

# Making multicultural places

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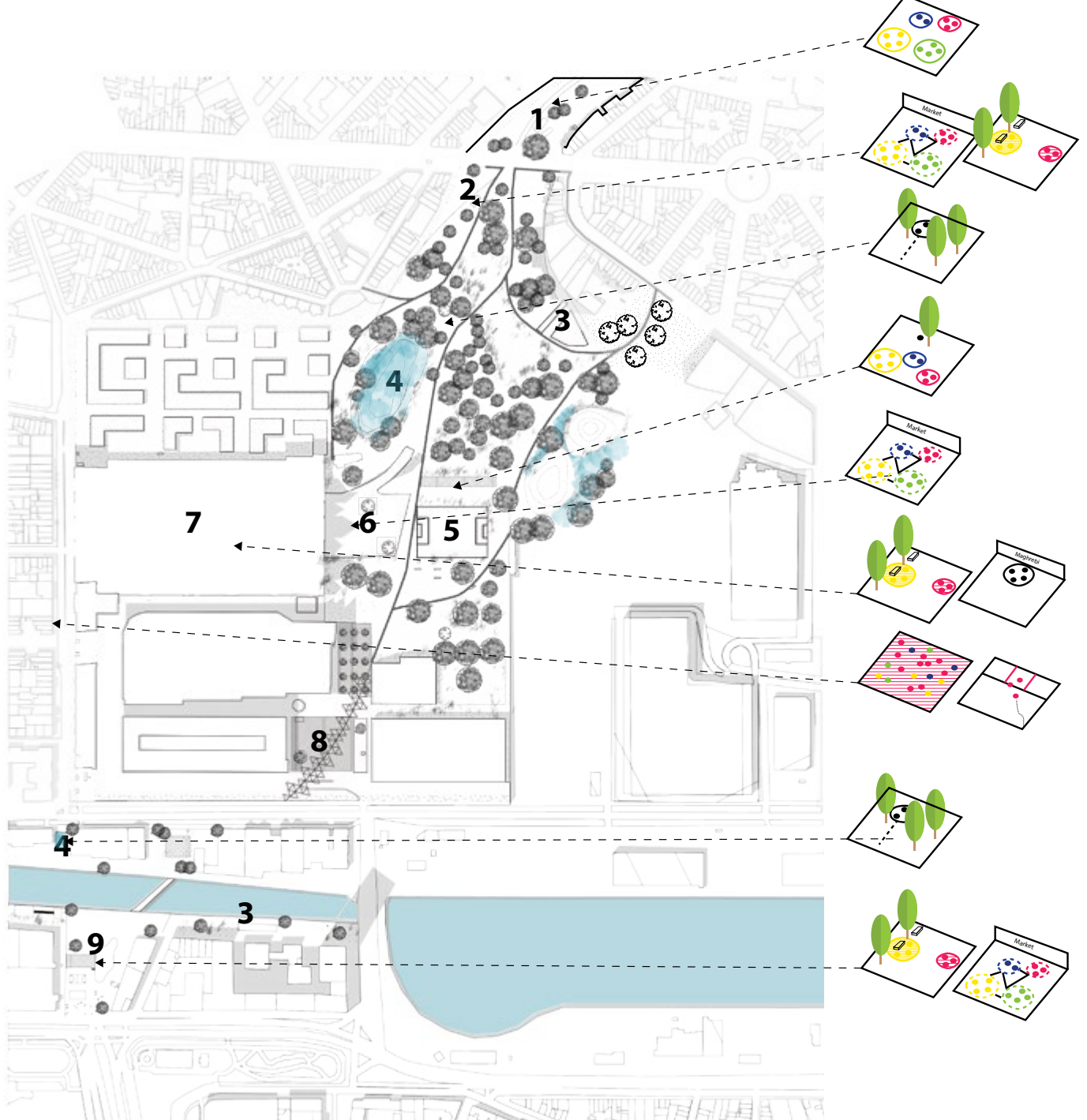
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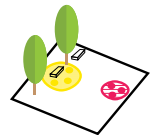




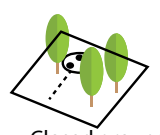
In space, people tend to be divided in social groups of belonging



In social occasions many open groups gather and there is focused interaction between different social groups.



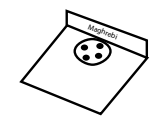
A loose or flexible space allows people to gather and to personalize the space according to their needs



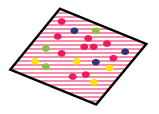
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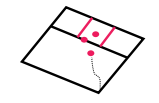
Individuals tend to sit around spaces with a lot of activity while still maintaining a degree of privacy.



Closed groups gather in a "usual" place



The prevailing social group of an area imprints its own social features into the public space through a personalization



Social groups recognize homogeneous shops as core for their collective life





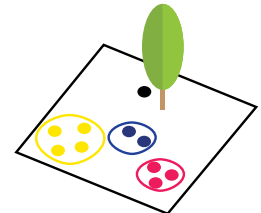
- Trees - nature areas
- Areas of activity (Open areas)
- ➔ Accessibility



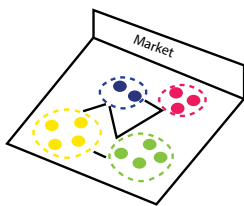
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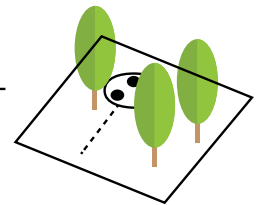
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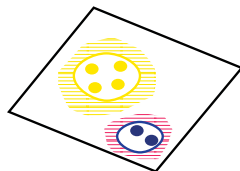
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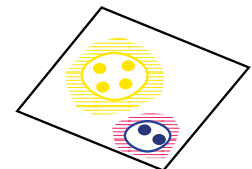
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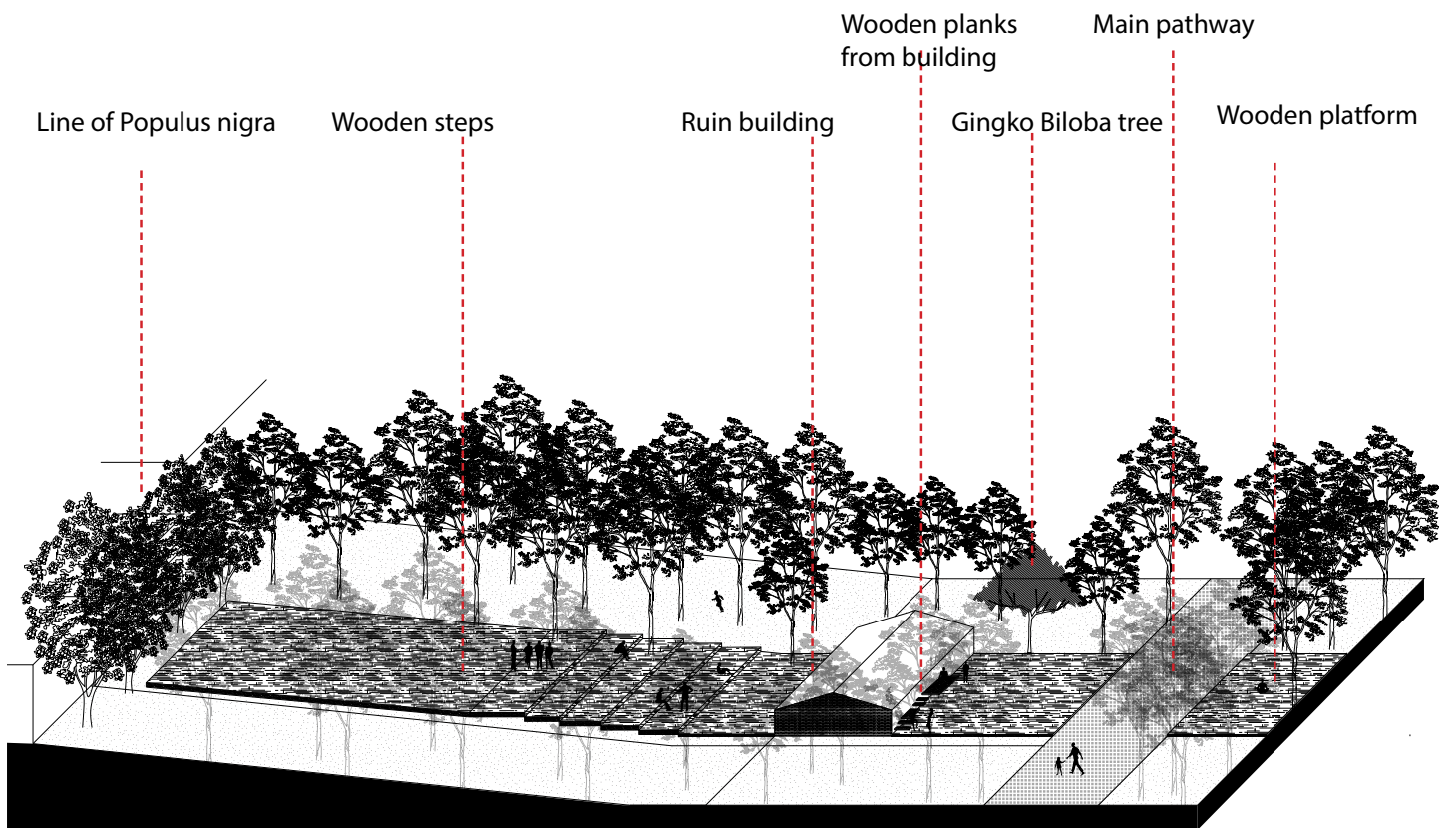


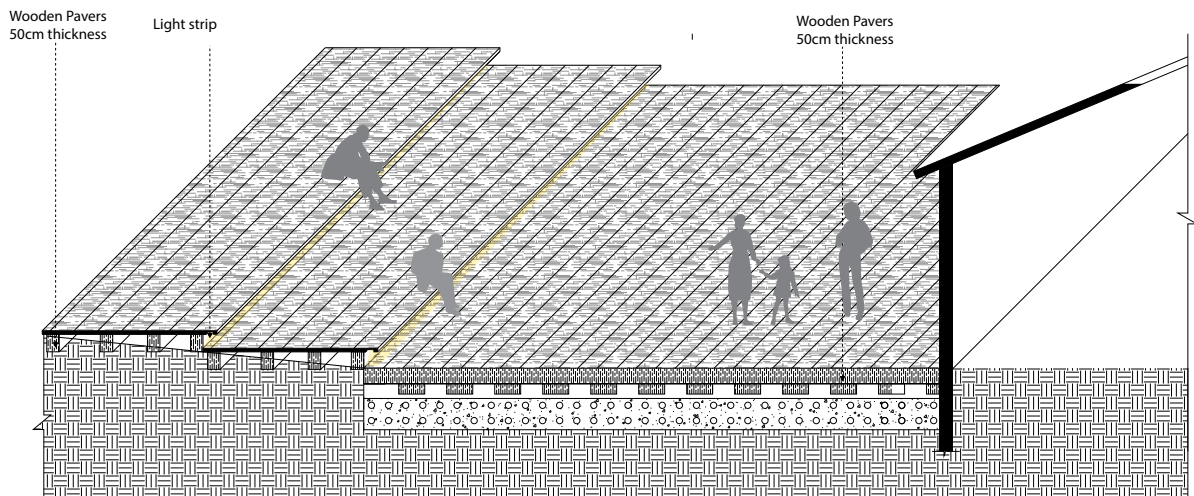
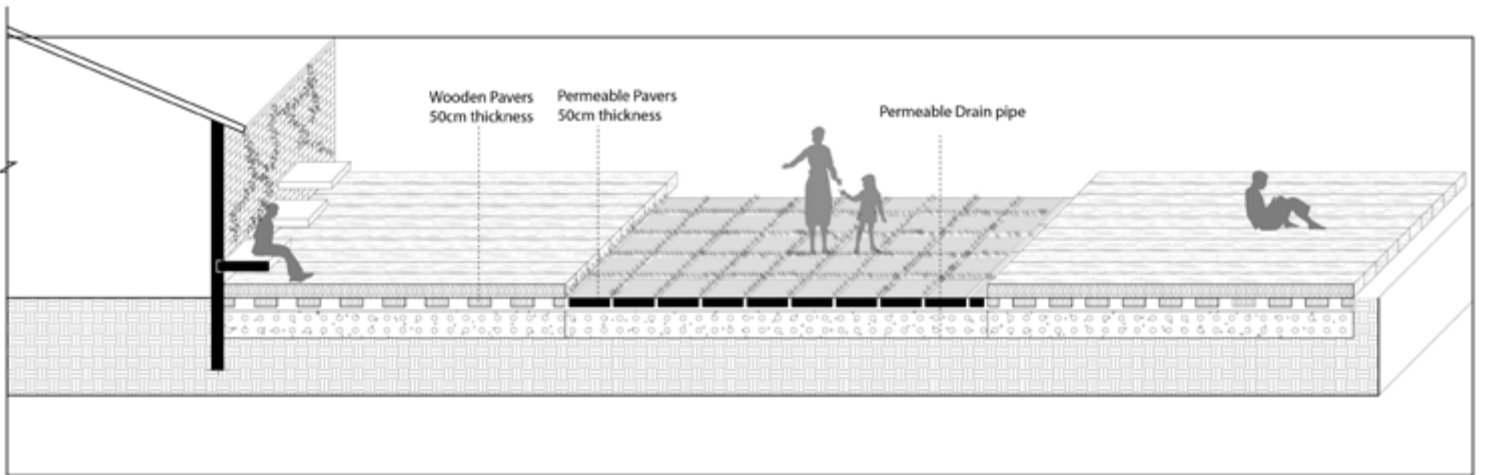
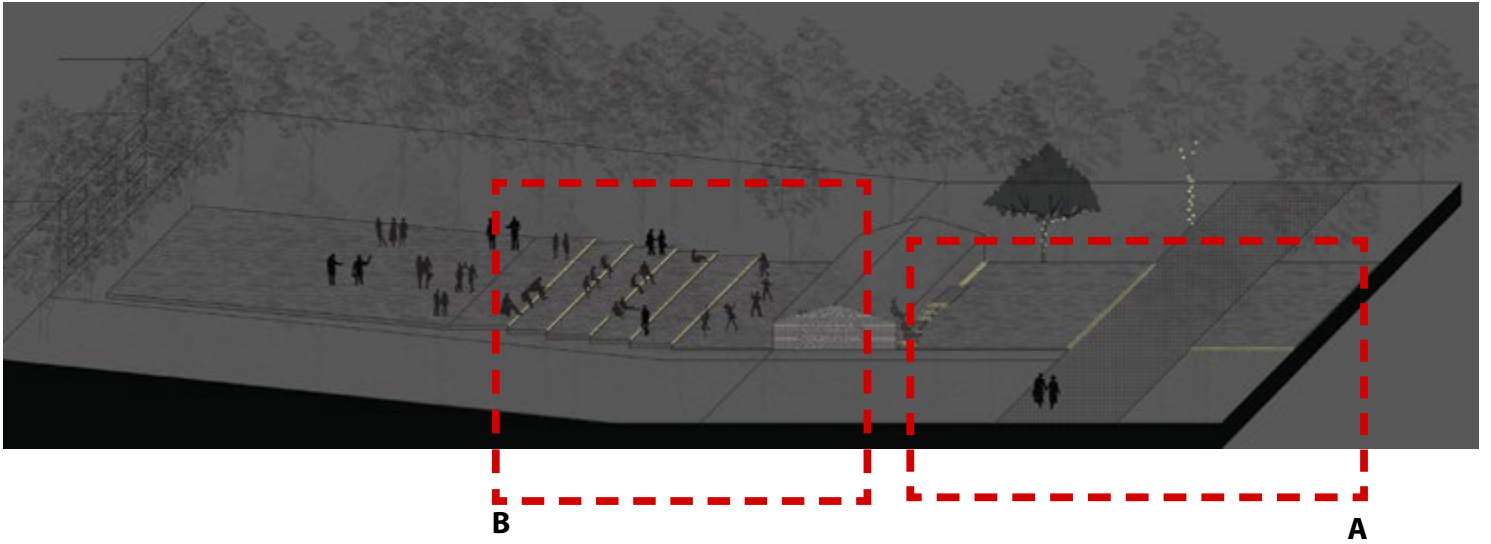
**Groups personalize space around them**

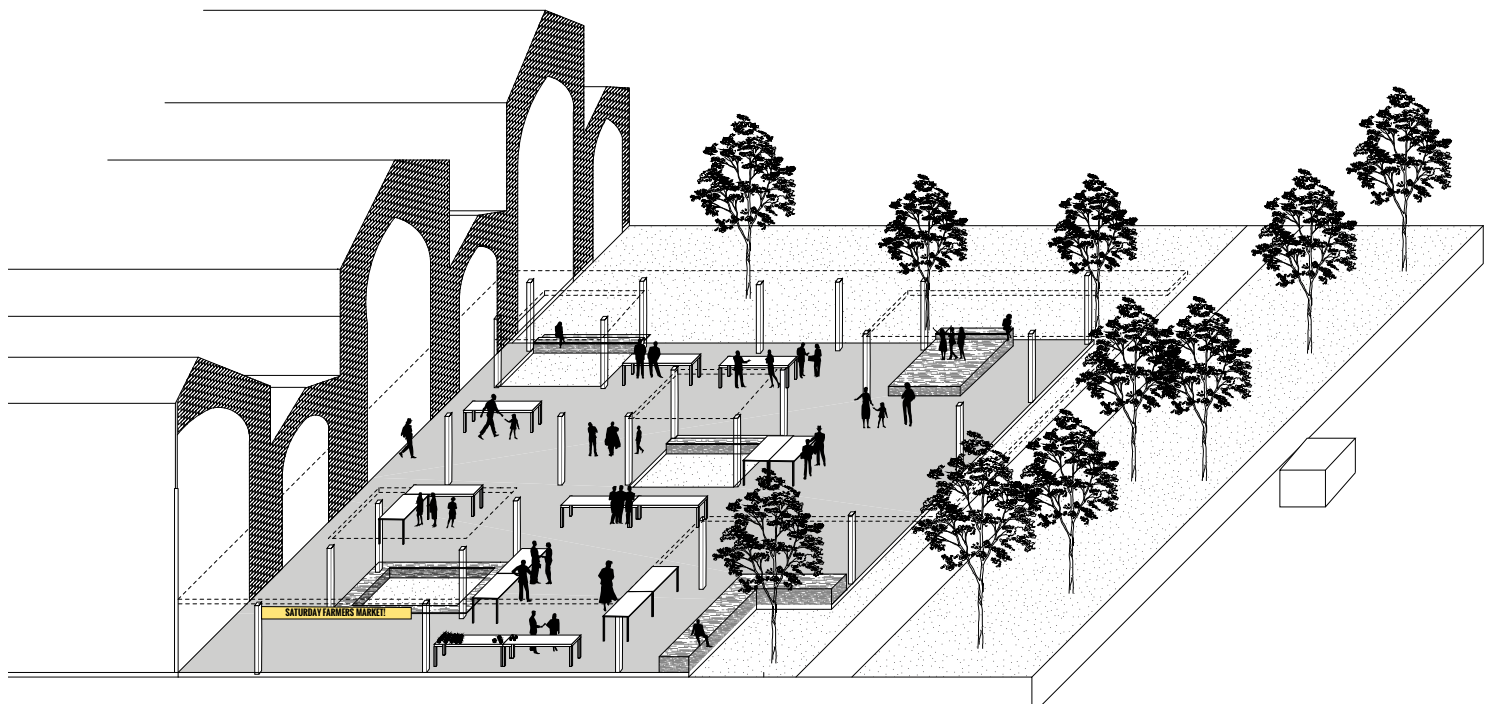
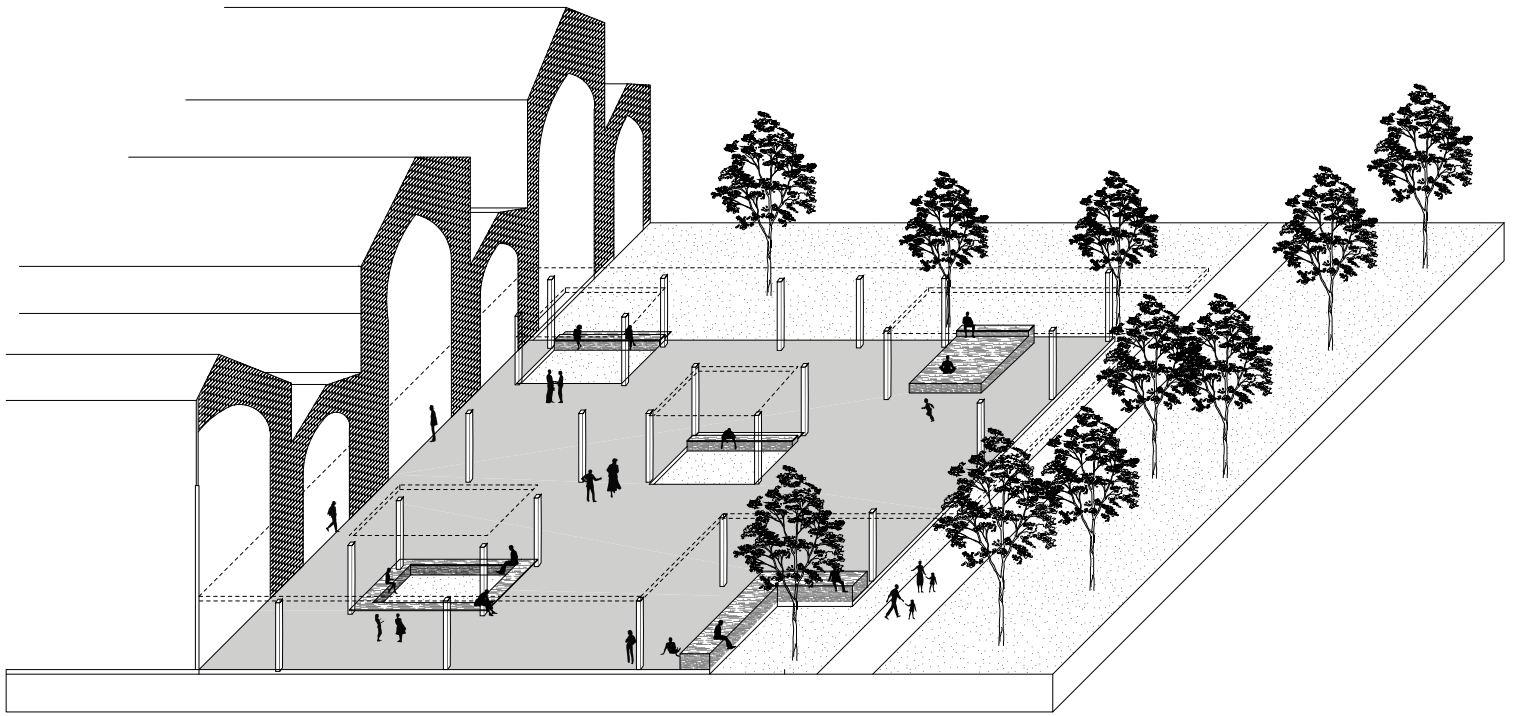


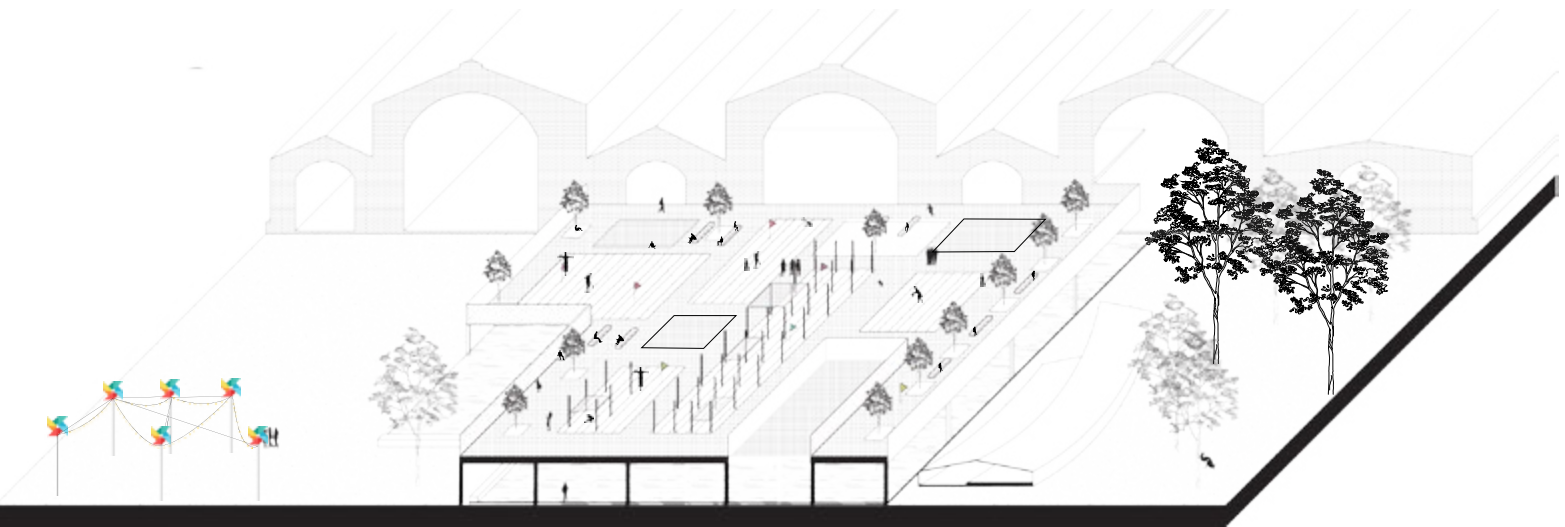
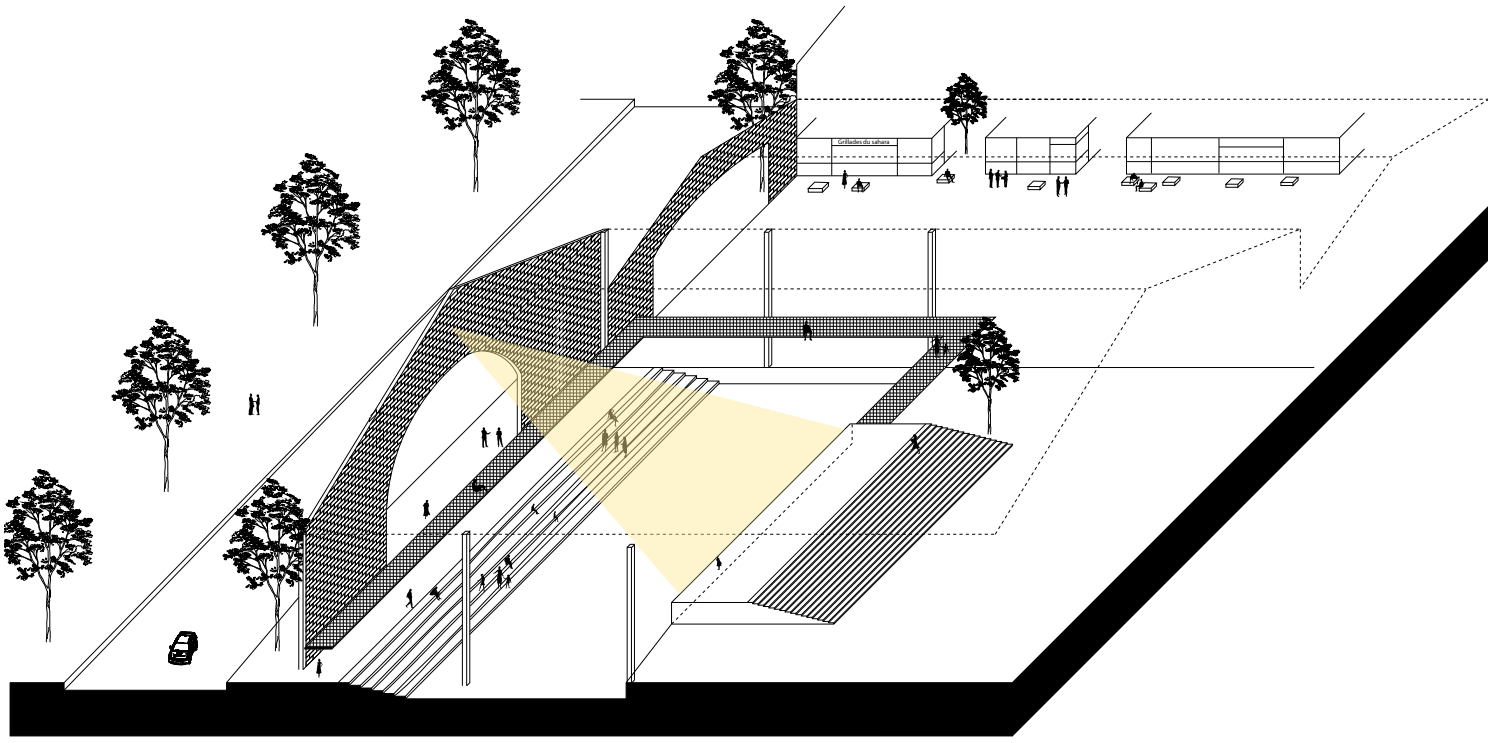
**People gathered in groups tend to personalize the space around them.**



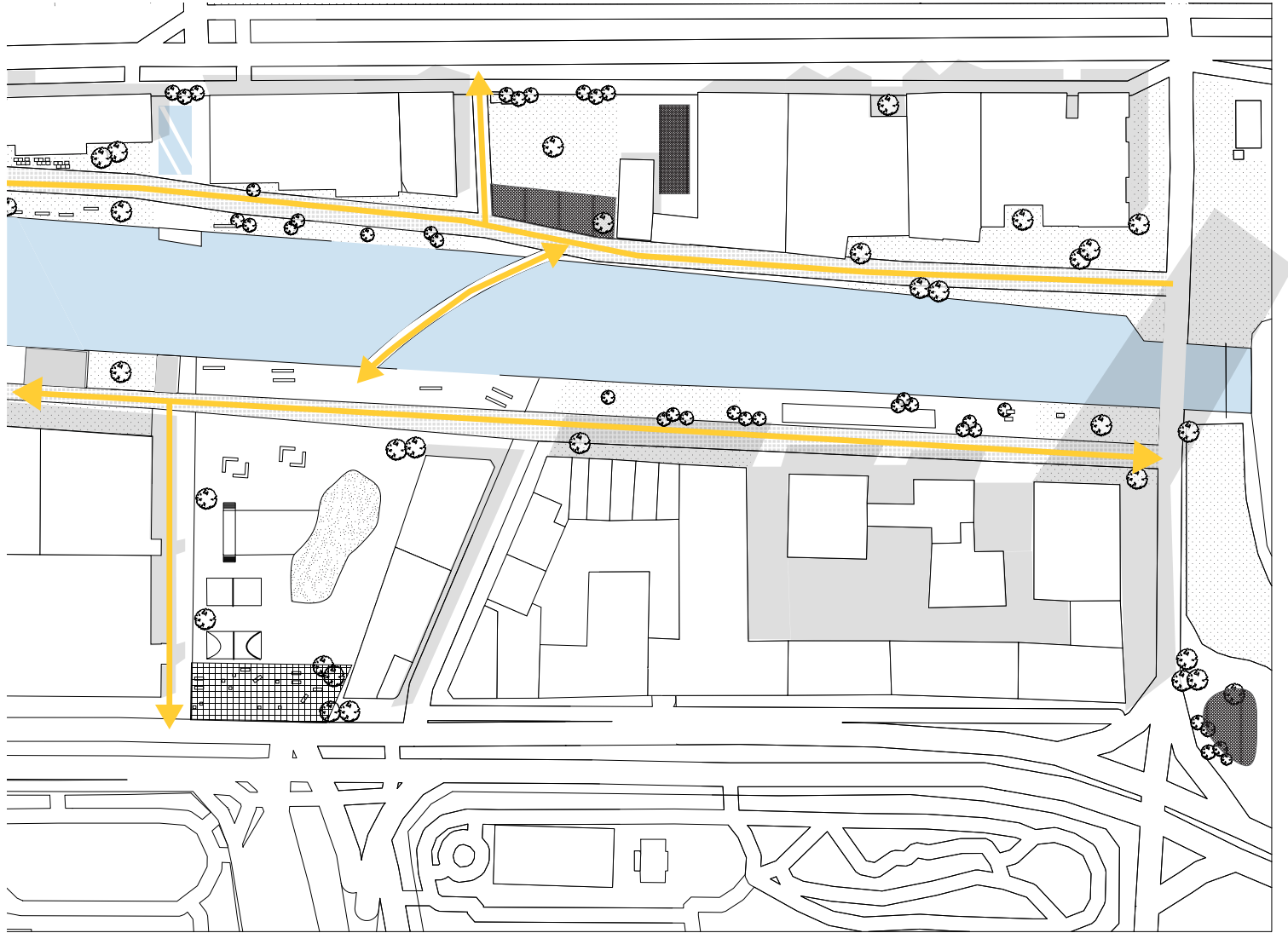


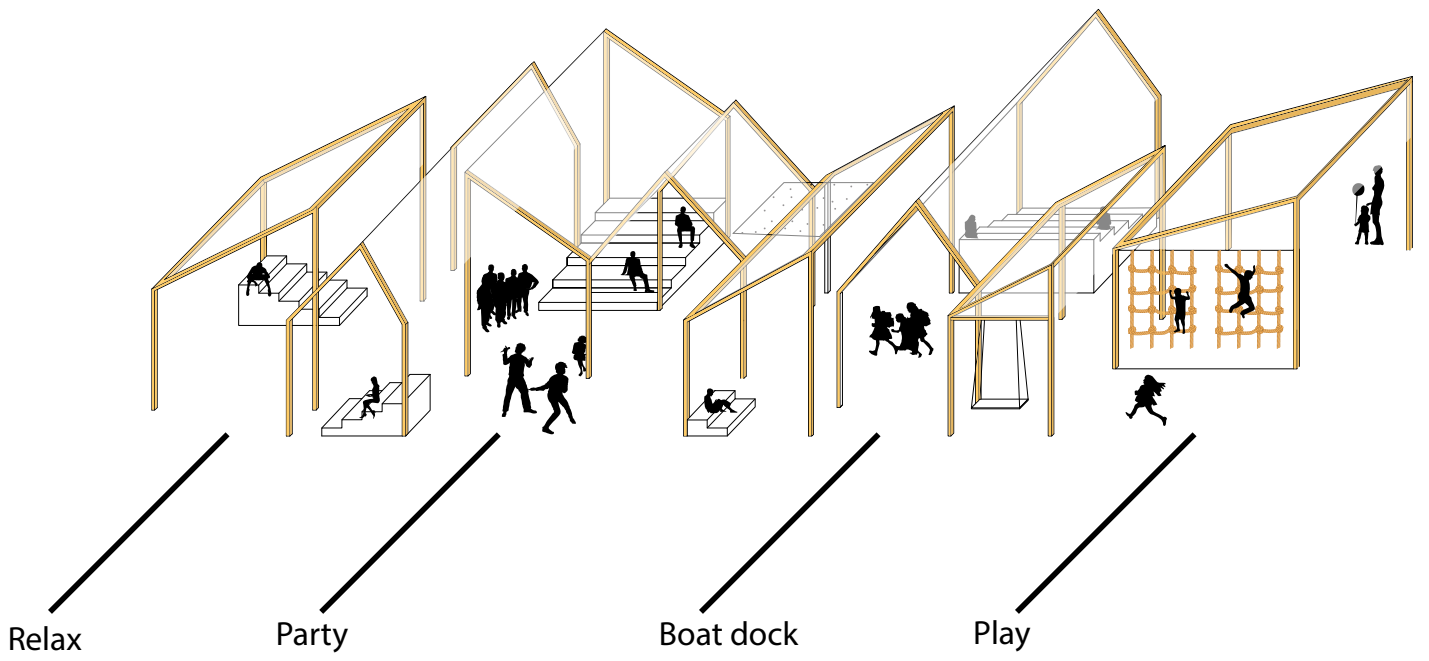
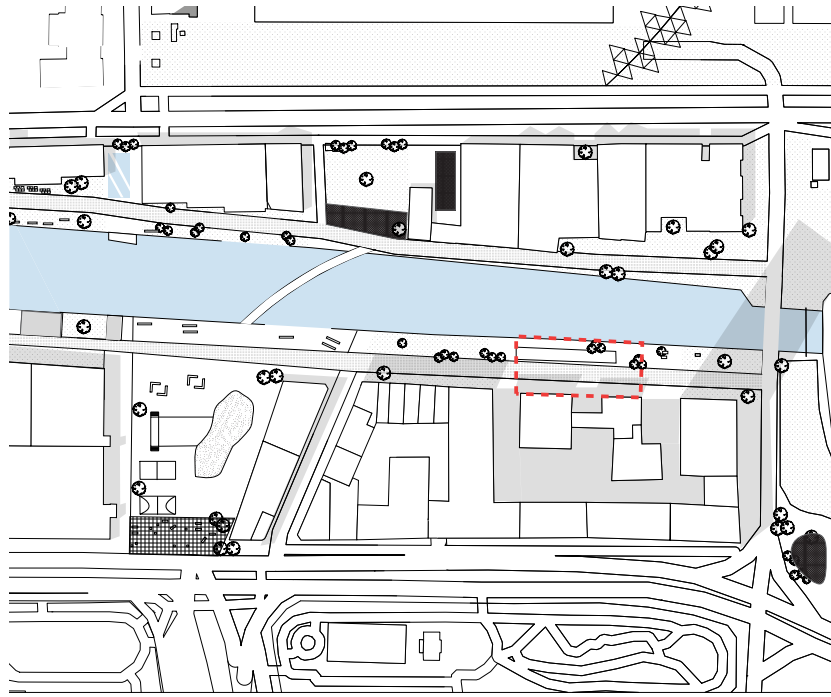


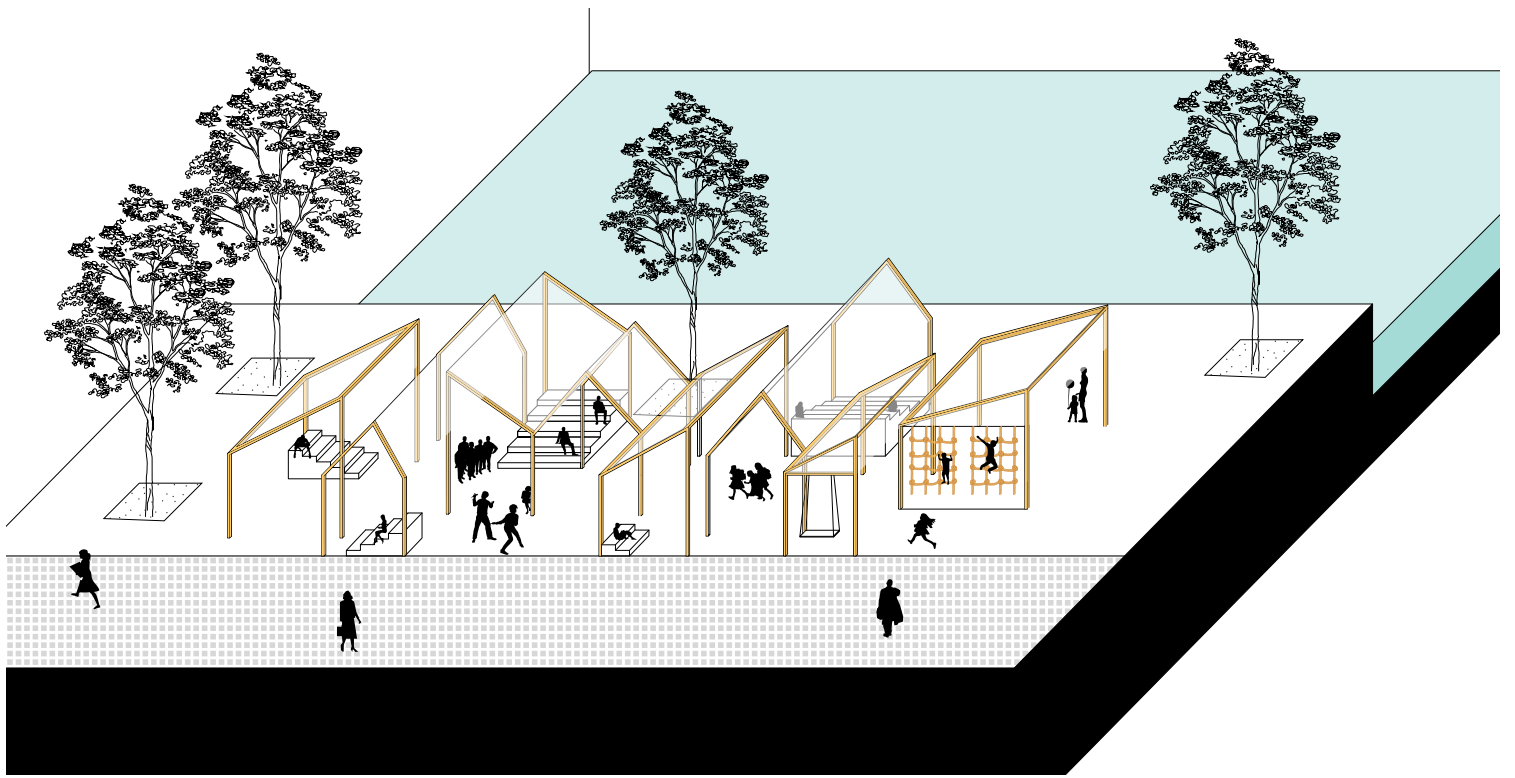












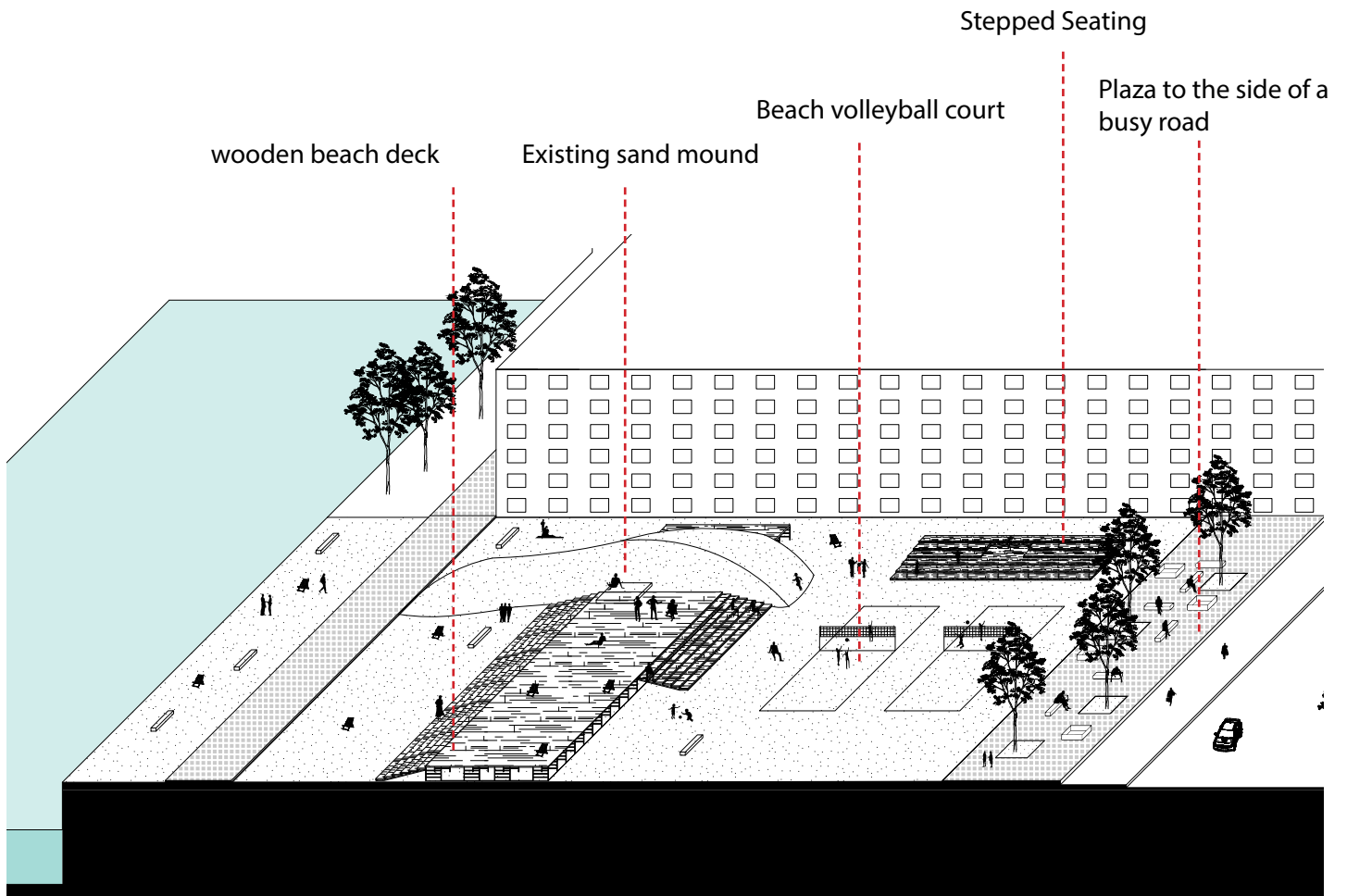


Figure 162. The beach creating a vibrant public space promoting civic presence

