A PLACE FOR MOVEMENT & PERFORMANCE -

ea public place in Amsterdam Noord

establishing a recognisable place for the dance art and education
PROGRAM

- 10 dance studios
- performance space
- foyer
- a café and restaurant
- dance club
- bath with sauna and fitness
- a specialist store
- office space
- appartments for choreographers
RESEARCH

- research seminar
- architectural thinking
- history thesis
DANCE WORLD

- dedication
- bodily experience
- spatiality
- slowness
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THEORY: ARCHITECTURE & MEMORY

- world of speed, flow, flux and flat images
- loss of spatiality
- disembodiment

need for:

- flow AND form / fixity
- speed AND slowness
- becoming AND being
- time AND space
THEORY: ARCHITECTURE & MEMORY

- ‘memories tie us to place […] that’s what gives a neighbourhoud character”

Bergsonian Memory as a means to spatialize not flatten
- creating consciousness by using:
  - moments of standing still
  - places for self-reflection
  - reduction of materiality
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HISTORY: THE CORRIDOR

- the corridor as a place for slowness, consciousness and the body
ARCHITECTURAL TRANSLATION

- structure
- buildings
- dance
- corridor

CONCEPT
CONCEPT MODELS
CONCEPT: PROGRAM / ROUTING

during the night

foyer  bar / club  performance space

during the day

studios  bathing
CONCEPT: PROGRAM / ROUTING
CONSTRUCTION opening
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TECHNIQUE

CONSTRUCTION opening

vertical section

horizontal section