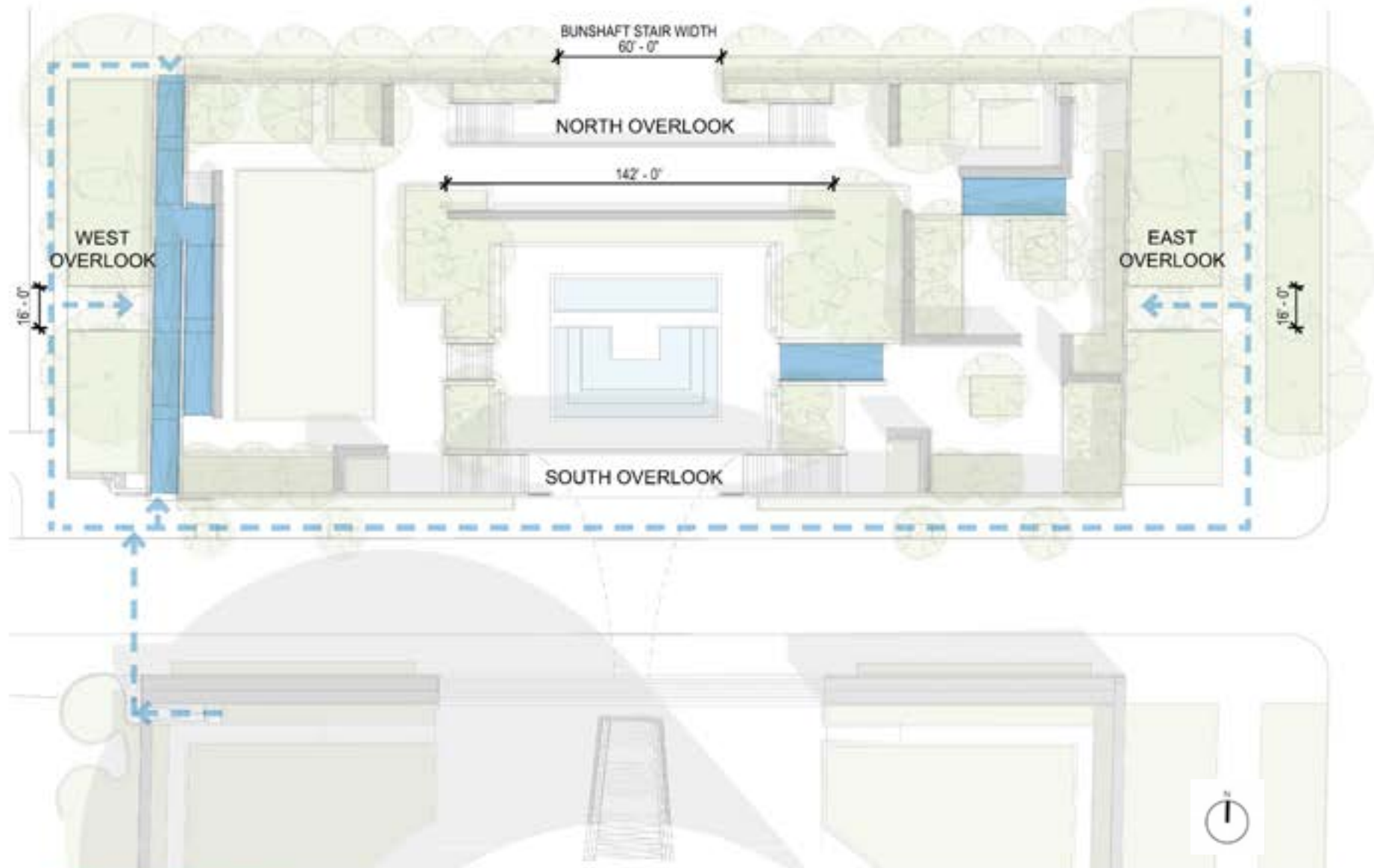
Garden Programming



Design Vision



Overlooks and Entries





North Overlook Entrance from the National Mall



Aprons East Apron Overlook looking into the East Galleries

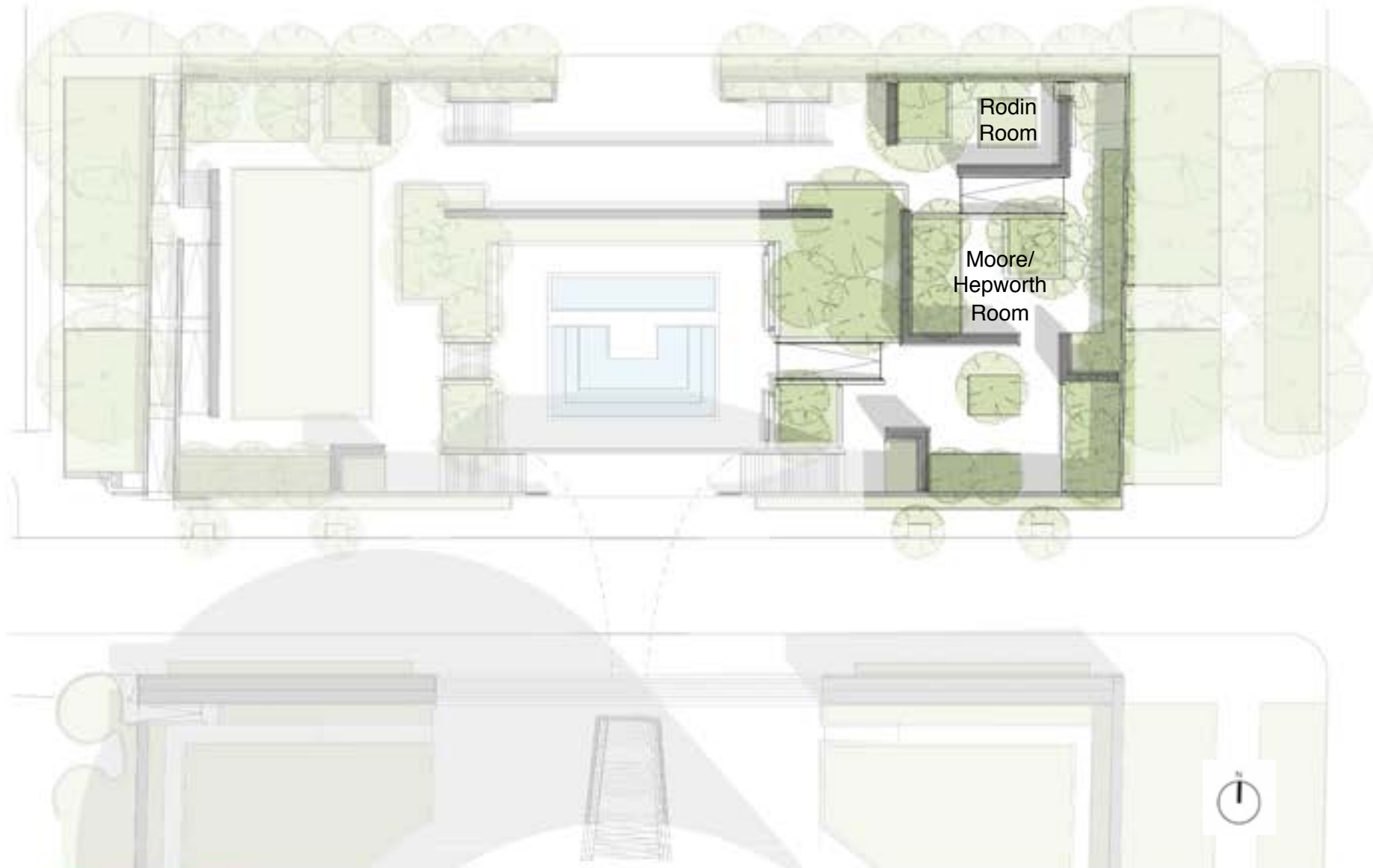


Central Axis View from the Museum's Lerner Room north across the Sculpture Garden



Central Axis View from the Allee through the Central Gallery, the Underground Passage and Museum beyond

East Galleries - 19th and 20th Century Masterworks



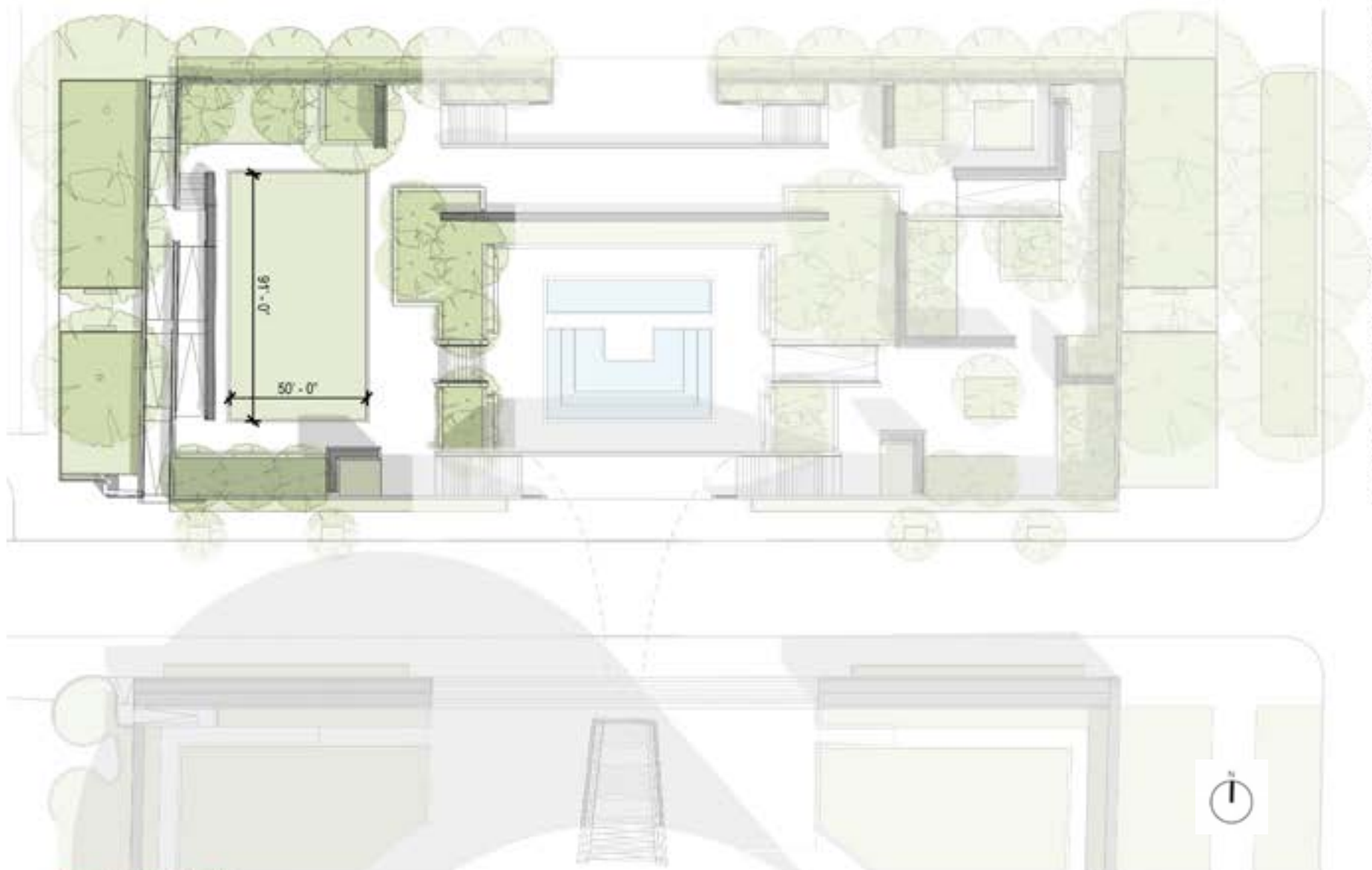


East Galleries Rodin Room



East Galleries Moore/Hepworth Room

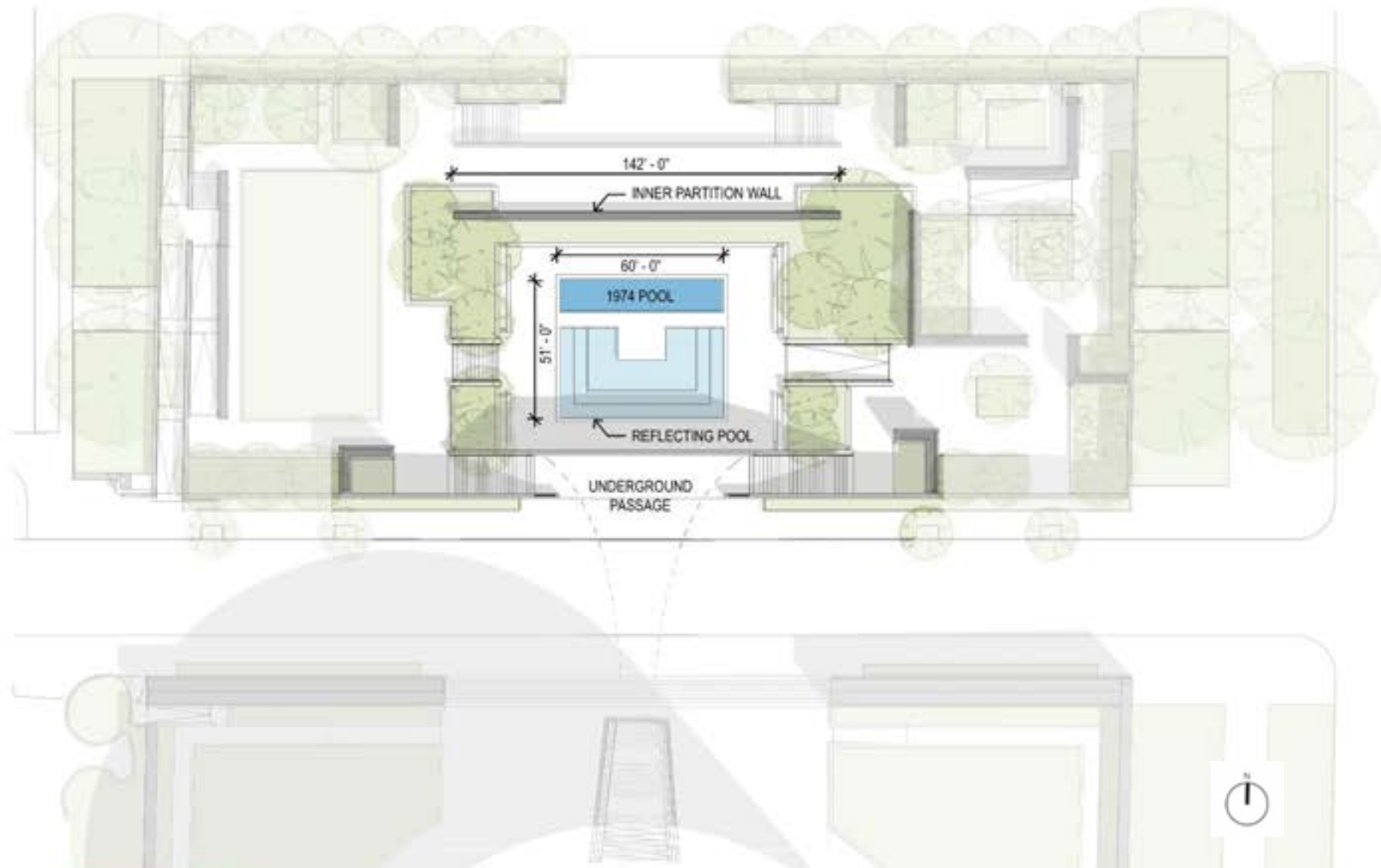
West Gallery – Contemporary Art and New Commissions





West Gallery Looking Southeast

Central Gallery – Performance Art and Community Activation



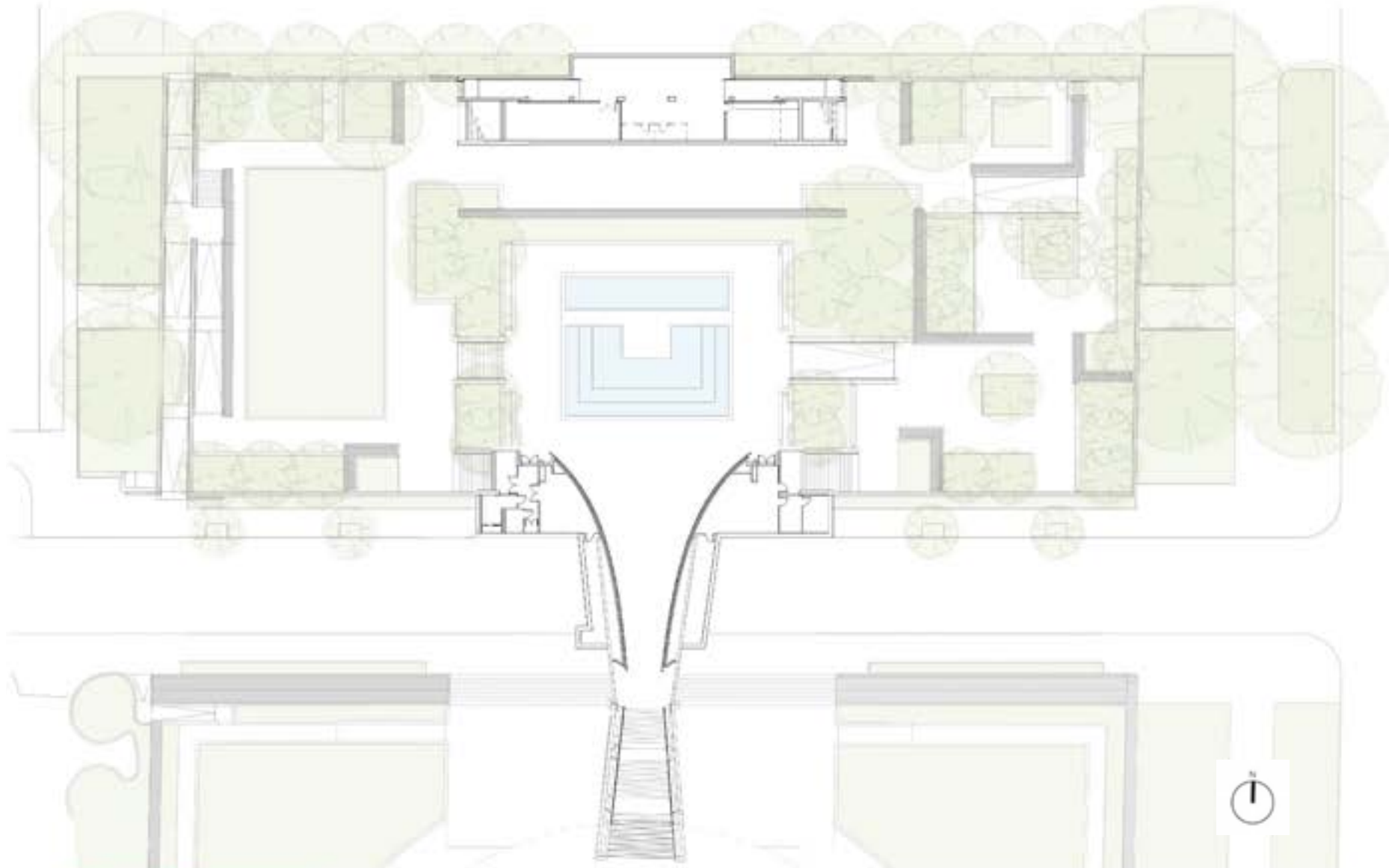


Central Gallery Sculpture Display

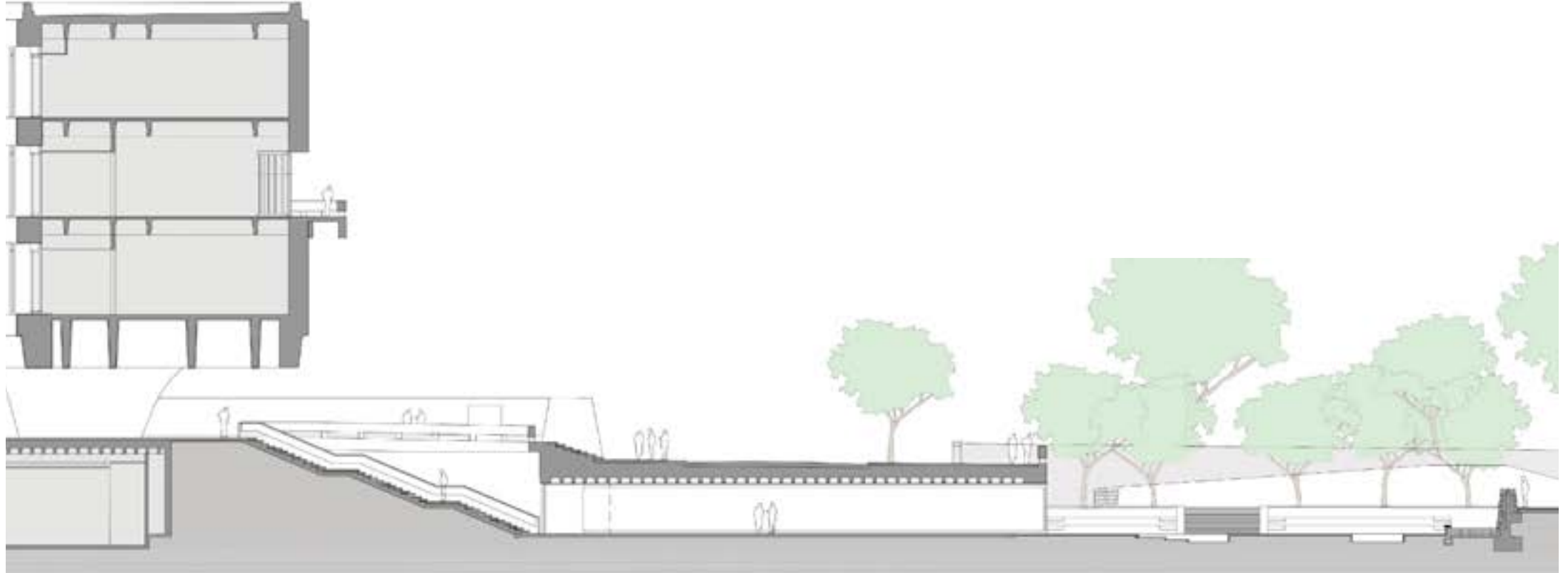


Central Gallery Fall Performance Art

Underground Passage



Underground Passage



N/S Site Section Through Museum Plaza Stair, Underground Passage and Sculpture Garden



Underground Passage View through the Central Gallery to the Underground Passage

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Material Palette

Landscape



Historically-Inspired



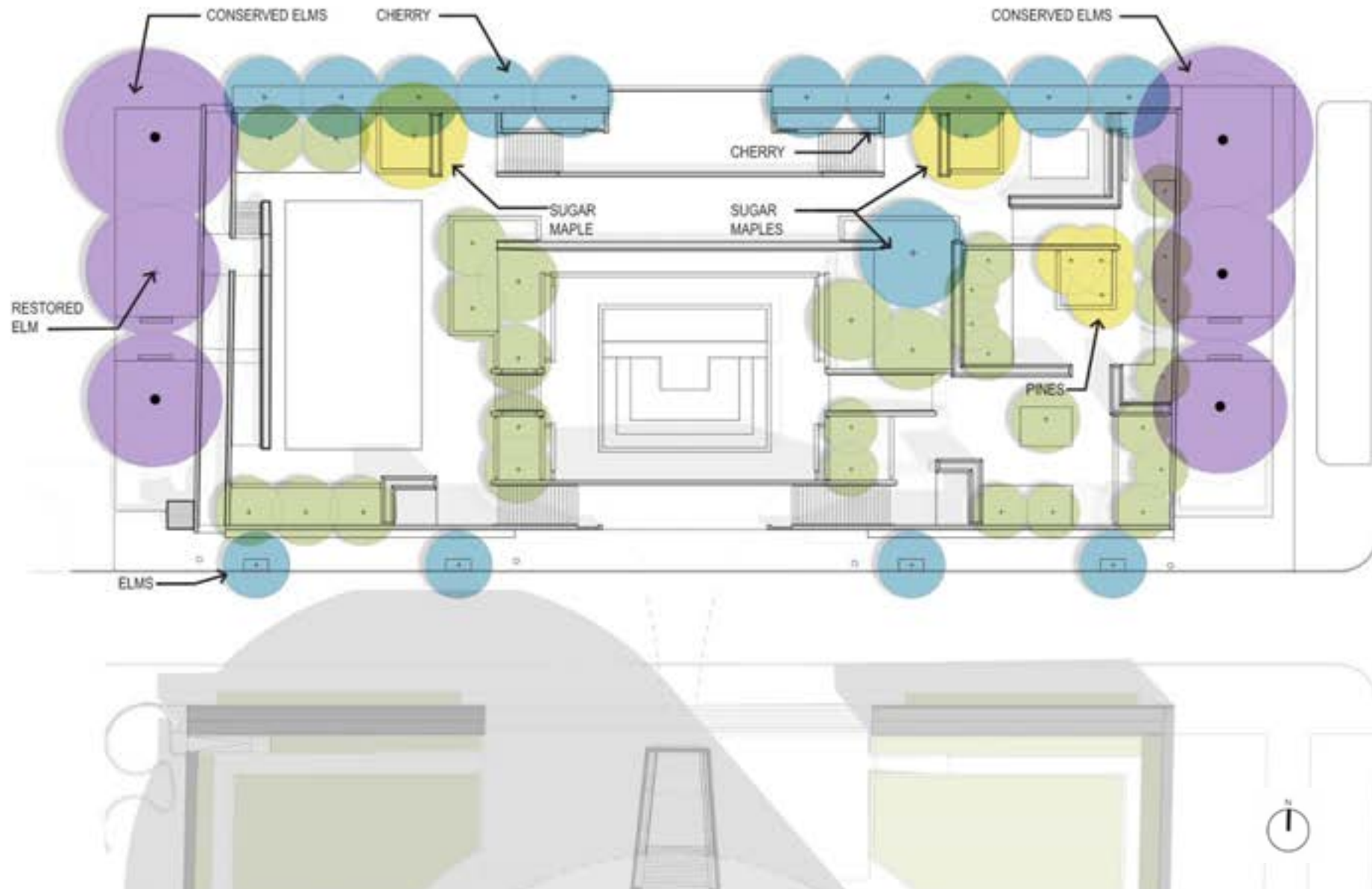
Reclaimed



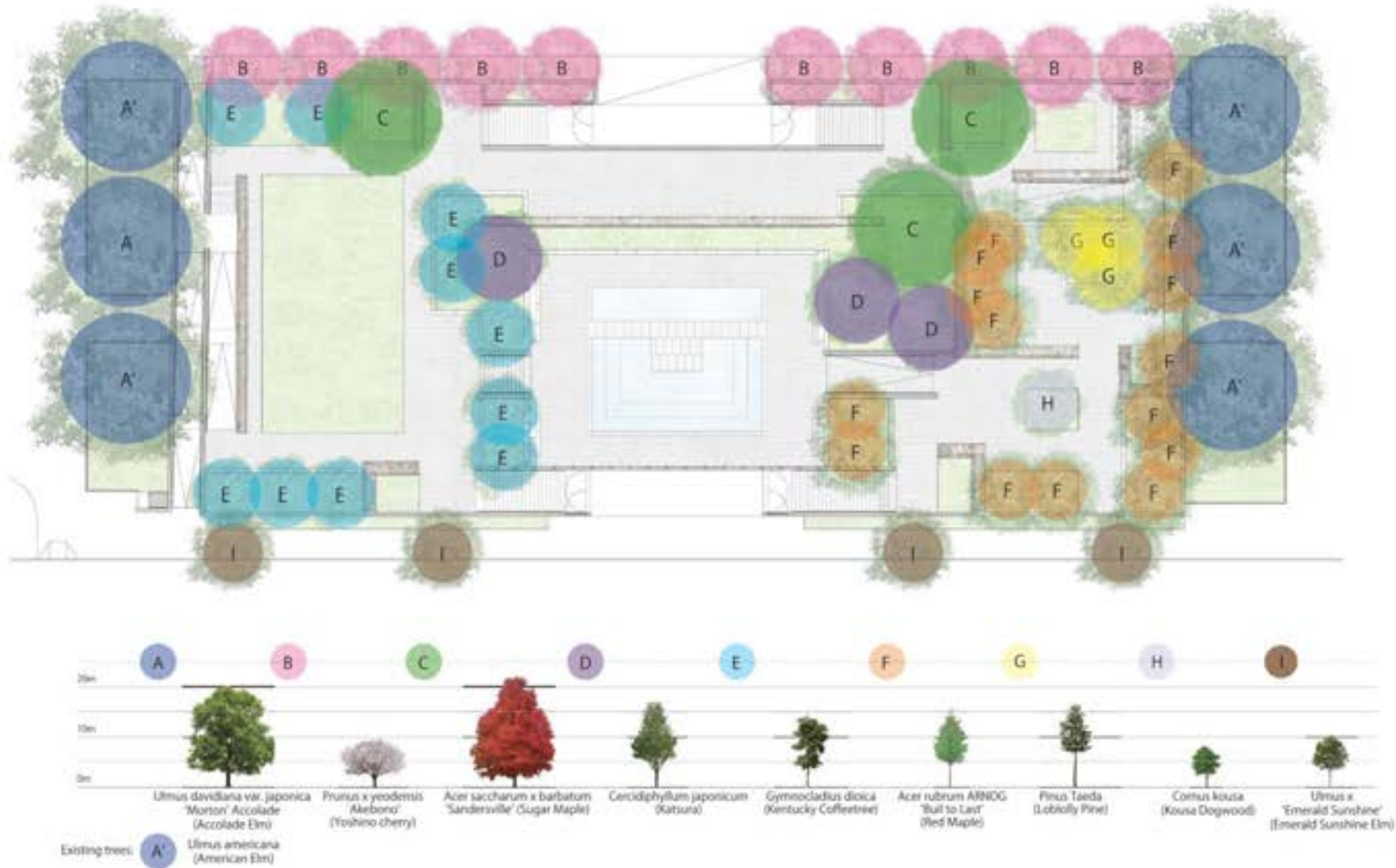
Reflections



Landscape - History



Landscape - Trees



Landscape - Trees

Acer saccharum x barbatum
'Sandersville'
Sugar Maple
Deciduous Tree
20-22m



Ulmus davidiana
var. *japonica*
'Morton'
ACCOLADE
Elm
Deciduous Tree
20-22m



Gymnocladus dioica
Kentucky Coffee
Tree
Deciduous Tree
10-14m



Pinus taeda
Loblolly Pine
Evergreen Tree
12-15m



Prunus yedoensis
'Akebono'
Flowering Cherry
Deciduous Tree
8-10m



Acer rubrum
ARNOG 'Built to Last'
Red Maple
Deciduous Tree
10-12m



Cornus kousa
Kousa Dogwood
Deciduous Tree
8-10m



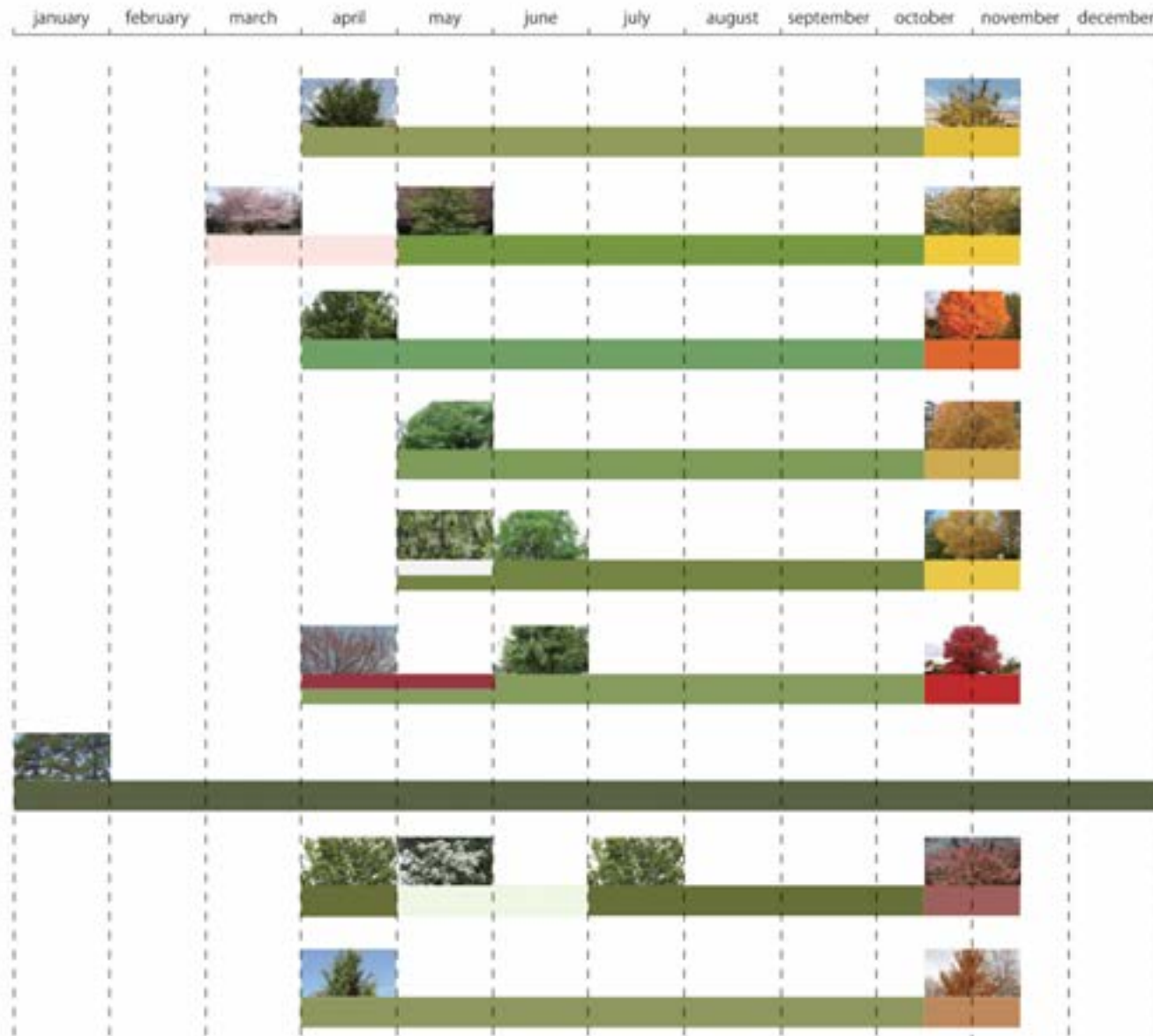
Cercidiphyllum japonicum
Katsura Tree
Deciduous Tree
10-14m



Ulmus x 'Emerald Sunshine'
Emerald Sunshine
Elm
Deciduous Tree
-12m

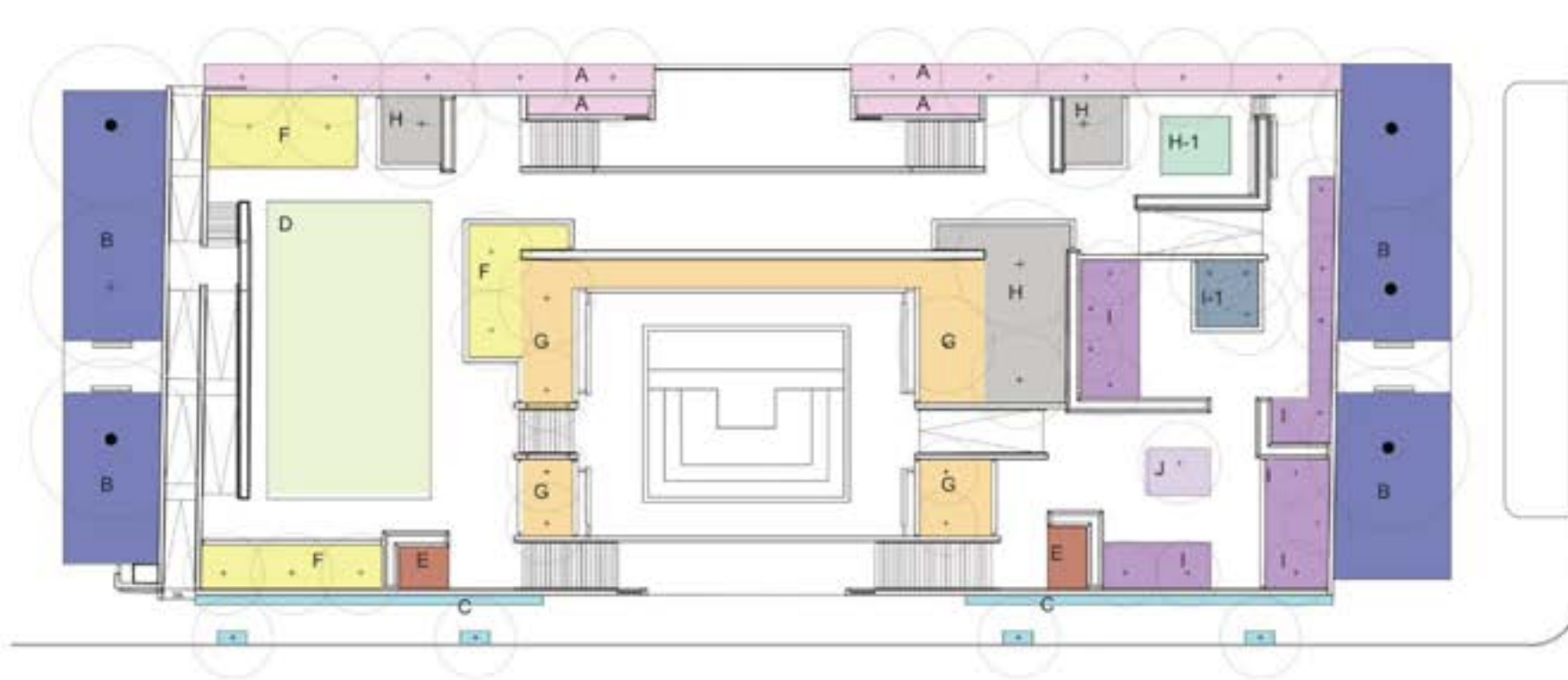


Landscape - Trees



- A** *Ulmus davidiana* var. *japonica* 'Morton' ACCOLADE Elm
- B** *Prunus yedoensis* 'Akabono' Flowering Cherry
- C** *Acer saccharum* x *barbatum* 'Sanderhill' Sugar Maple
- D** *Cercidiphyllum japonicum* Katsura Tree
- E** *Gymnocladus dioica* Kentucky Coffee Tree
- F** *Acer rubrum* 'ARNOG' 'Built to Last' Red Maple
- G** *Pinus taeda* Loblolly Pine
- H** *Cornus kousa* Kousa Dogwood
- I** *Ulmus* x 'Emerald Sunshine' Emerald Sunshine Elm

Landscape – Ground Plane



- A** Soft planting surrounding the Sakura trees
- B** Ground cover planting keeping coherence between the sunken garden and the surroundings
- C** Voluminous planting creating an attractive entrance space from south
- D** Lawn
- E** Delicate planting to create unique sculpture rooms
- F** Bright, delicate planting enhancing the openness of the west side
- G** Varied transitional planting surrounding the stage

- H** Lush low planting beneath the sugar maples
- H-1** Lush low planting around the Burghers of Calais
- I** Varied, gently colored planting in the shade of the grove
- I-1** Low shrub planting beneath the pines
- J** Steppable groundcover beneath the Wish Tree

Landscape – Ground Plane

Sanguisorba officinalis
Greater Burnet
Perennial
Bloom time: Summer-Fall
70-90cm
Europe



Anemone canadensis
Windflower
Perennial
Bloom time: Early Spring
20-40cm
North America



Carex appalachia
Appalachian Sedge
Perennial
30-60 cm
North America



Euphorbia carollata
Flowering Spurge
Perennial
Bloom time: Summer
30-90cm
North America



Porteranthus trifolius
Bowman's Root
Perennial
Bloom time: Summer
Notable fall color
60-90cm
North America



Anemone virginiana
Thimbleweed
Perennial
Bloom time: Spring
30-45 cm
North America



Aronia 'Ground hog'
Dwarf Chokeberry
Perennial
Bloom time: Spring
20-35cm
North America



Bouteloua gracilis
'Blonde Ambition'
Blue Gramma
Perennial
Bloom time: Summer
60-75cm
North America



Athyrium filix femina
'Lady in Red'
Lady Fern
Perennial
30-60cm
North America



Aquilegia canadensis 'Corbett'
Columbine
Perennial
Bloom time: Spring
30-45 cm
North America



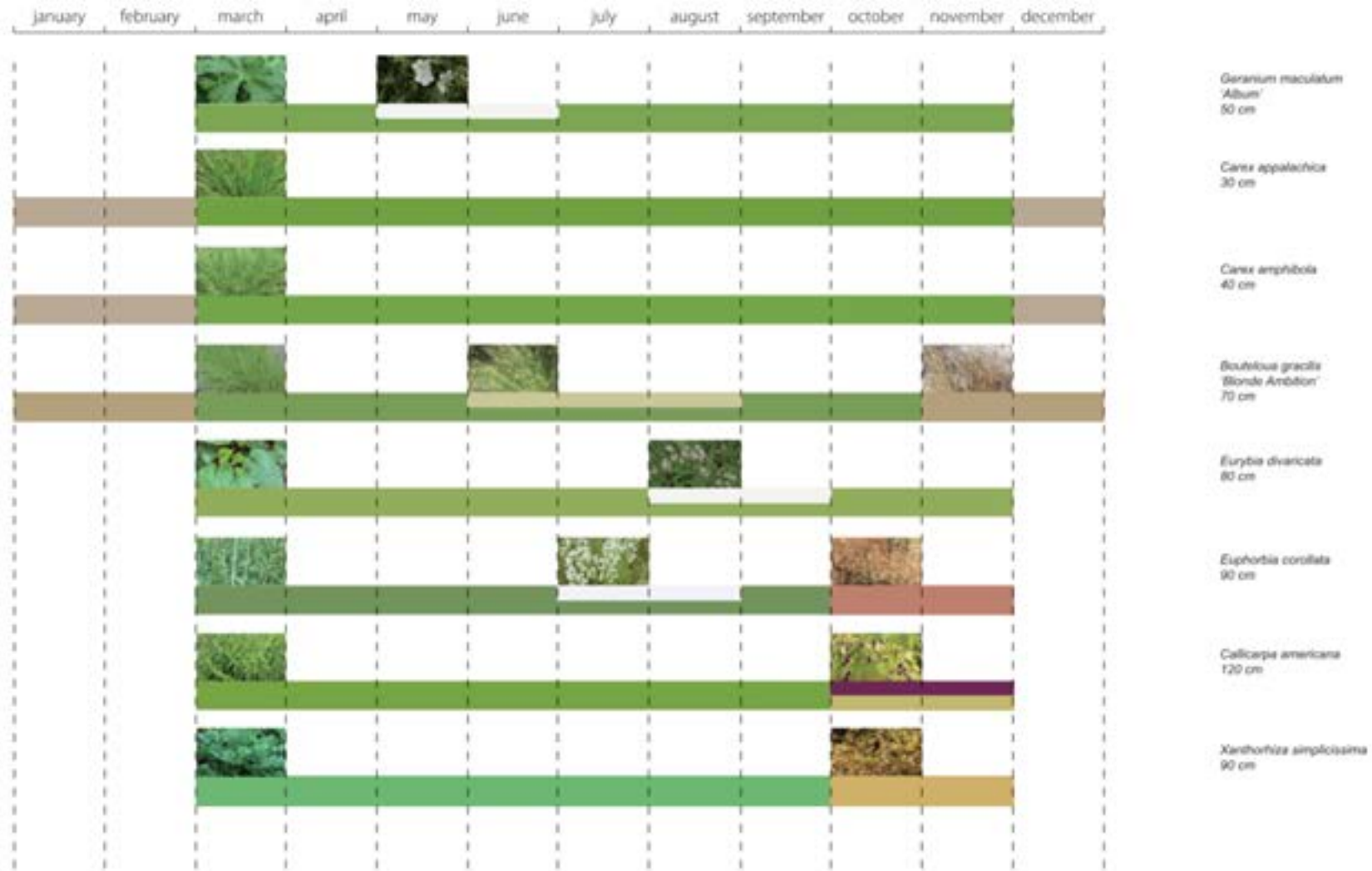
Geranium maculatum
'Album'
Wild Geranium
Perennial
Bloom time: Spring
30-60 cm
North America



Tiarella cordifolia
Foam Flower
Perennial
Bloom time: May
20-30cm
North America



Landscape – Ground Plane



Landscape – Ground Plane



Spring



Fall

Seasonal Planting Character



Mock-up Plantings

Landscape - Paving

Exposed Aggregate
Concrete Sidewalk



Granite – Swenson Pink,
Salvaged + New



Granite – Varied
Reclaimed from Asia



Granite
Absolute Black



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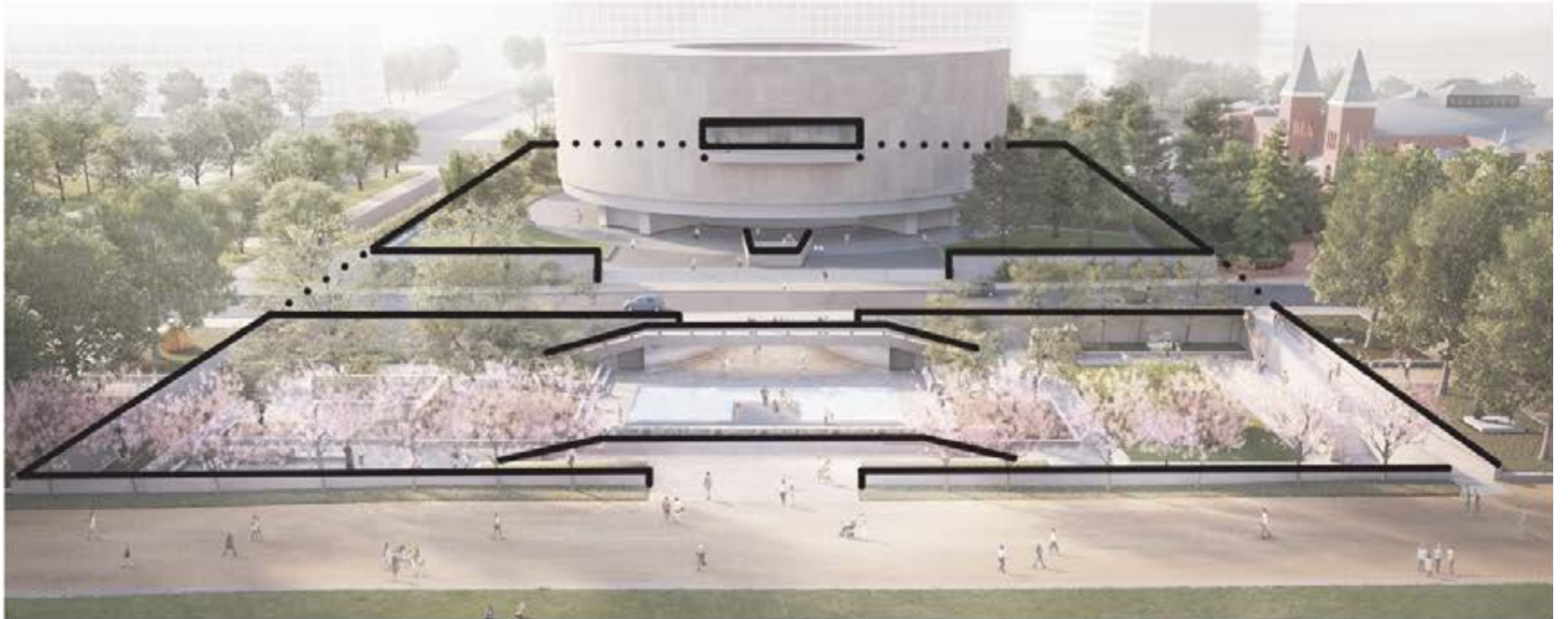
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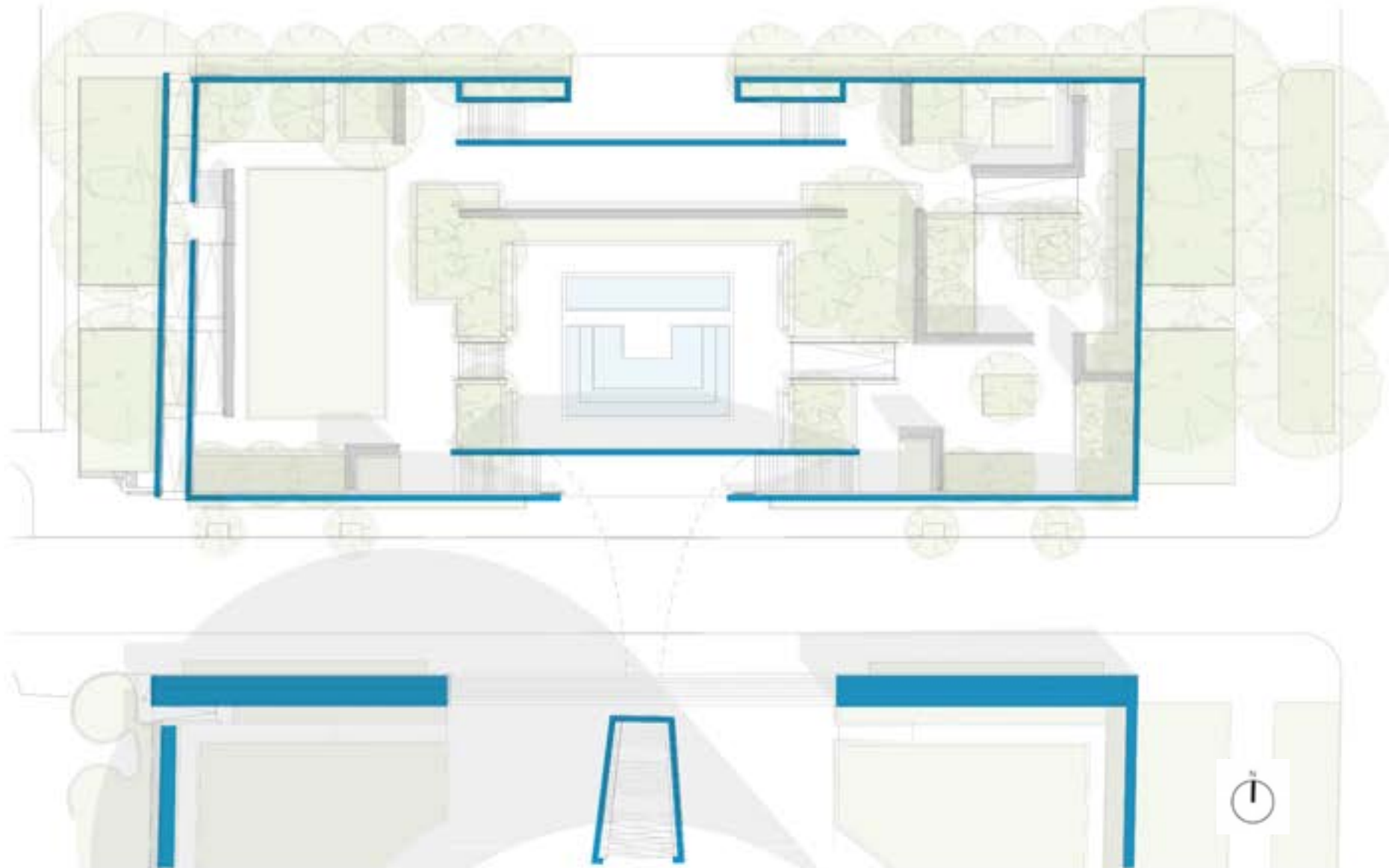
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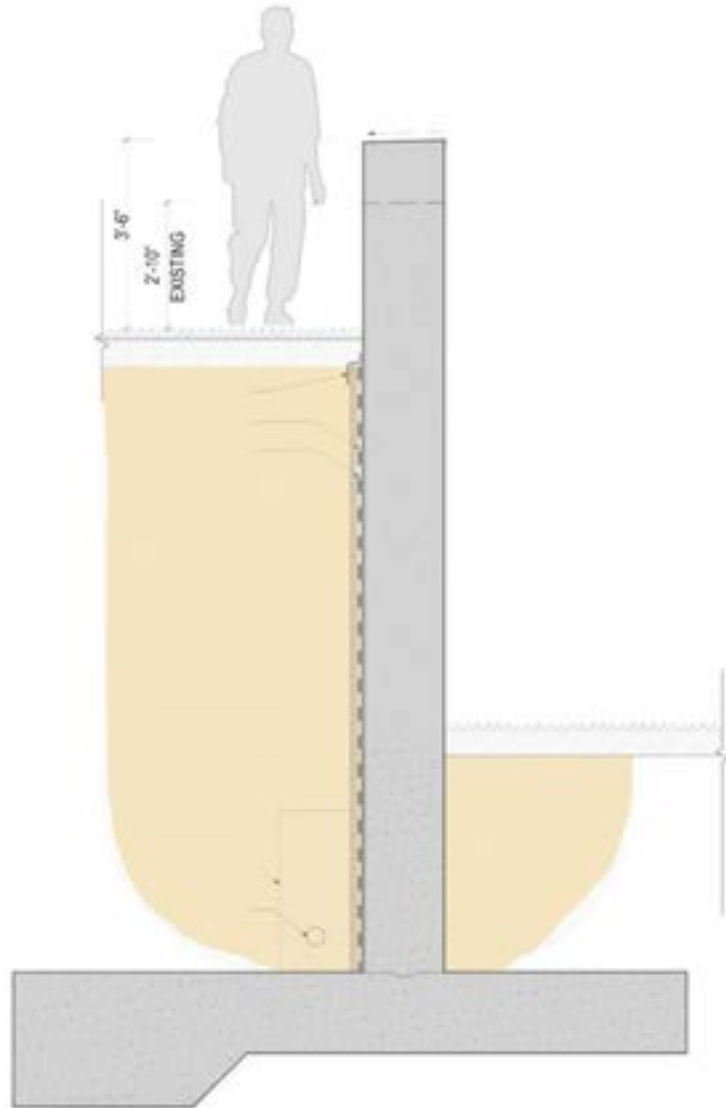
Concrete Walls



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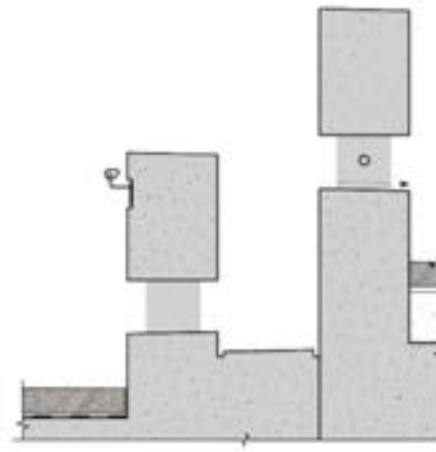
Concrete Walls and Guardrails



Perimeter Wall



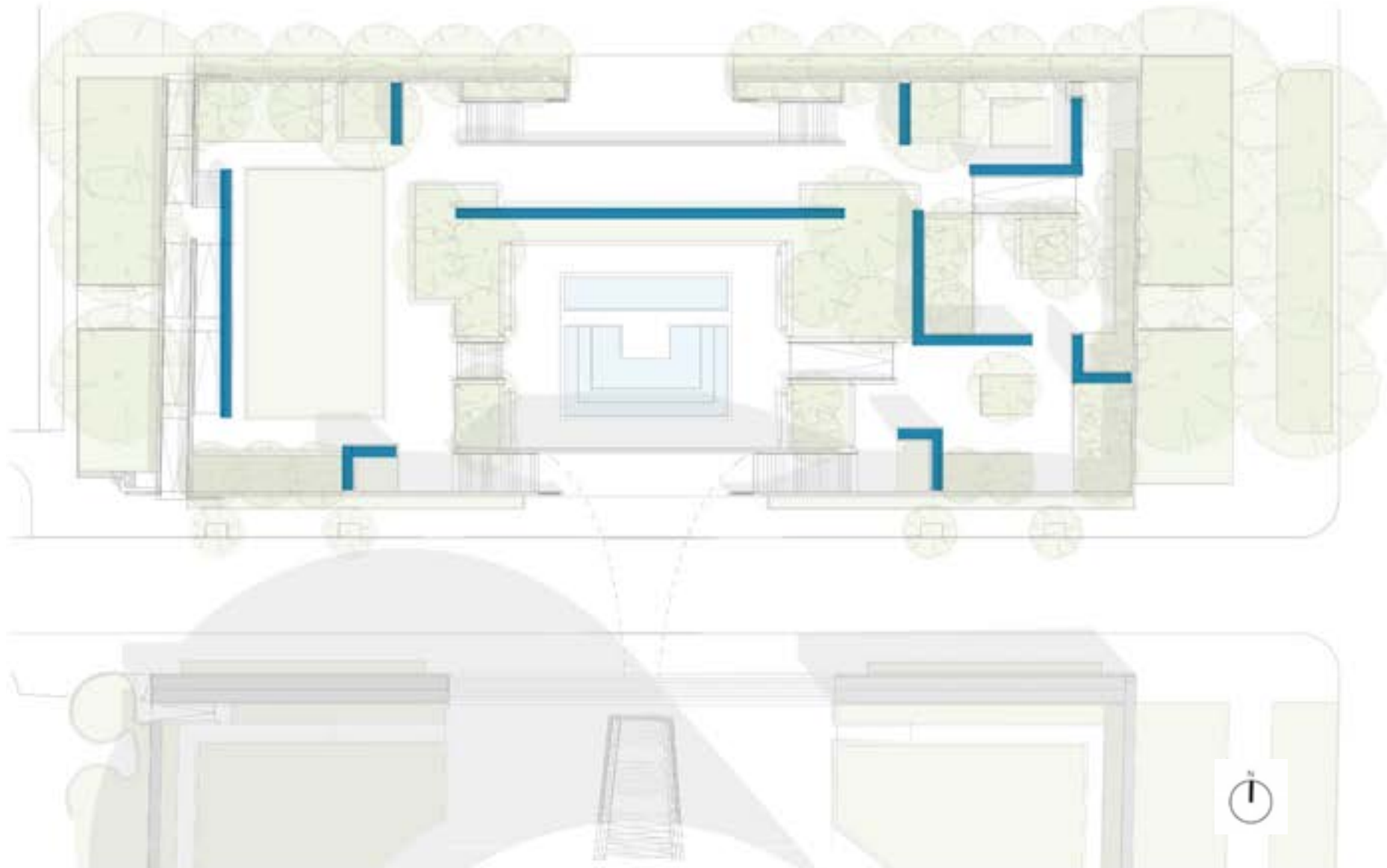
South Overlook Guardrail



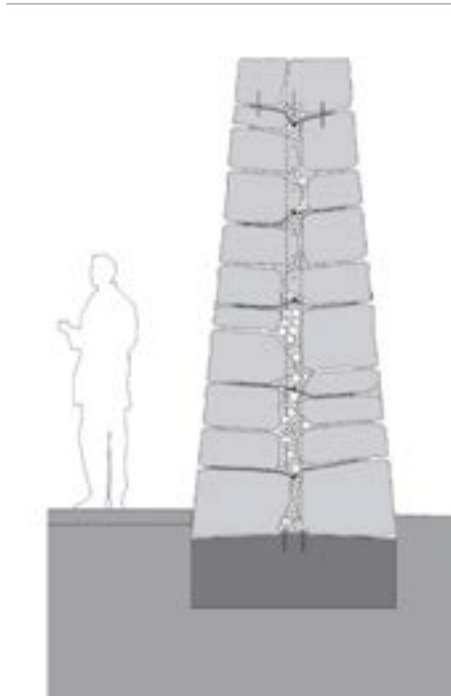
Plaza Guardrail



Stacked Stone Walls



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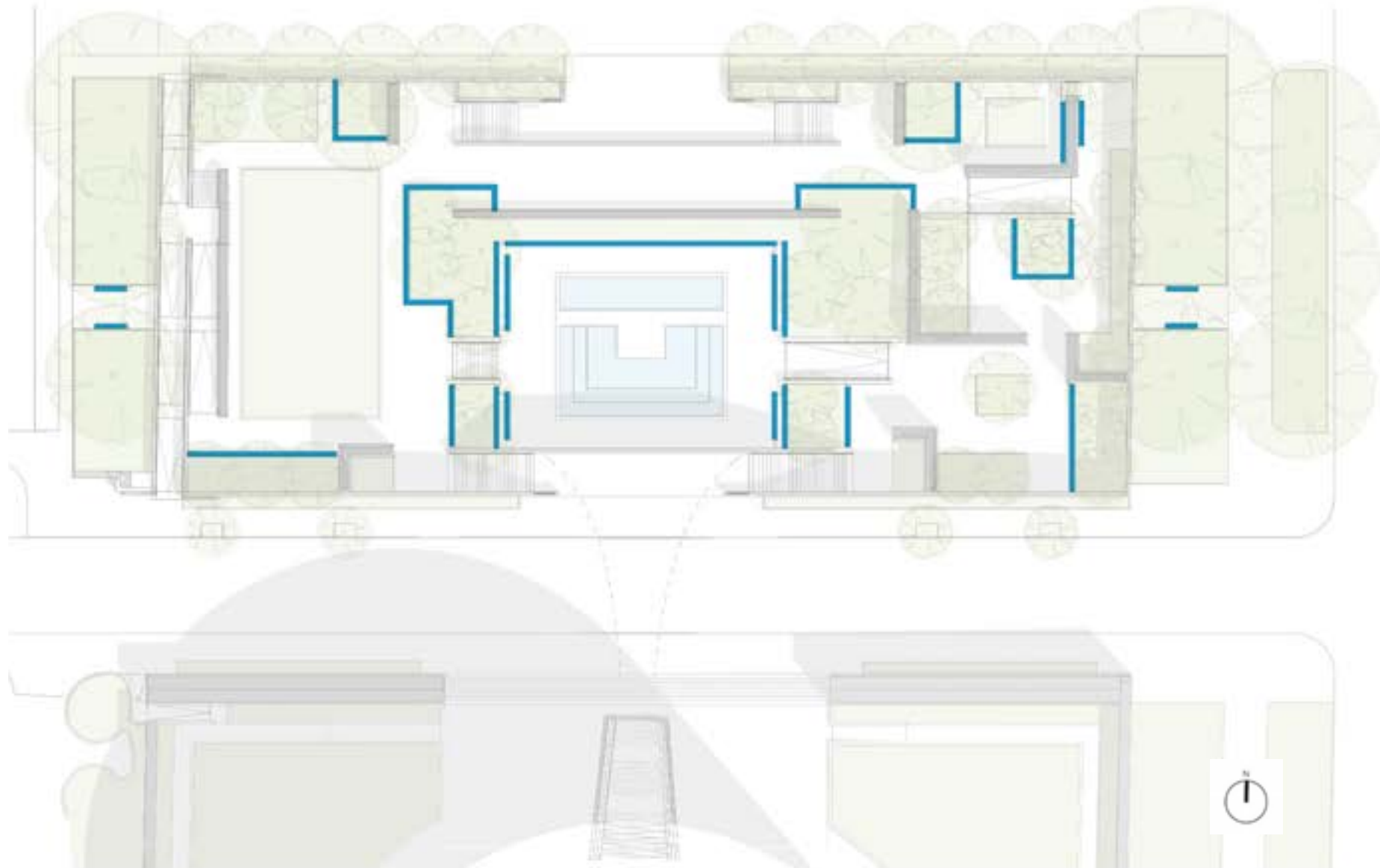
Stacked Stone Walls – Inner Partition



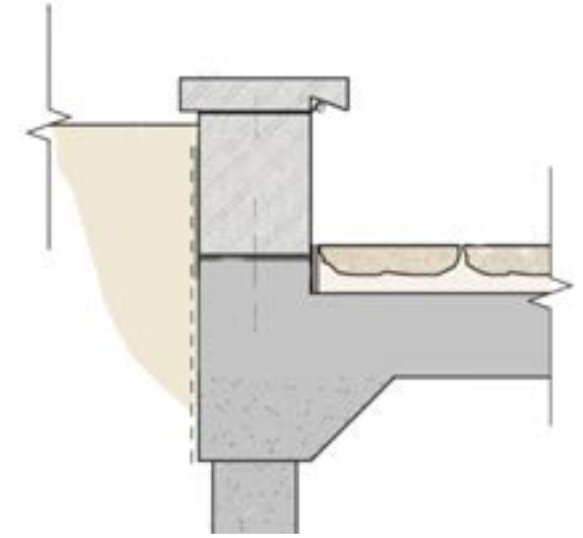
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Stone Benches



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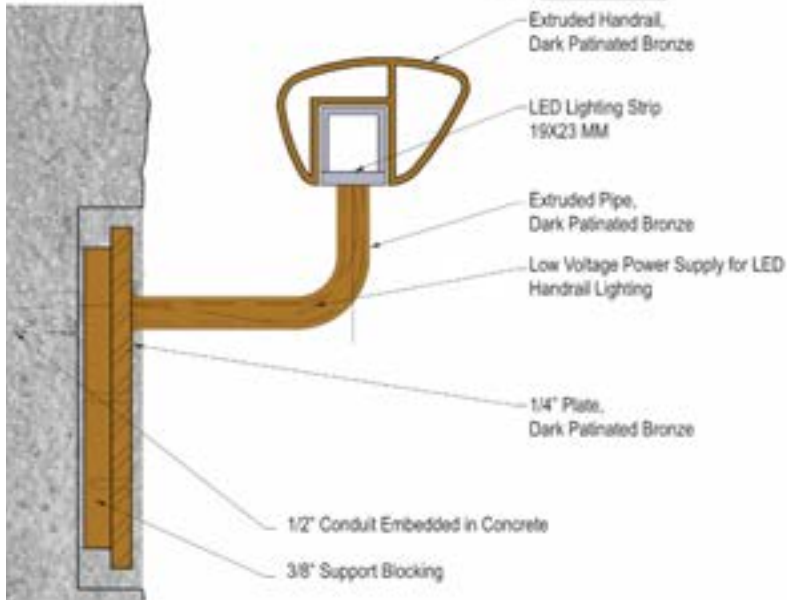
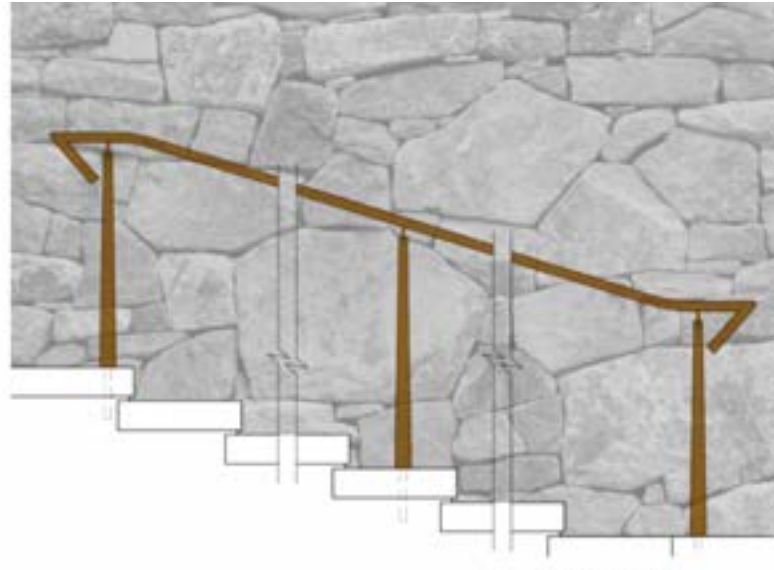
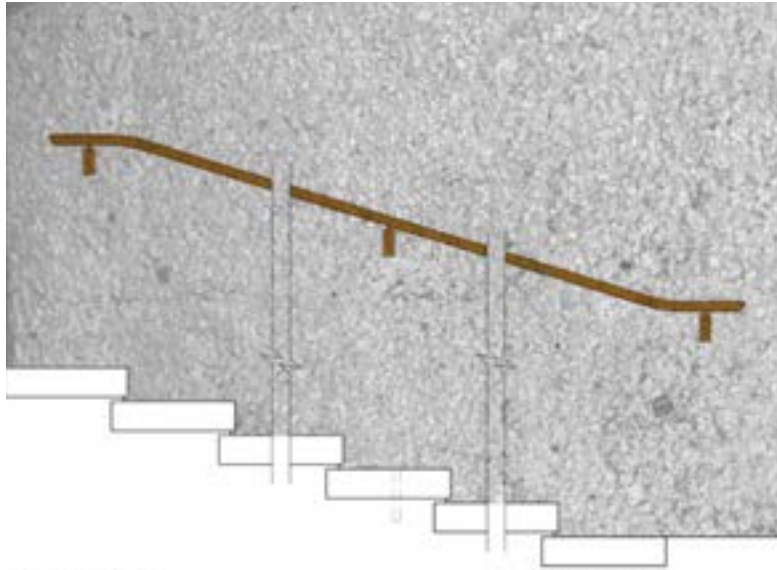


Typical Bench Section

Reflecting Pool



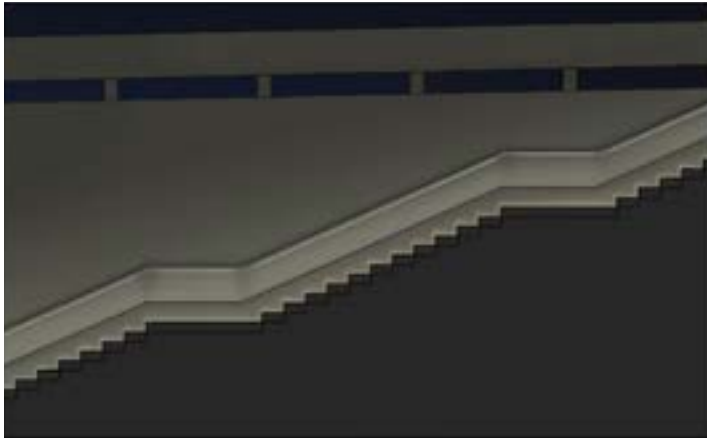
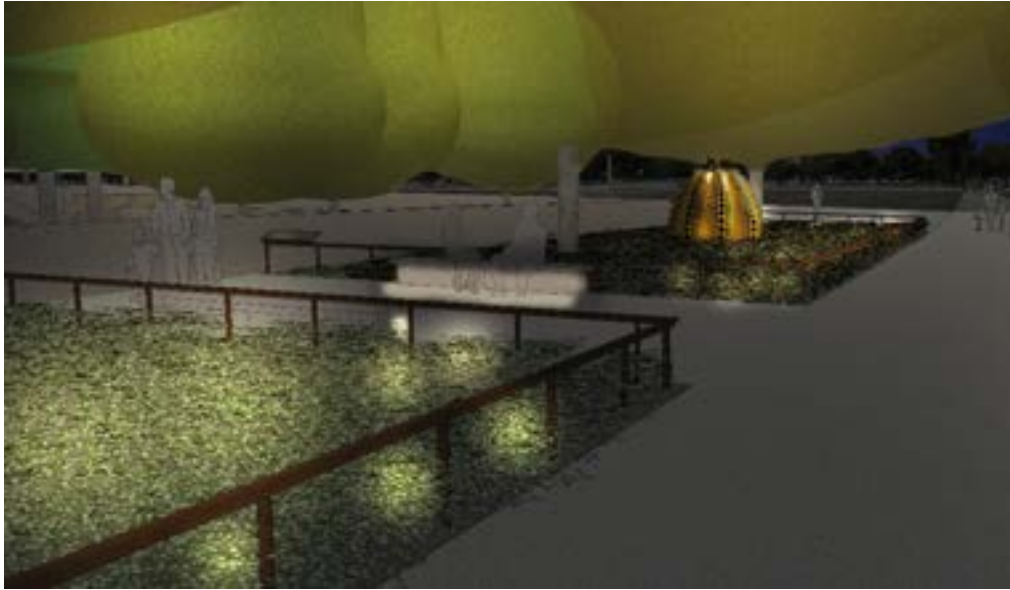
Handrails



Stainless Steel Art Wall



Lighting – Dark Sky Approach



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