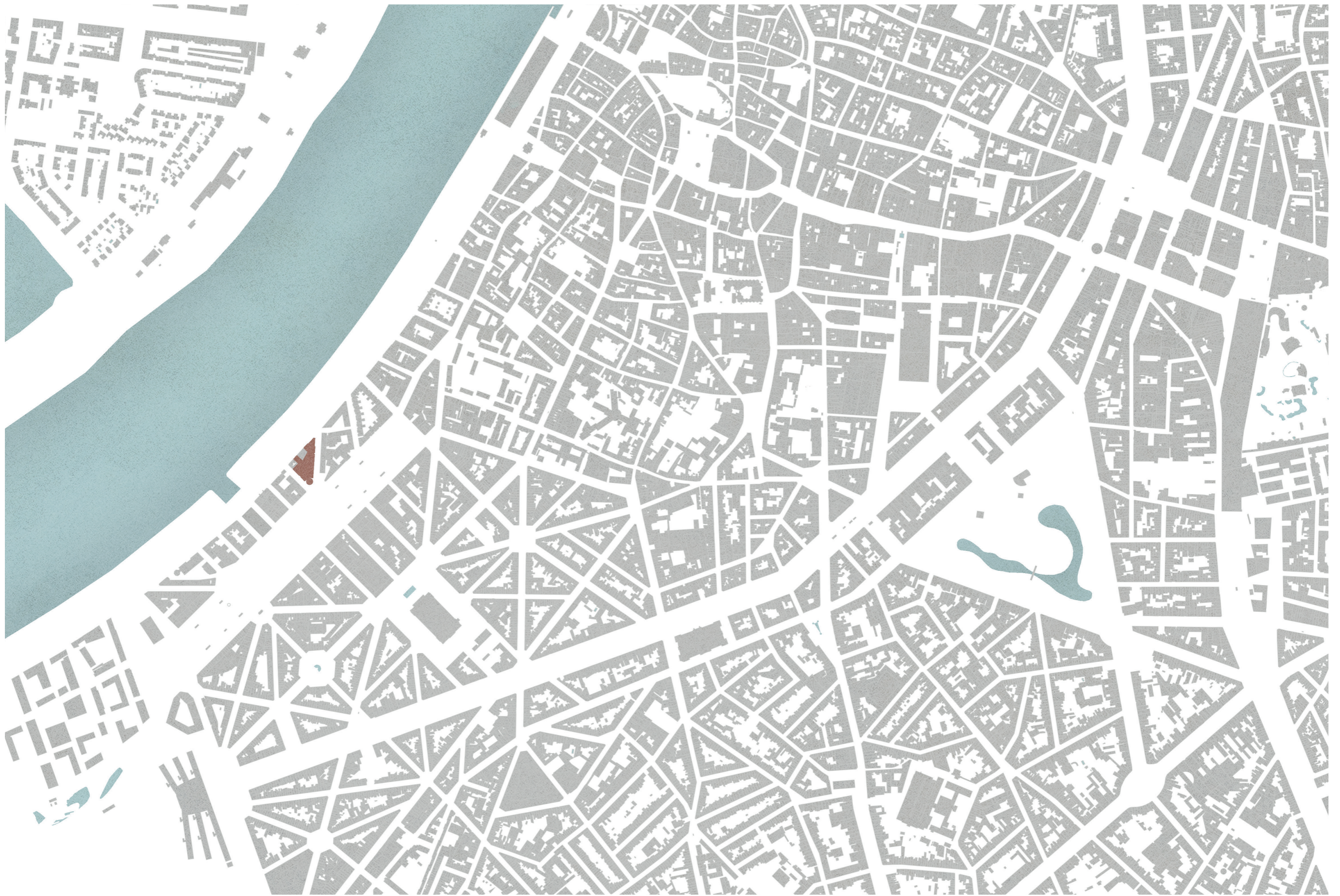


# **MUSEUM IN SEQUENCES**

**Incorporating a Museum of Contemporary Art  
into an existing Court Building**

**Graduation Project  
by Rafael Fernandes Trindade**



*M HKA*

Museum van Hedendaagse Kunst Antwerpen  
(Museum of Contemporary Art Antwerp)

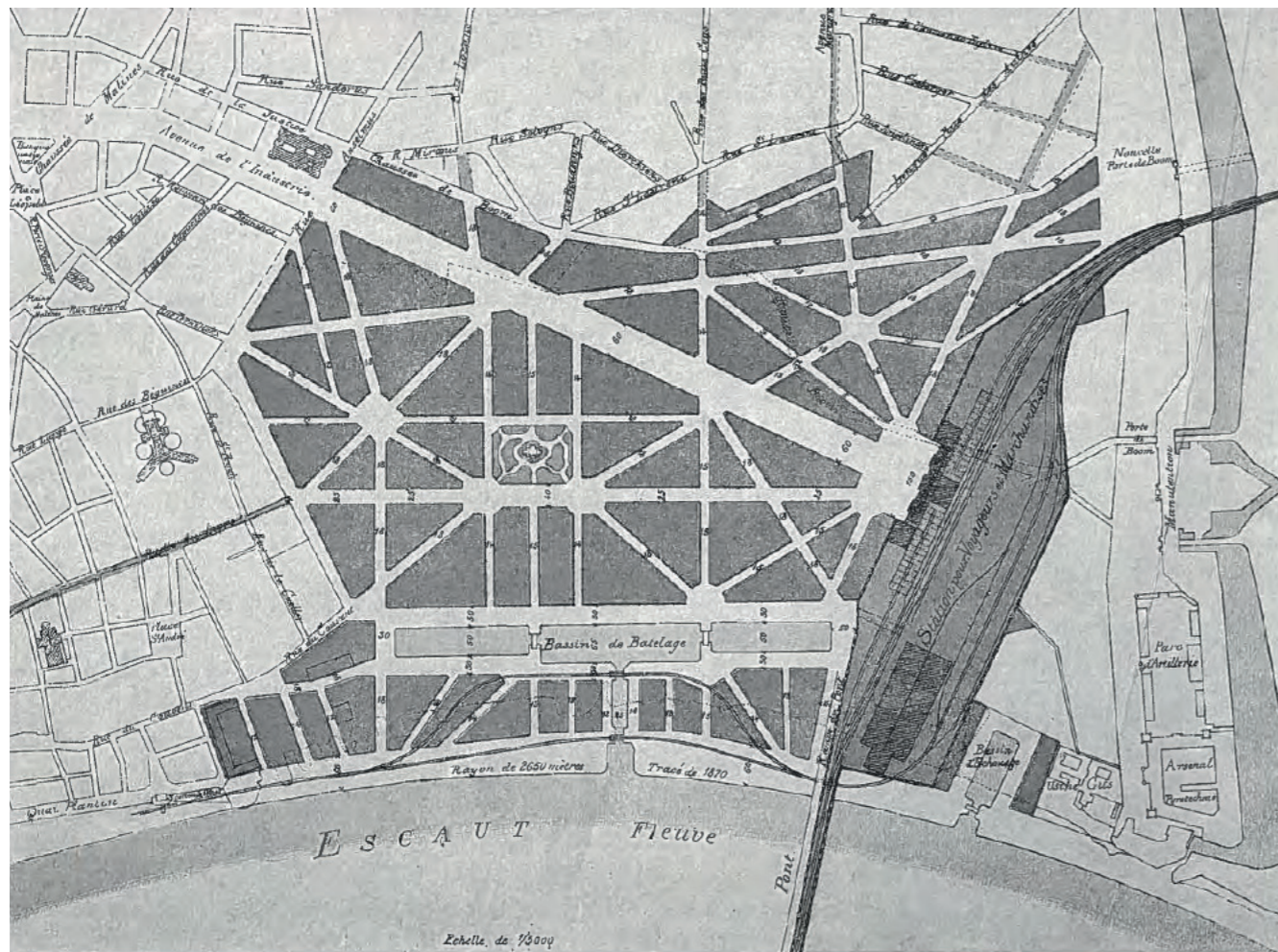




*Le Lit, 2000*  
Marianne Berenhaut



*In The Closet, 1997*  
Emilia & Ilya Kabakov



Antwerp Zuid, BE  
around 1875



KMSKA,  
around 1875

M HKA



ANTWERPEN 1990  
Stad aan de Stroom

- EILANDJE
- ▭ KAAIEN
- △ ZUID





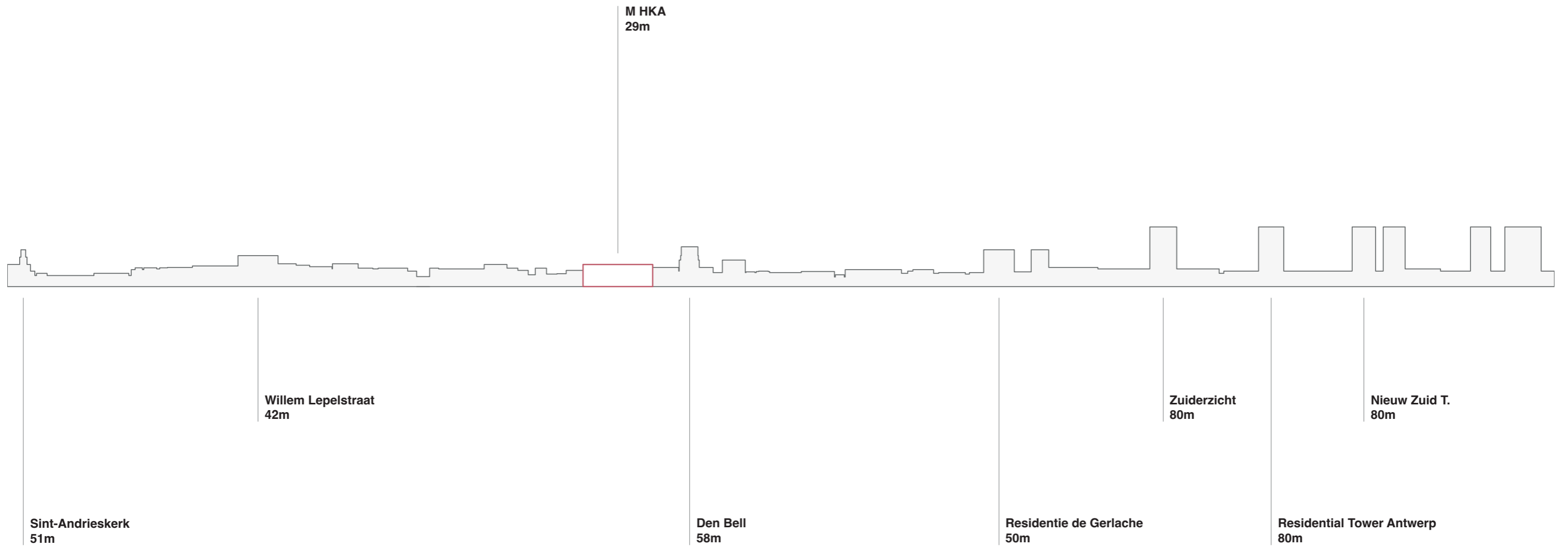


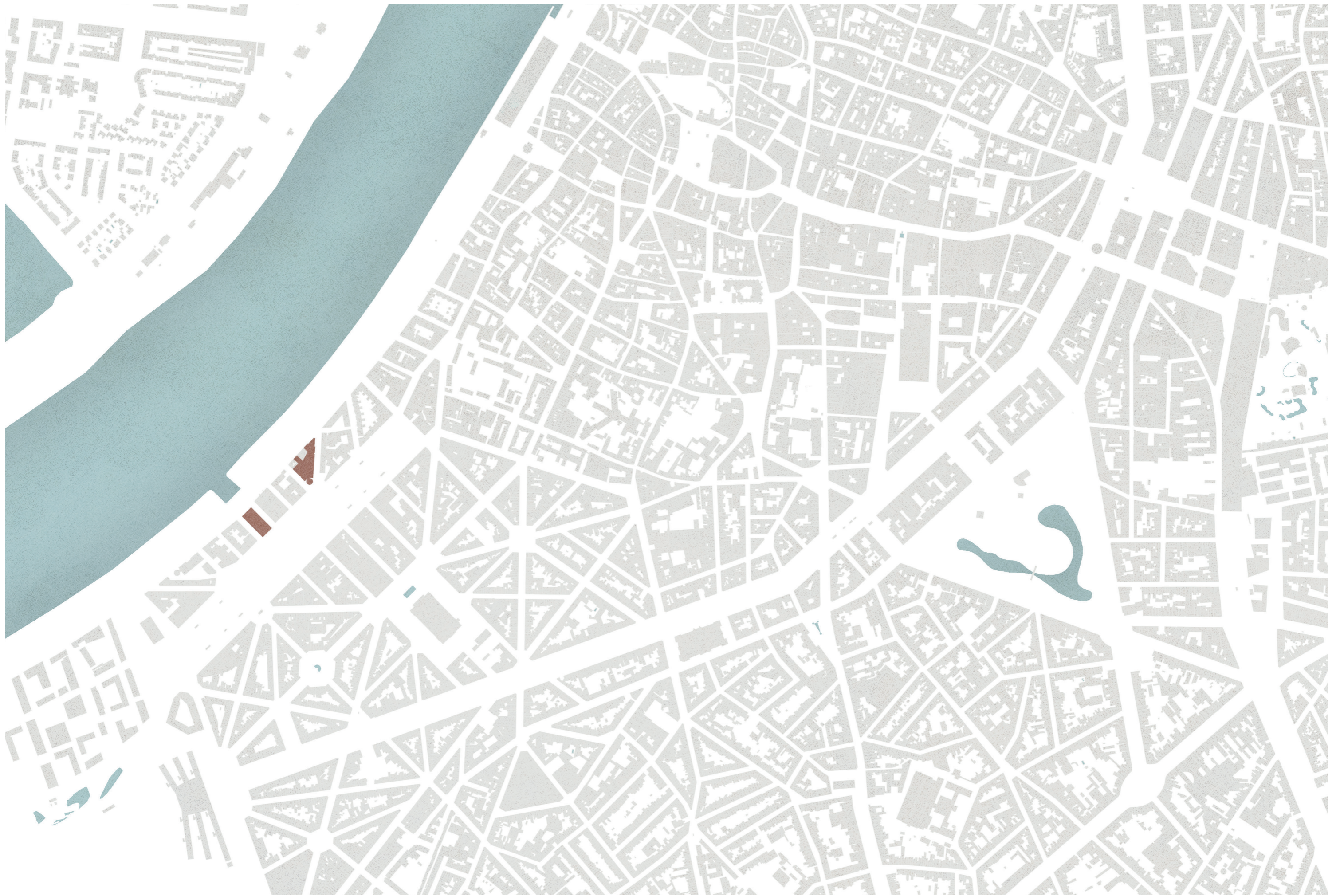
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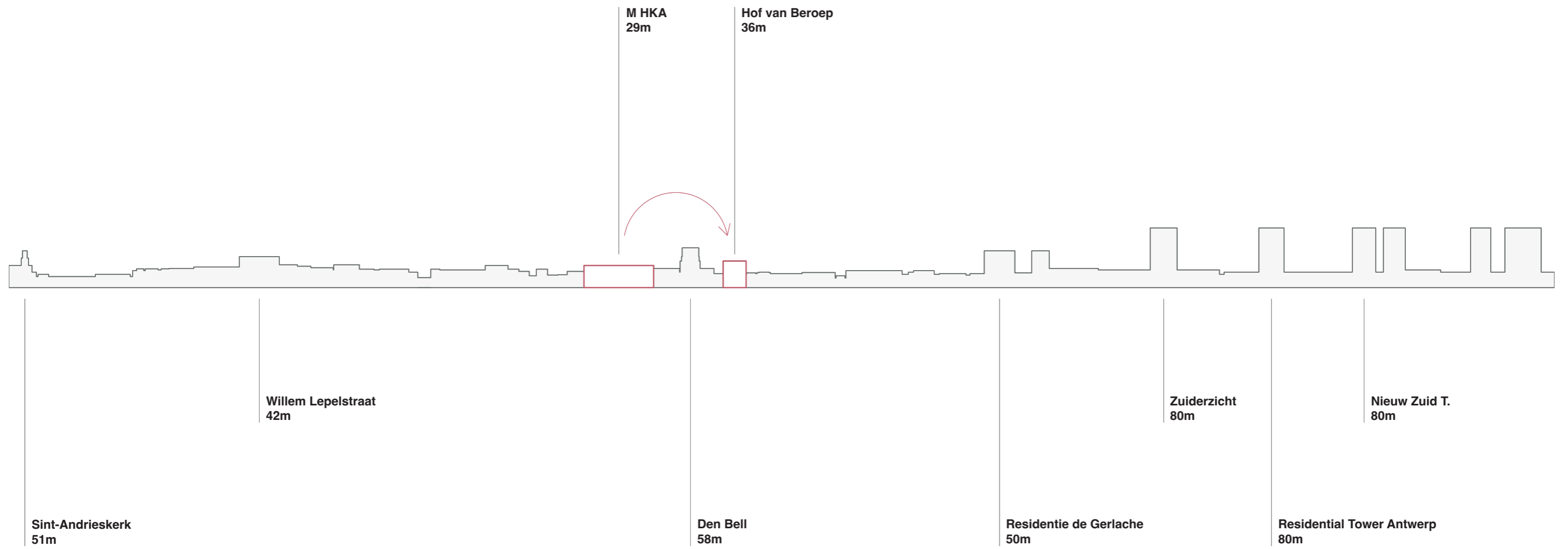


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### Flexibility and adaptability

Flexibility and adaptability The building structure must allow for rearrangement, switching, expandability of rooms and shifting of circulation. Technical flexibility is important.

The layout of the design should be based on a division of a building into different layers: a primary, secondary and tertiary layer. Each layer consists of building elements with a similar life and

## 4.2 COLLECTION COMPONENT

The backbone of the collection component is a fixed or slowly changing collection presentation. It is the place where the collection is displayed and captured in a historiographical narrative.

Function /Use Function /Use

## 4.3 EXHIBITION COMPONENT

The exhibition component is a platform that can accommodate a seasonal and rapidly changing exhibition programme.

- Exhibition are built from scratch. The whole set-up should be regarded as maximally changeable. In function of this, a technical basic infrastructure must be provided that can accommodate this flexibility with the necessary attention to the placement of the fixed parts of the technical equipment - The main circuit functions technically as one whole.

## 4.5 THE FORUM

### 4.5.1 Forum Headroom

Function /Usage: Function /Usage:

- See art 1.5.1 The Forum
- In the forum main room it should be possible to run a wide variety of events simultaneously. This requires thorough attention to good acoustics with limited reverberation.





**History of M HKA  
Anti-Museum Fascinations**



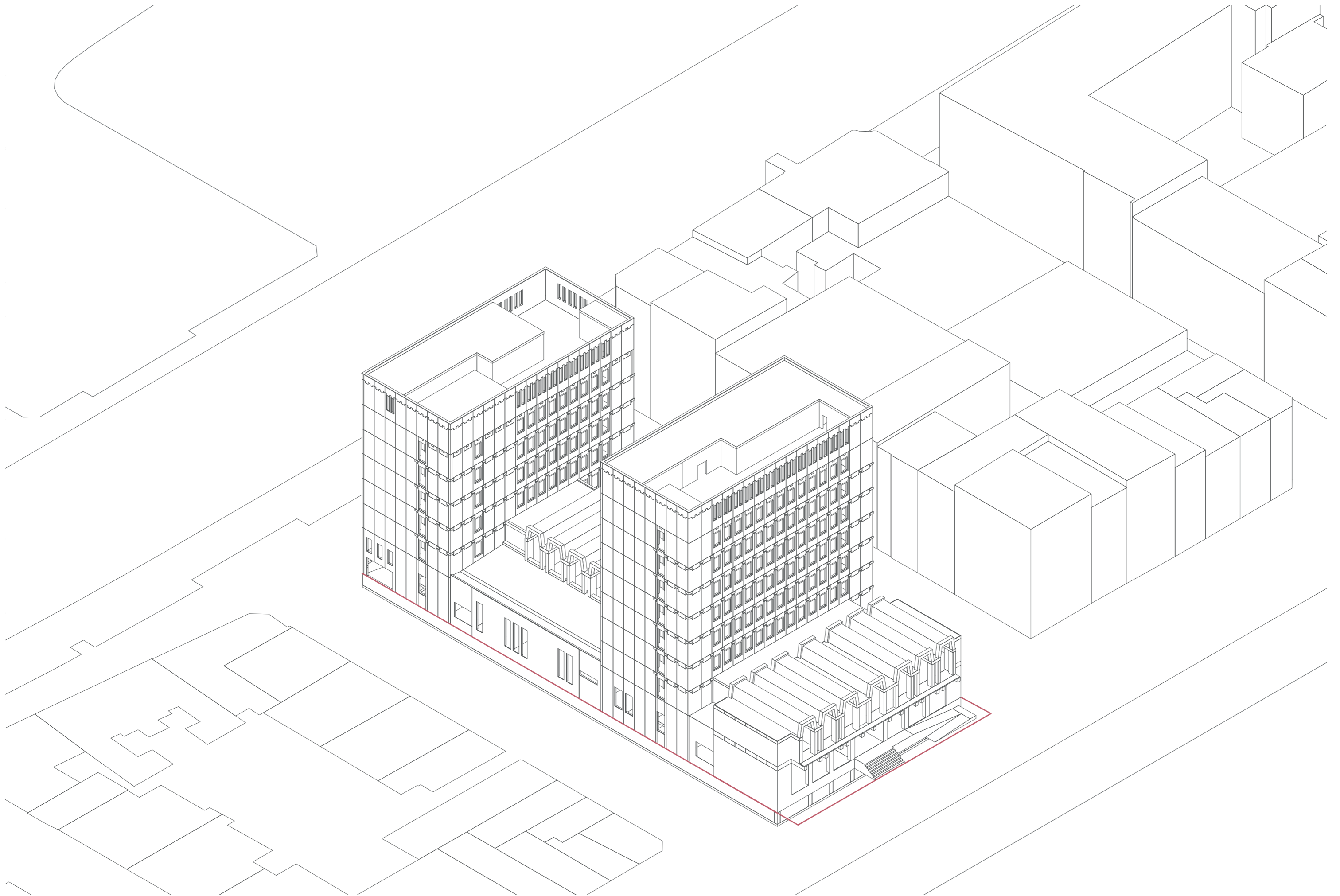
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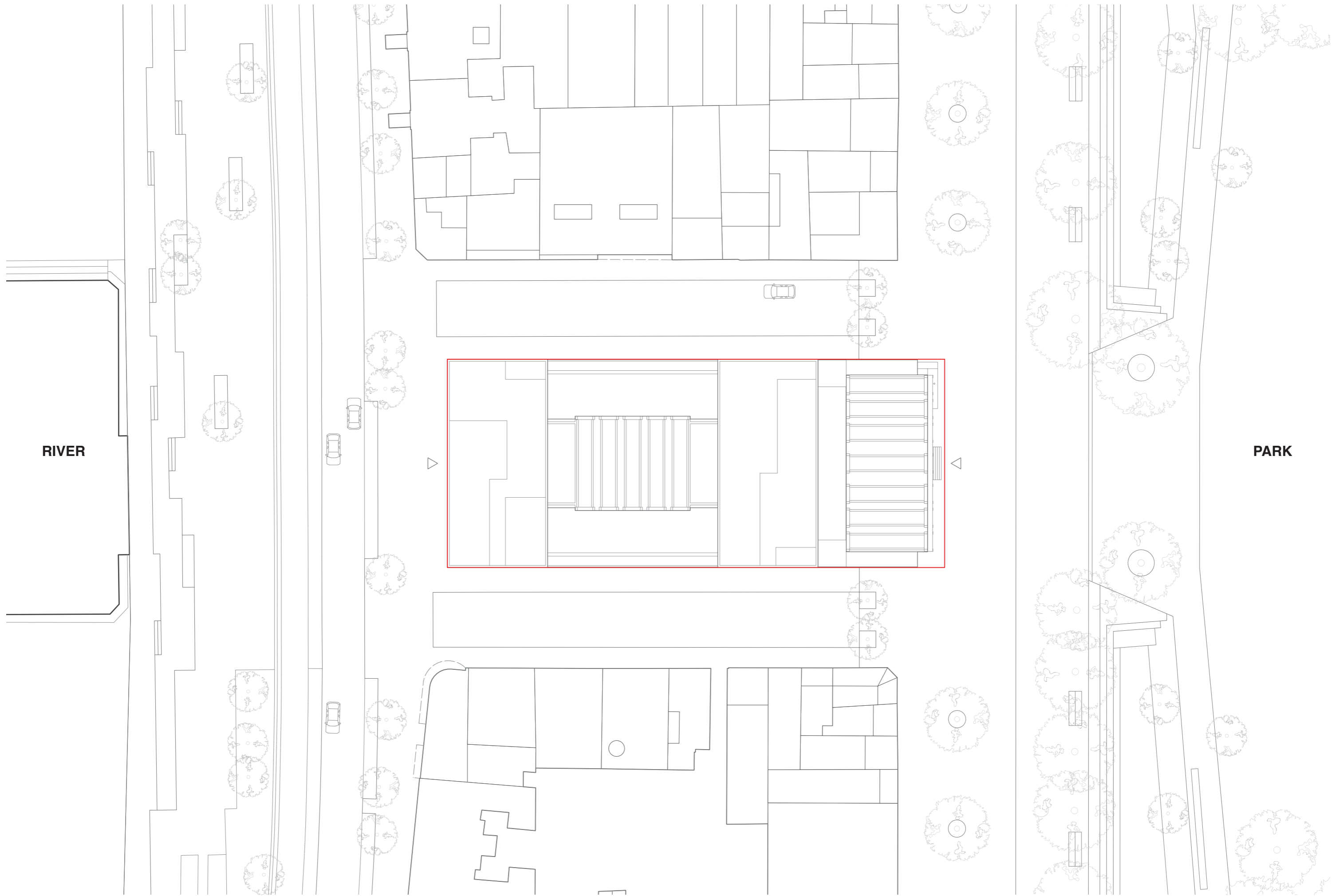


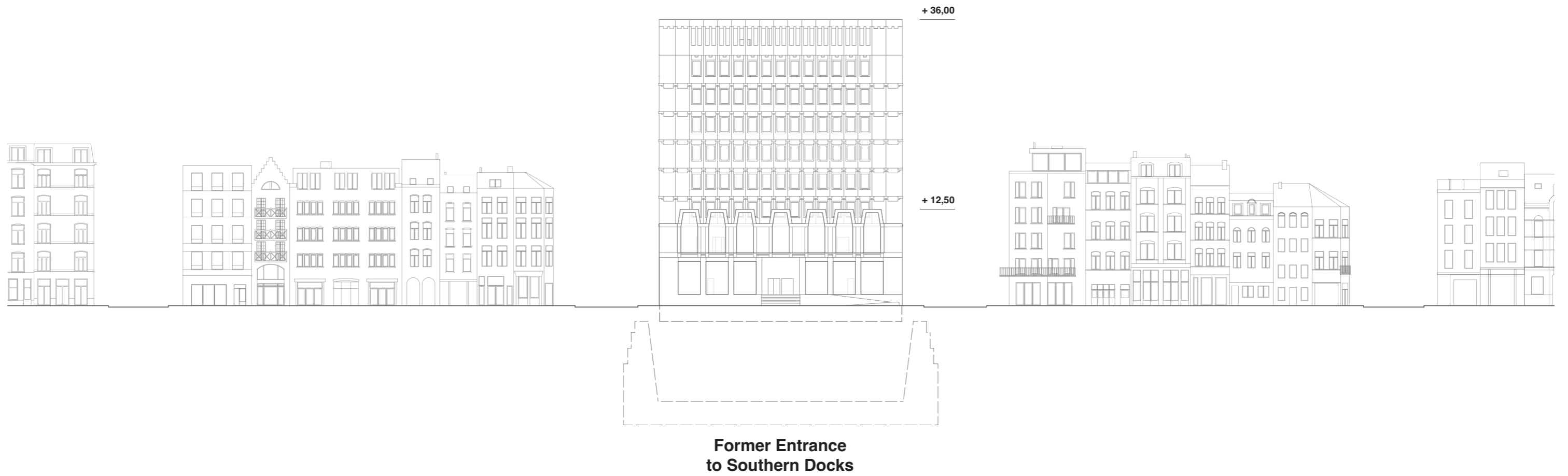


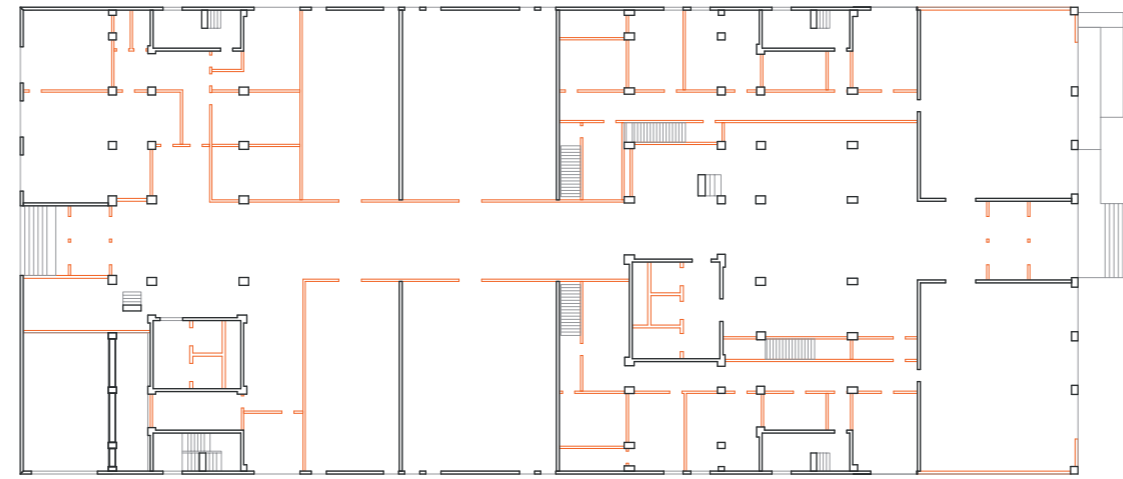








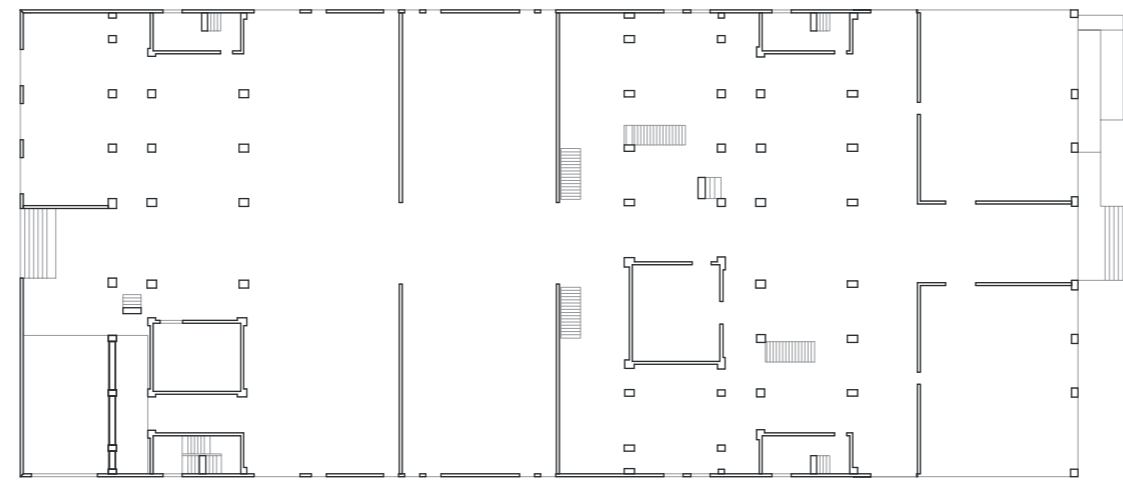




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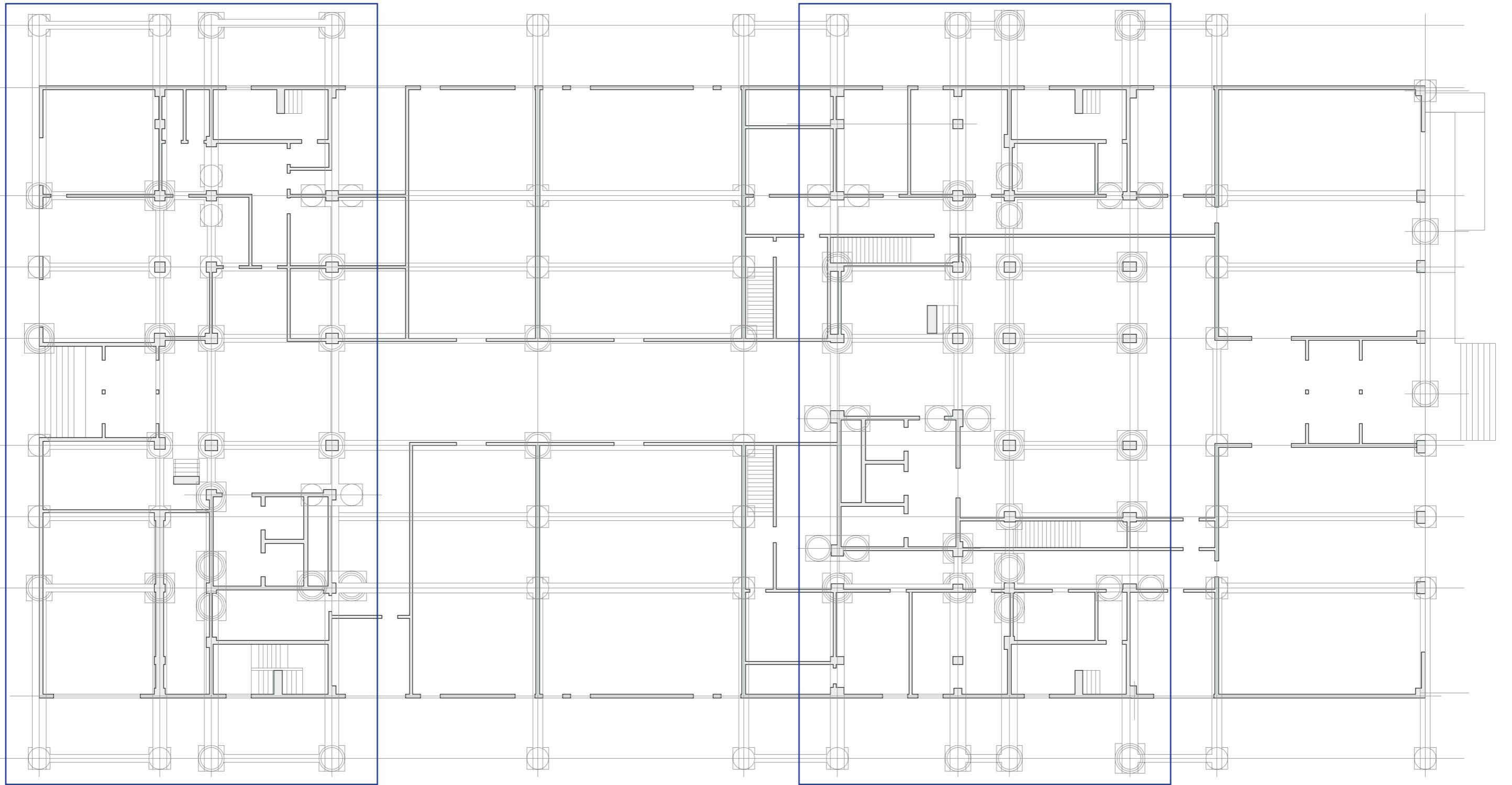
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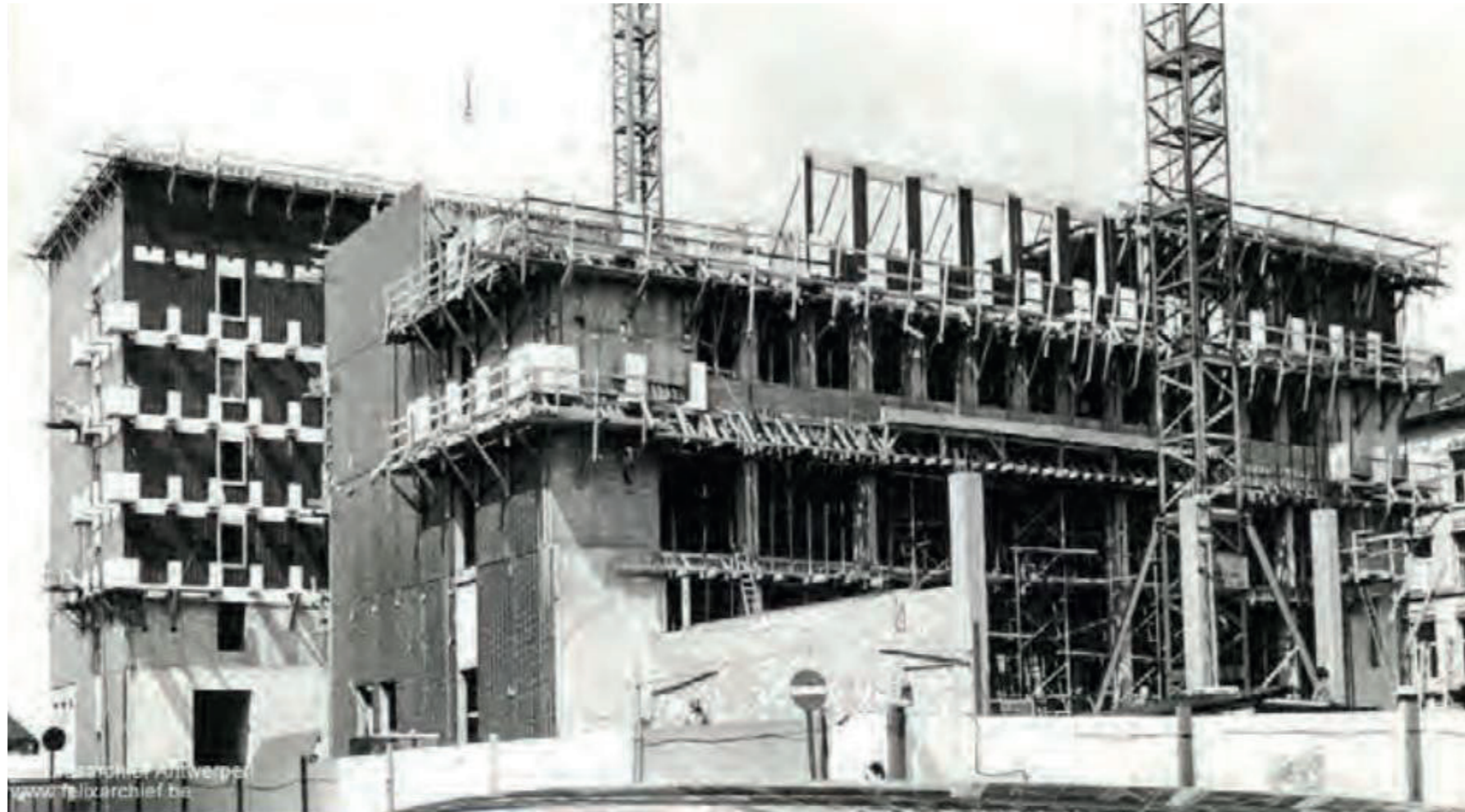
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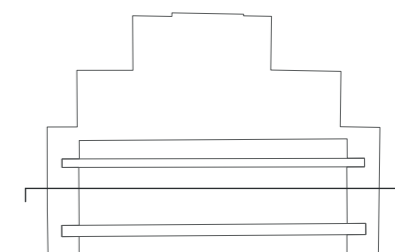
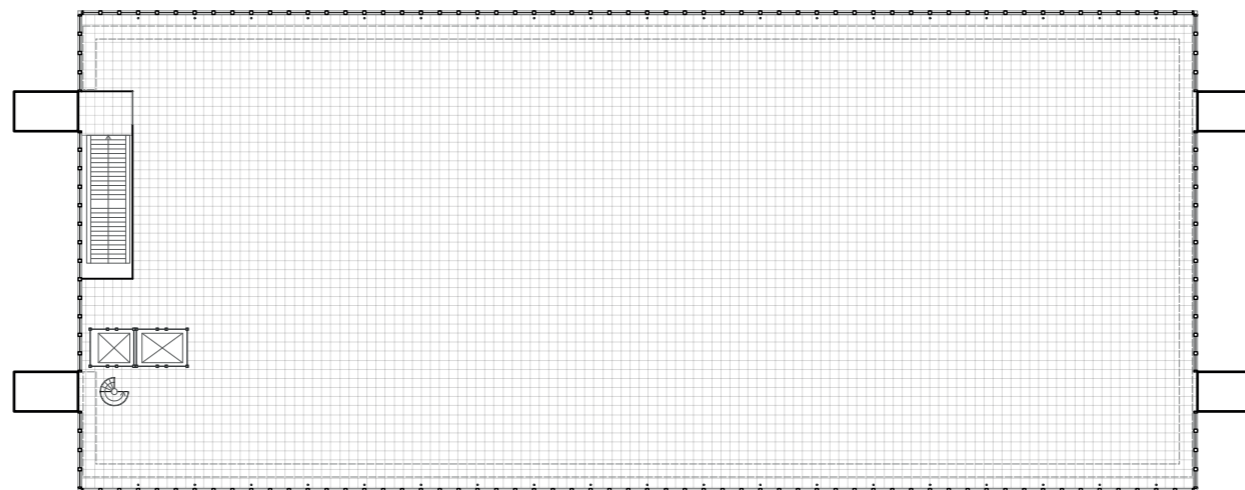
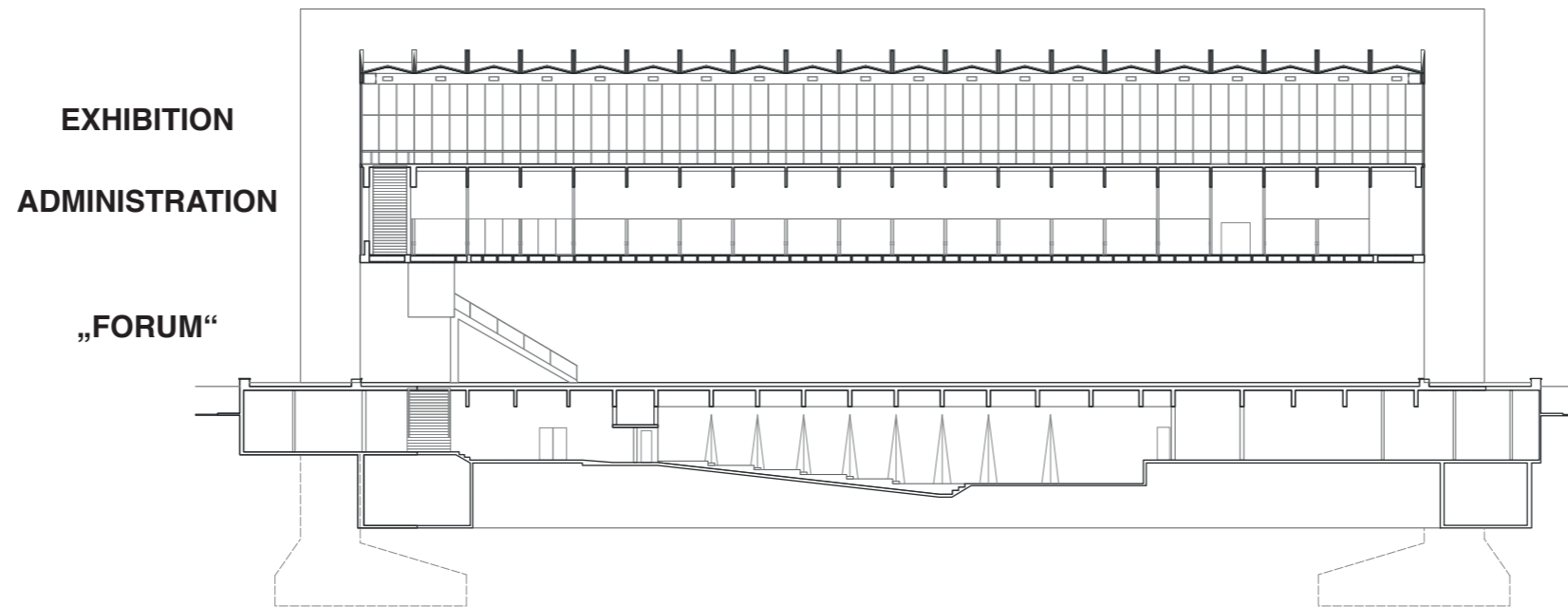






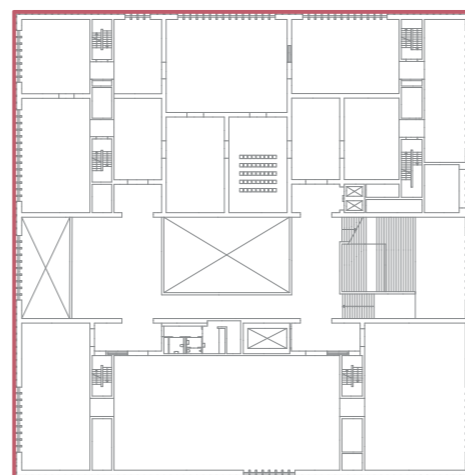




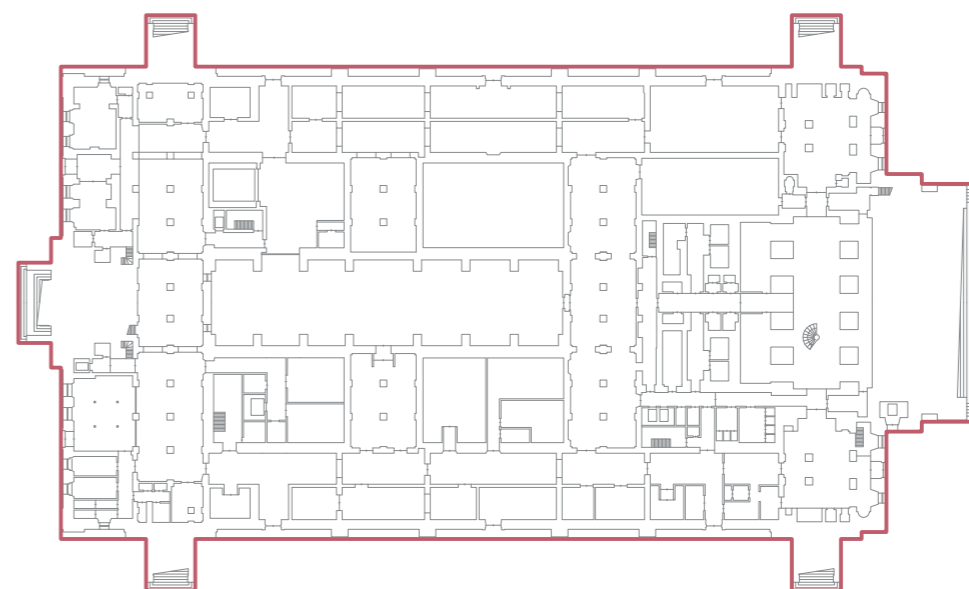




MASP, 1968



Erweiterung Kunsthaus  
Zürich, 2021

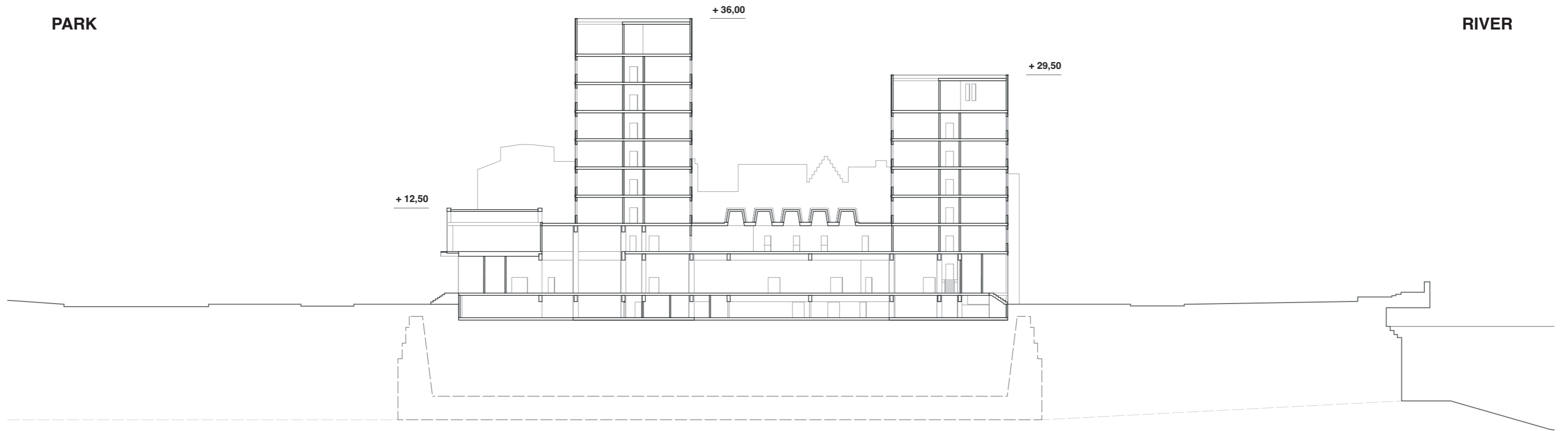


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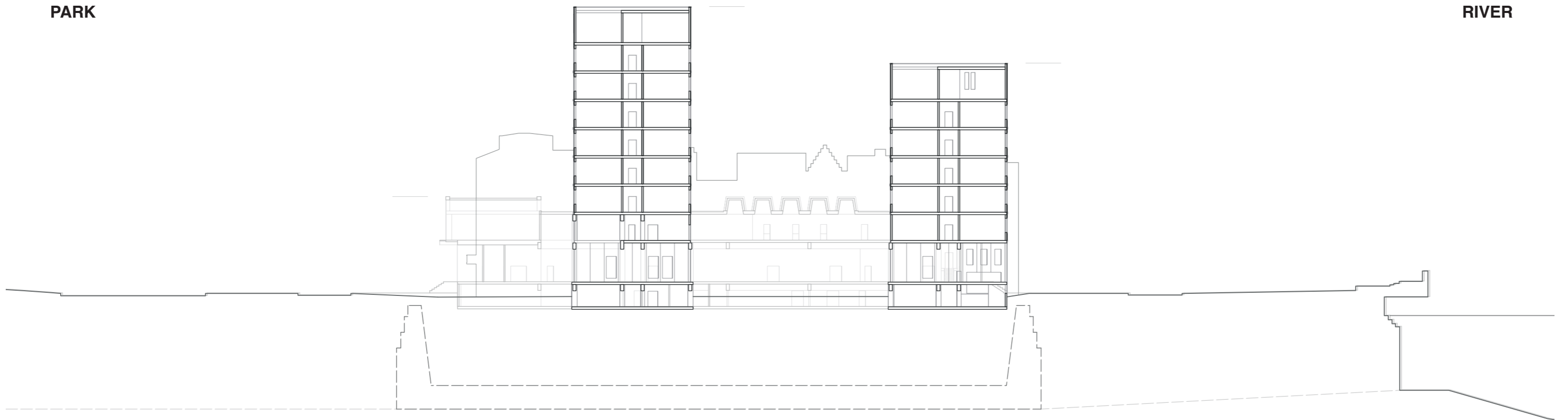
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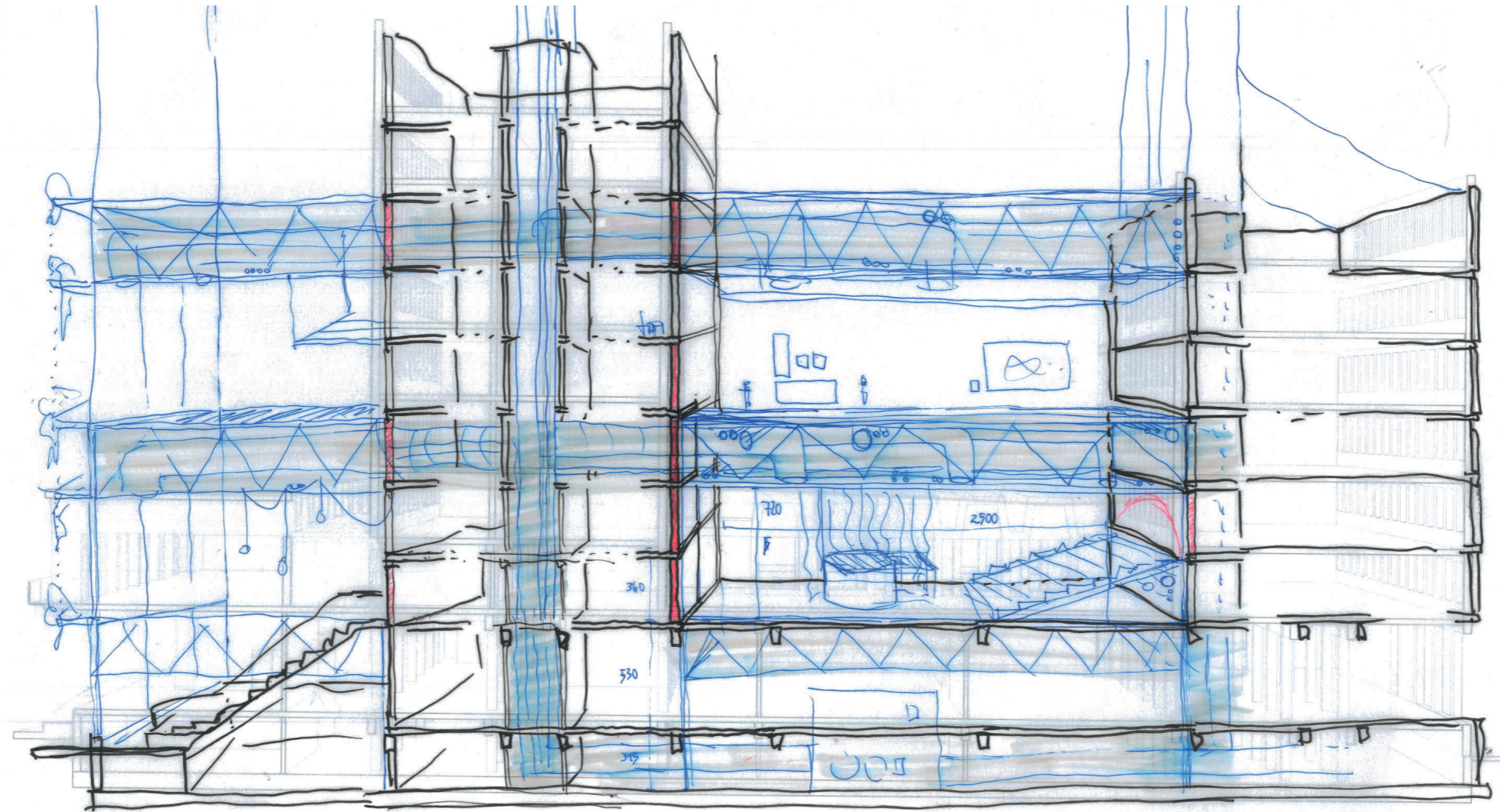


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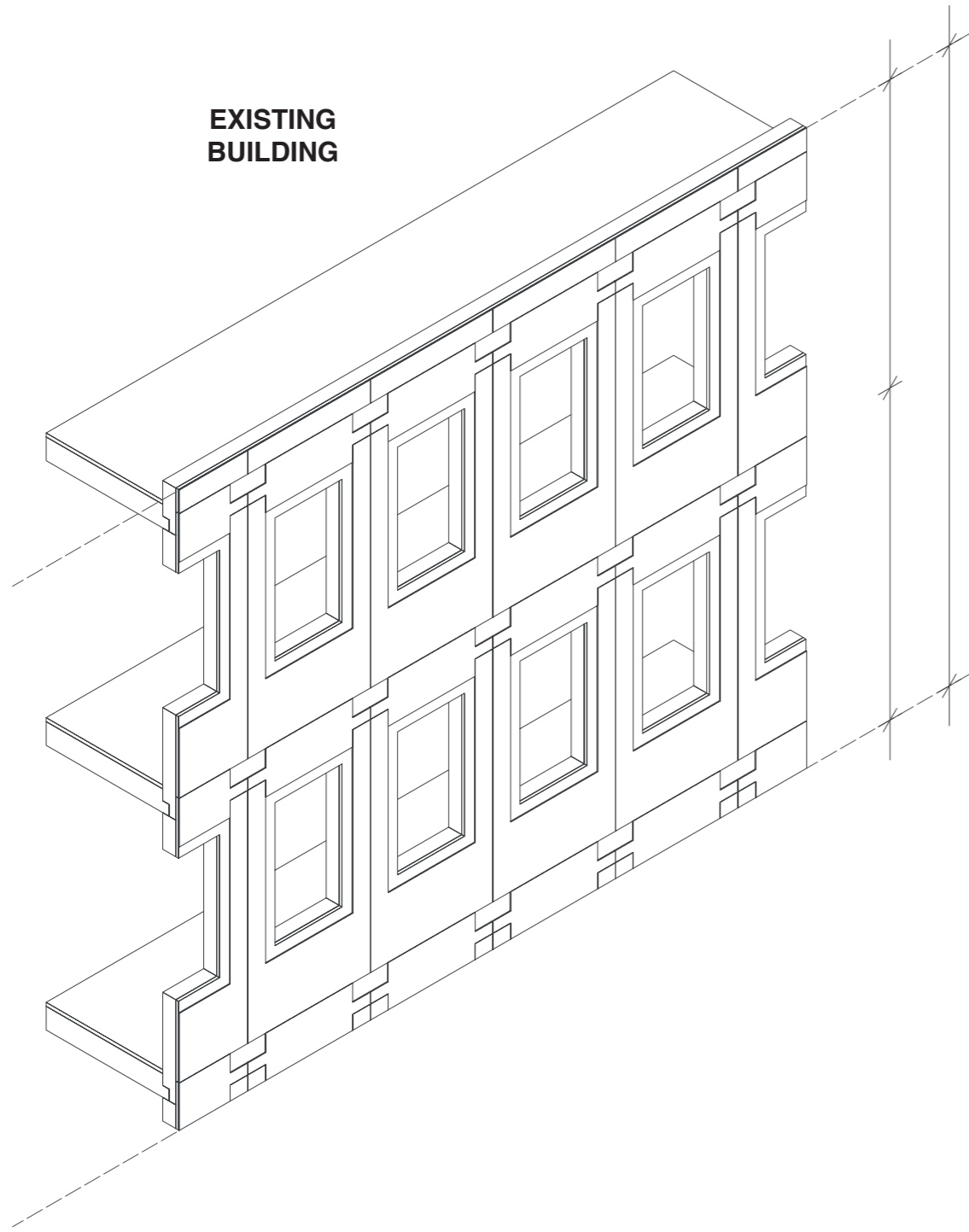
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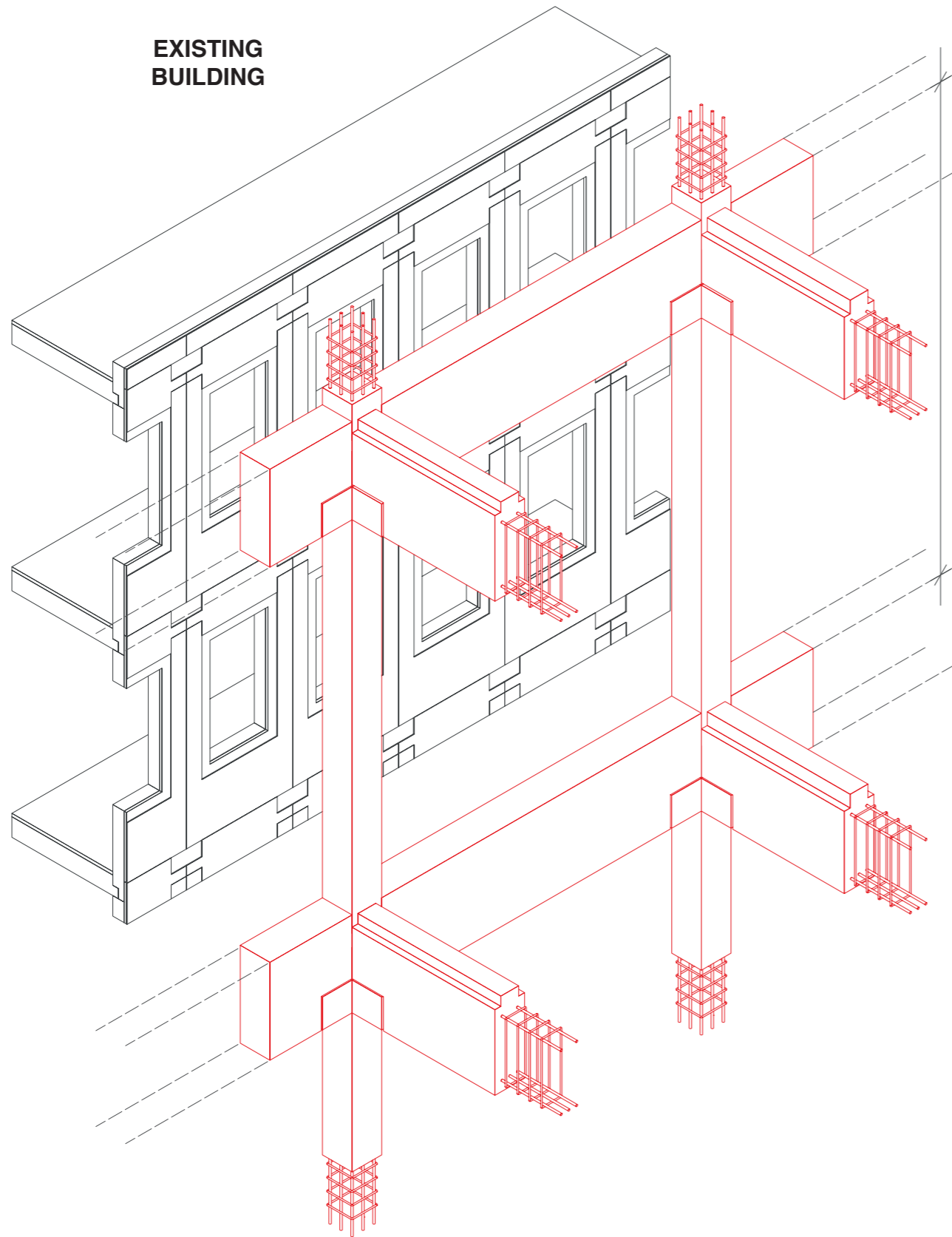


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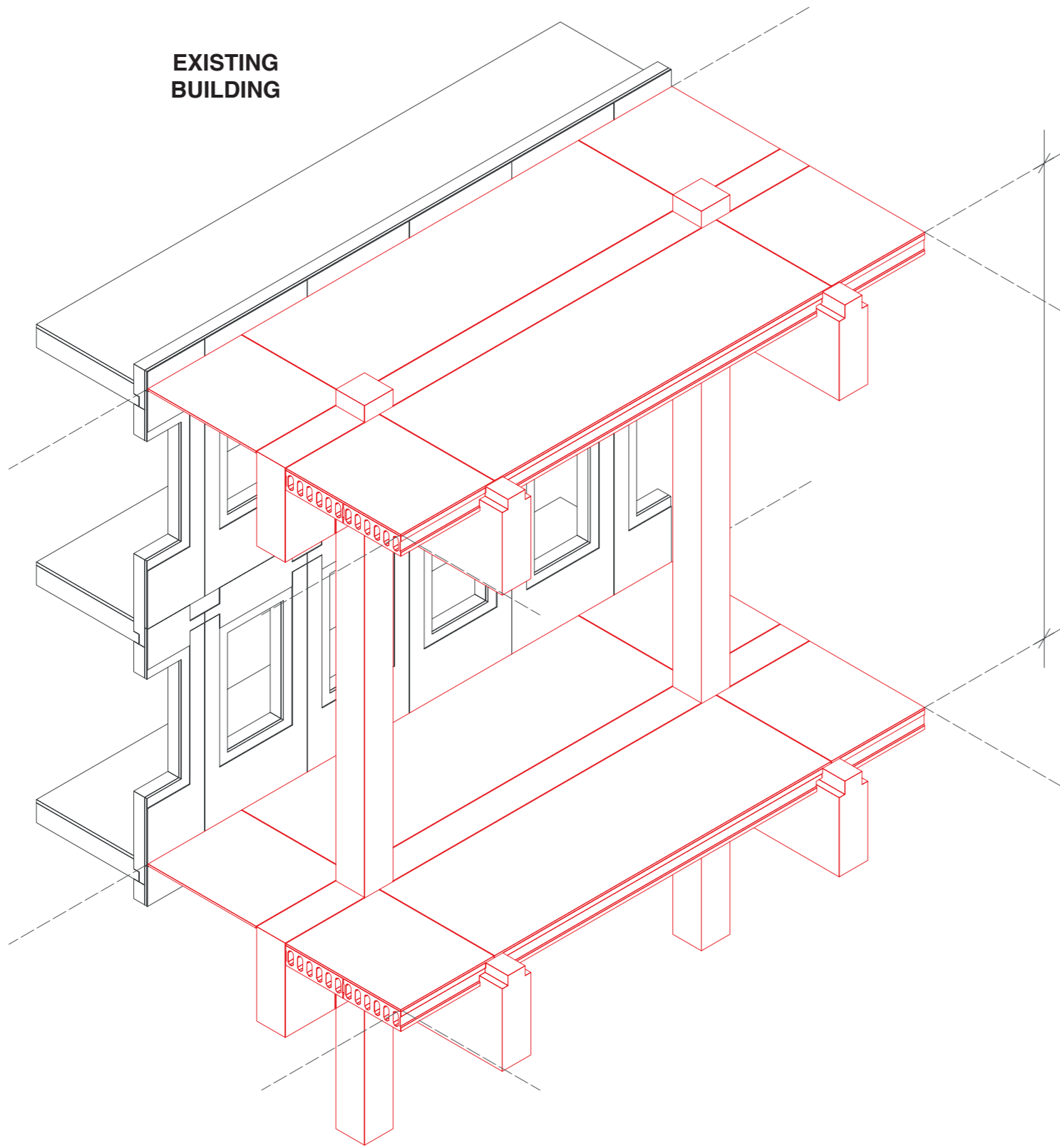




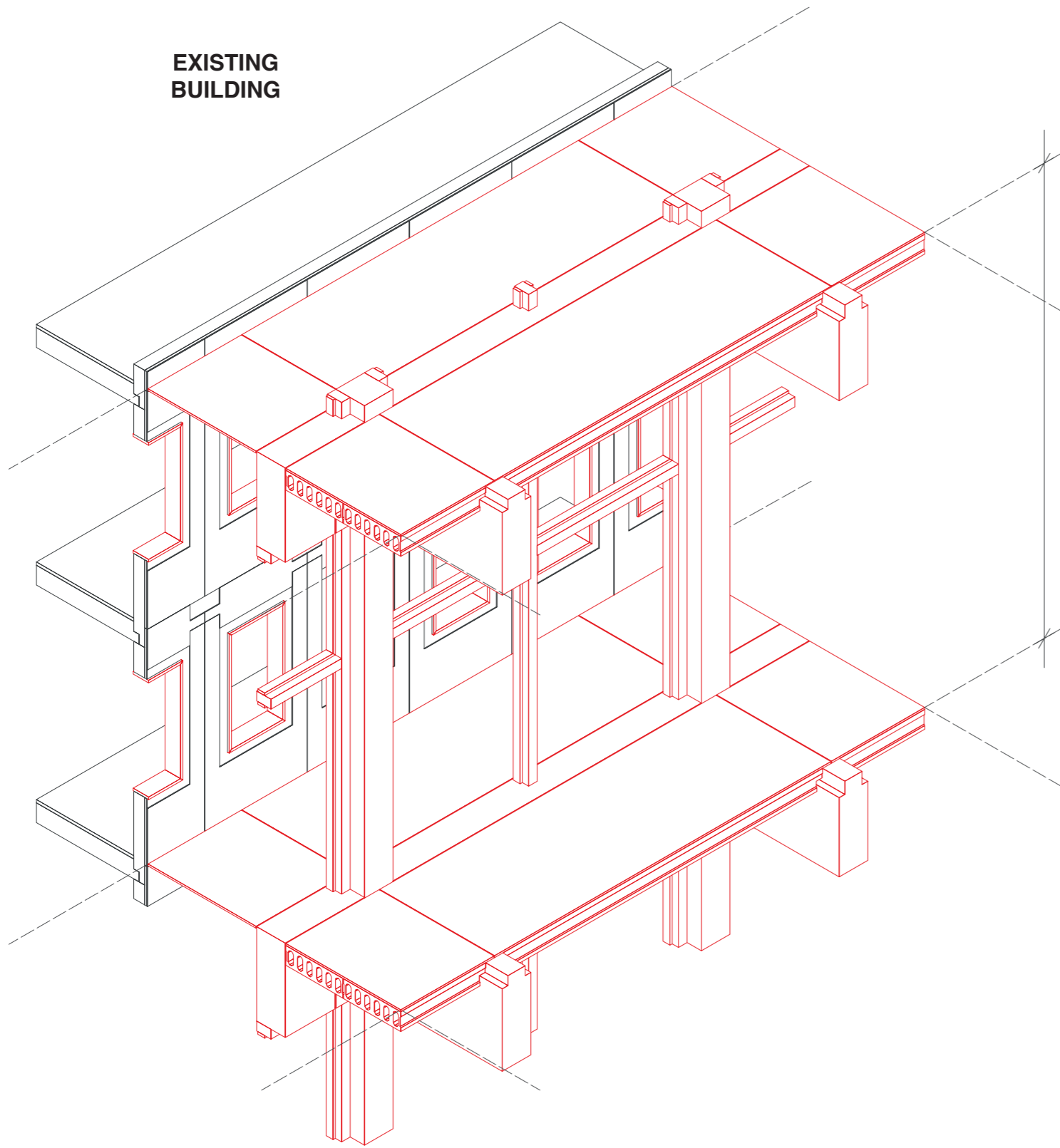
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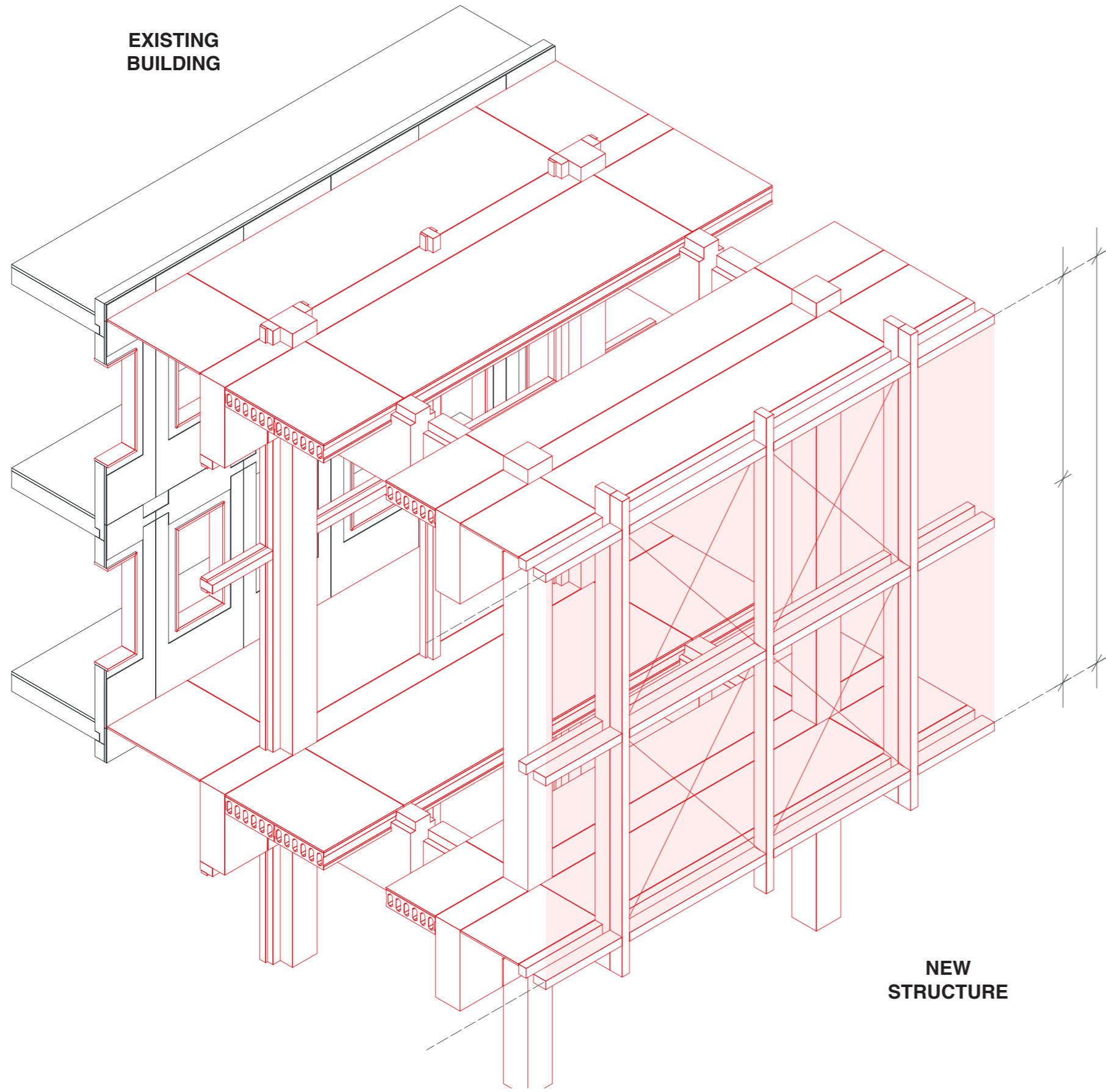
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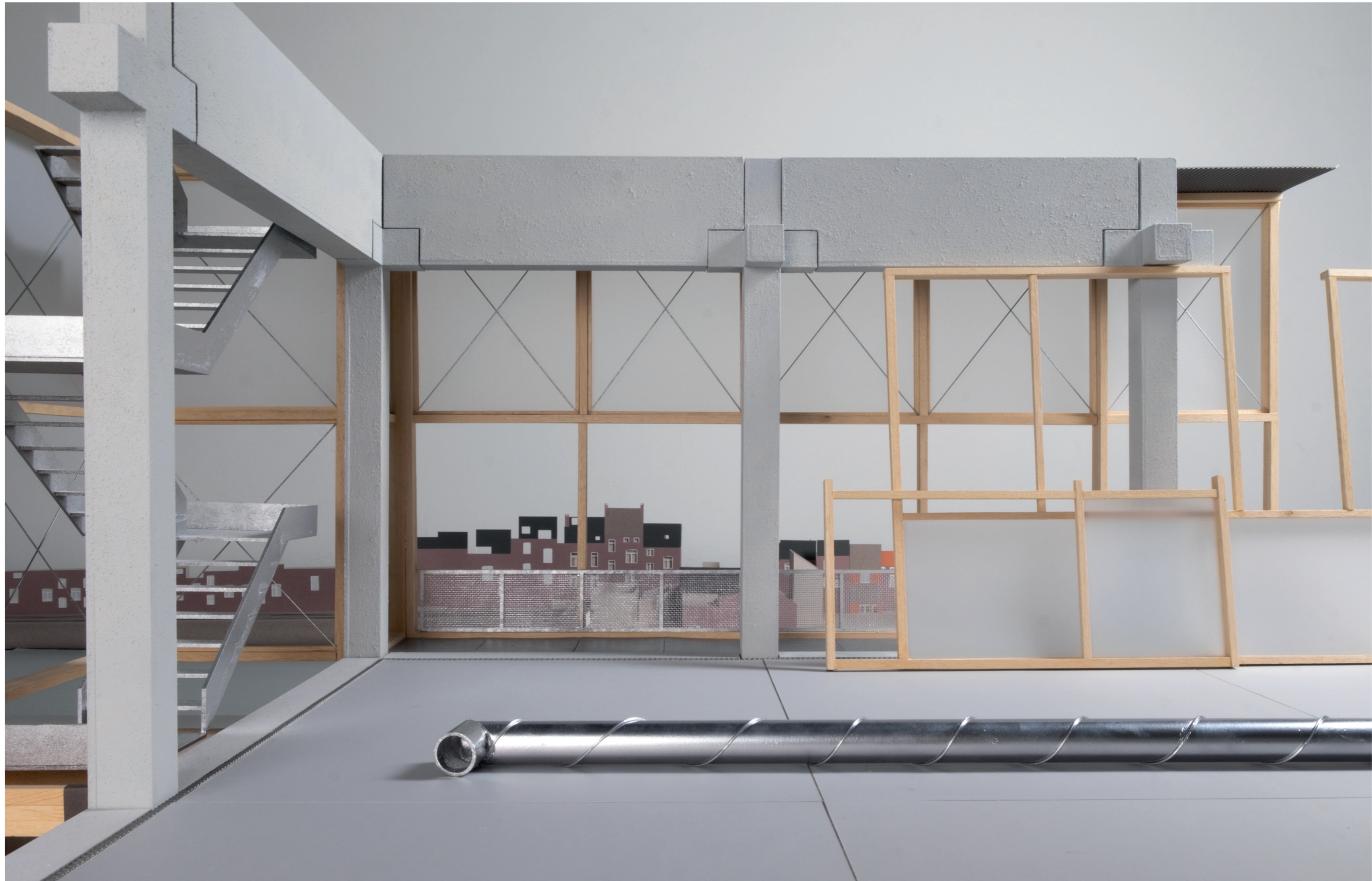


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**NEW  
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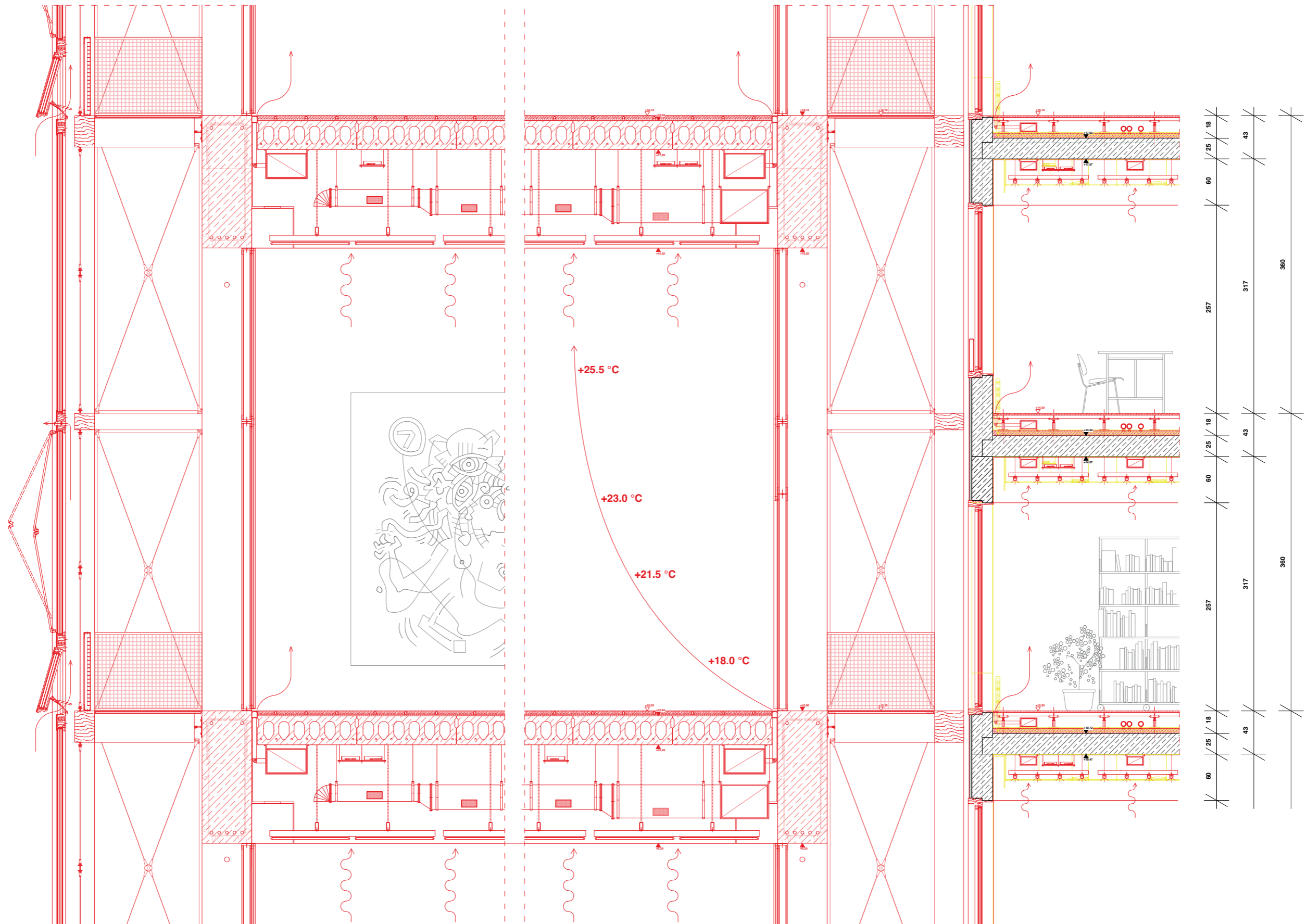
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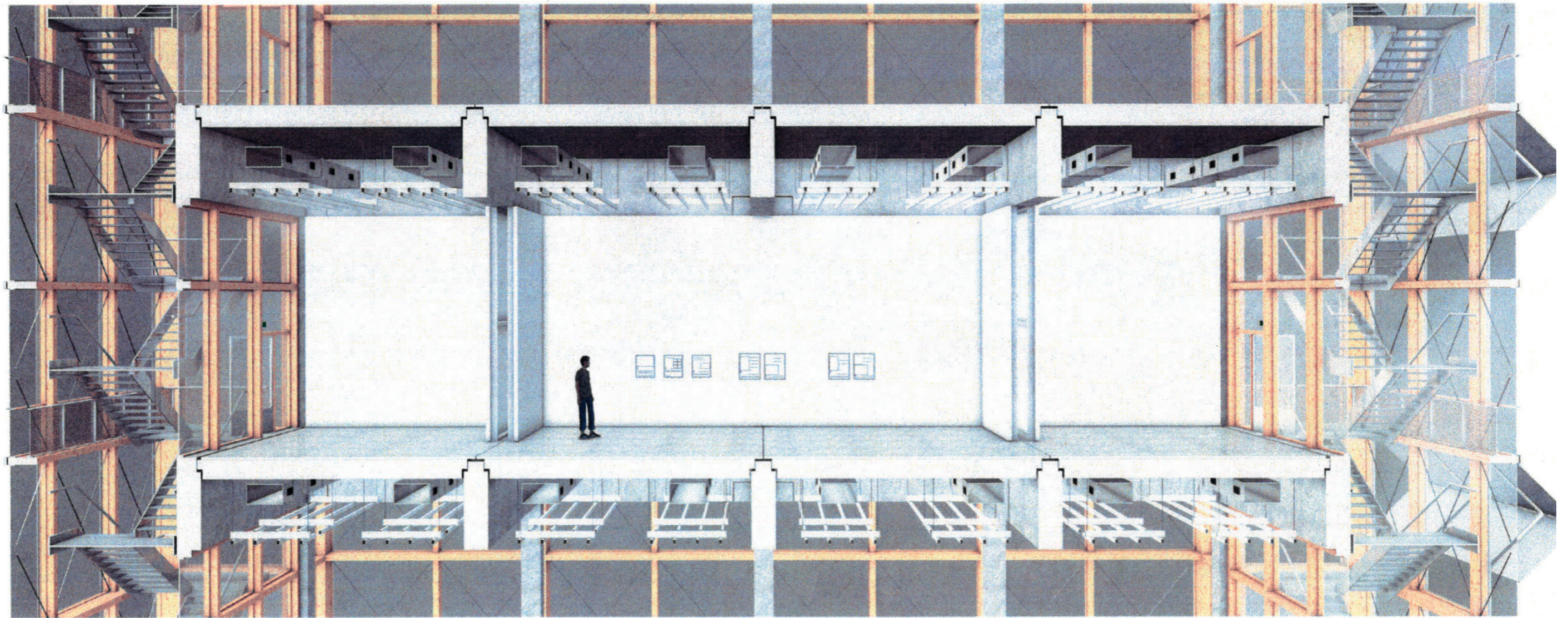
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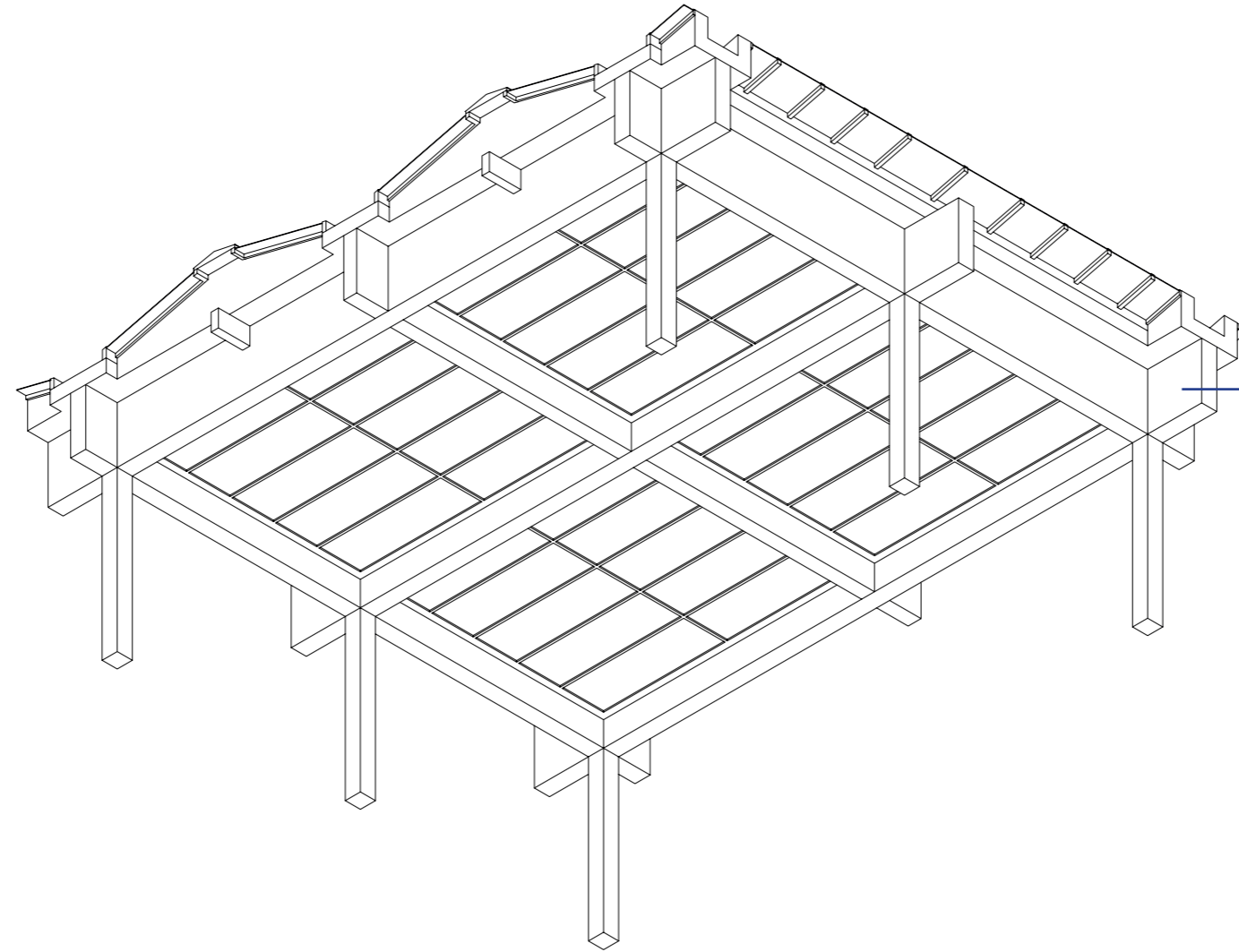
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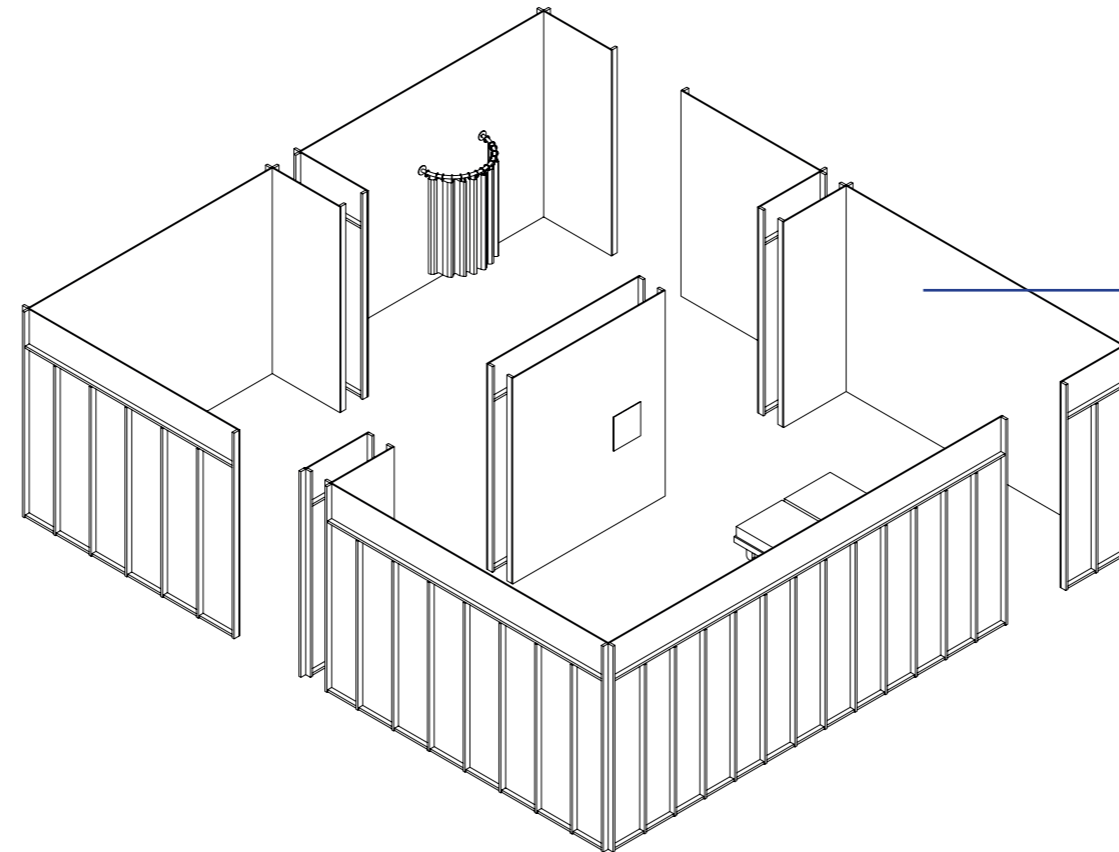






**PRIMARY LAYER  
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**SECONDARY LAYER  
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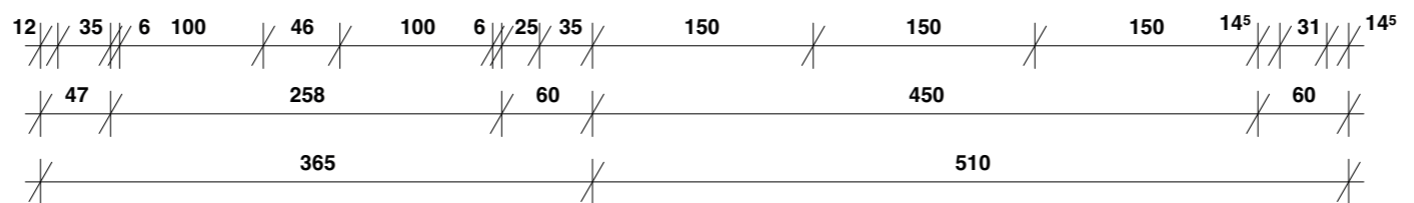
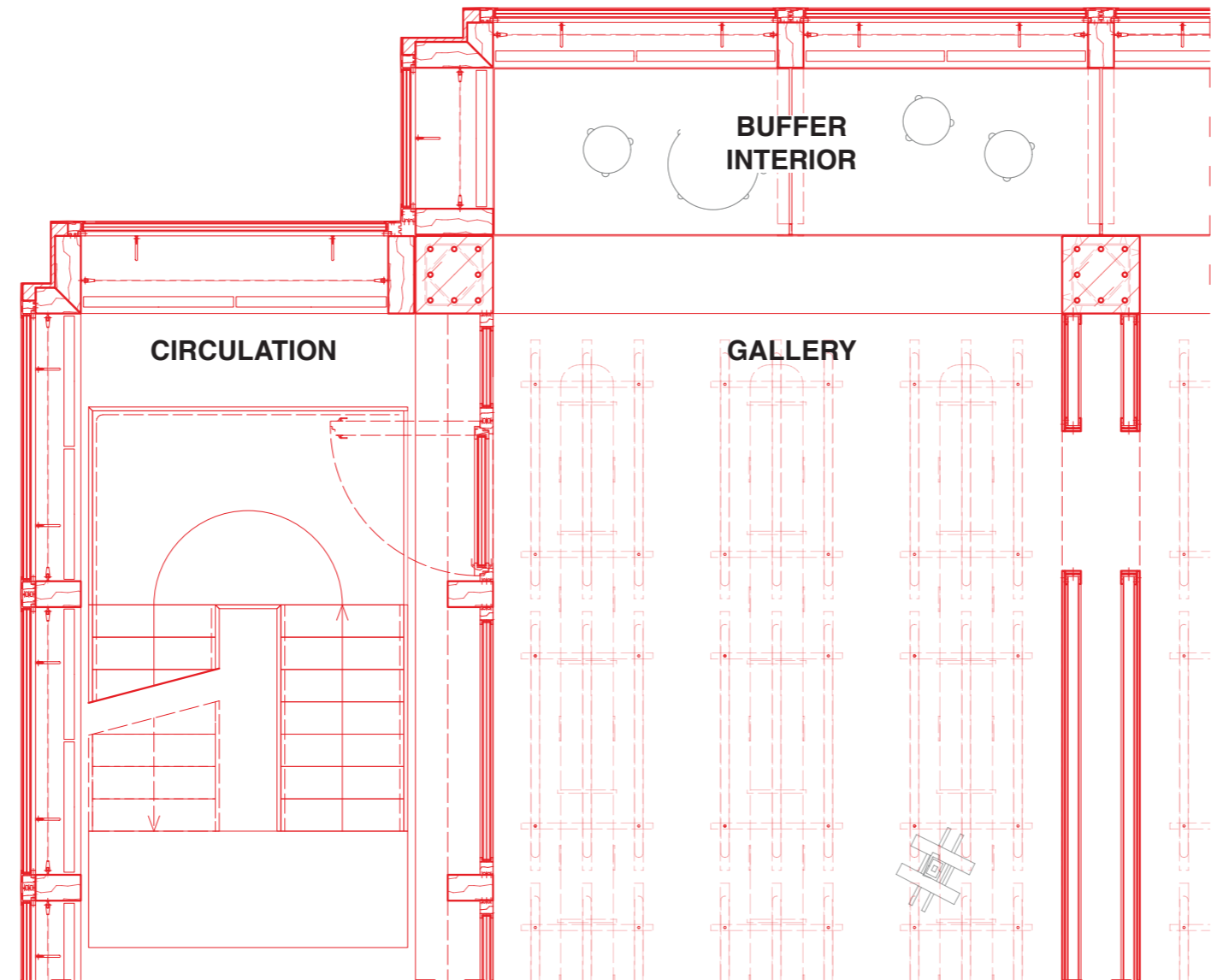








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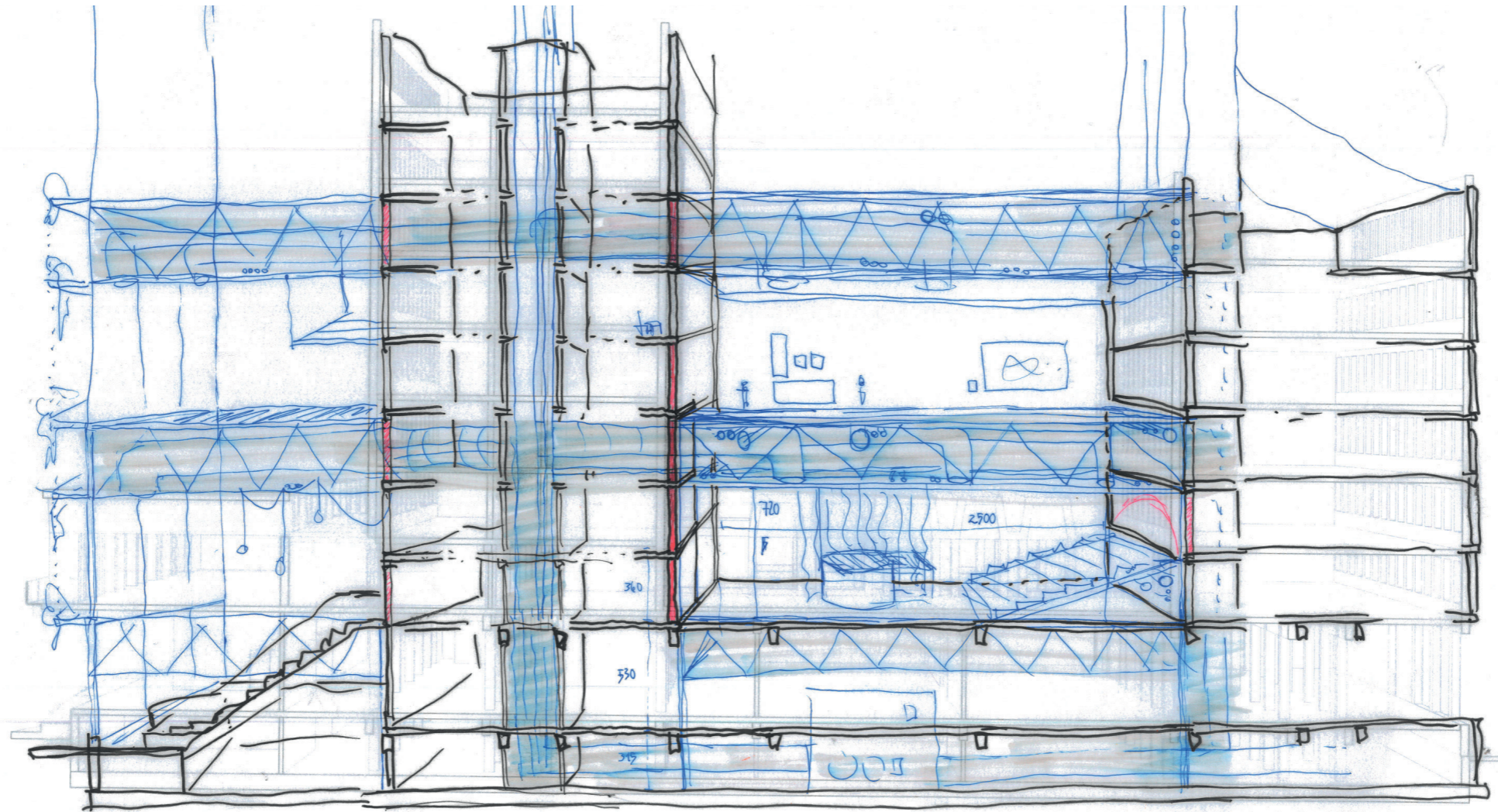
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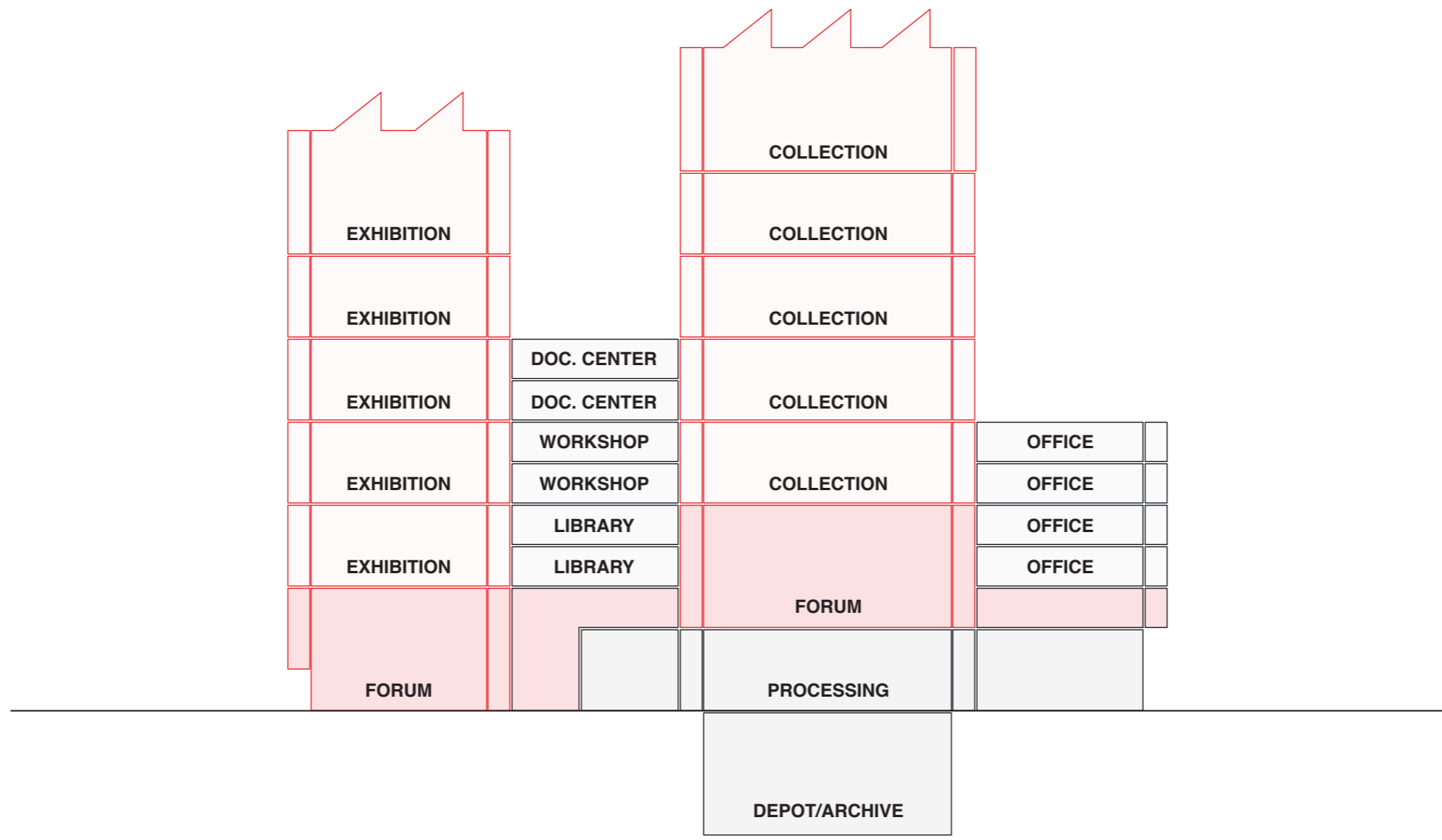
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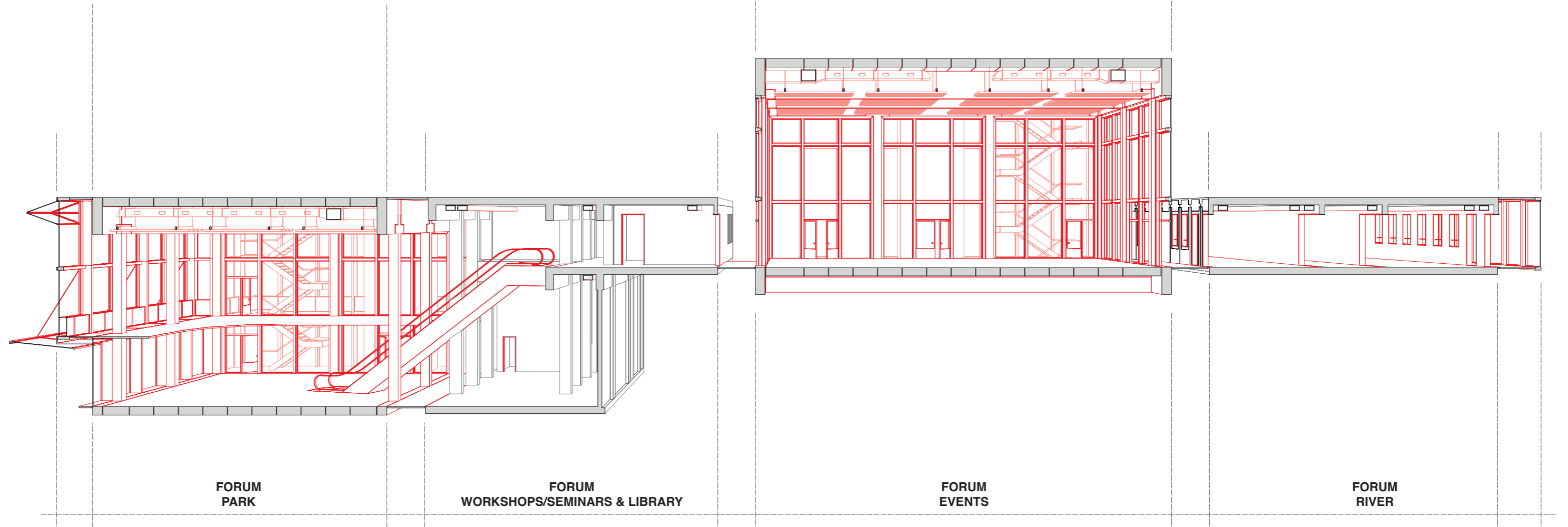
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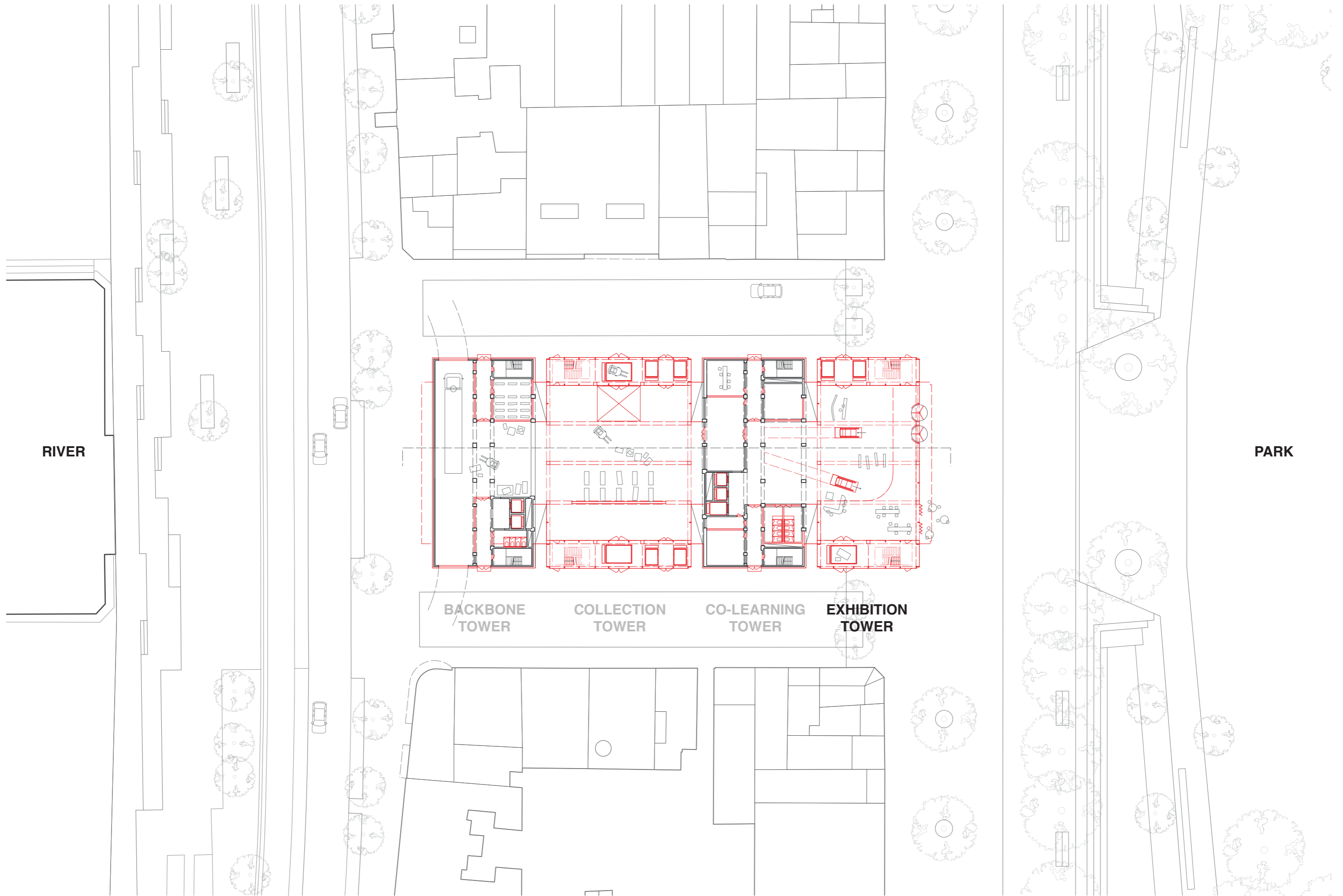
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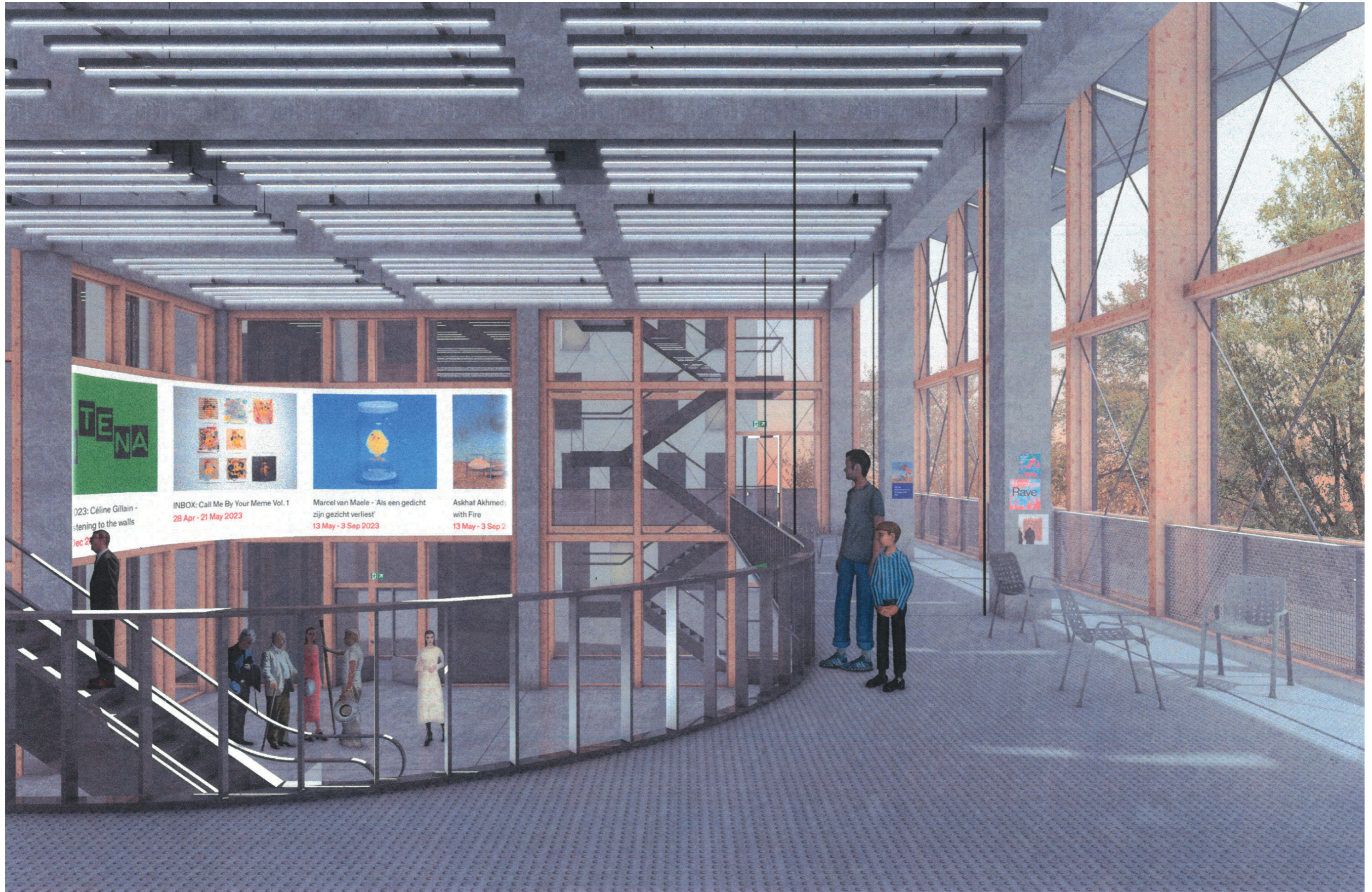


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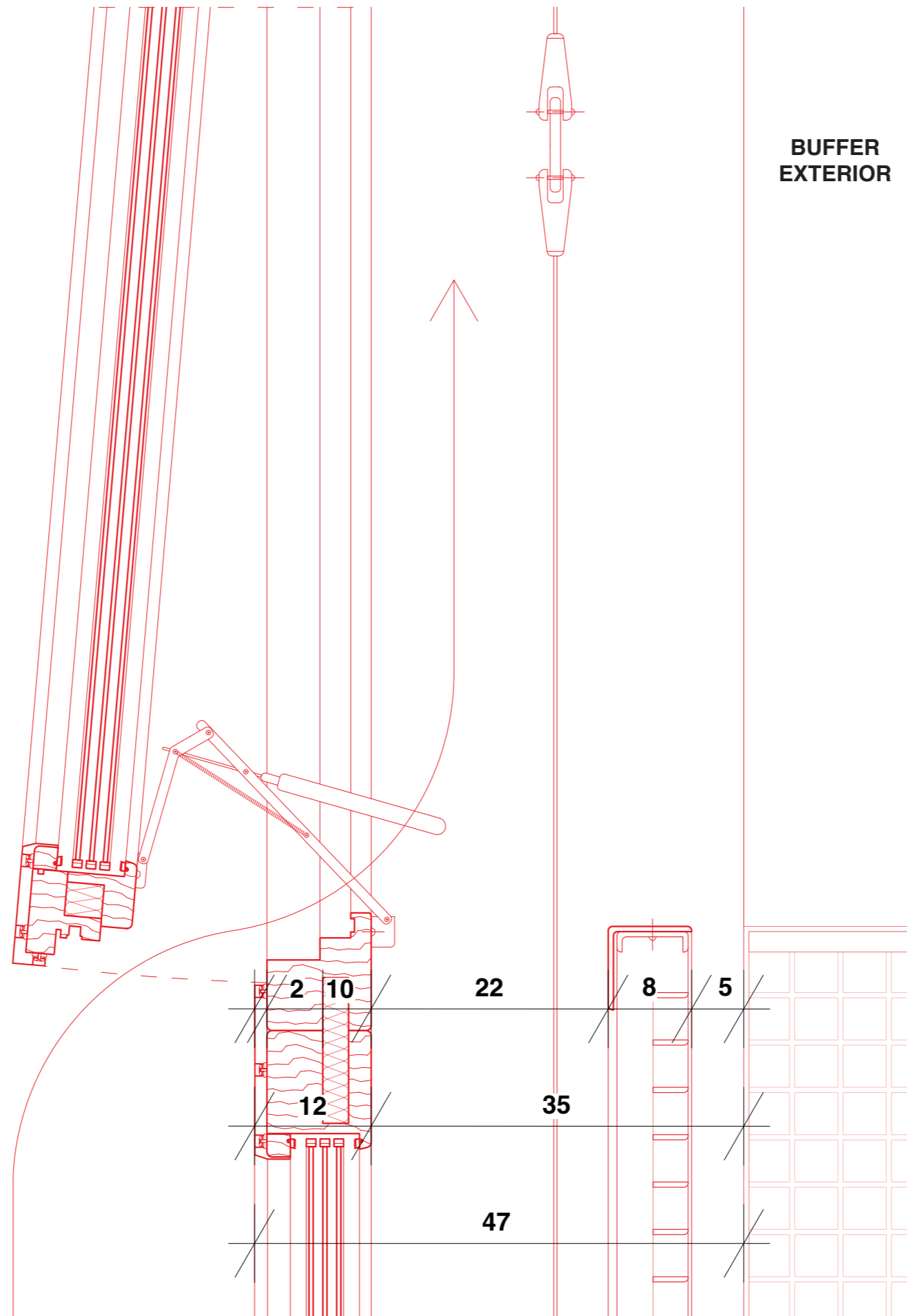




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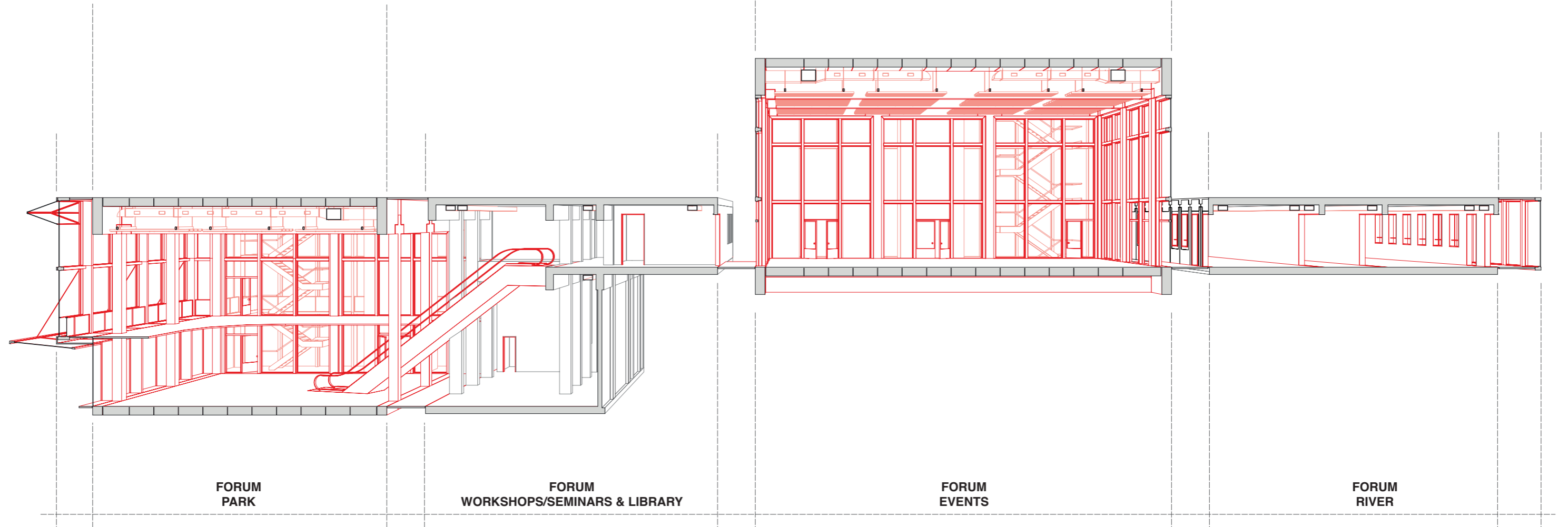
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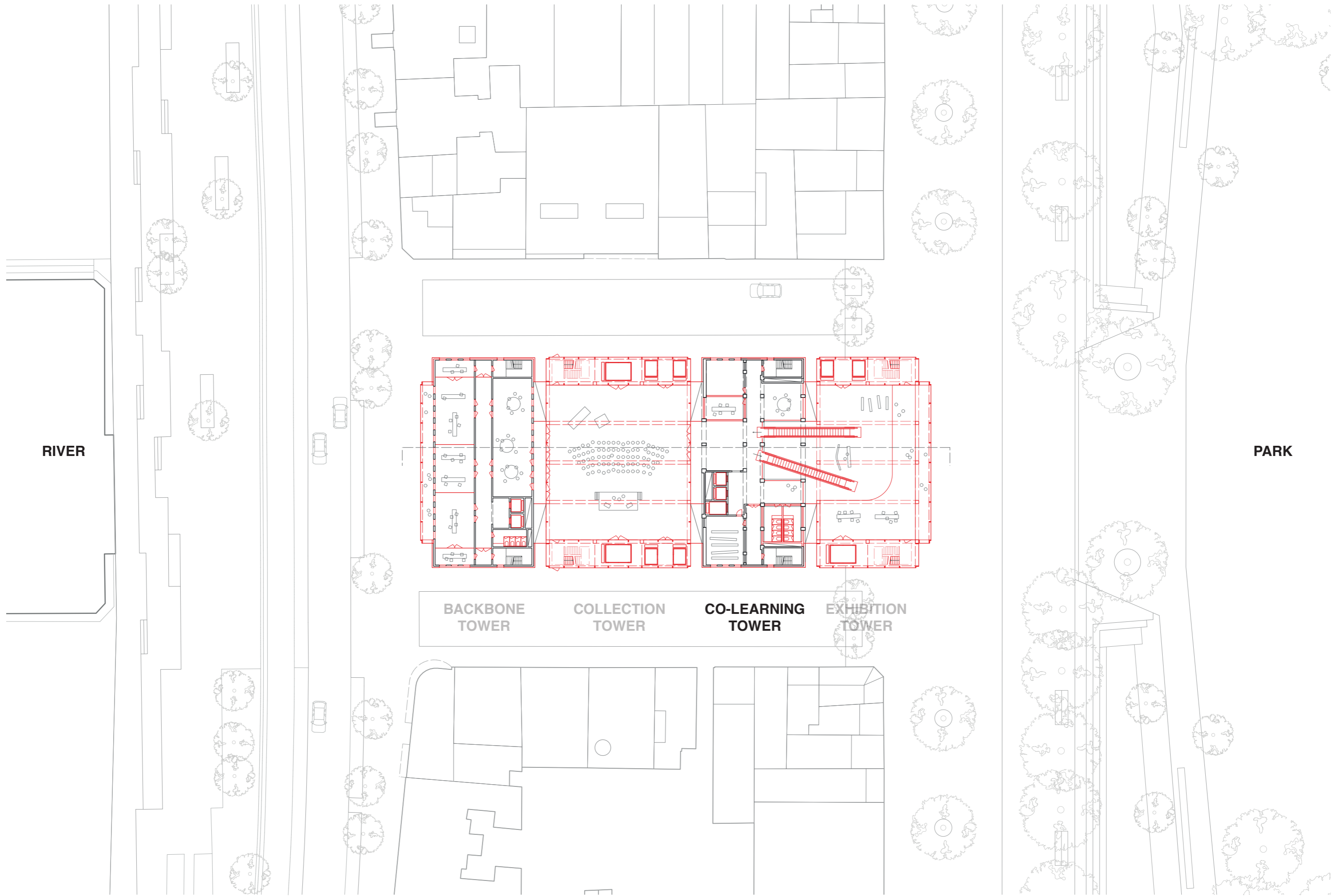


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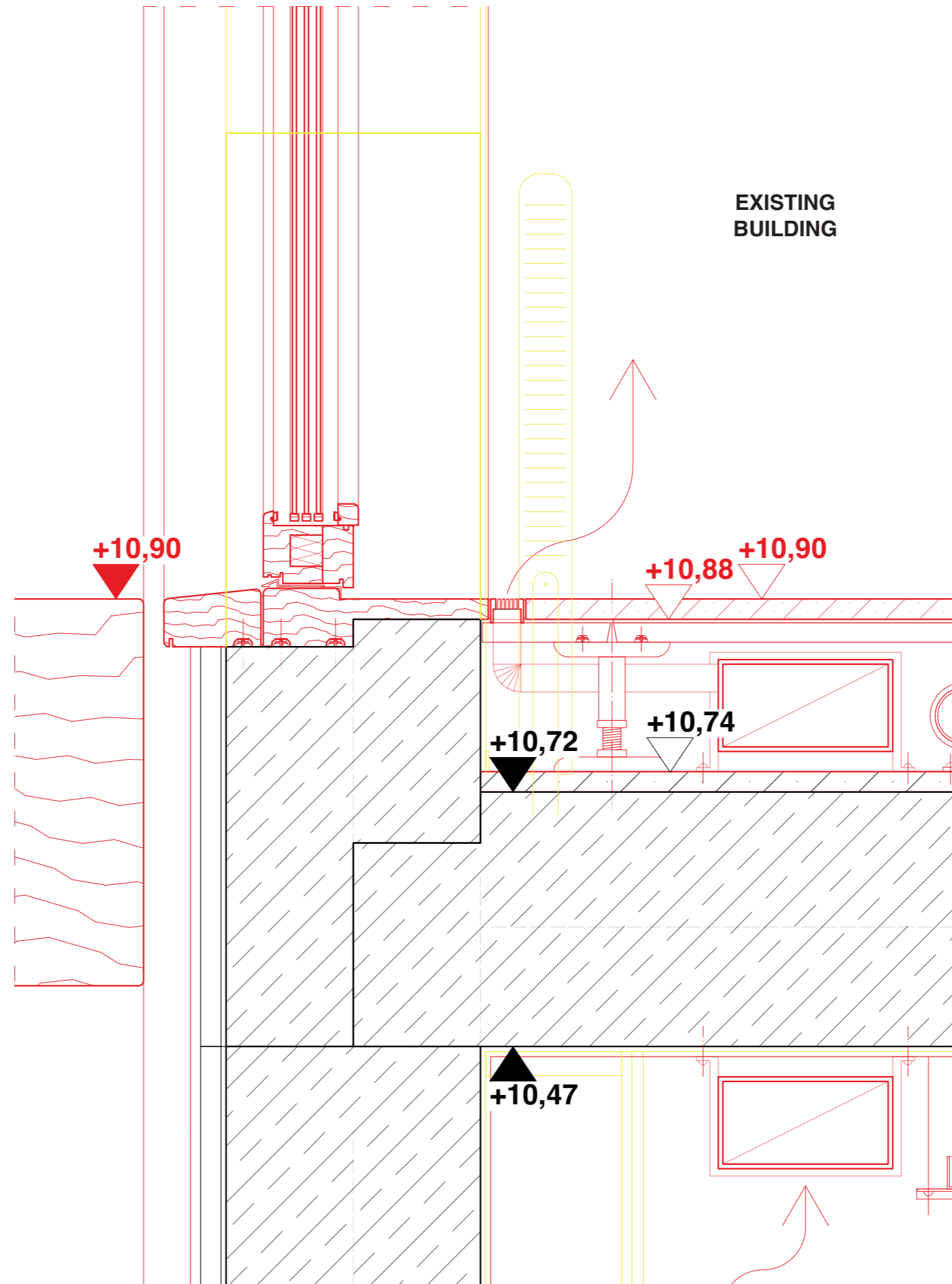




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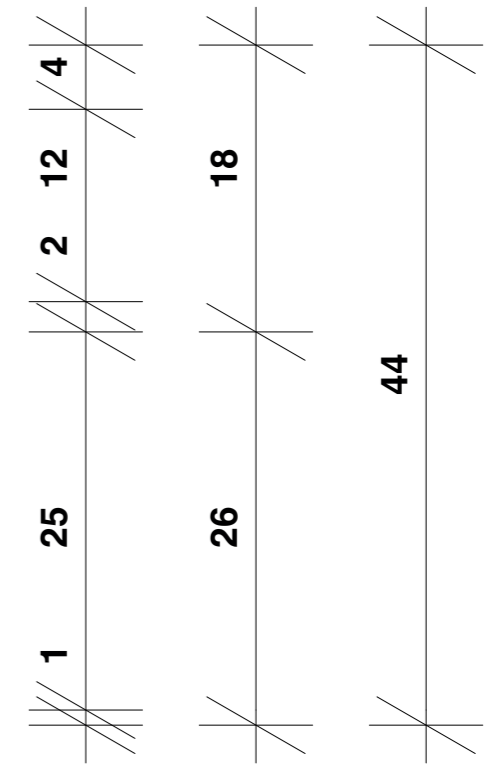
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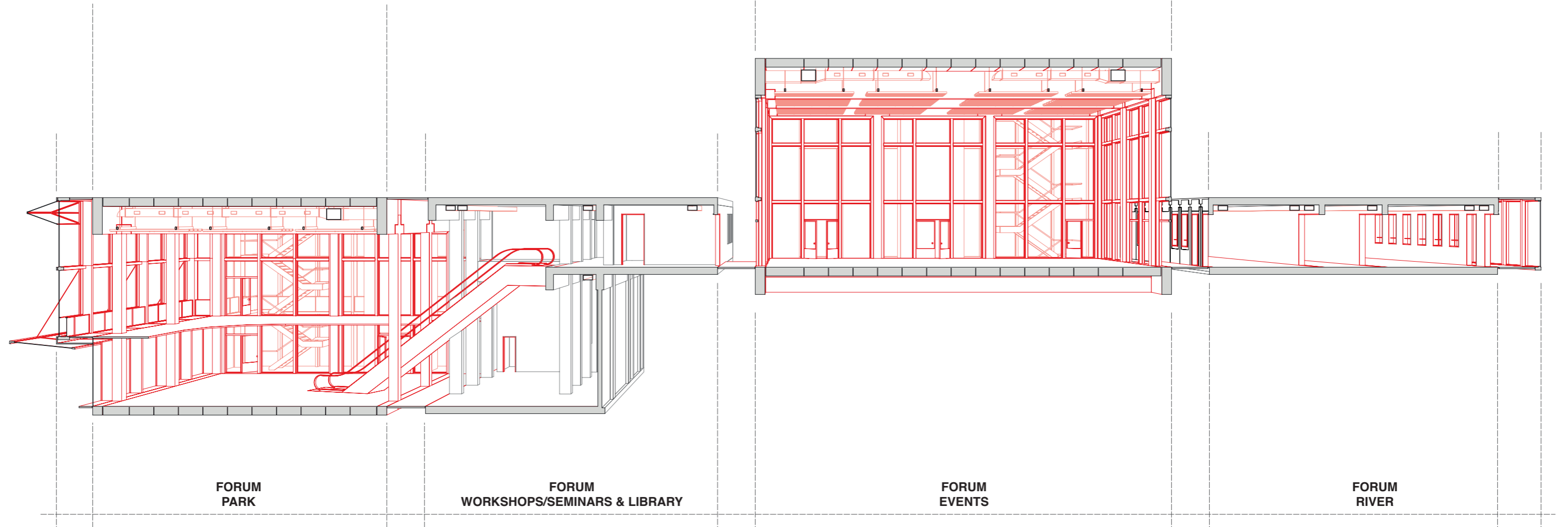
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