To me, Everything starts with the small phenomenon. Jusang Lee 2017 - 2021 Pictured by Younghoon Jung

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Education

08/2021-Present Illlinois Institute of Technology (Chicago, United States)

Bachelor of Architecture (Dual-degree Program)

03/2017-Present Hanyang University ERICA (Ansan, Korea)

Bachelor of Architecture (Dual-degree Program)

Professional Experience

12/2019-04/2021 Studio Yeonhwa (Suwon, Korea), Freelancer (Visual Specialist)

Worked across visualizing phase and made digital images and physical model

- Agriculture Processing Support Center, Dangjin, Korea | DIGITAL RENDER IMAGE

- Public Braille Library, Gwangju, Korea | DIGITAL RENDER IMAGE, DIAGRAM

- Exhibition 'Architecture that the Forest Remember' | PHYSICAL MODEL

12/2020-02/2021 Studio OASE (Seoul, Korea), Internship

Worked across all project phases and participated in old project archiving and remastering

- Public Library, Uam-dong, Busan, Korea | COMPETITION - Private House, Guncheon, Gyeongju, Korea | CONCEPT

- Community Service Center, Sadang-dong, Seoul, Korea | COMPETITON

- Archiving & Remastering Studio OASE's Old Projects | DIGITAL WORKS, PHYSICAL MODEL

Honors and Awards

 02/2022
 Dean's List, IIT (Chicago, United States) | GPA: 3,83/4.0 (Fall, 2021)

 12/2021
 Open House 2021, IIT (Chicago, United States) | Faculty Picks

11/2021 Section Physical Model Competition, IIT (Chicago, United States) | Nominated (Joy Part, Craft Part)

07/2021Department of Architecture Awards, ERICA (Ansan, Korea) | 1st Prize, GPA: 4.5/4.512/2020Department of Architecture Awards, ERICA (Ansan, Korea) | 1st Prize, GPA: 4.5/4.507/2020Department of Architecture Awards, ERICA (Ansan, Korea) | 1st Prize, GPA: 4.5/4.5

Extra-Curricular Activities

11/2021-12/2021 Body Architecture, Mentee, Studio Filippo Nassetti (Parametric-Architecture, com)

Learned how to human-kind design through computational and parametric method

07/2020-08/2020 Resting Sound Concert, Video Director & Designer, The MU:EL (Culture and Arts Community)

Participated in the project through exhibition design & making live performance video

02/2018 ERICA International Alumni Workshop, Mentee, Hanyang University ERICA

Participated in the studio project and archiving projects

Personal Activities

12/2021-Present Free Distribution of Grasshopper Script 'ObjectMaker' Series at Personal Webpage

Producing useful grasshopper scripts for 3D-modeling and distribute them free of charge

08/2021-Present Filming and Editing Videos at Personal Youtube Channel

Editing videos, filming myself, and communicating with the world

03/2021-08/2021 Hanyang University ERICA 'Department of Architecture' Basketball Team Leader

As a team leader, managed administrative, accounting, and basketball games

12/2019-02/2020 Travel Around the World 'Russia-Finland-Japan-United States'

Traveled through Siberia, Russia and Finland by train and also treveled to Japan and the United States to see the REAL WORLD

04/2018-12/2019 Military Service, Republic of Korea Army

Serving as a soldier for 20 months and learning about responsibility

Self-Introduction Starting my architectural journey in 2017, The idea that architecture can CHANGE THE WORLD never changed. So I'm trying

to SAVE THE WORLD through architecture. When working on a project, I'm always inspired by THE SITE and focus on the PHENOMENON. Currently, I live in Chicago and I'm on the dual-degree program for Hanyang University ERICA (Ansan, Korea)

and Illinois Institute of Technology (Chicago, United States).

Area of Interest **Urbanism:** Housing, Slum, Phenomenon

Environment: Sustainability, Climate Change, Renewable Energy

Social issue: Refugee, Social Equity, Famine

Visualization: UI/UX, Line Drawing, Axonometric Projection

Technology: 3D Printing, AR/VR, Big Data

Others

Software Rhino, Grasshopper, AutoCAD, Revit | Illustrator, Indesign, Photoshop, Lightroom | Enscape, Lumion, V-ray, Twinmotion, Keyshot

Languages Korean | Native, English | Fluent (TOEFL: 91)

Organizations Alpha Sigma Phi (08/2021-Present)

Prologue "Phenomenon"



Guro, Seoul (1997 - 2009)



Yangcheon, Seoul (2010

4 Types of Cities

Ghetto, New Town, Suburb, and Metropolis. Since I was born, I lived in 4 different types of cities. Living in various cities, I witnessed a variety of phenomena making various cities. So I've become interested in phenomena and people who create phenomena.



Ansan (2017 - 2020)



Chicago (2021 - Present)



Individual Memory



Collective Memory



Building



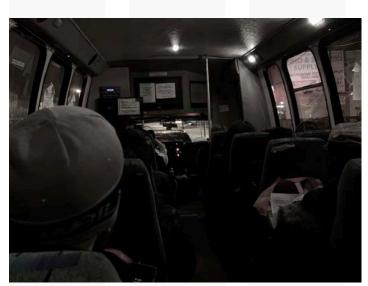
Town



City

"Phenomenon"

The city is the locus of the collective memory. - Aldo Rossi, The Architecture of the City



Way to New Jersey from Manhattan (21:43, February 7, 2020)

Social Group & History

As Aldo Rossi said,

"The city is the locus of the collective memory."

Therefore, the minimum units that make up the city, the people, and the histories of the site, are the most important thing to understanding the city. Therefore, I always start my project by understanding the social groups and histories of the project. For me, the memories are the most important elements of the project.



Six Corners Fieldhouse 3915 N Cicero Ave, Chicago, IL 'Land that must be EMPTY'

O1 Order of City

04 Locals



Community Service Center 32, Teheran-ro 7-gil, Gangnam-gu, Seoul 'Restoration of DAILY LIFE of Locals'

Timeline

Meaning 02 of Path



4.16 Memorial Park 268, Dongsan-ro, Danwon-gu, Ansan 'LOST meaning of the Path'

Social 05 Group 05



B House (For Beer Home-brewer)
19, Dosan-daero 37-gil, Gangnam-gu, Seoul
'SPECIALIZED Space for Social Group.'

07 Sense



Surge - 고양 55, Hanyangdaehak-ro, Sangnok-gu, Ansan 'SENSE, EARTH, and MYSELF'

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"I always focus on the SMALL PHENOMENON"



ObjectMaker Series 'Freedom for Rhino!'

Computational Design

Computational Design



Polyhedragon Mask 'Body X Technology'



Feeling the Future 'Classic X Technology'

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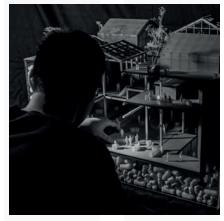




Classic

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Highlight the Details
'Follow the Legacy'



O1 Six Corners Fieldhouse 'Land that must be EMPTY'

Type

Academic (IIT, 2021)

Program

Fieldhouse

Location

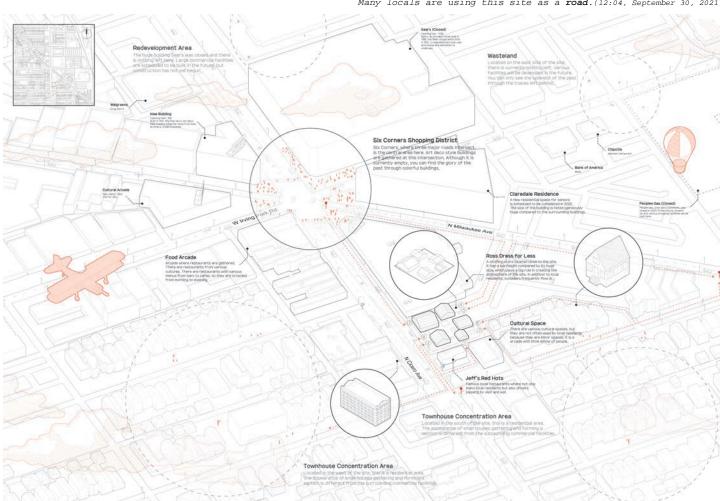
Portage Park, Chicago, IL, United States

Phenomenon

When I first visited Six Corners, the site, I realized that I couldn't build anything for the site had to be EMPTY, for it wasn't a space for a building to occupy. This place had to serve as a PATH for the neighborhood. So, I tried not to interrupt the existing PATH.



Many locals are using this site as a road.(12:04, September 30, 2021)



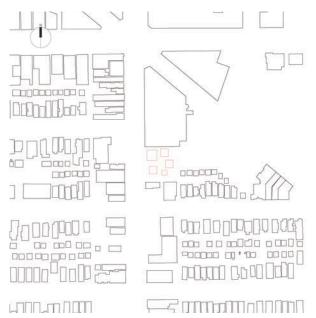
There are many beautiful historical buildings in Six Corners, but most of them are being deconstructed.



Sears, one of the oldest shopping malls in Six Corners, was deconstructed (11:01, September 30, 2021)

In the past, the Six Corners was one of the largest shopping complexes in Chicago. Even though its glory has faded due to the recession, it remains a beautiful building. I didn't want to interrupt the HISTORICAL ORDER of cities with massive buildings.

Legacy



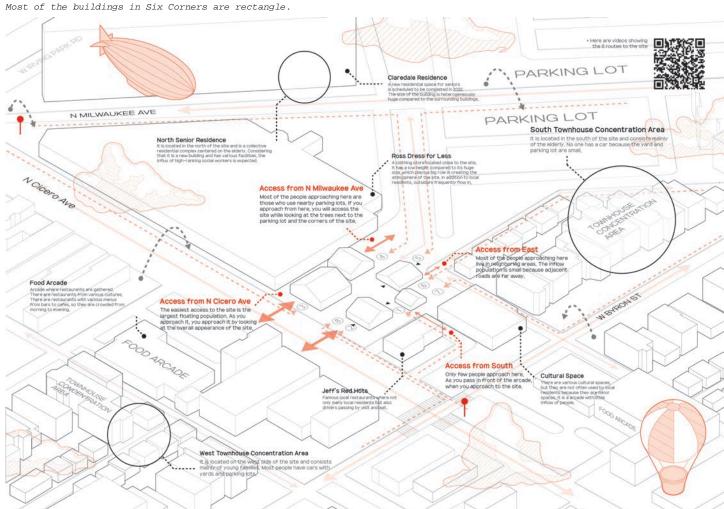


Beautiful brick buildings in Art Deco Style (12:07, September 30, 2021)

Orders of City

To keep these **ORDERS**, I decided to **BURY** the building **UNDERGROUND** and follow the existing **ORDER** of the site.

To follow the site's order, I analyze the geometry of nearby buildings. As a result of analyzing the buildings, four geometries could be extracted, and these geometries influenced the determination of mass design.



The movement of locals occurs among transportation spots and gaps between the residential area and commercial area

Attractor

People's movements influenced the placement of mass. The two main roads surrounding the site, residential areas, commercial areas, and three bus stops each act as **NODES**. These nodes are connected to each other, **CREATING** movements of people, and the influence of these movements determines the distance of mass and creates an external space.





Testing the **Path** with Study Model (October 23, 2021)

Light intensively enters the community space. Afternoon Light evenly enters the entire space Twilight Light intensively enters the rock climbing space,

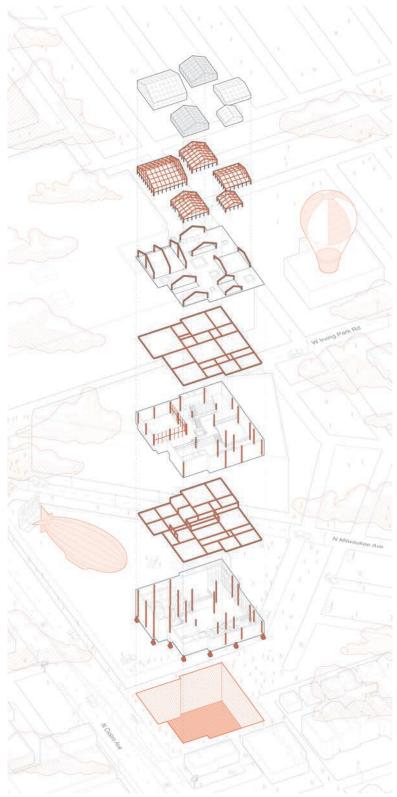
Sunlight Test with Model (Pictured by Younghoon Jung)

Construction

The Hidden Oasis is a **STEEL** structure building and uses the W12 of W-Shape as a member. The facade of the ground layer adopts a curtain wall system and be made with **ETFE panels** and **Polycarbonate panels** based on HSS frames. The three-story building consists of a lobby, community space, and rock climbing.

Mining Underground

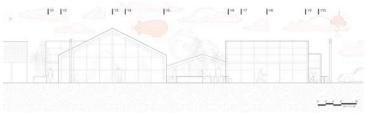
Underground, unlike general architecture, requires different strategies in light. So, three ceilings and various voids were constructed to bring as much light as possible into the space. A physical model was created to test light, and light was tested with various angles and directions.



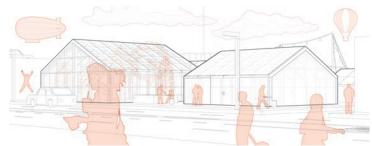
Steel structure and curtain wall system were used.



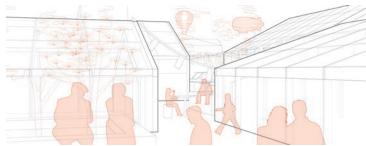
People gather in the playground, which is the intersection of various wires from attracting nodes.



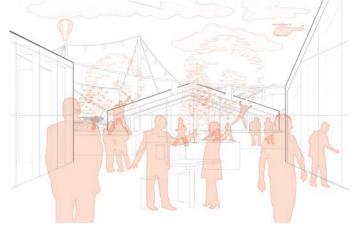
Elevation



View from Commercial Area



View from Residential Area

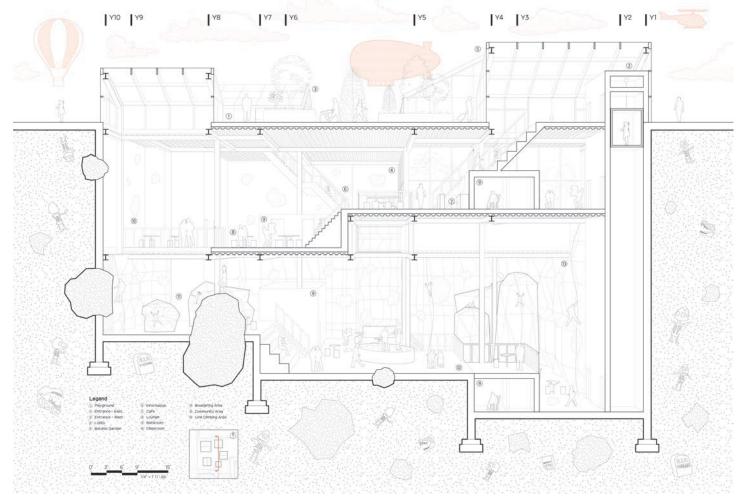


Local's various interactions occur in the Playground.

Continuous Path

There are no community spaces and parks for local residents around the site. Considering the situation on the site, botanical garden and community spaces to replace parks were designated with rock climbing. I wanted this space to be recognized as an extension of the road. So all spaces are continuous and don't have the wall, but they are divided through split floor, ceiling height, and furniture.

'I hope this building be a PATH for the neighborhood.'



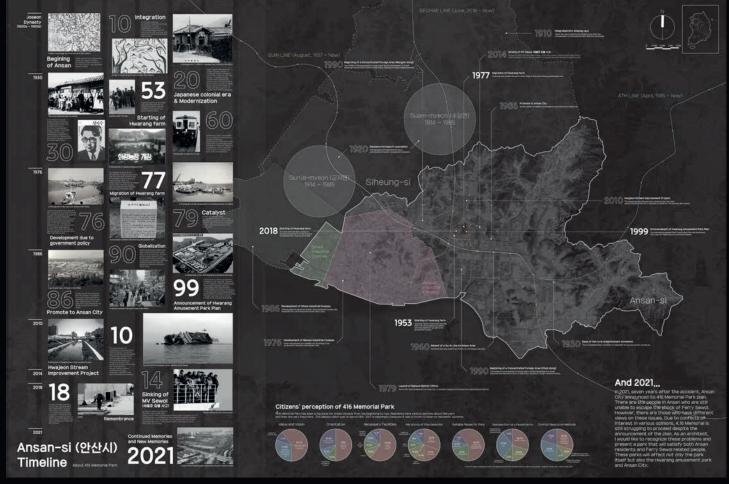
The stones underground are located there as they are and operate as objects.



Spaces connect to stairs and voids without walls.

Rock Climbing

Waterproofing is the matter.



Ansan-si is a city with a lot of pain historically. It was abandoned by the country, and various accidents occurred.

Sewol Ferry Disaster (April 16, 2014)

Sewol Ferry Disaster was a disaster the sinking of a ship heading to Jeju on April 16, 2014. 325 people of second-year students from Danwon High School, who were heading to Jeju for a school trip, were on board, of which 248 passed away, because of this disaster.

Ansan-si, where Danwon High School is located, was declared a special disaster zone in 2014 due to the accident, and still hurts from the accident. Ansan-si announced a plan to build a memorial park to commemorate this accident.

Q2 4.16 Memorial Park **1** LOST meaning of the Path

Type
Academic (ERICA, 2021)

Program Museum

Location

Danwon-gu, Ansan-si, Gyeonggi-do, Korea



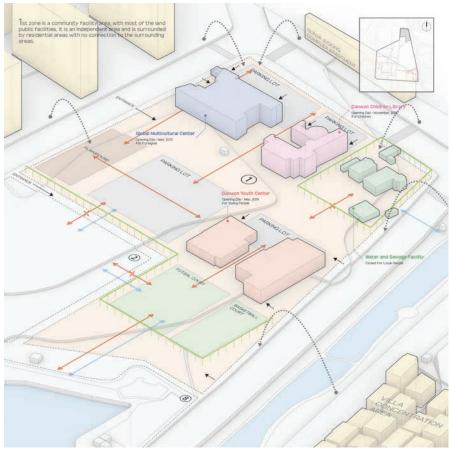
The elderly do not use the entire park, but only limited areas.
(15:11. March 3, 2021)

Phenomenon

Hwarang Park is a large park, but the park was built indiscriminately without a plan, resulting in a POOR CONNECTION between each space. I OBSERVED the park and found that the path that had to connect space was rather CUTTING-OFF between space to space. So, I want the park to be operated as ONE PARK, not as separate space.

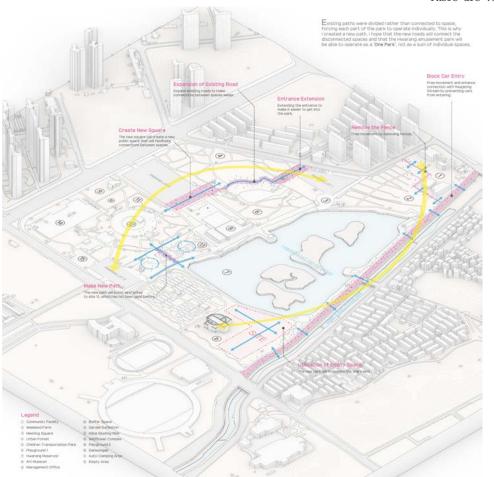
Splited Park

I tried to figure out what FACTORS made the park recognized as a separate space. I identified all the elements surrounding the park and analyzed the things that influence people's movements. I DIVIDED the park into 17 areas that have DIFFERENT characteristics and started looking for factors make the park divided.





Ansan-si & Hwarang Park Research materials (95 Drawings & 14 Texts)



There are various flows within the 17 divided areas.

Redefining the Path

When I observed the movements of people approaching the park, I could see that the paths were RESTRICTING people's movement rather than connecting spaces. The path existed, but it was not connecting the spaces used by people, but randomly connecting the spaces. It was just paths created by CITY ZONING LAW.

So, I propose a new masterplan and a new building to be built on empty land that can bring space together.

I hope the two new big flows reconnect the park as one park.









2, Idea for the Site Environment (2021,03,28) I have suggested a variety of ideas relating the site environment to the architecture.
I wanted to build a structure that didn't deviate much from the order of the land,

Ambiguous Boundary In order for the paths and buildings I made not to block people's movement, it was important to **REMOVE** internal and external boundaries. Starting with a frame unit created to create ambiguous boundaries, space began to be created following the site's condition.

1, Frame Unit (2021,03,25) I thought about various ways to express curved surfaces Each unit can be a building itself or an element of a building



3. Idea of a Memorial Space (2021.03.28)





5, Arrange the Finish Line (2021,04,11) The shape of the building looked complicated, so the ends were organized and the relationship with the land was re-established,

Physical Model Development 1



I matched my architectural ideas to site contour lines, I also applied the louver system that I thought last time into this idea,









6. Sectional Approach (2021,04,15)

ught that the space I wanted would not come out through a flat approach, so I tried to solve these points through a cross-sectional approach.









7, Realistic Scale Application (2021,04,20) The existing model did not fit when the scale was reall but I modified these parts to make the model more real





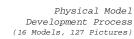




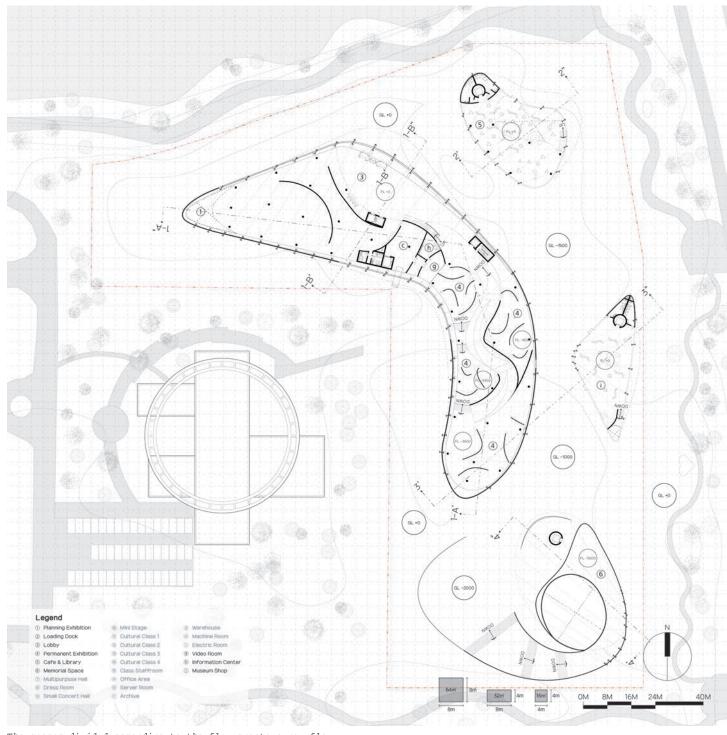
8. Shape Changes with Function (2021,04,11) Existing models had difficulty putting in necessary programs, but I solved these problems through changes in form,

Physical Model Development 2

2021,04,15 ~ 2021,04,25







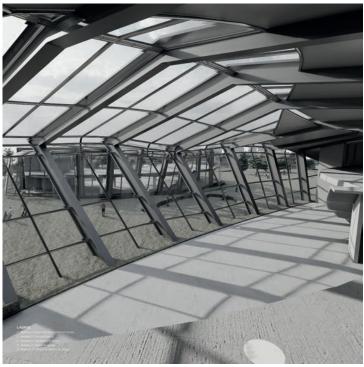
The spaces divided according to the flow create a new flow.

Intersection

New paths and existing paths cross, creating a new flow. New flows attract people and lead into the new spaces such as center squares and memorial space,



Flows intersect and create an interesting space. (15:25, March 21, 2021)



The space divided into steel frames overlaps and has duplicity.

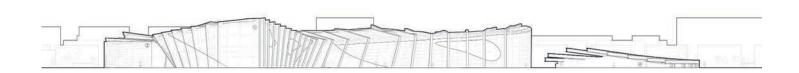


Hwarang Park is a park for memorials and also for locals. (15:21, March 21, 2021)

Duplicity

Steel frames that look like silhouettes repeat and overlap, blurring the boundaries between the inside and outside. As a result, space has duplicity in which the difference between the inside and the outside cannot be properly recognized.







The frames support the panel and create a free interior space.

Towards ONE Park

I wanted to make a park that was open to **BOTH** guests at a memorial and locals. Hwarang Park is not just for someone, but for EYERYONE.

'I hope that everyone will be able to use the park freely through my ambiguous spaces.'



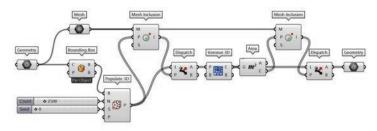
The steel frames break the boundaries of buildings.



A wearable mask that can view, detect, and respond to overcome human limitation. (Rendered by Jiwon Park)

Overcome Human Limitation

Human vision has limitations in reaction speed and viewing angle. Therefore, certain occupational groups, such as firefighters and soldiers, have difficulty exercising their abilities. Is there any way to overcome their difficulties with technology and ideas? I thought that these limitations could be overcome if we brought operating mechanisms from animals that have superior performance than human perspectives in nature.



Script for making Polyhedron which following the human shape.

(Codied by Jusang Lee)

O3 Polyhedragon Mask 'Body X Technology'

Туре

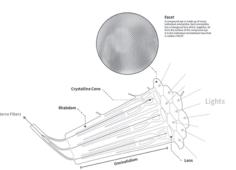
Workshop + Team Project (2021)

Program

Product Design

Role

Design, Coding, Visualization



Solution from Dragonfly

Dragonflies have very large eyes and have very good vision. The dragonfly's visual system is extremely sensitive to movement and it points in almost all directions and gives the 360 degree visual field.

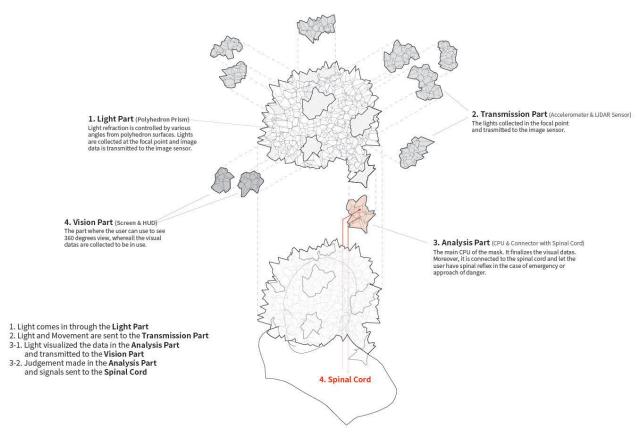
LIDAR Sensor LIDAR Sensor LIDAR Sensor LIDAR Sensor 1. LIDAR sensors detect DANGER 2. Each sensor transmits data to the analysis part 3. The analysis part sensor STIMULATION to the SPINAL CORD after data analysis

Combine with Technology

There's a limit to the speed of human reactions. However, with the help of technology, we can **SPEED UP** the reaction.

The LiDAR sensor detects the approach of an object and immediately transmits data to the analysis part, And the analysis part STIMULATES spinal code to induce SPINAL REFLEXES to make a quick response.

With the help of technology, we can speed up the reaction. (Drawn by Jusang Lee)



Fabrication

The four other parts collect information and command humans to act. (Drawn by Jusang Lee)

Polyhedral parts are connected to communicate information and help humans make quick judgments. The polyhedragon aims to overcome human limitations. With a process of detect – transmit – respond in terms of visualization and motion. To overcome the human limitation, A wearable that can view, detect, and respond.

O4 Community Service Center 'Restoration of Daily Life of Locals'

Type

Academic (ERICA, 2020)

Program Office

011100

Location

32, Teheran-ro 7-gil, Gangnam-gu, Seoul

Phenomenon

On the first day, I visited the site, young children were running and playing on the asphalt road.

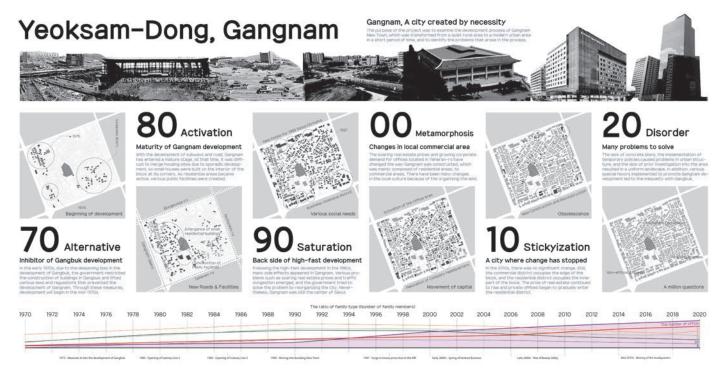
"Why can't this park, the ONLY PARK in this block, be used entirely for local residents?"

This park belongs to the residents, not to anyone

This park belongs to the residents, not to anyone else. I wanted to return this place to the local residents, not victims of reckless development.



Locals only have asphalt. (15:18, August 5, 2021)



Gangnam was deformedly developed by the government. As a result, many side effects are occurring.



Why are they closed to the public despite their role being the popularization of Taekwondo? (18:28, October 2, 2020)

Kukkiwon

Kukkiwon, which was established to promote Taekwondo, was **CLOSED** to local residents, contrary to its original purpose, and I thought this space should be **OPEN** to people. Therefore, I propose a community service center with a botanic garden for local residents on this site.



Future demand & Current satisfaction matrix

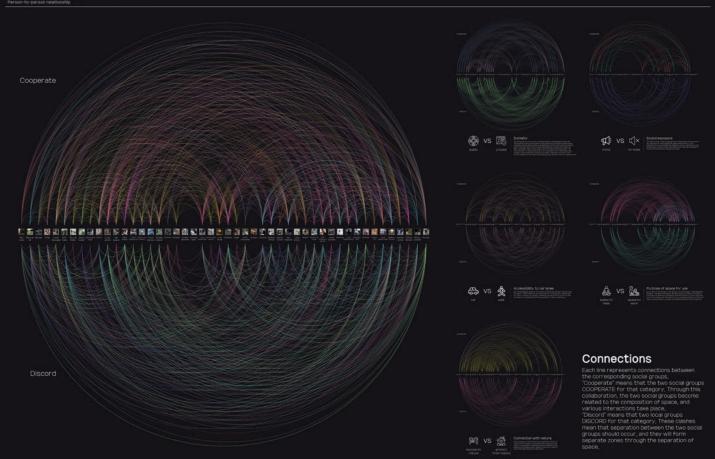


Students have nowhere to go in Gangnam. (12:07, October 2, 2020)

Program

Prior to setting up the program, I investigated facilities that are currently insufficient for local residents and facilities that are expected to be in future demand. Facilities that are in demand both now and in the future were facilities related to education and nature, and in response to these demands, offices include educational facilities and nature.

Social Group's Cooperate & Discord



48 social groups and 10 categories determine the location of the site and the placement of the program.

Local Social Group

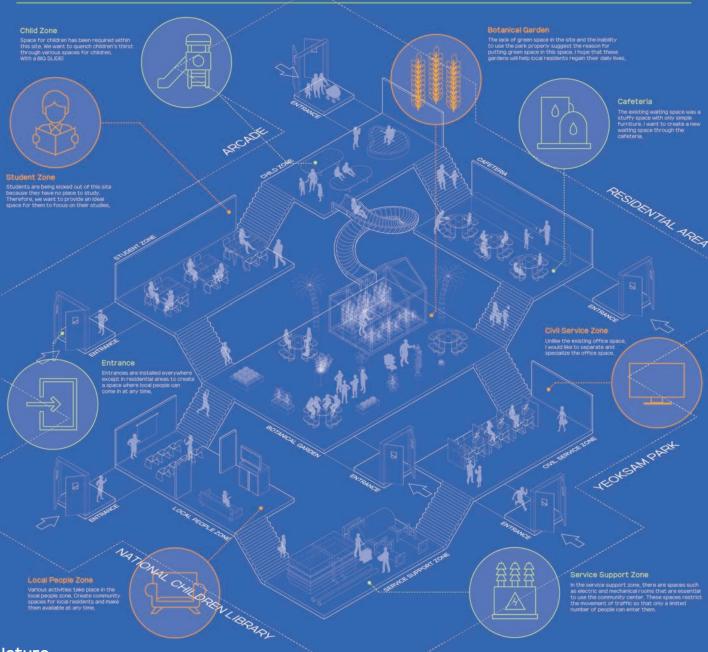
Sites are places where residential and commercial districts are together, and there are numerous social groups. Each of the 48 social groups has a preferred space and a avoided space. Their preference for space becomes an important factor in arranging various spaces. The arrangement and hierarchy of space are determined through social groups.

System Reformation

The system of community service center in Korea is **OLD** and INCONSISTENT with modern society. Therefore, I propose a 'MOBILE community service center system' different from the existing system. With the new system, residents don't have to wait for their turn. They just wait in the desired space, and public officials will visit them for work.

Program Map

The restoration of daily life

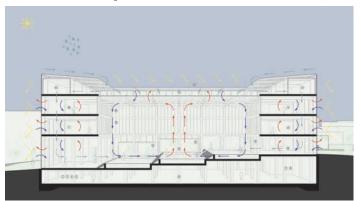


Nature

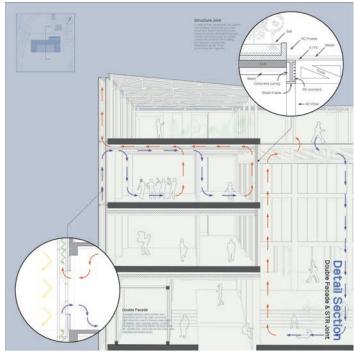
The area near Kukkiwon, designated as a site, was not used for local residents, even though it was the only green area in the block. In addition, the Gangnam area is absolutely lacking in green areas due to development. Therefore, I propose Botanic Garden to return nature to local residents, Botanic Garden will provide local residents with nature and shelter from city.



In response to natural elements such as sun, wind and rain, building saves energy through facilities and materials.



Rainwater is used in plants and rooftop gardens.



Detail Section - Structure Joint & Double Facade



Water in the rooftop helps maintain the temperature inside.

Sustainability

It is important to reduce energy consumption as much as possible due to the characteristic of botanic garden that consume a lot of energy. Therefore, I propose a double facade structure to increase sustainability. Double facade helps maintain the pleasant environment for the office and the temperature required for botanic garden efficiently.

'I hope that the space for local residents will restore its original function and RESTORE THE DAILY LIFES of local residents.'



Housing and offices are mixed without boundaries, and countless people pass through them.

Phenomenon

Apgujeong, where the site is located, is a COM-PLEX MIXTURE of RESIDENTIAL and COMMERCIAL ZONES. The two heterogeneous spaces are mixed without a clear boundary, causing many problems. Local residents are unable to sleep late at night due to people who use a commercial zone, and those who move into commercial districts are subject to many restrictions on their activities due to residential districts.

What was needed in this confusing mix of zones was a space that **NARROWED THE GAP** between the two areas.

O5 B House (For Beer Homebrewer) 'Specialized Space for Social Group.'



Residents and office workers always encounter each other.
(12:14, May 13, 2020)

Type

Academic (ERICA, 2021)

Program

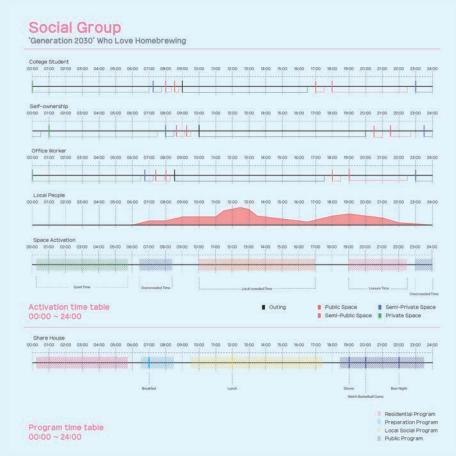
House

Location

19, Dosan-daero 37-gil, Gangnam-gu, Seoul

Housing Issue

For those in their 20s and 30s living in Korea today, a house is just a sleeping space. In addition, those who enjoy "homebrewing" as a hobby need space for various facilities. Therefore, in order to solve his problem, I propose the typology of **SHARE HOUSE**.



Generation 2030

Sharehouse is characterized by a space where people in various fields live together. Considering these characteristics, it is essential to analyze the movements of various people in constructing the space of the share house.

Therefore, the daily movements of the social group 2030 generation were analyzed to identify people's movements in the residential environment. These analysis data help determine the time and program when space is activated.

Even within the 2030 group, they have different lifestyles.















Be a Beer Homebrewer

The beer-making process is complicated, so you have to consider all the factors. Therefore, I investigated the difficulties and the process of making beer to understand the space needed, and studied the physical elements needed to actually create space, such as the tools needed, the numbers of those tools, and the condition of the space needed.

In addition, I had time to make my own beer and learn about the potential of social groups.











5, ENJOY HOMEBREWING BEER!

3. Check the status of bee









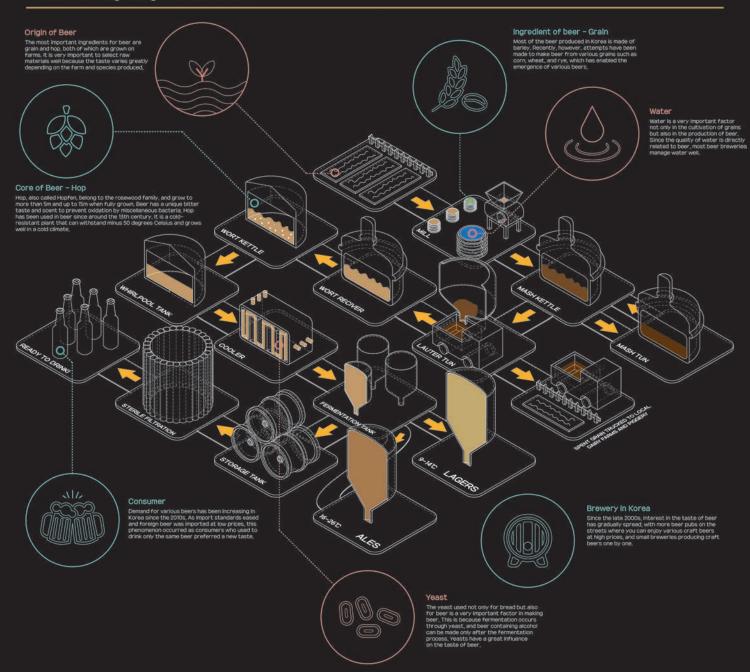
Social Group
Generation 2030' who love homebrewing

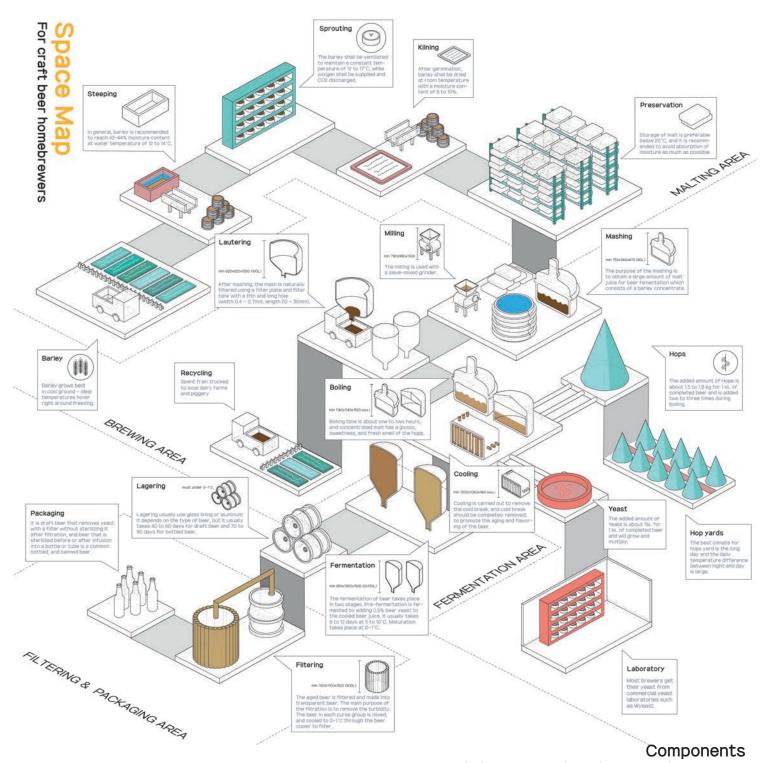
Process

One of the important features of making beer is that the beer-making process has a large order. I wanted to provide a differentiated experience from other beer factories or breweries, where users can move and participate in the process. Therefore, a huge type of lamp is presented as a way to reveal this linear process of beer generation and create various experiences for users.

How to Make Beer

Guide for Beginning Homebrewers





Various facilities are needed to perform homebrewing. Therefore, in order to use these huge facilities, space on a different scale from the general scale of housing was required. Therefore, my project needed to weave various scales of space, such as the human scale needed in the general residential process, the huge scale needed for brewery, and the scale needed for beer-enjoying space.



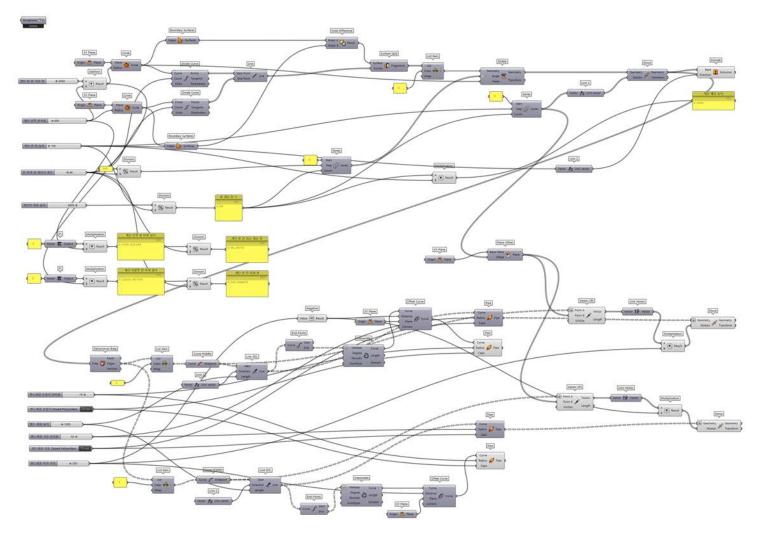
Through a space composed of unusual types of lamps, I hope that users will feel experiences and unique sense of space



Specialized Space

The beer-making process is characterized by a LINEAR FLOW. Taking advantage of these characteristics, the beer production process was connected with one RAMP, and residential spaces were inserted between them to create a space where beer brewerys and residences are together.

I hope that the GAP between the different zones of Apgujeong will be REDUCED and the city will



All scripts are distributed as open sources so that people can apply or learn.

No More Grinding!

The problem that occurs during 3D modeling is that if one parameter changes, all modeling must be proceeded again. In order to minimize such **GRINDING**, parametric grasshopper scripts are produced and distributed.

So far, a total of six scripts have been produced, and all scripts are open source and distributed free of charge, allowing people to apply, or learn grasshopper.

06 ObjectMaker Series 'Freedom for Rhino!'

Туре

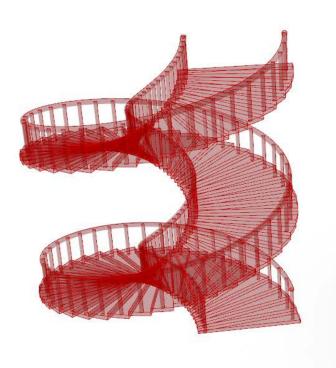
Personal (2021-Present)

Program

Grasshopper Code Design

Role

Planning, Coding, Visualizing



07 Surge - 고양 'SENSE, EARTH, and MYSELF'

Type

Workshop (2018)

Program

Pavilion

Location

55, Hanyangdaehak-ro, Sangnok-gu, Ansan

Phenomenon

A familiar but awkward place to pass by.

From there, artifacts that start at the main gate are fading out one by one.

On a day like every other day, I happened to visit this place.

When I took my first step, The soft ground sank down.

When I took my second step,
Withered leaves shattered with a rustle.

When I took my third step, Rough leaves grazed my feet.

How many steps have I taken leaving my body to the ground.

When I came to my senses, I found myself surrounded by lots of trees.

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We always live surrounded by someone's hands.

When I leave myself in their hands and move on.

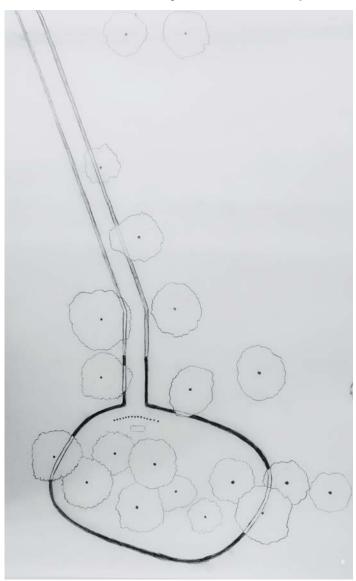
Somewhere along the line, I find myself standing alone in hollow void.

So we need time alone.

To Not Forget oneself, To Keep oneself surged.



In the middle of the crunchy forest. (08:56, February 10, 2018)



Senses that occur between the earth and me.







As I took a step, I saw myself through the pillars far away.



I look back on myself, who was buried in my daily life alone in the arms of trees.



Merged Western and Eastern architecture. (Made by Jusang Lee, Hokwon Na, Borim Kim, Byungmun Kang, Dohun Kim, Jungmin Lee)

Follow the Legacy

Office of Space Group is one of the most beautiful buildings in Korean architectural history. Architect Kim Soo-geun tried to find a way to naturally coexist between old traditional buildings and today's buildings, and as a result, three completely different types of buildings coexisted.

I had time to study his architecture and analyze the details and composition of the space.

08 Highlight the Details 'Follow the Legacy'

Туре

Academic + Team Project (ERICA, 2017)

Program

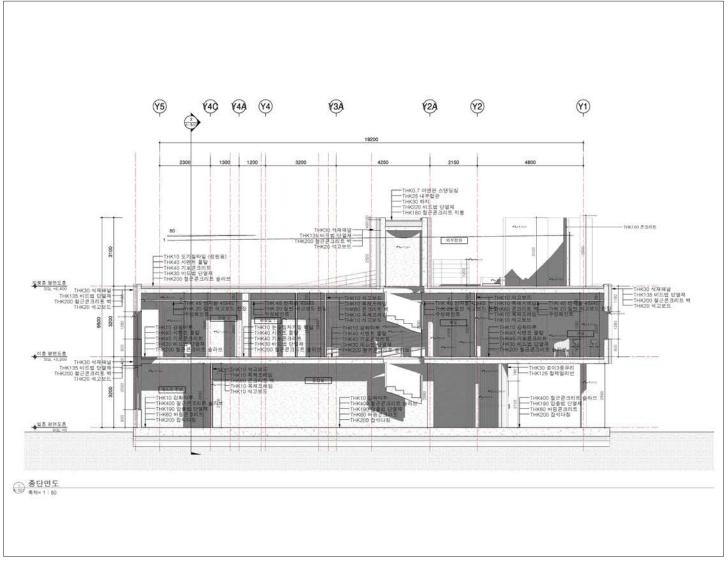
Reference Study

Role

Research, Visualization



Brick buildings, hanoks, and curtain walls all coexist. (Made by Jusang Lee, Hokwon Na, Borim Kim, Byungmun Kang, Dohun Kim, Jungmin Lee)



Section from Revit (BIM)



Roof garden

9 Feeling the Future 'Classic X Technology'

Туре Academic (ERICA, 2021)

Program Reference Study

Role

BIM Modeling (Revit), Visualization

