# CREATIVE PUBLIC LIBRARY AND MATERIAL CENTER

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**CREATIVE PUBLIC LIBRARY AND MATERIAL CENTER** 

# **PROJECT** description and case statement

### PROJECT TITLE:

# Creative Public Library and Material Center

### **ELEVATOR STATEMENT:**

My project will create a multi-purpose spaces, for example, library, exhibition, material center which support for everyone, especially, creative designer and student who are looking for new space areas to serve their imagination for design projects. Project is promoting streamlined access to design information and engaging all creative community members in their innate life-long quest for learning.

### **CASE STATEMENT:**

My project is being developed because the space design of Library was limited in term of idea and character of space. As before, Library is the space where people can find the books and information. Space carries a lot of books and need to be quiet. This probably leads to some problems for all creative designer; User: most of public library does not zoom specially for the design books for all kind of creative designer or even students in art school. Environment: space does not support for the new idea to design project, no space for relaxing or get the good view to lead for new imagination.

Current Libraries have evolved over time, and most recently there is increased need to recognize access to information using various technologies. It serves the social activity and space for study in downtown area and others. On the other hand, the environment and the design of space and building itself have not response to the most efficient of the program. By adding new program, project can introduce new space to let designer have a chance to know and see the new materials from material zone that They can learn and order those materials for their projects.

The proposed program would place special spaces and the new ideas for all designer to reach the high benefit of using space. The program adds new technology to support space, structure and new materials to bright up the interesting spaces in the building.

The site is located on downtown areas where the people can access easily and it has to connect to the city transportations. Site is near Chicago public library and surrounding by Art school and student. These environment can help all designer feel relax and active to get the idea for the project. The project provides people the convenient and civic lifestyle.

# **GOALS** and Guiding Principles

## **GOAL STATEMENT:**

Key goals my solution and design will satisfy include all creative designers, children in society to have the special space to supprot their imagination

"The project provides exciting spaces to support all design projects."

### **GUIDING PRINCIPLES:**

Key principle that will guide the design include the following:

# [1] Community:

The design has to reflect and response of designer who come to use the space and function to increase their relationship and friendly environment. Also, brains are typically social.

# [2] Learning and Introducing:

Supporting people's natural curiosity and introduce them to know the new material that can use for all design ideas.

# [3] Easy access to information/resources:

Adding computer and other High-technology tools, such as interactive spaces to serve and encourage people to learn the new techniques to get the information.

### [4] Flexible:

Good Library must be flexible; space need to be able to change and response to many different purposes.

## [5] Sustainability:

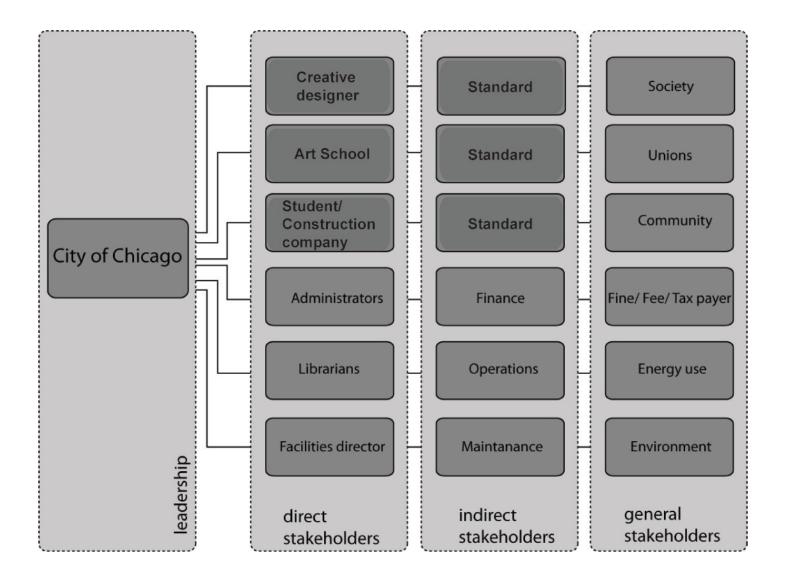
Emphasize importance of environment to maintaining a healthy community. For example, the idea that daylighting increases the brain's ability to learn, green space or open area that can interact with space inside, and using local material to give the warm environment to the spaces.

# Stakeholders

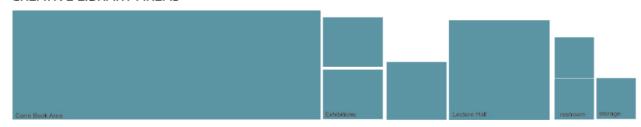
Stakeholders are key of the project.

The project will be success for the community depends on how the project can engage all people in the building. How it operates the hold functions. The role that helps to engage stakeholders in this process is about:

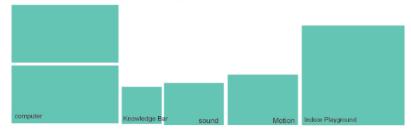
- Focus Users: This focus user normally compare of the direct stakeholder of the project. All direct users are important for developing space and function to the project. It helps to know how the designer operates the building to reach their requirement of the facility.
- Community focus: Both direct and indirect stakeholders may involve in the public project. This may reach to the top of the goal of the leadership to create the efficient building for the community.



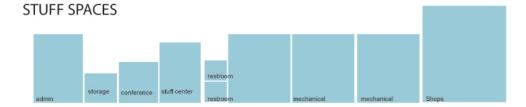
# INTERIOR SPACES CREATIVE LIBRARY AREAS



# **CHILDREN SUPPORT AREAS**







# **QUALITATIVE** parameters

CREATIVE LIBRARY ZONE Core Center Book Collection

Special Exhibition / Stage

Special Lecture Hall

Restrooms

CHILDREN SUPPORT ZONE Computer Cafe'

Knowledge Bar Media Service Spaces - Sound Interactive

- Motion/Picture

Indoor Children experimental playground

MATERIAL CENTER ZONE

Material Library

Material Example Exhibition

Studio Workshops

**Material Services** 

- Test and Order Material Office

- Loading Dock Area

- Storage Room

STUFF SUPPORT ZONE

Library Admin Service Office [check-in/out]

Storage Room Conference Room Stuff Center Restrooms

Mechanical Room

Shops

**EXTERIOR SPACES** 



**EXTERIOR SPACE ZONE** 

Outdoor Activity Space

- Playground

- outdoor Learning space

- Recreation Area

# **QUANTITATIVE**/ physical parameters

Programing					
1. CREATIVE LIBRARY AREAS	Qty.	Net S.F.	Total S.F.	Capacity	Note
1.1 Core Book Collection	1	5,000	5,000	Capacity	
1.2 Temporary and Special Exhibition		0,000	0,000		
1.2.1 New products and Design projects	1	700	700		
1.2.2 Competition and student projects	2	700	700		
1.3 Lecture Hall	1	1,600	1,600		
1.4 Seating/ Compter areas	4	1,500	6.000		
1.5 Others	-	1,300	6,000		
	2	200	400		
1.4.1 Restroom Total	2	200			
Iotal			14,400		
2. CHILDREN SUPPORT AREAS	Qty.	Net S.F.	Total S.F.	Capacity	Note
2.1 Computer Café¹	2	600	1,200	50	
2.2 Knowledge Bar	1	100	100	10	
2.3 Medie Service Spaces					
2.3.1 Sound interactive	1	350	350		
2.3.2 Motion/ Picture	1	350	350		
2.4 Indoor playground	1	1,000	1,000	150	
Total		1,000	3,000	210	
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3. MATERIAL CENTER AREAS	Qty.	Net S.F.	Total S.F.	Capacity	Note
3.1 Material Library	1	2,000	2,000		
3.2 Material Example Library	1	1,000	1,000		
3.3 Studio Workshop	3	1,000	3,000		
3.4 Material Office Services					
3.4.1 Test and Order	1	200	200		
3.4.2 Loading Dock	1	1,500	1,500		
3.4.3 Storage Room	1	1,600	1,600		
Total			9,300		
4. STUFF SUPPORT AREAS	Qty.	Net S.F.	Total S.F.	Capacity	Note
4.1 Office	1	600	600	10	
4.2 Storage Room	1	150	150		
4.3 Service	1	200	200		
4.4 Stuff Center	1	500	500	15	
4.5 Shops	1	1,000	1,000	300	
4.6 Other		- 1000	-,000		
4.6.1 Restroom	2	60	120		
4.6.2 Mechanical Room	2	800	1,600		
Total		000	4,170	325	
NET AREA TOTAL 25% Non Assignable Space TOTAL INTERIOR LIBRARY SERVICE SPACE			30,870 7,719 <b>38,589</b>		
5. EXTERIOR AREAS	Qty.	Net S.F.	Total S.F.	Capacity	Note
5.2 Outdoor Activity Areas	1	4,000	4.000		
Total		4,000	4,000		



## **CASE STUDY**

**TCDC** 

Location: Bangkok, THAILAND

Complete: 2005

"TCDC's key focus is to create an opportunity for Thai people to access source of knowledge for their new inspirations by providing them with an opportunity to experience and learn from famous artists and designers worldwide. In cooperation with private sectors, SME entrepreneurs and designers it aims to raise public awareness of using design to add value to Thai products along with helping Thai designers gain visibility in the local and global marketplace."

It consists of a huge library (resource centre) with thousands of design and socio-cultural relevant books, magazines and DVDs, hosts the Material Connexion Bangkok (a material library with a particular focus on Thai materials), various show rooms with a permanent exhibition about design as well as changing ones, the Kiosk (a social hangout place combining cinema, live music and a classical cafe), a shop that sells mainly products designed by Thai designers supported by the centre as well as some international "design icons", various lecture theaters with talks from many international design industry people, and - for those who need to feel a bit superior sometimes while doing research a posh member's lounge.

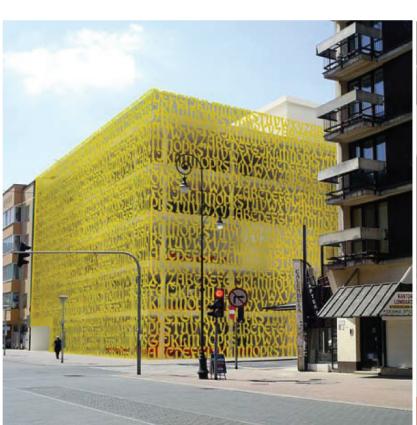
# **CASE STUDY**

Public Library in Lodz

by Maciek Grelewicz

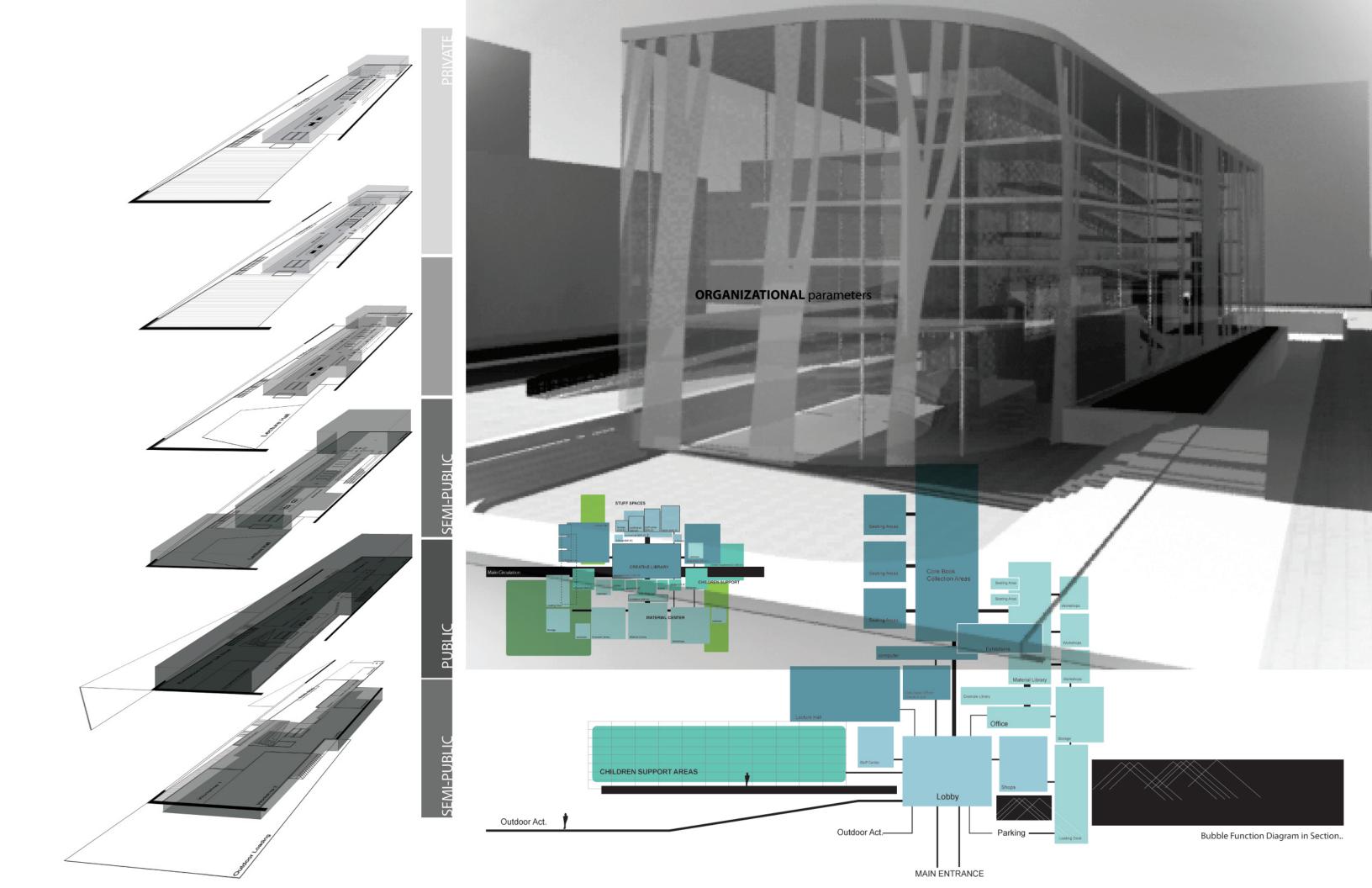
He has proposed a library for the city of Łódź clad in golden lettering

library is designed in the very centre of Lodz – third biggest city in Poland. Location near shops, restaurants, cultural and educational centres makes this building easily accessible by people of different age, background and interests.









# SITE ANALYSIS

Location: State St. and Harrison St.

Size: 140' x 375'

Transportation: CTA Red Line - Horrison Station

CTA Bus on State St.

Surrounding: There is community around the site,

e.g. Schools, Residential and Public Facilities
There are many people around the site who
can access to the project easily and the project
functions support for all users. Student from
Art school can come to use space also be
like a meeting, reading and finding the new

material for all the project.





SITE ANALYSIS

Site views





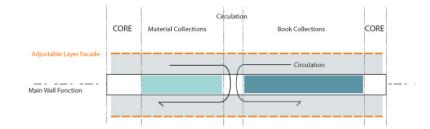


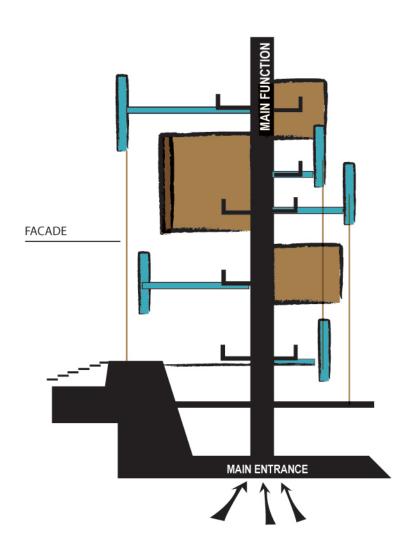


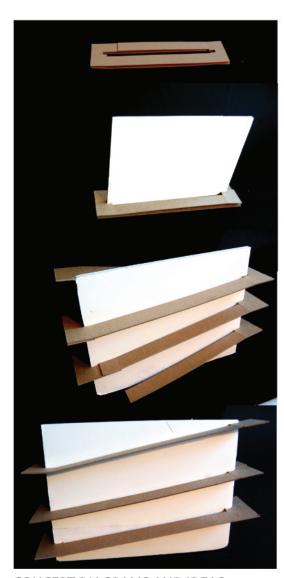
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# **CONCEPTUAL** design

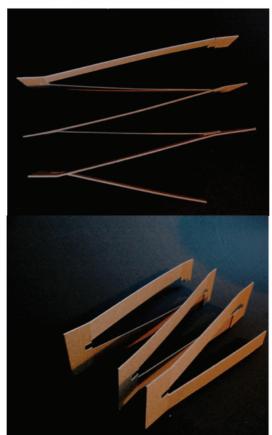
Human behavior that happens when people use library. For example, they walks around the book shelfs to find the books and they can walk through the shelfs to search the materials.

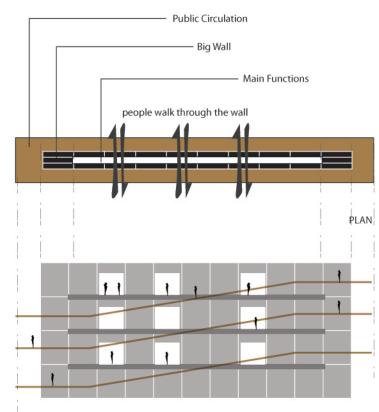






CONCEPT DIAGRAMS AND IDEAS





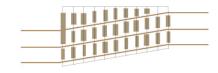
# ELEVATION

### 3 Layers of Facade Idea



# Thick Wall Leyer

This facade holding the main functions of the project that allow people walk through the wall like the book shelfs. Also it provides lighting and colors that can be change for appropriate events.



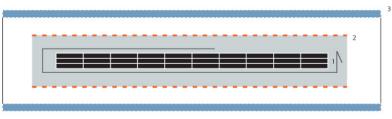
Show some new material that are in the library and allow people interact with changing the facade. It might be the slide window or aome adjustable design for people can use







Glass wall acts as the exterior wall of the building use some techniques create tree pattern on the big glass wall. This idea gives the graphic to the city both day and night time.



## : Material Uses

# Aluminum/ Metal Steel Composite



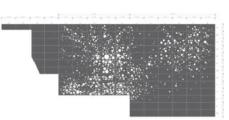


SCREEN FACADE DESIGN

Project require:

Lighting for Space AreasConnected view to Outside

- Adjustable Screen [ Additional] for space inside and overall building design from outside



Lightmos, Bangkok Thailand



DEX Showroom, Osmannoro

Solid
Prevent the direct Sunlight/
direct transmission of Heat
Shadow

Glass Wall/Translucent Insulating Materials















Billboard Building, Moto Azab



Fahio Restaurant Vienr



Wood

The Carabanchel Housing, Madrid



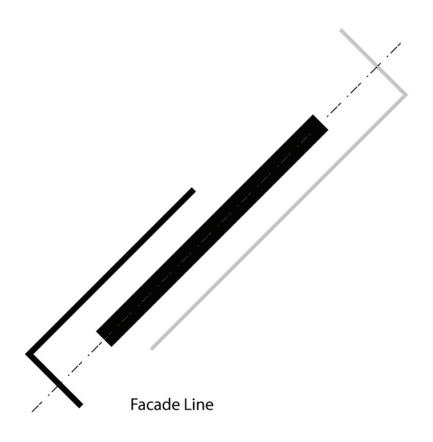
The Lohbach Residences, Innsbruck Austria

- Translucent
  Allow a lot of light
  Some material prevent the direct light
  Connect activity between inside/ outside
  Add
- + Solid Changeing/ Modified/ Adjusted space Shadow

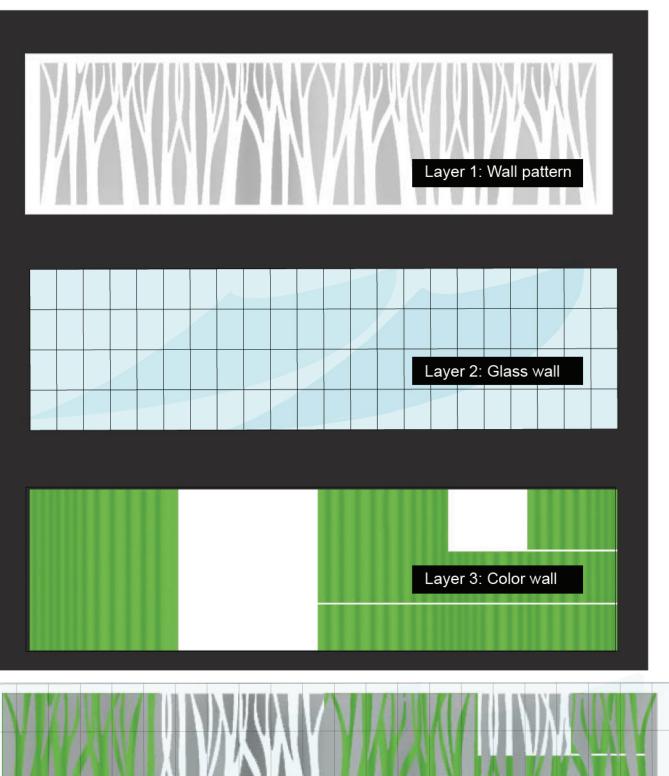
 Disconnected with outside Not provide enough Light Disconnected with outside Not provide enough Light Need frame to hold the system

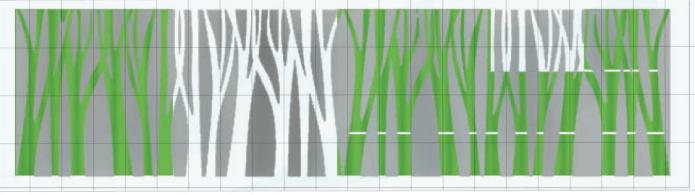


Billboard Building, Moto Azabu Tokyo

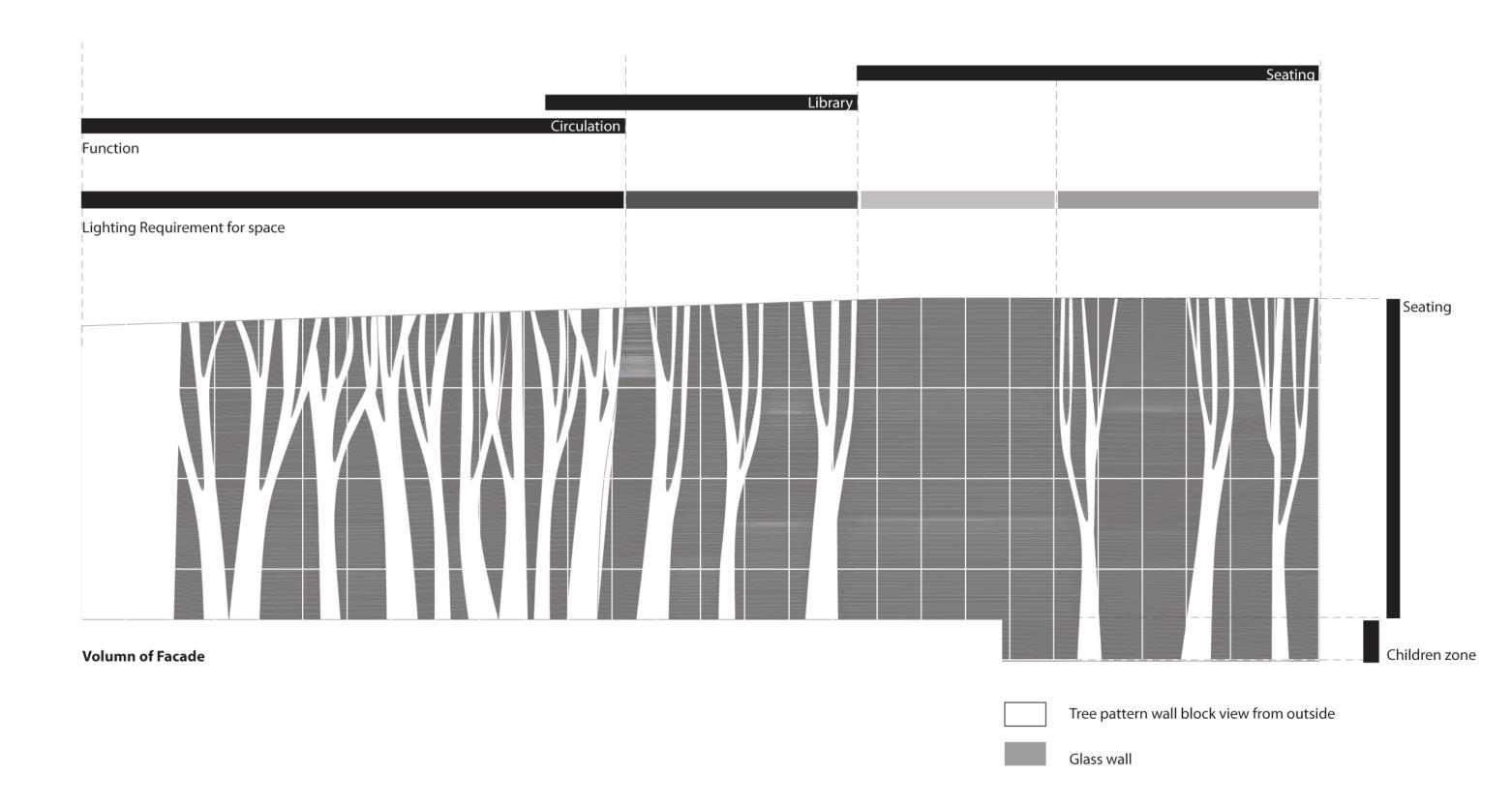


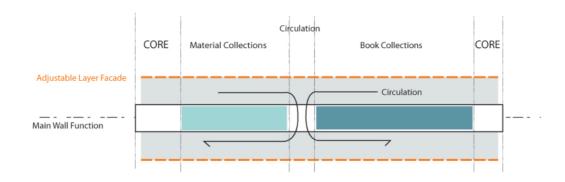
# : IDEA FOR SCREEN FACADE DESIGN

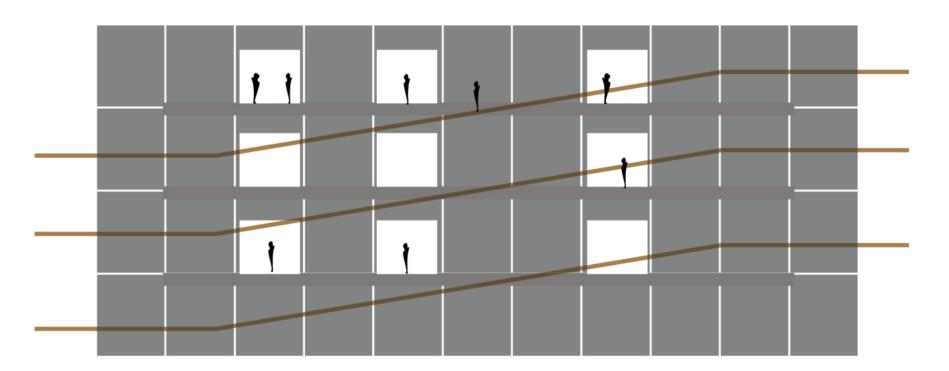




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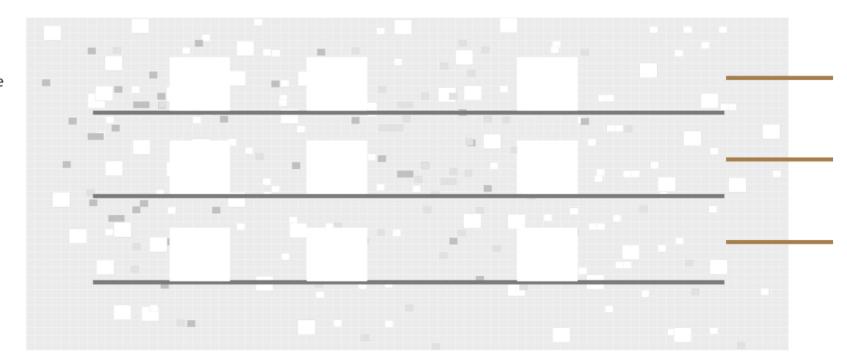






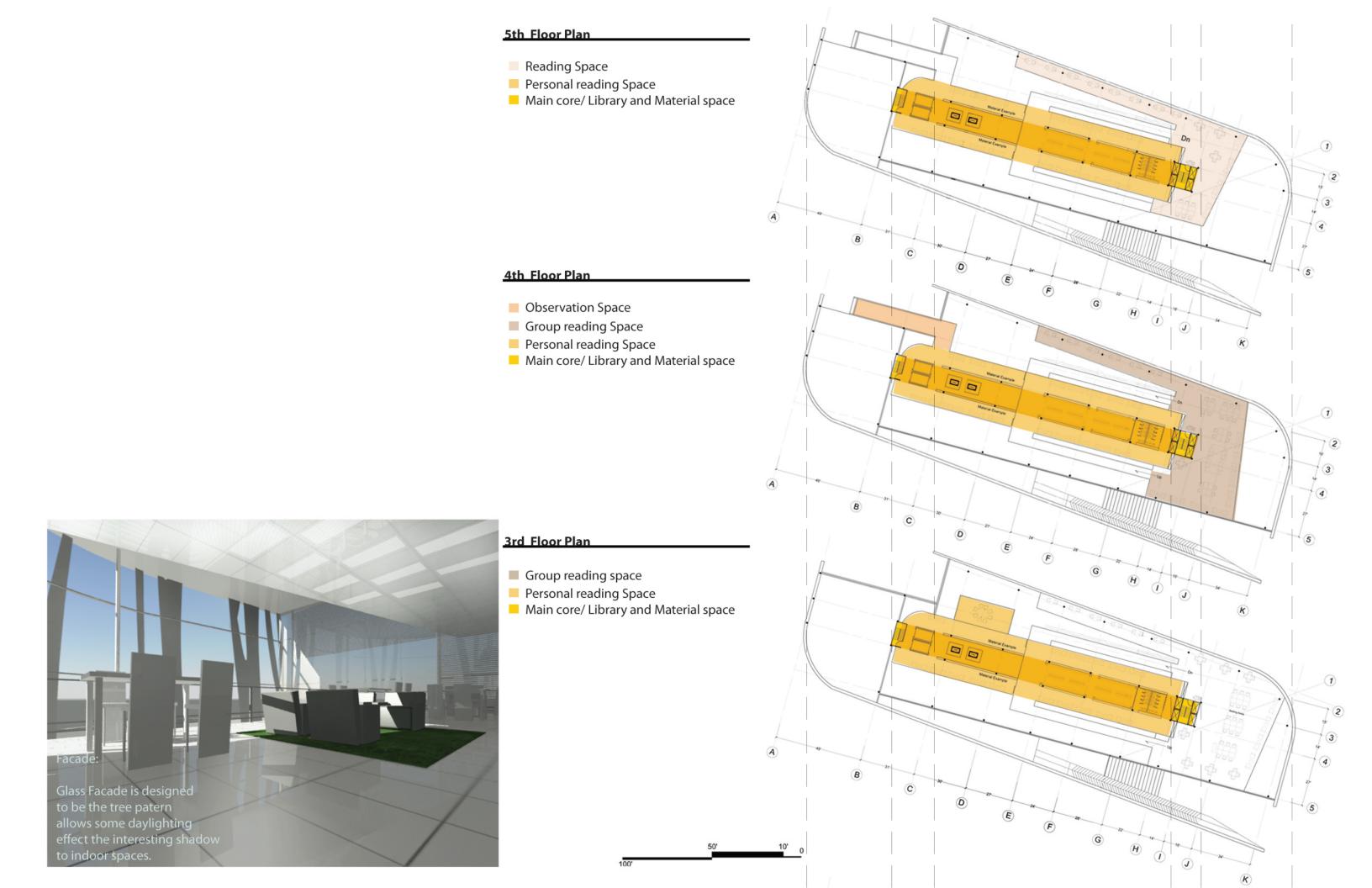
# **Lighting Core Center**

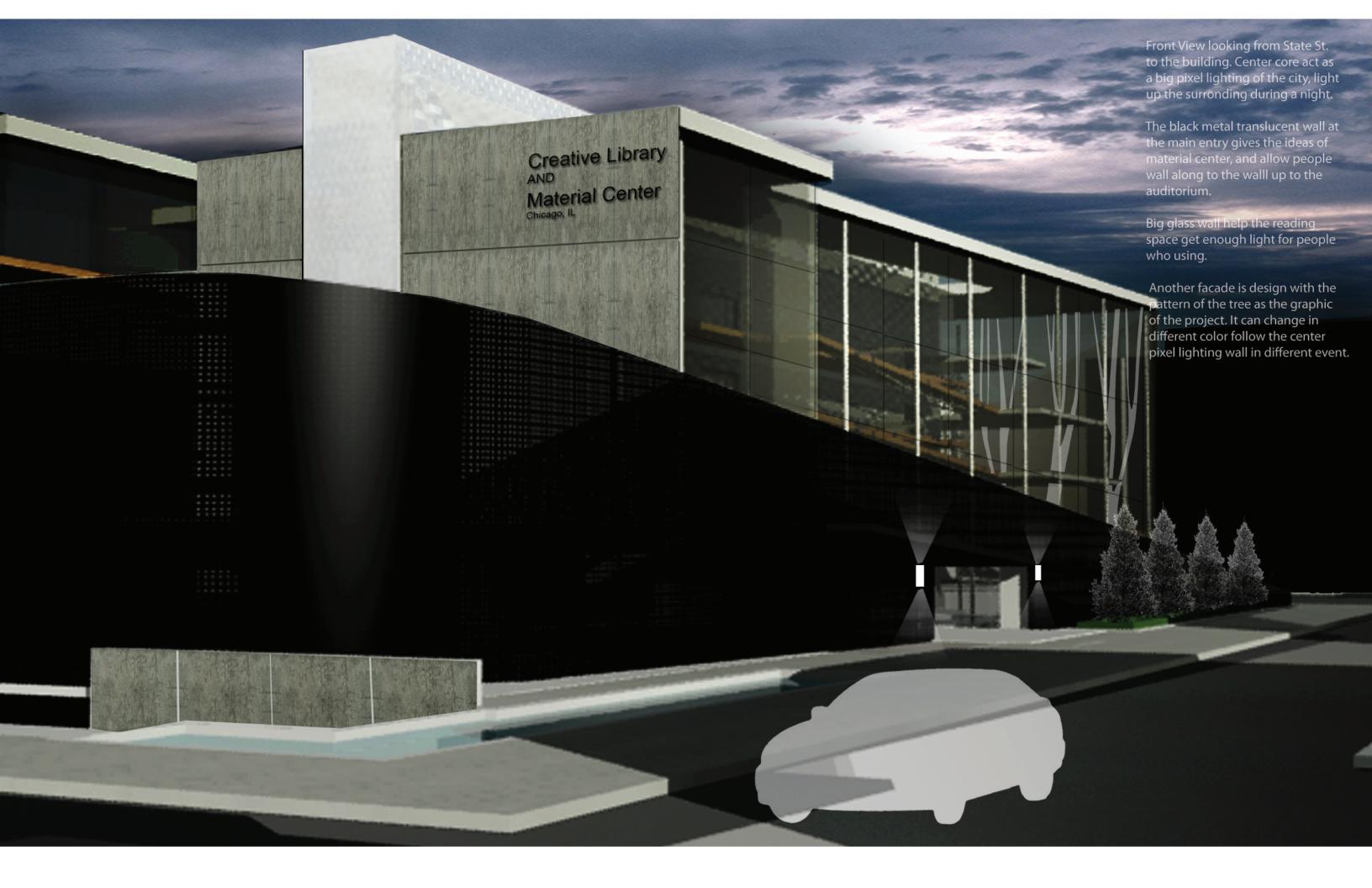
Main center core is a big wall pixel that contain lighting inside and can change to different color in different time depend on event.

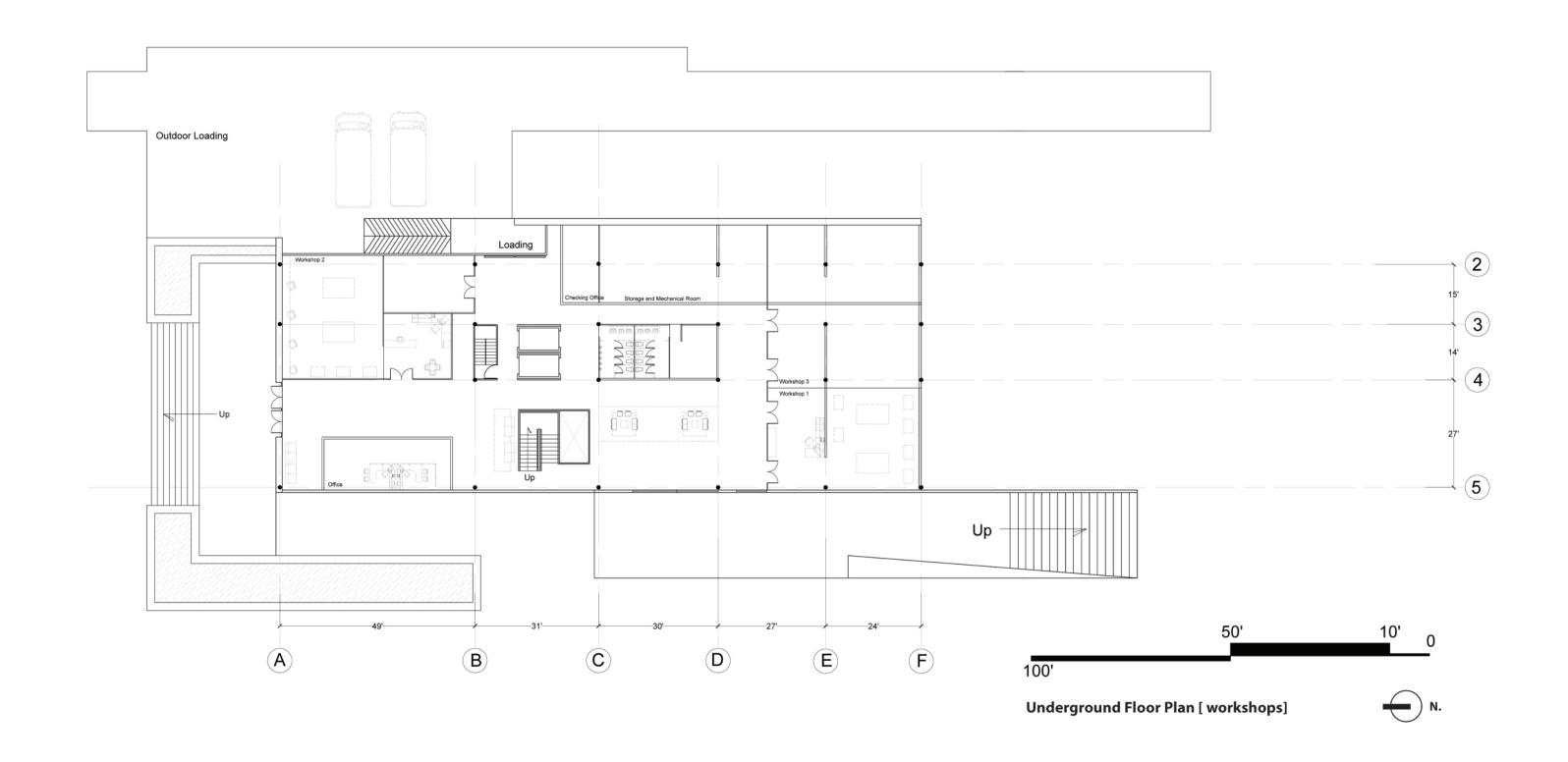


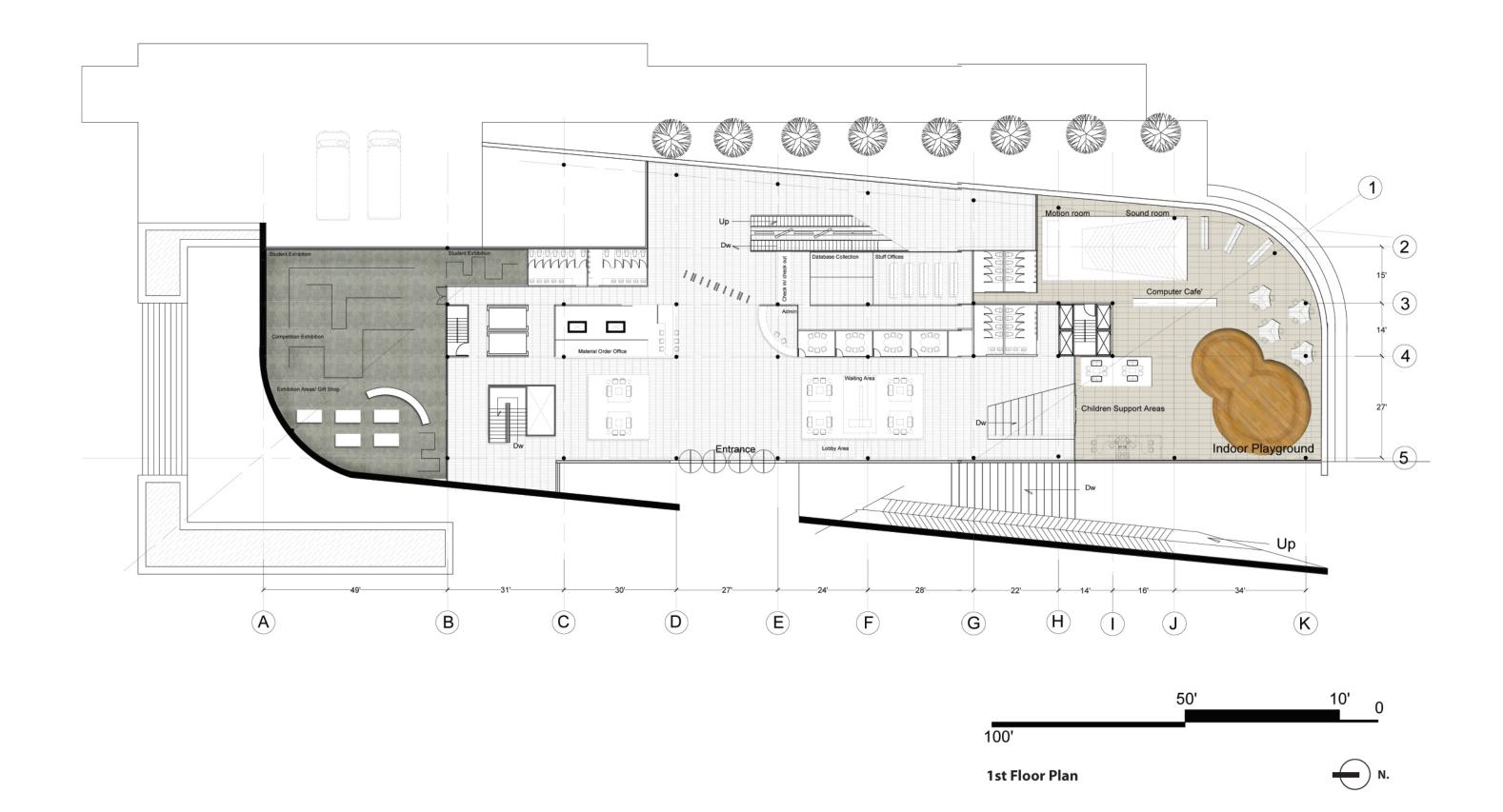
State St.

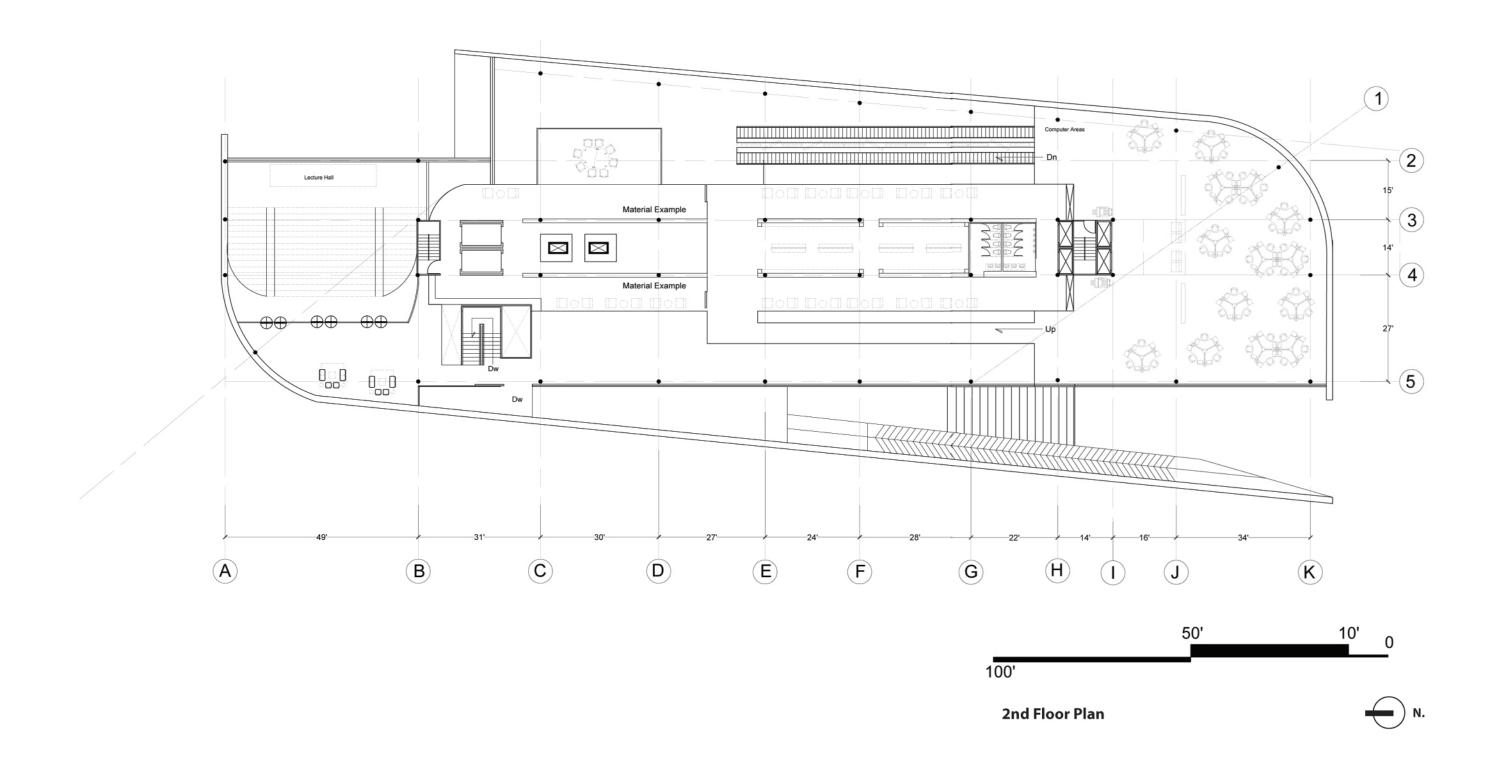


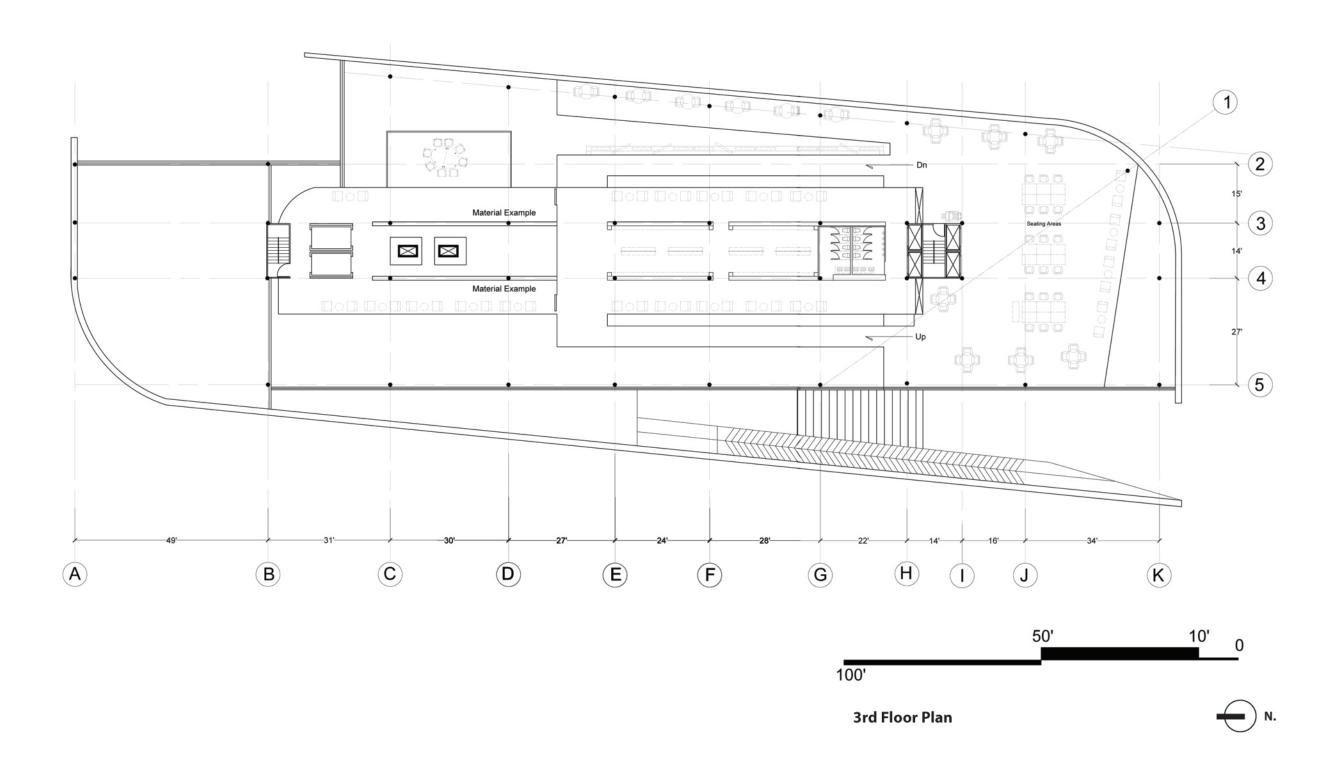


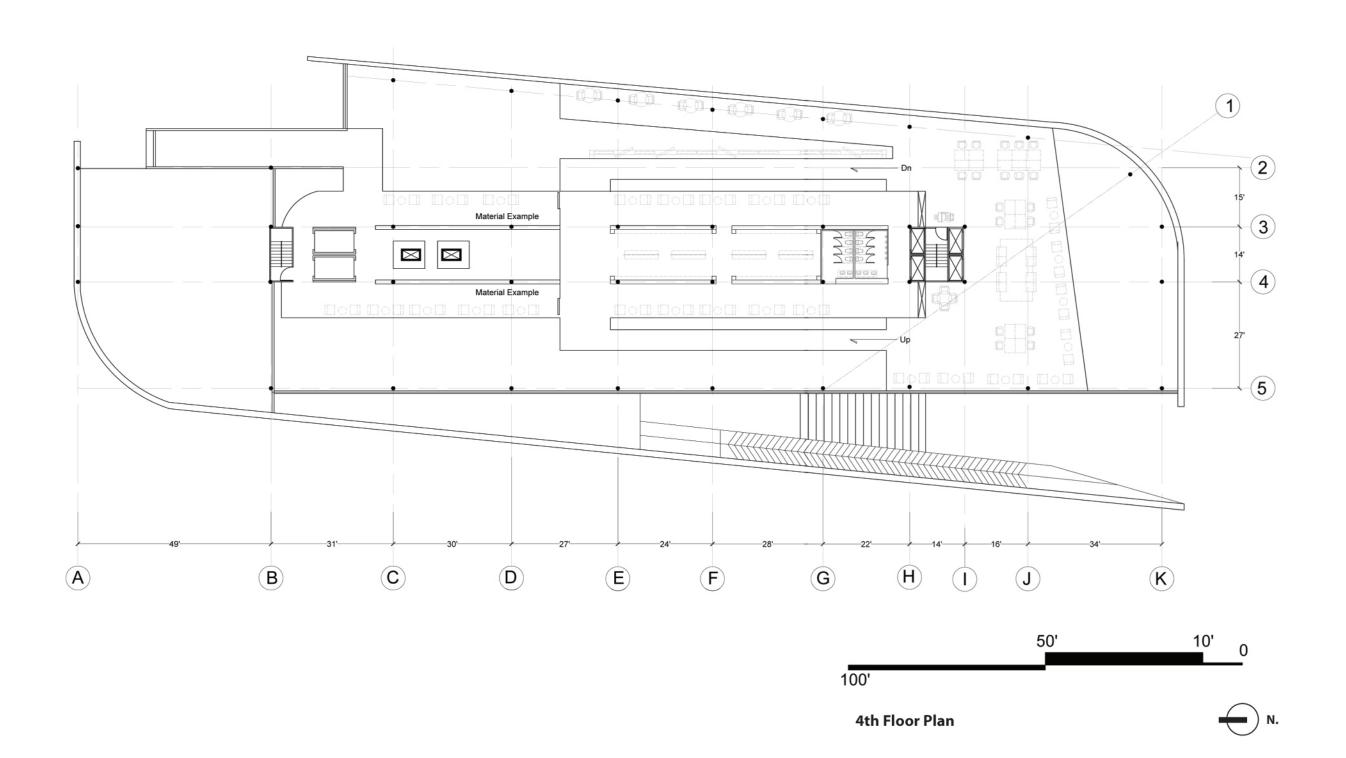


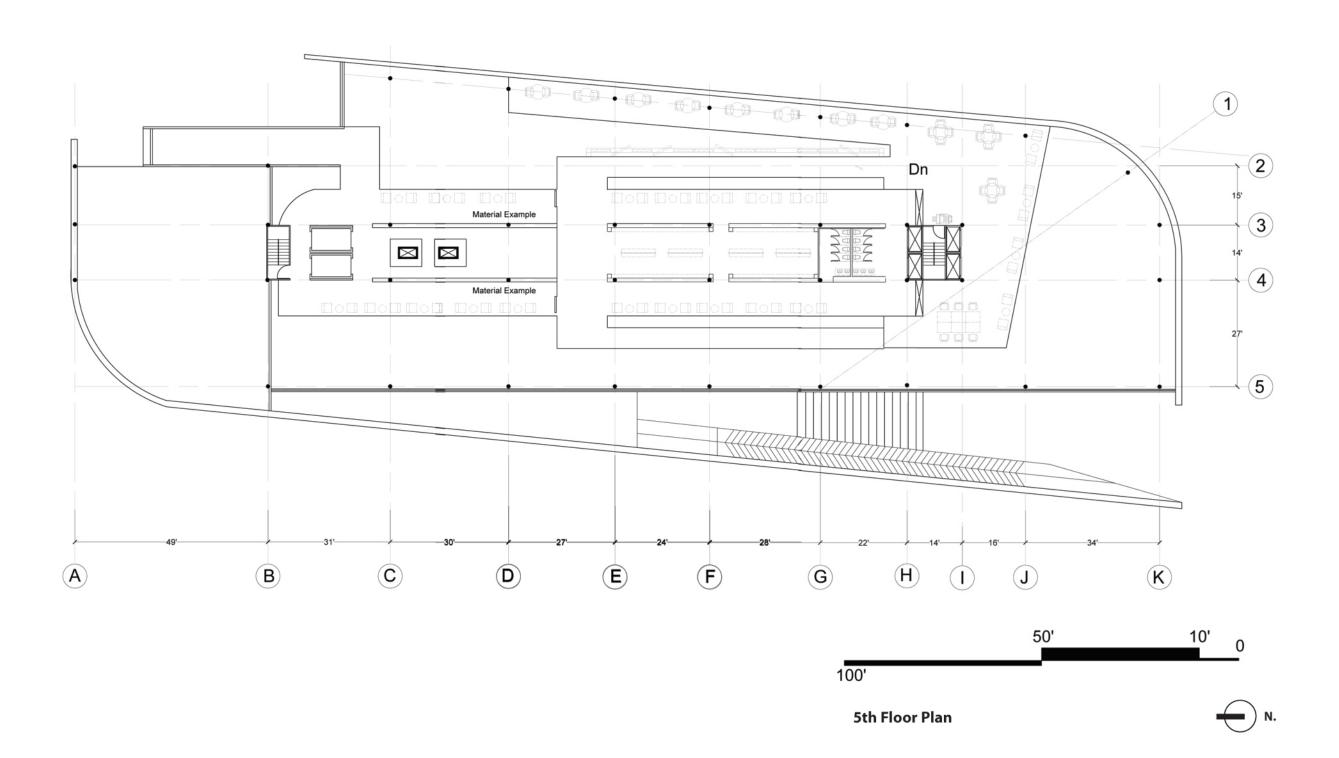


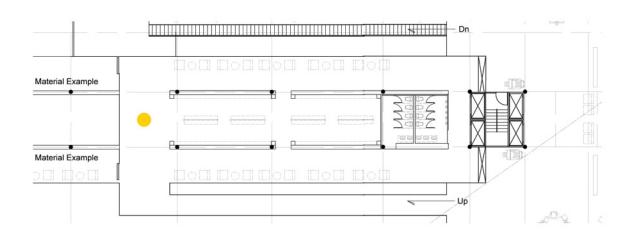






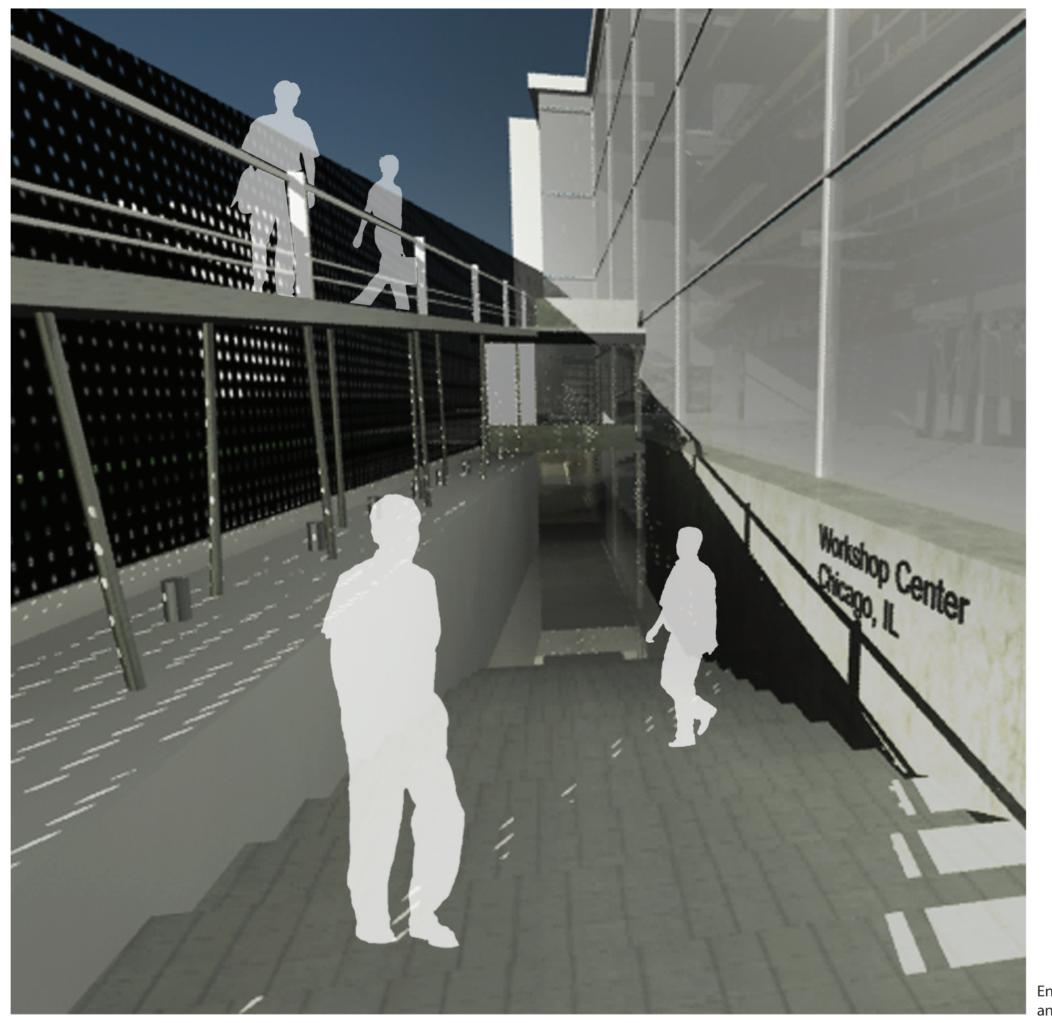


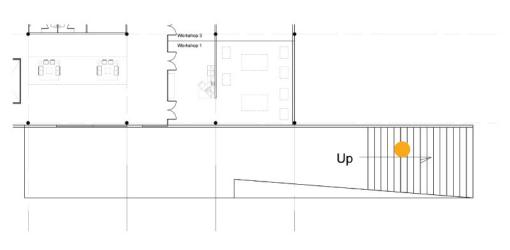






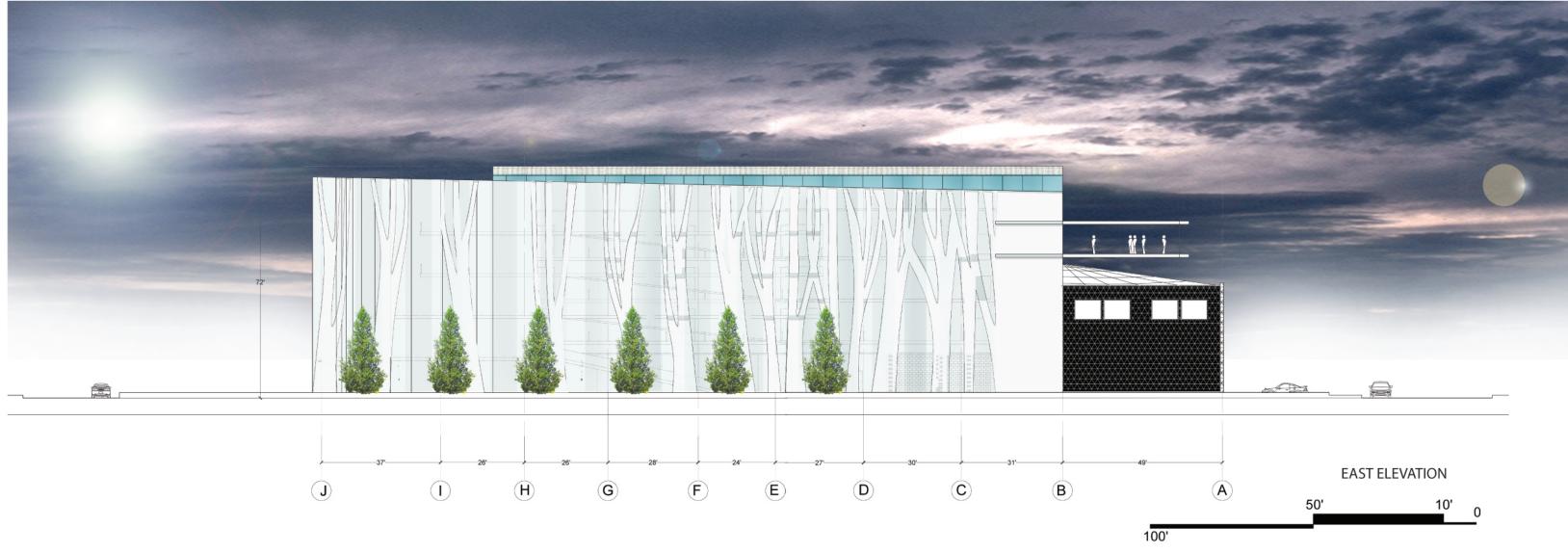
Core library and Material center

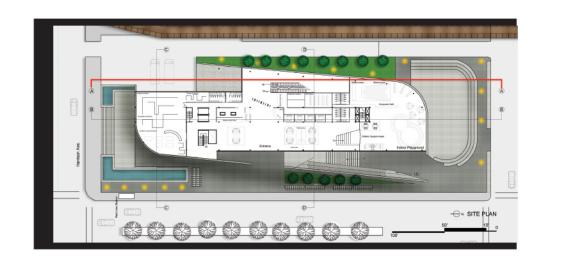


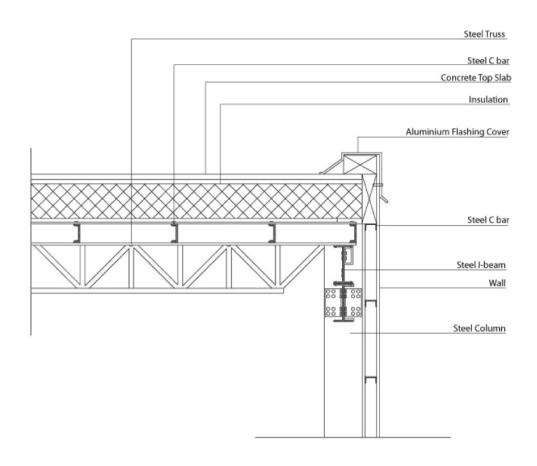


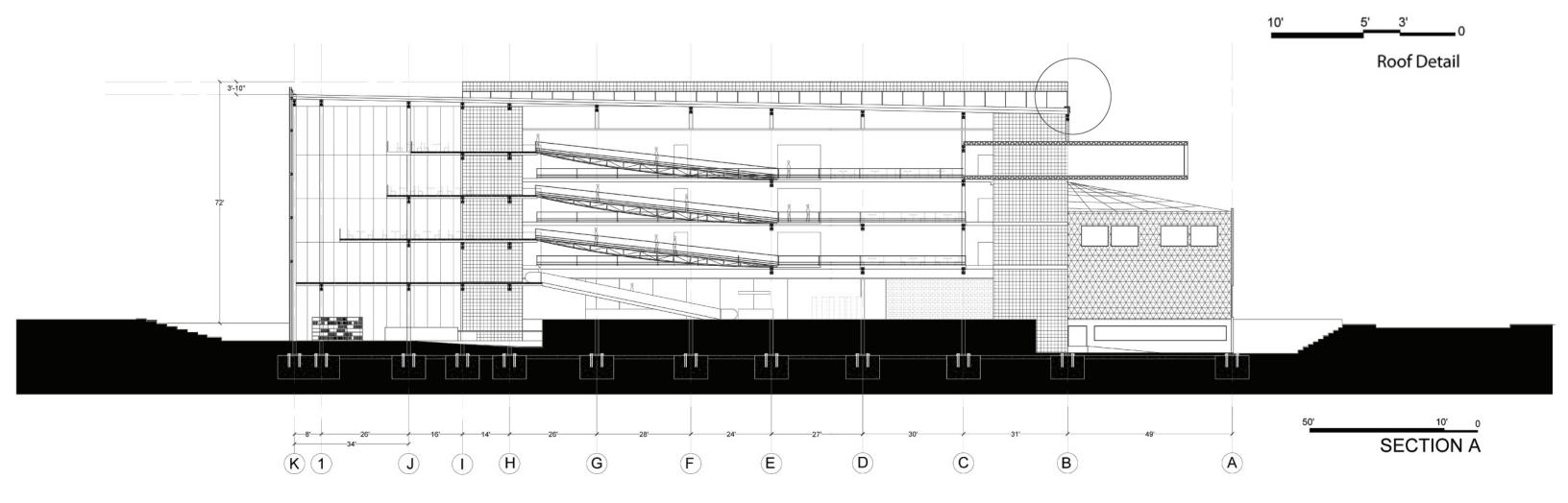
Entrance to workshop center and ramp up to the Auditorium

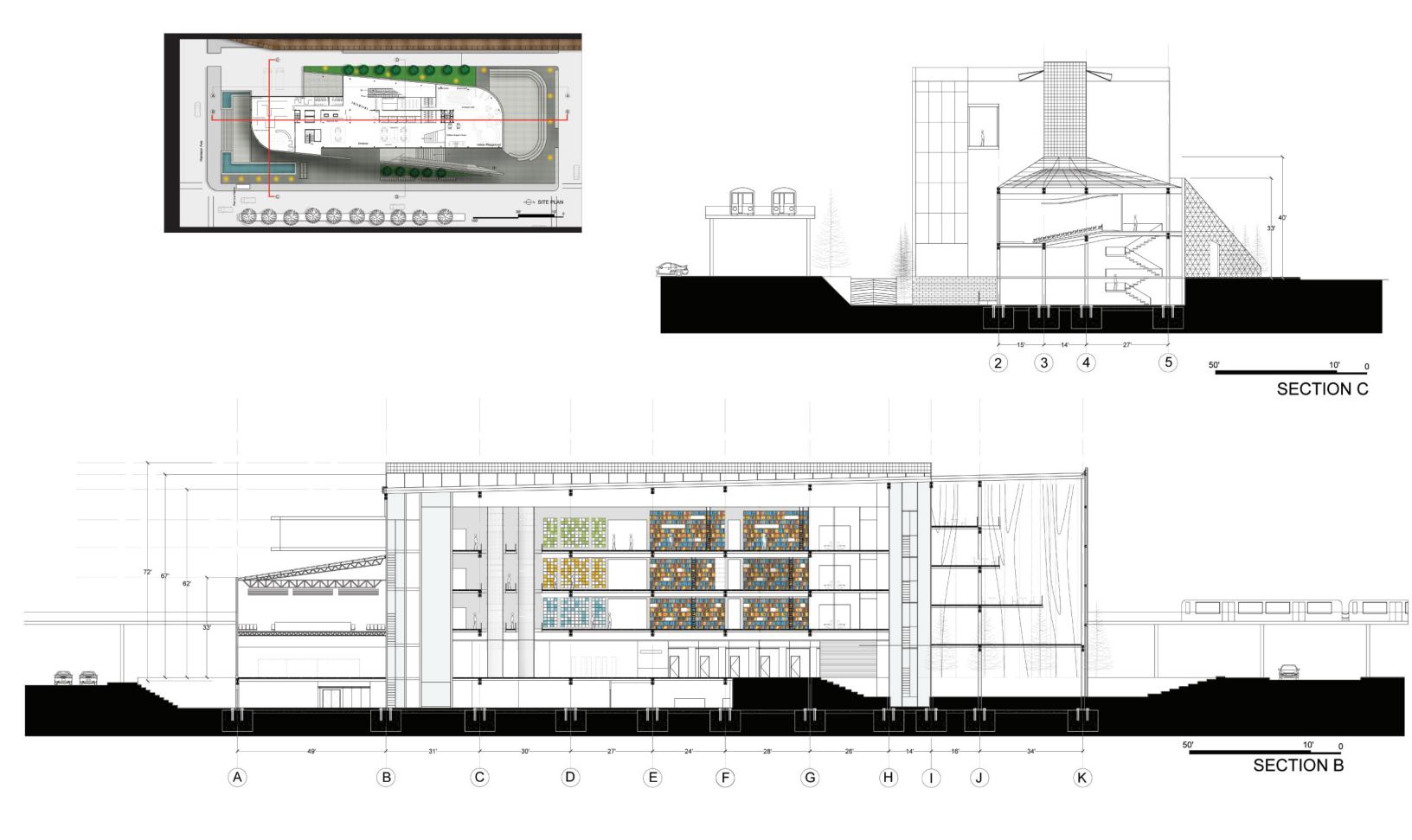






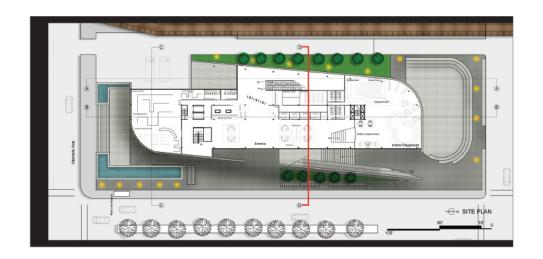


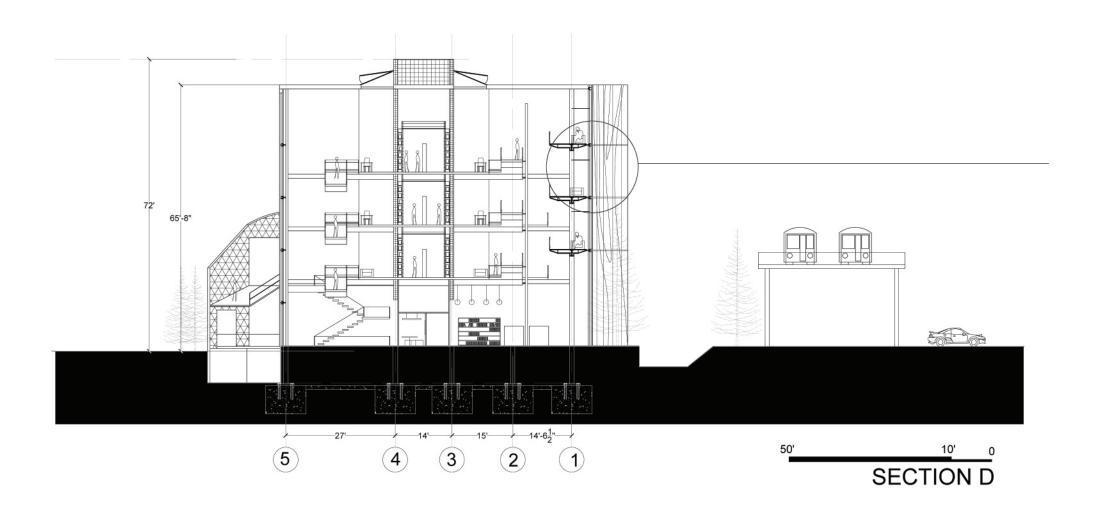


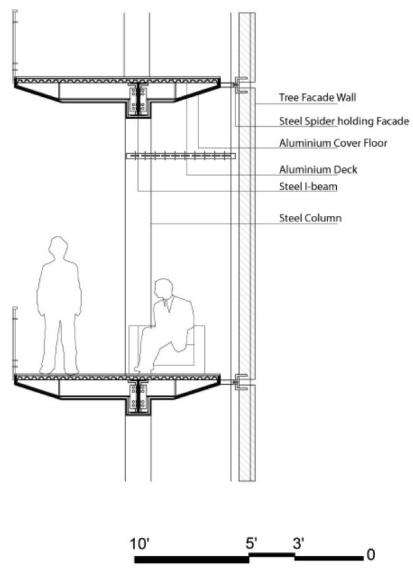




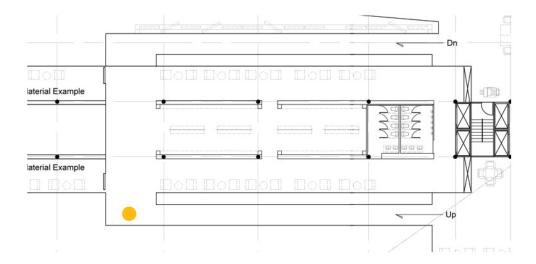
Main lobby







Floor and Facade Details

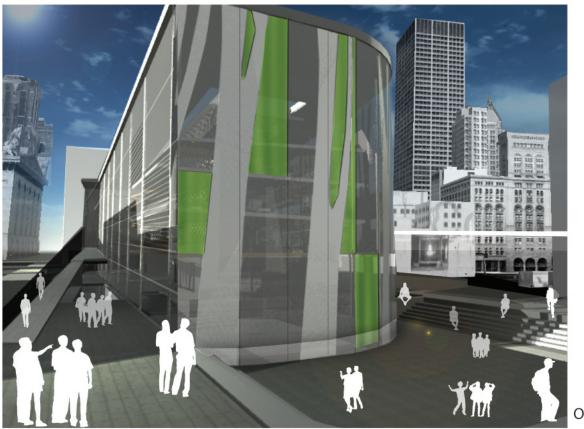


Main circulation up to the main library

Center Core is the main library and Material core exhibition. User can find many interesting and new both books and material for their design projects.

Outside core wall material made with a bid glass pixel wall in many different shade of glass. Also contain lighting inside for light up the project for community during the night time.





Outdoor activity area for public



Physical Model





Physical Model



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