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Rally space at Christopher Park. New York, NY.

Memorial

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This thesis is an exploration of the memorial as a constructed place, as a program that portrays more than a memory and understanding of historical, physical and cultural contexts, but inspires a **progressive action.**

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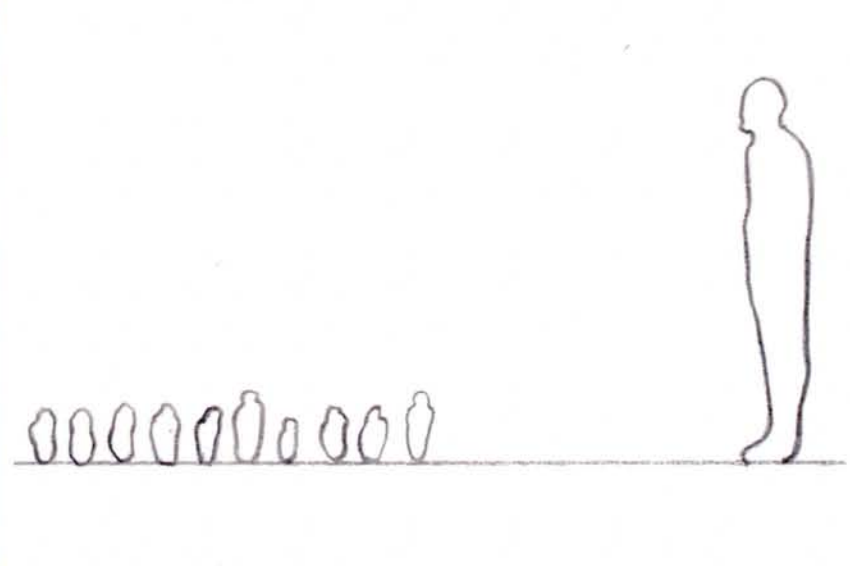
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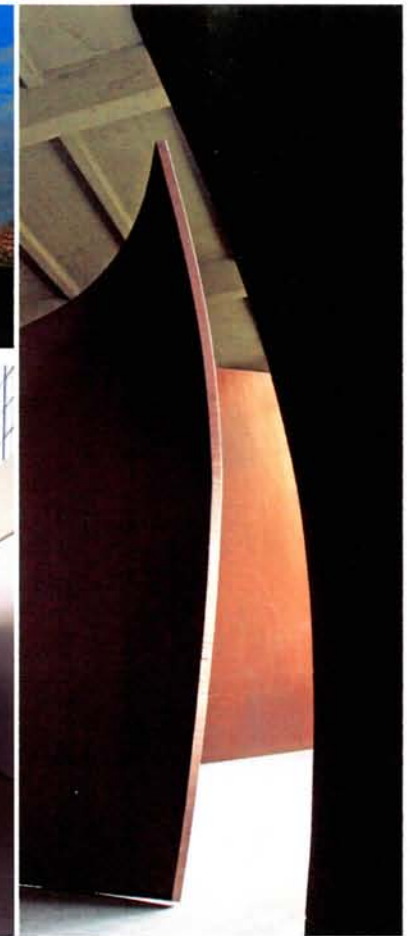


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sculptural analysis

richard serra



key terms

construction

the process of creating a complex image, form, or theory from the combination of a number of singular elements

site specificity

the concept that design is constructed in relation to the physical and historical contexts of its location

anti environment

the changed perception of a space created when something is added, removed or altered in the space

human scale

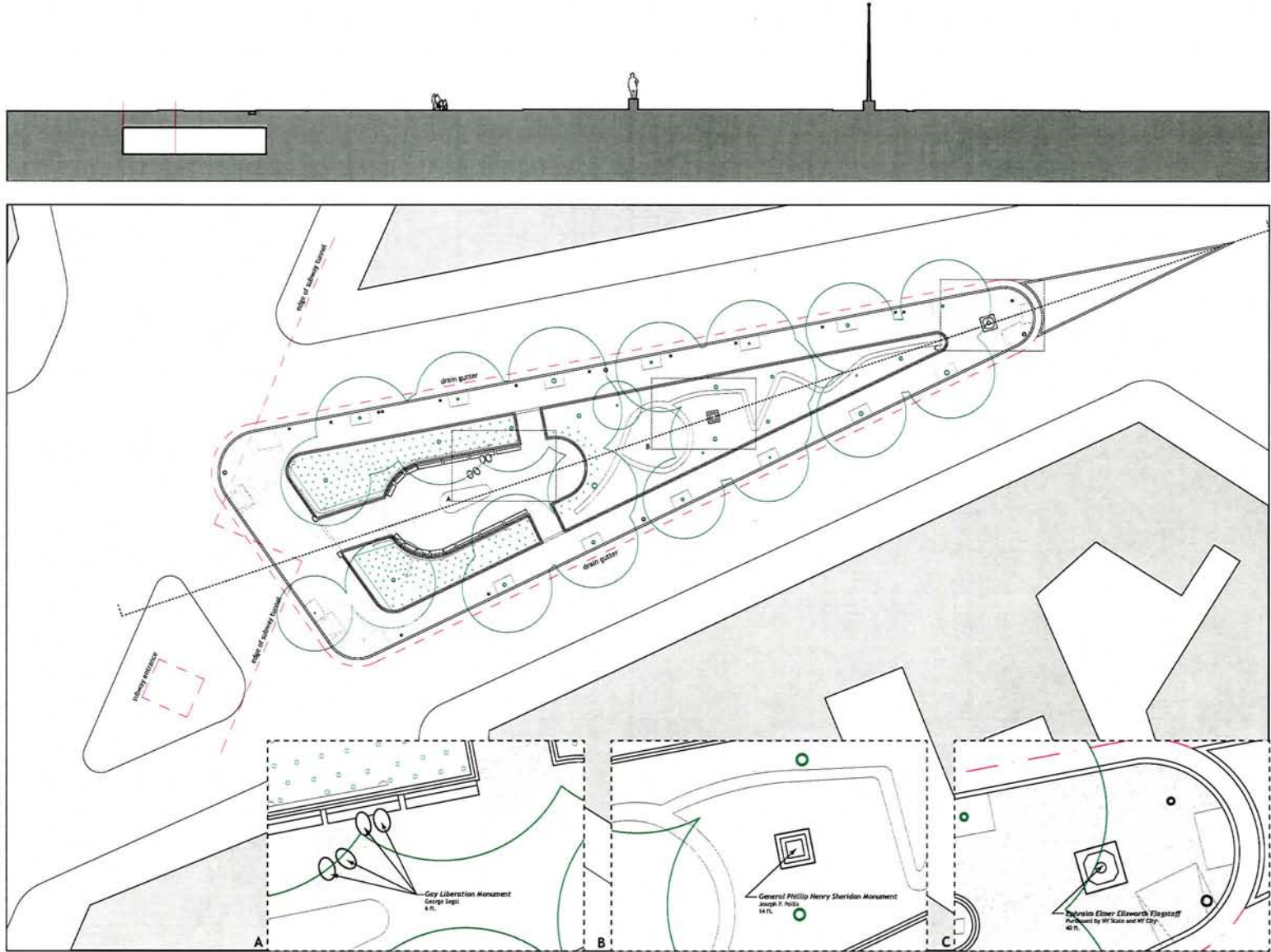
the relationship of one's environment that are proportionally similar to the scale of the human body and the occupant

experience

the physical interaction between a person and a space, event, or another person that imprints a specific personal memory

site

Christopher Park
Christopher, Grove, W4 Sts
Greenwich Village
New York, NY

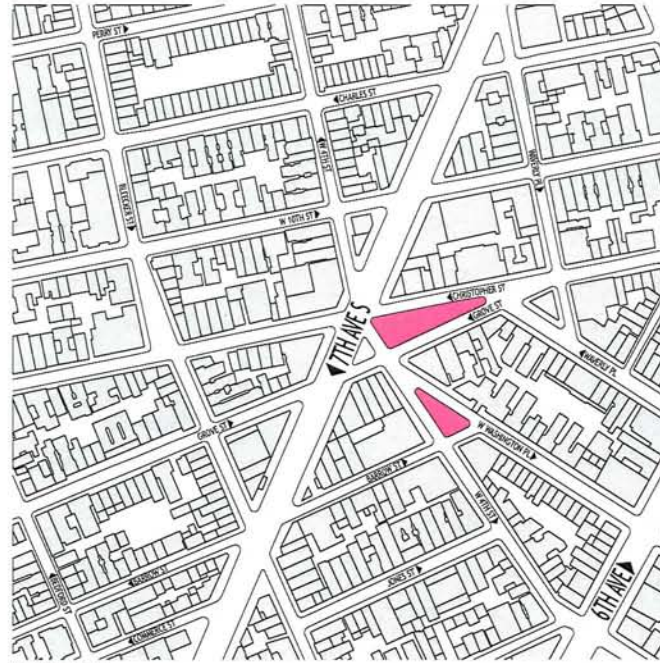


site

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site analysis



Traffic Map

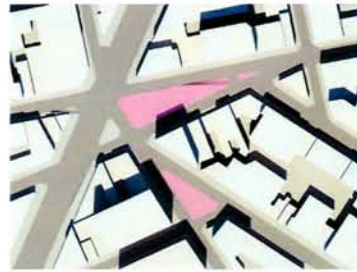


Wind Diagram



Sun Diagram

6.21



12.21



8 AM

10 AM

12 PM

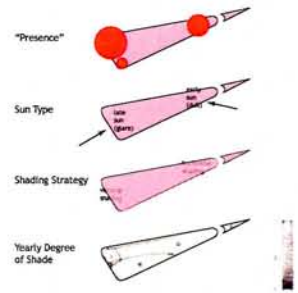
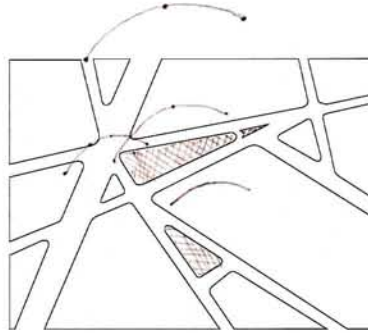
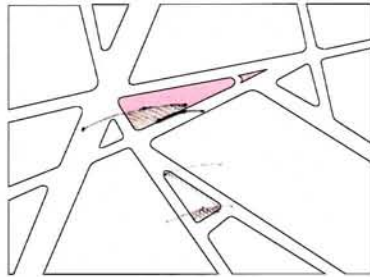
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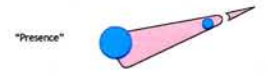
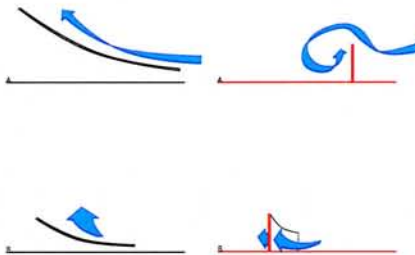
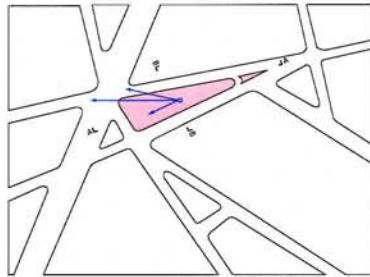
Shadow Plans

site analysis

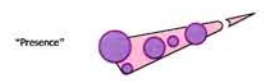
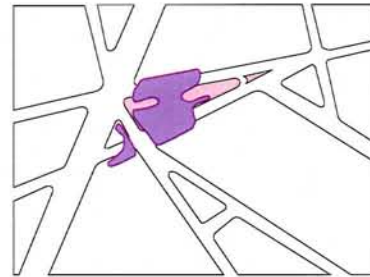
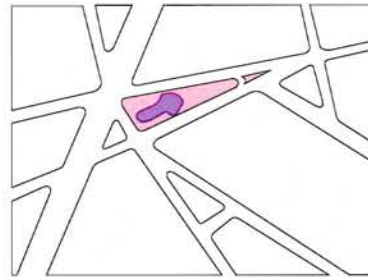
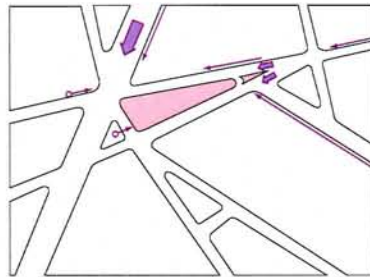
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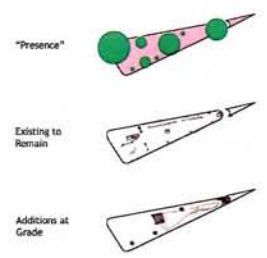
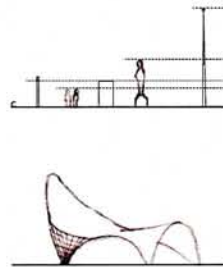
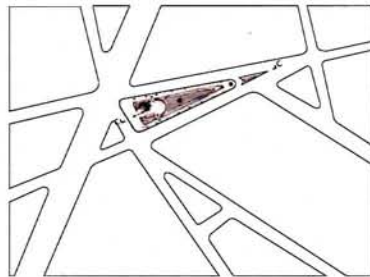
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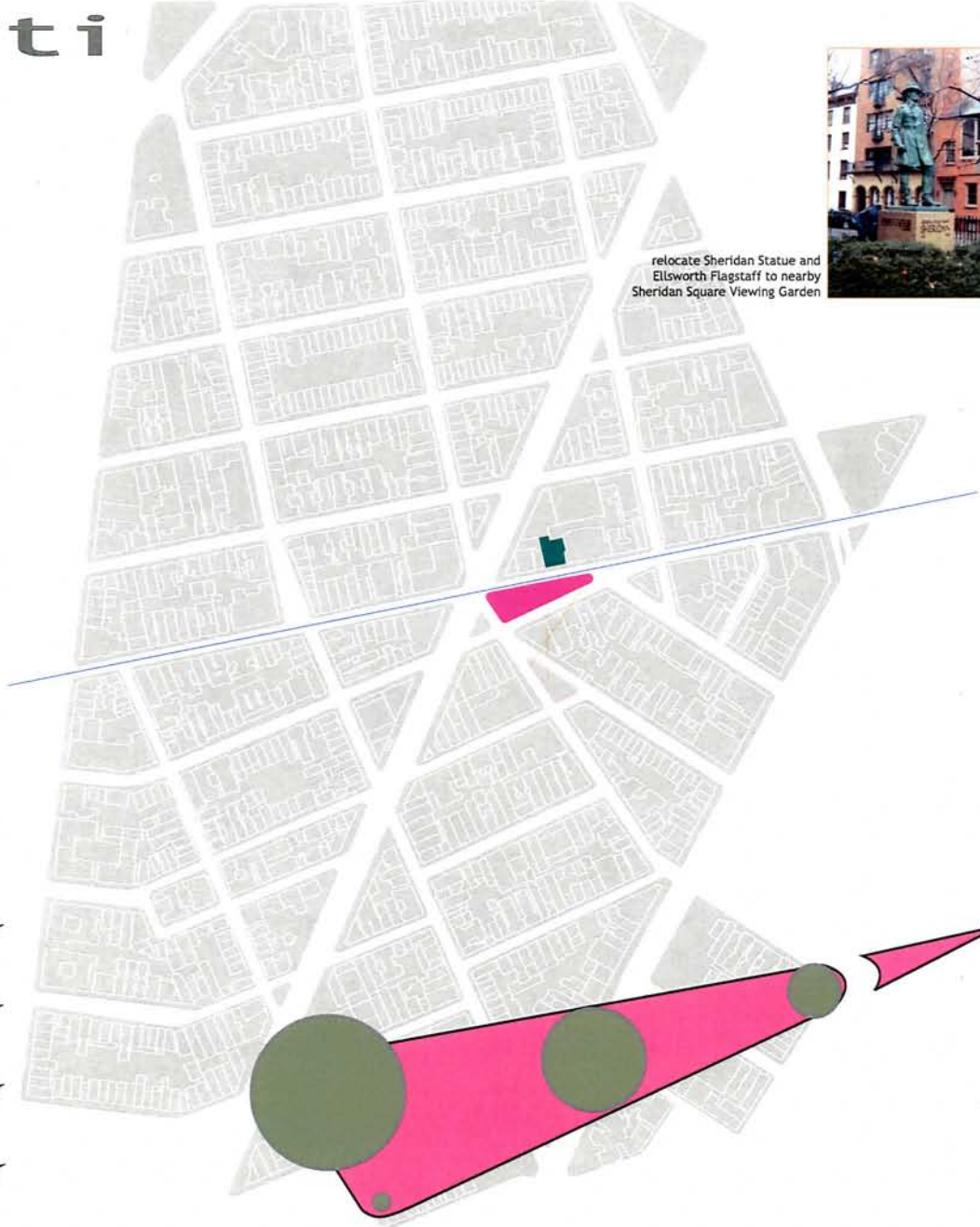
traffic



existing



parti



relocate Sheridan Statue and Ellsworth Flagstaff to nearby Sheridan Square Viewing Garden



maintain view toward the Stonewall Inn

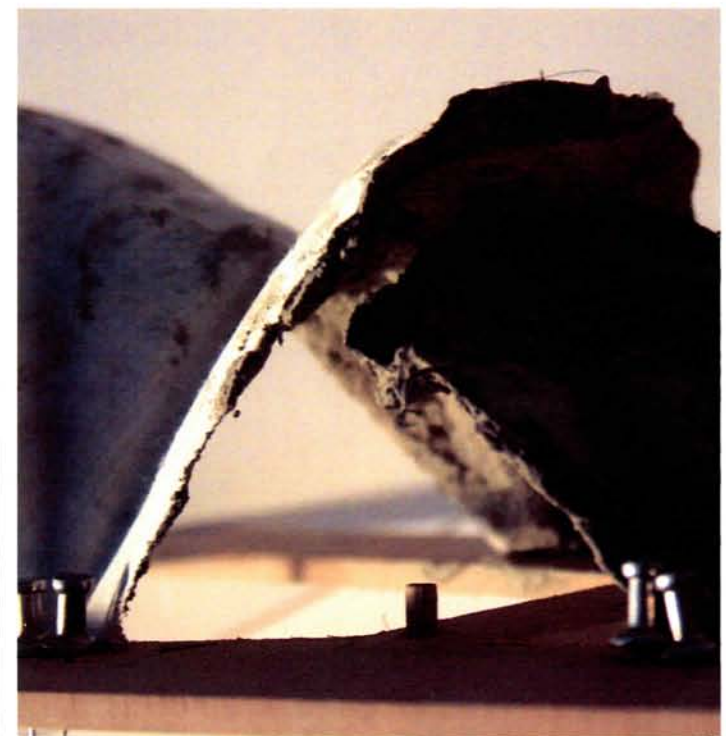
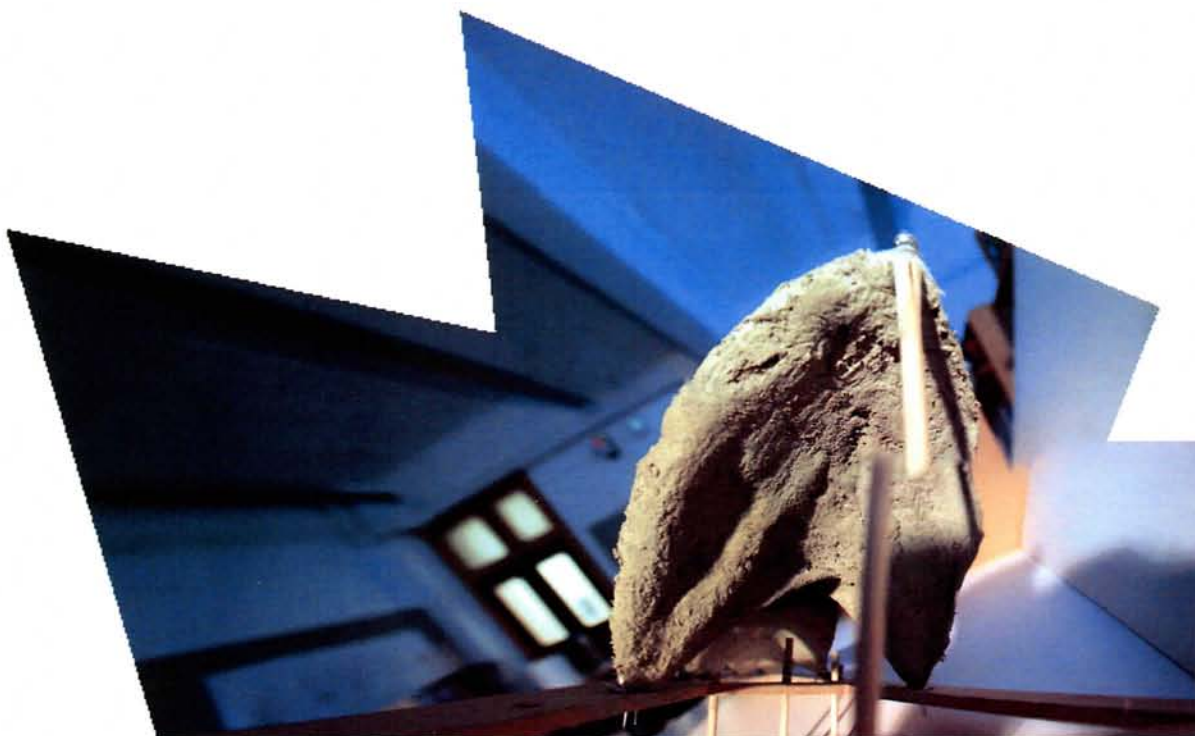


maintain everyday use as a park



promote the activation of memorial acting as destination for parade, rally, discussion and reflection

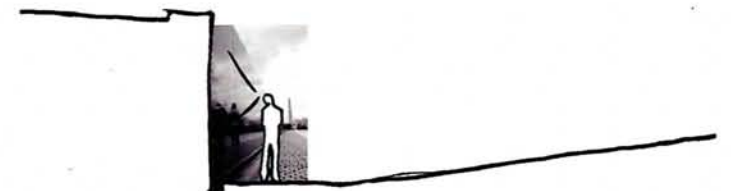




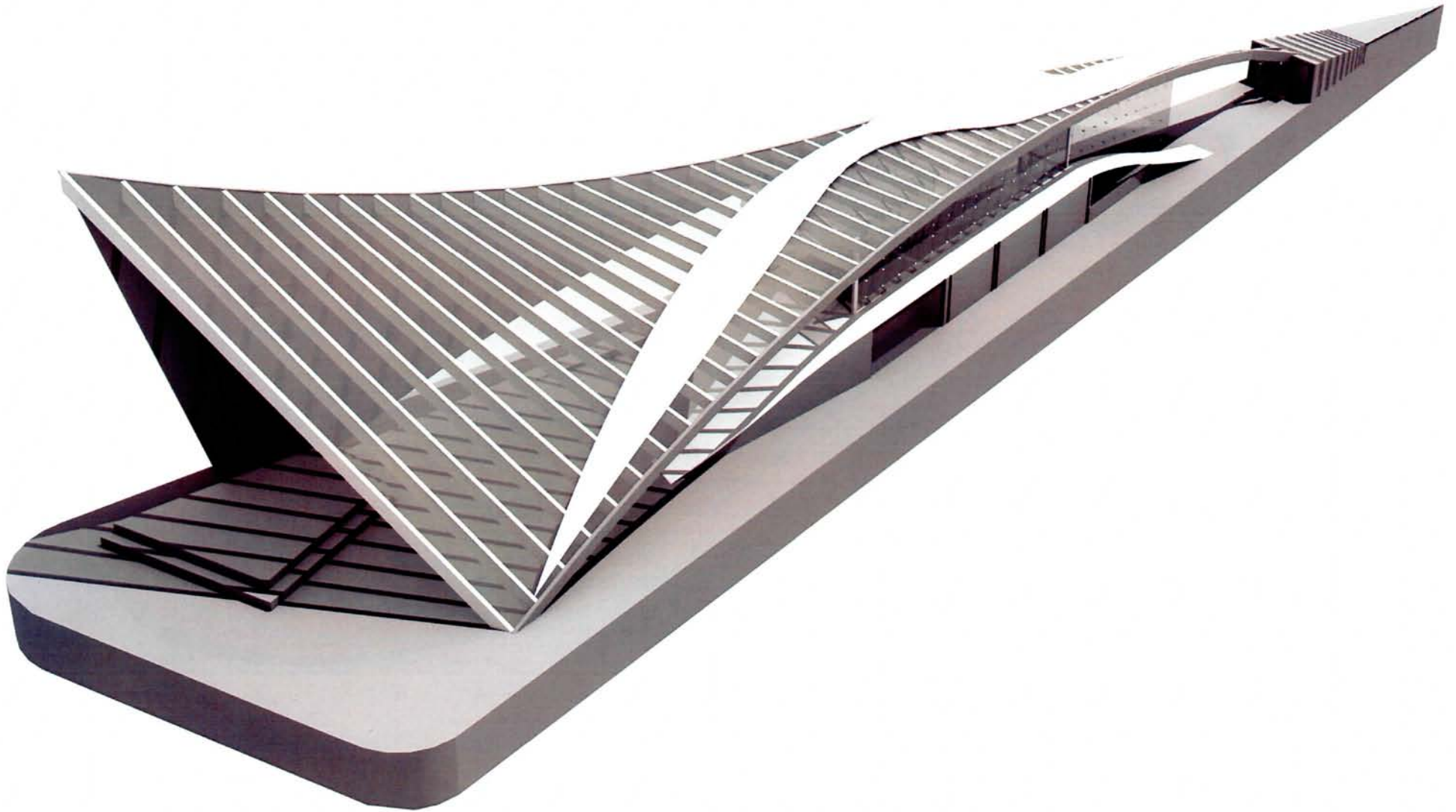
memorials

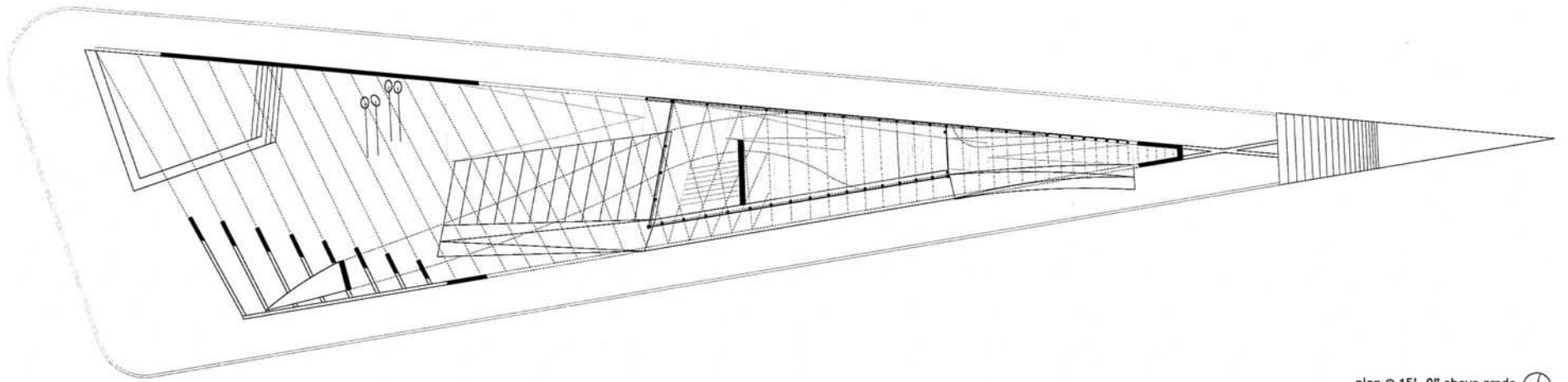
Memorial to the Murdered Jews
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Vietnam Memorial
Washington D.C.
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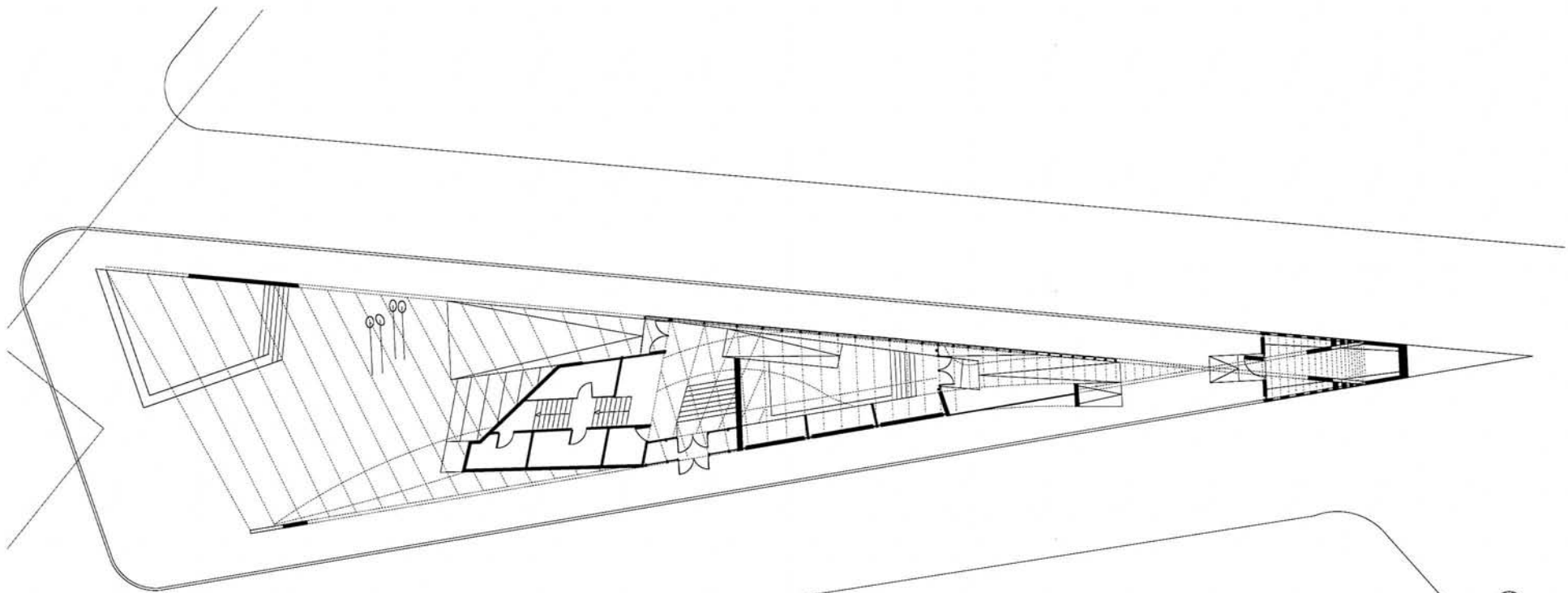


rallyspace
at christopher park

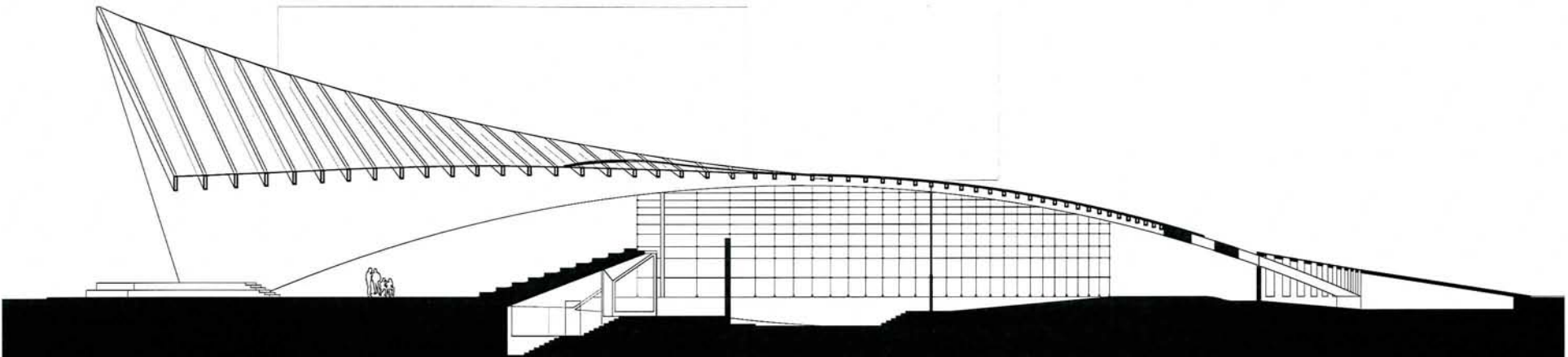




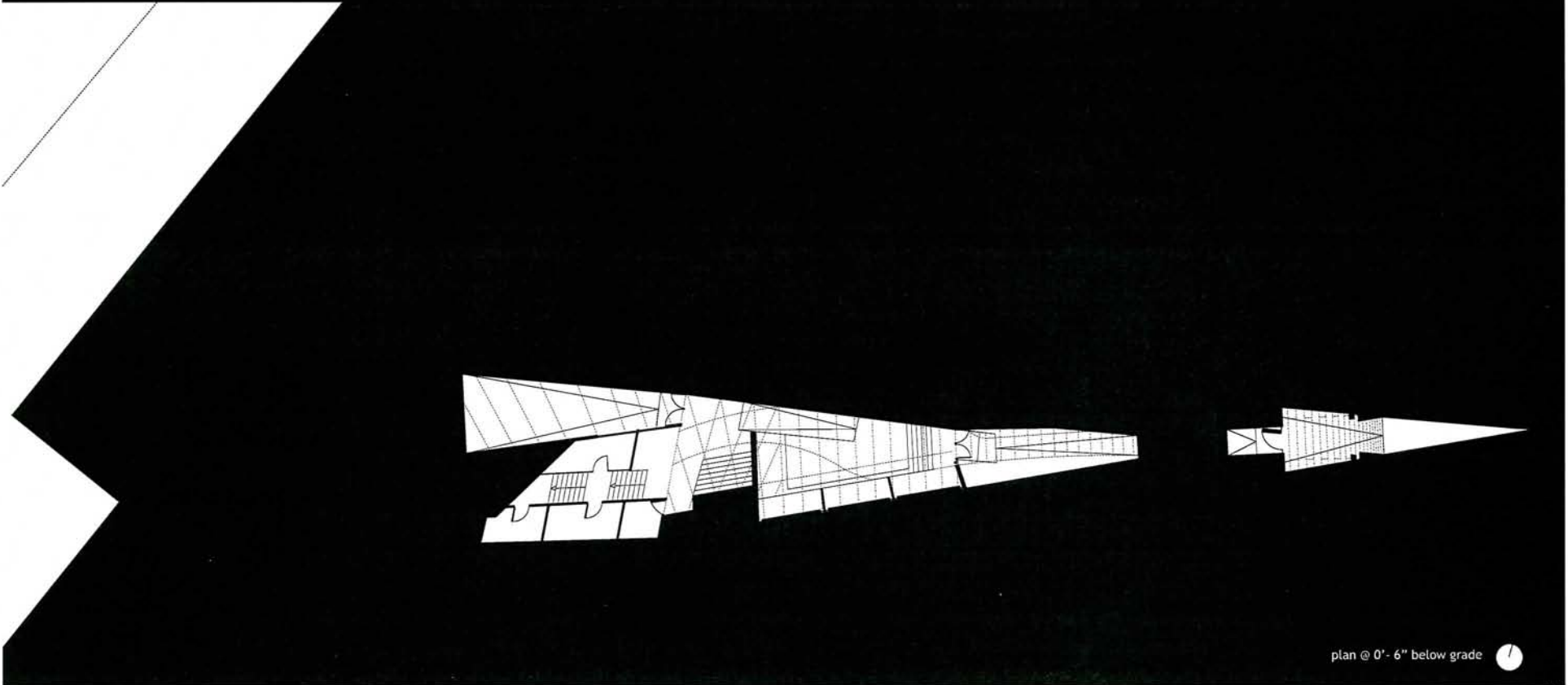
plan @ 15'-0" above grade (1)



plan @ 3'-0" above grade (1)



longitudinal section



plan @ 0'-6" below grade



