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research question

case-study

TRANSFORMING THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT INTO A LIVING ENVIRONMENT

quality of life



HOW CAN ARCHITECTURE CONTRIBUTE TO LIFE?

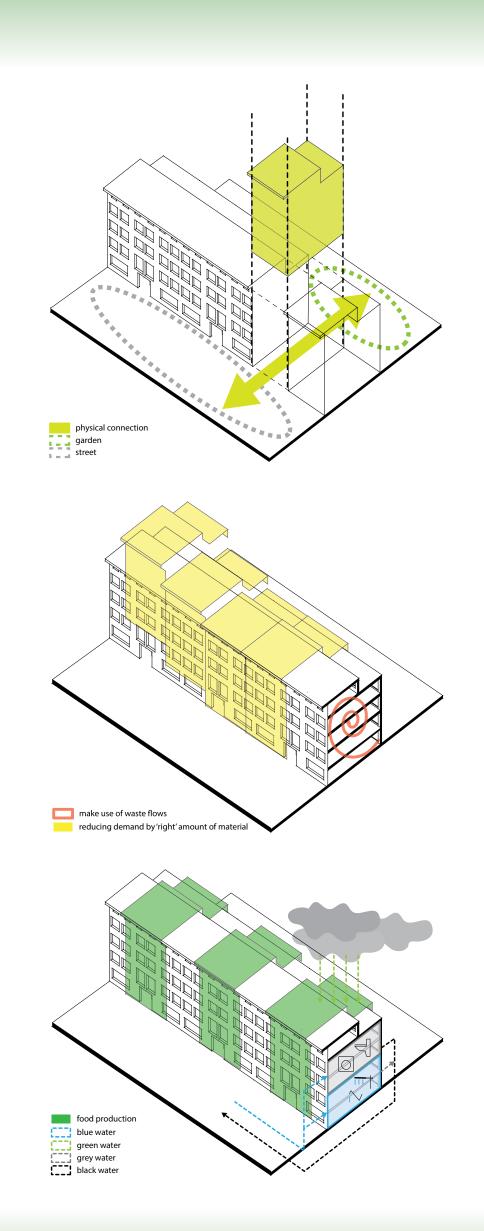
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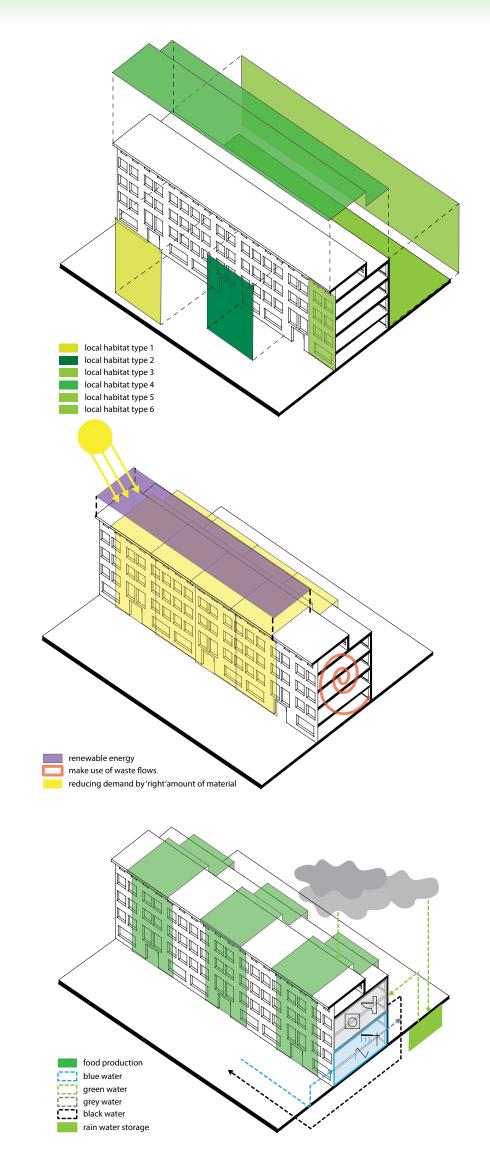


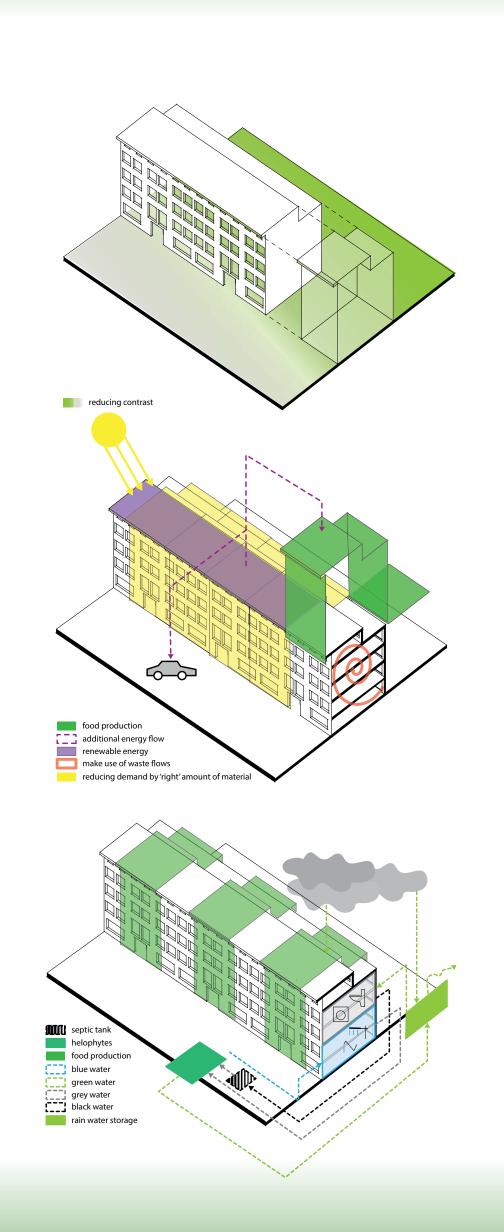


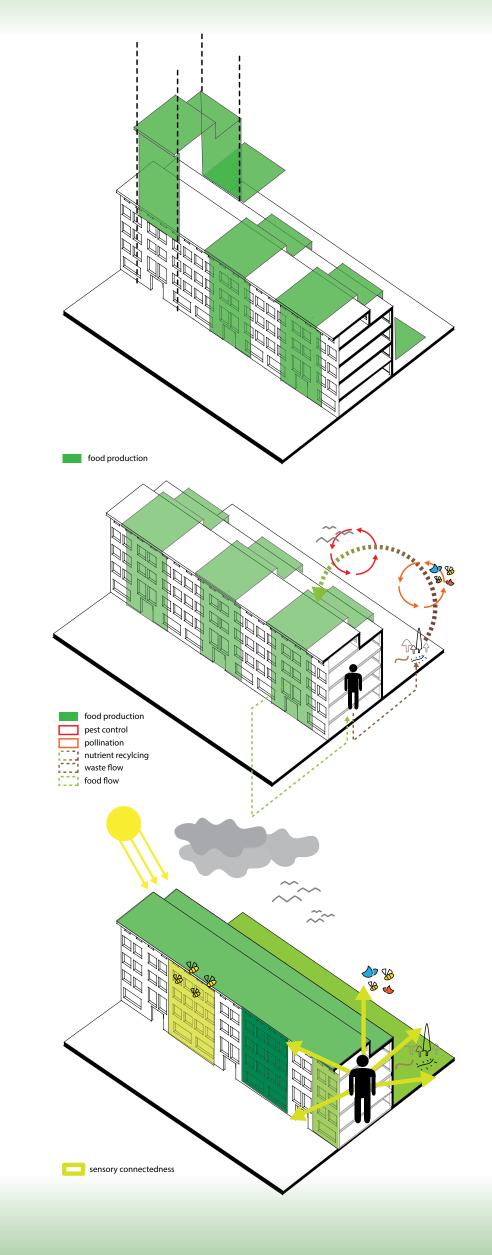
- RESEARCH -

the potential of architecture

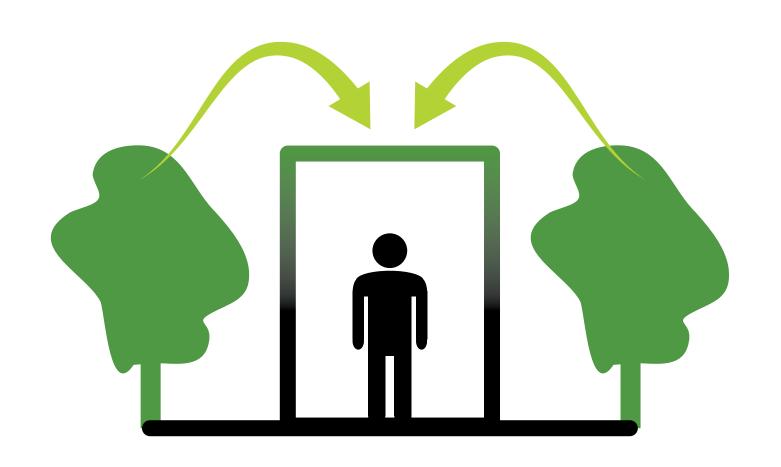




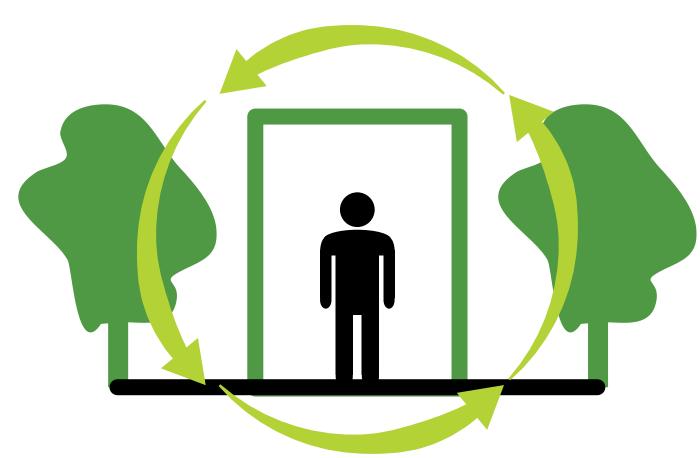




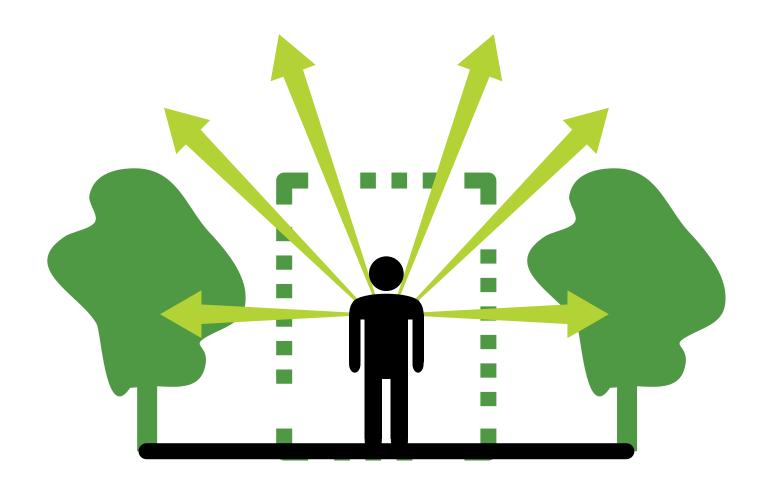
three generic design principles



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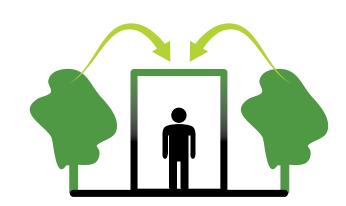


2. Symbiotically connect to life systems

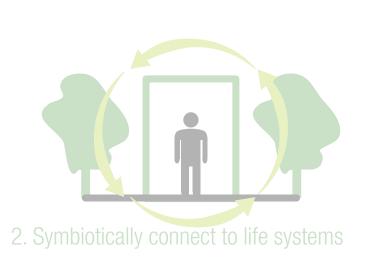


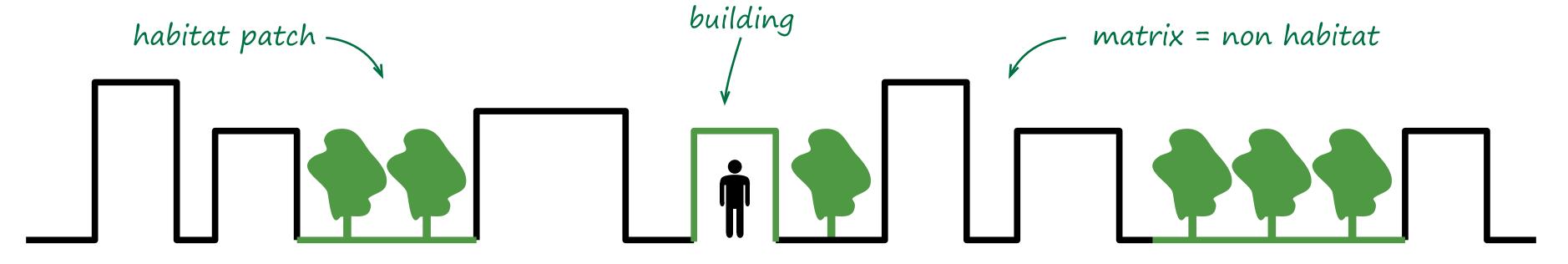
3. Make people experience the value of life

re-invite life into the built environment: building structure

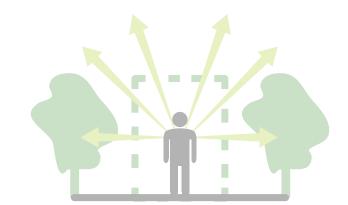


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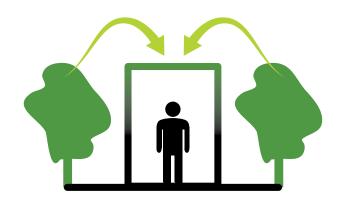




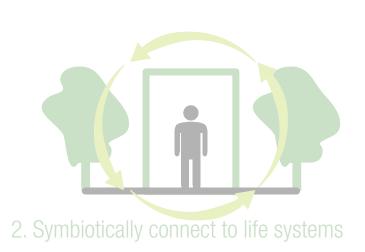
connect the building to the local ecological structure

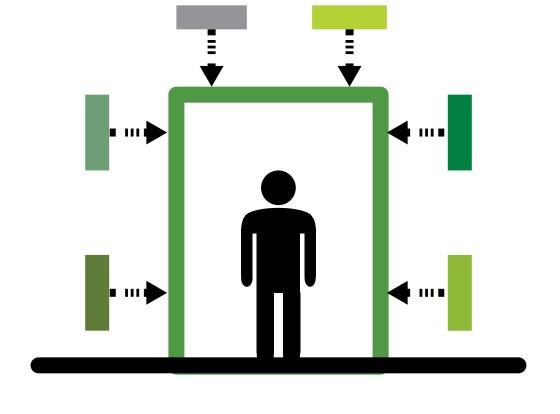


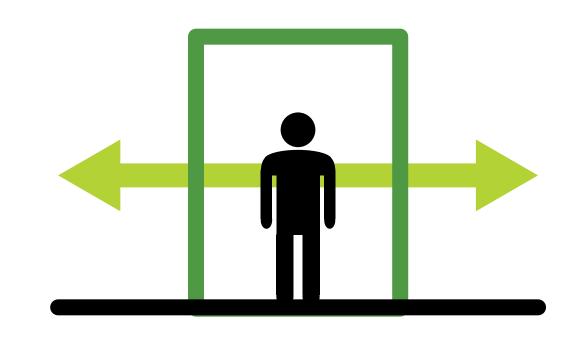
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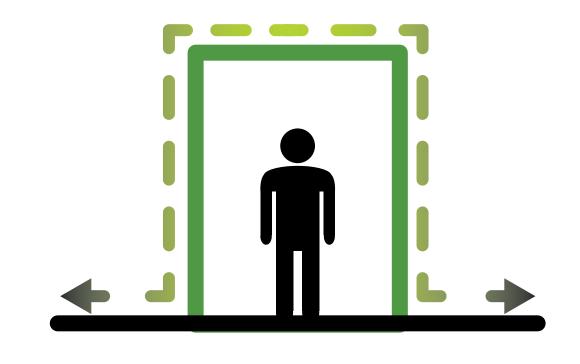


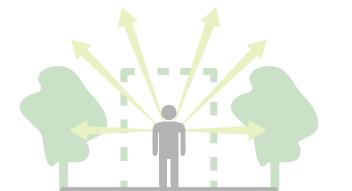
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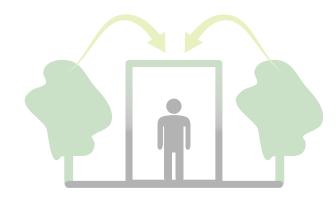




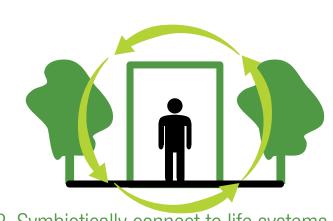
creating a physical connection

creating a gradual transition

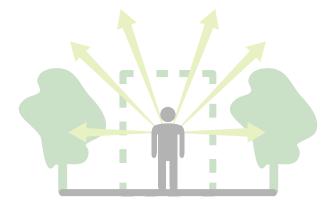
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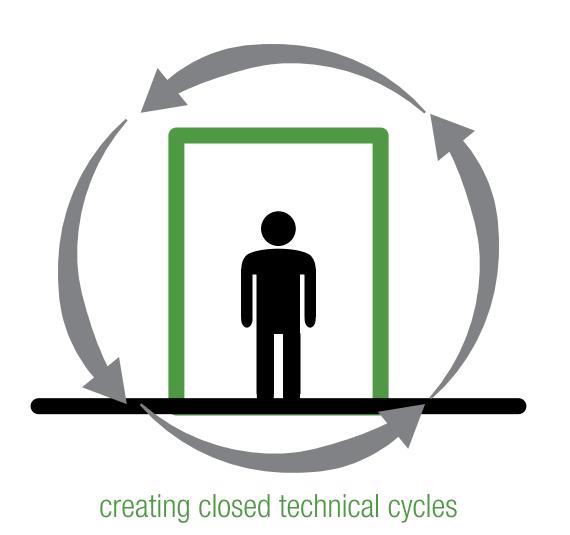


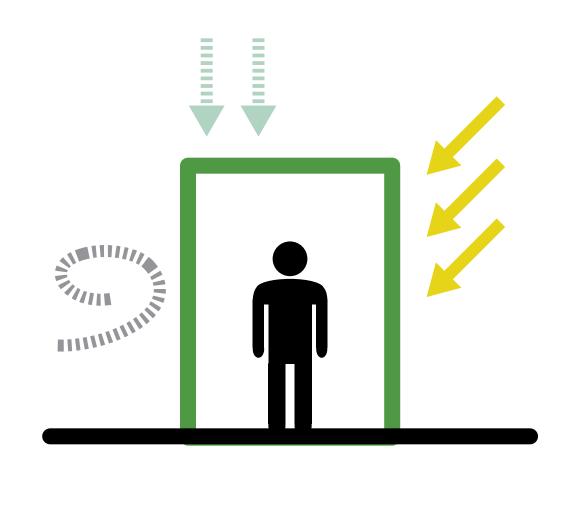
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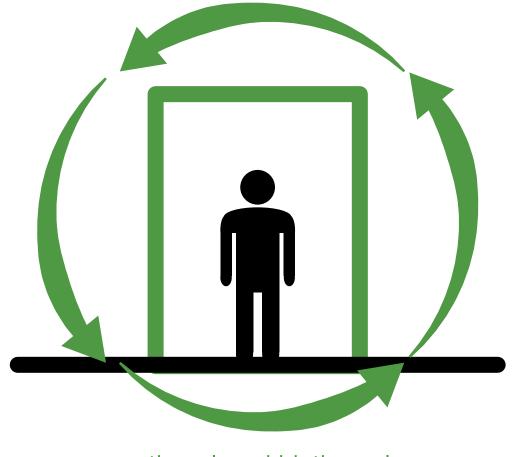
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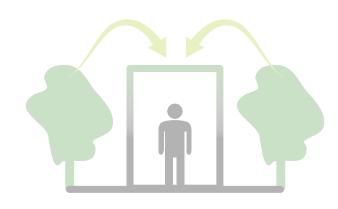




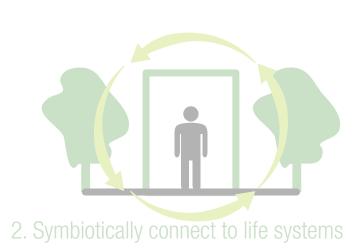


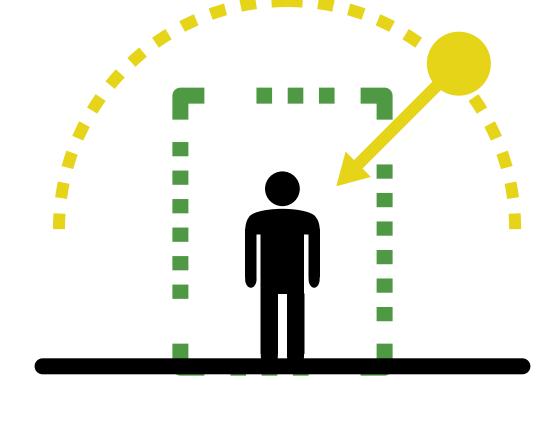
creating closed biotic cycles

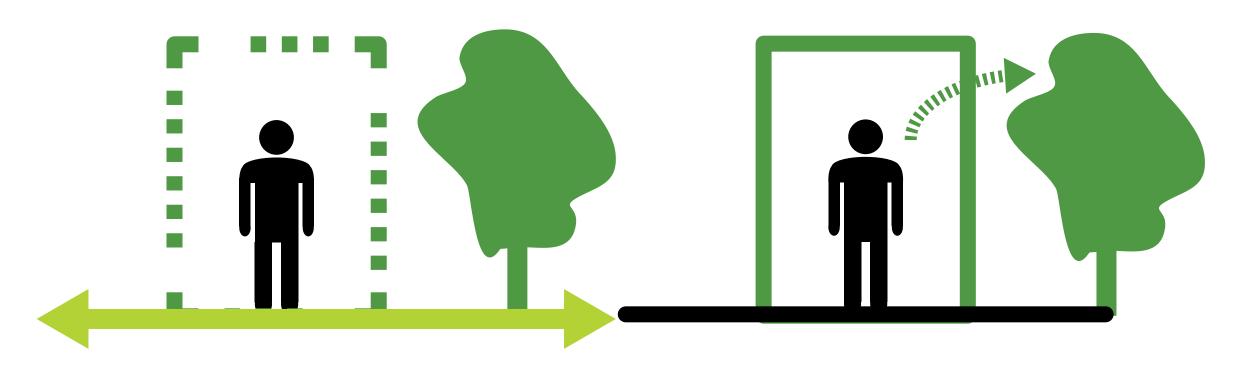
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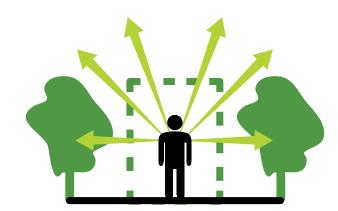


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3. Make people experience the value of life



creating access to high quality green

designing according principles of life-re-connecting to life on every level - buildings like trees

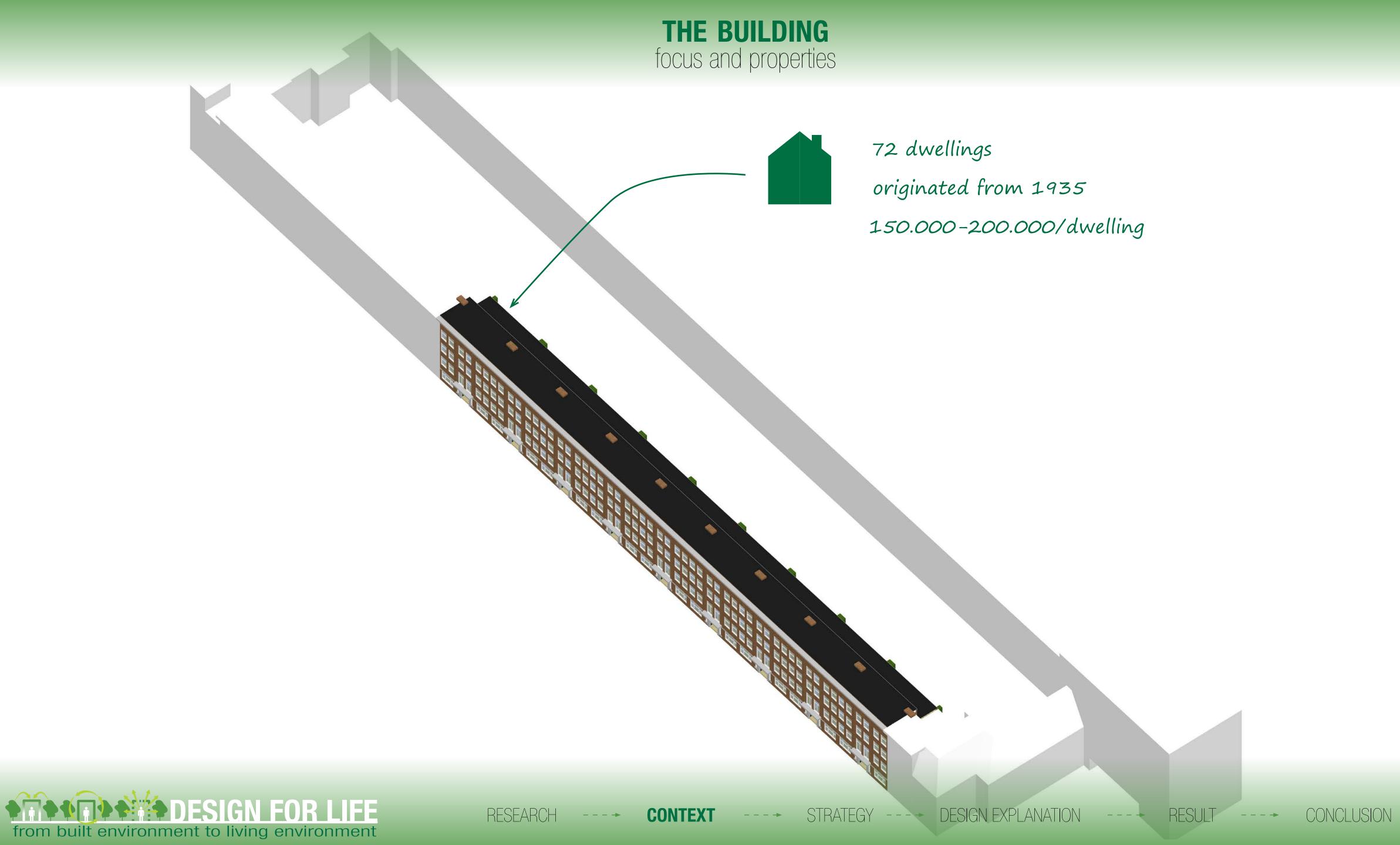


- CONTEXT -









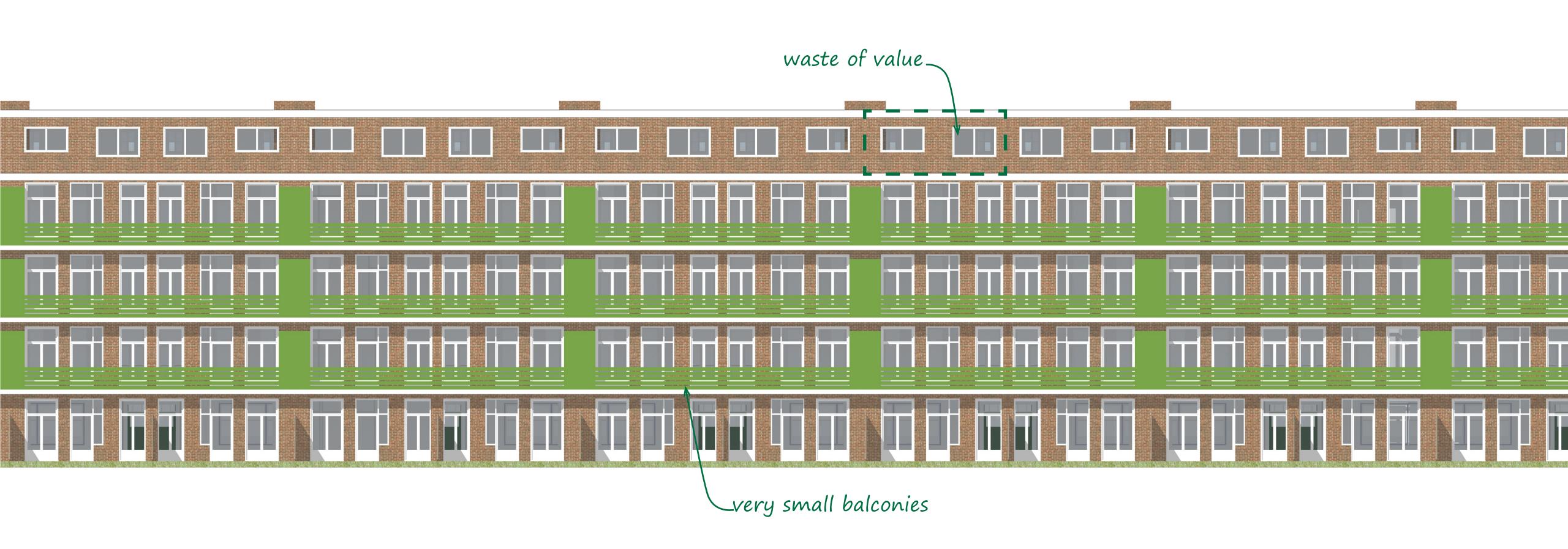
architecture street facade: strong architectural composition





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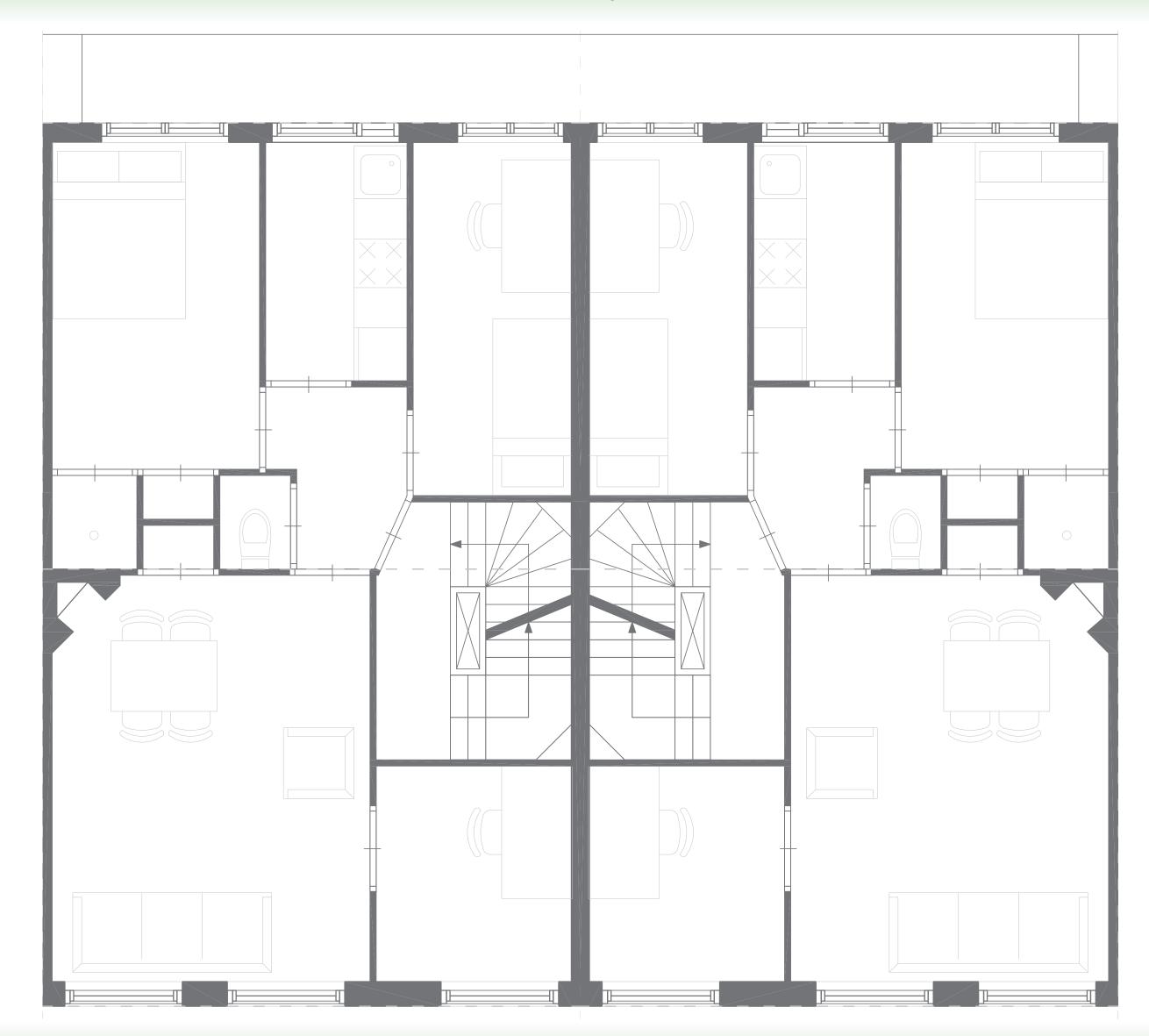
architecture garden facade: hardly any architectural value





THE BUILDING

typical floorplan: fragmentated space



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managed on different levels

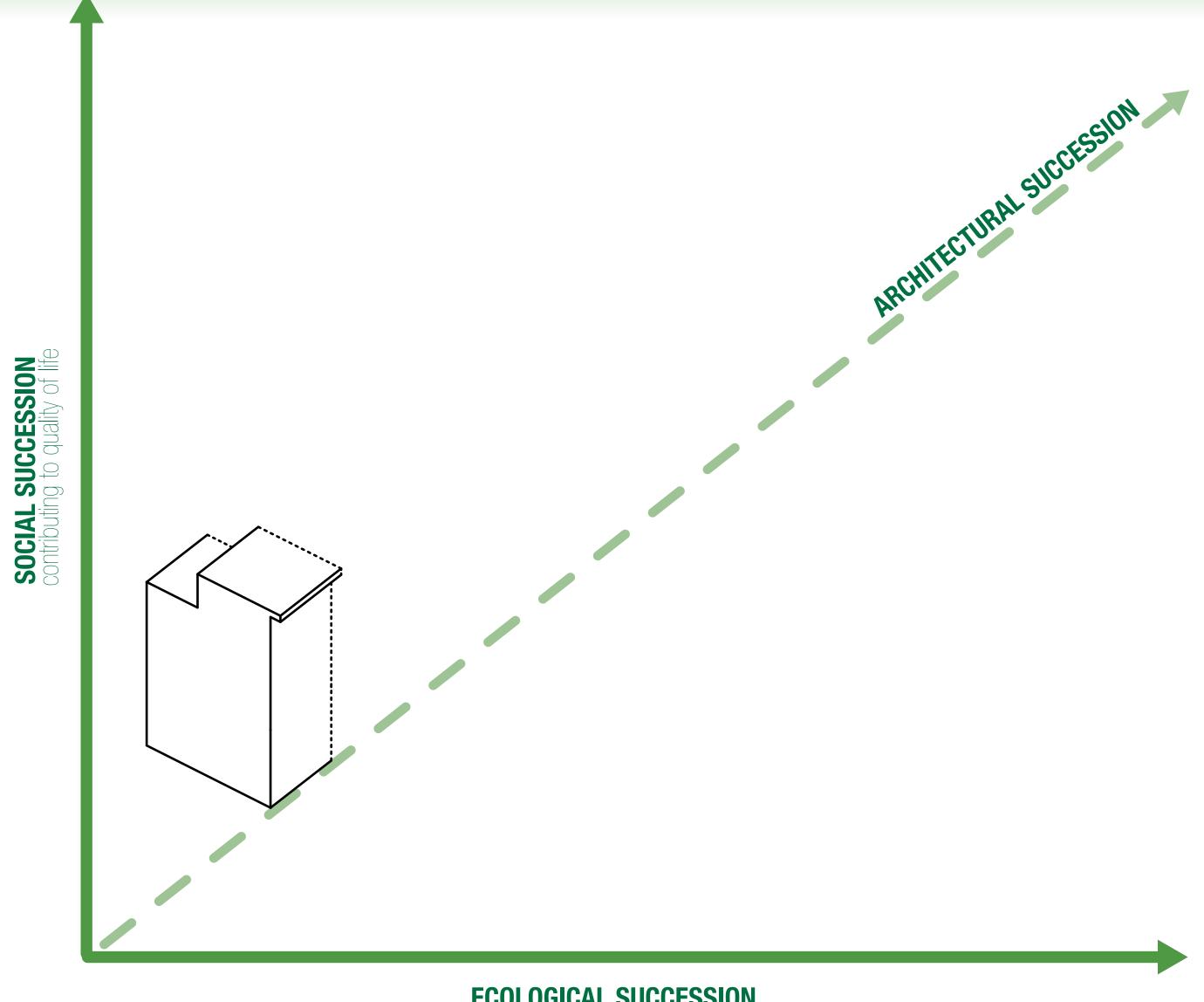




from built environment to living environment

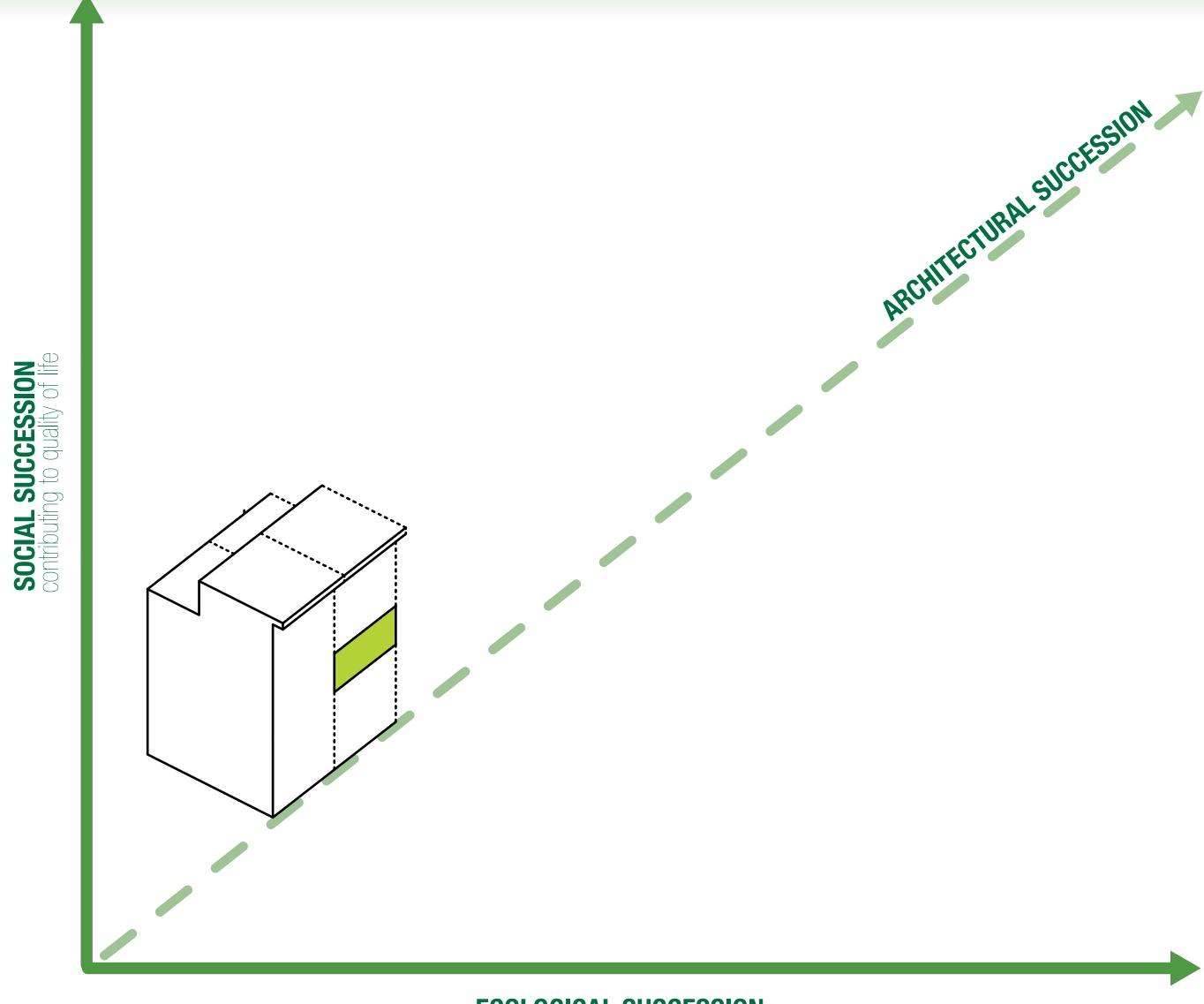
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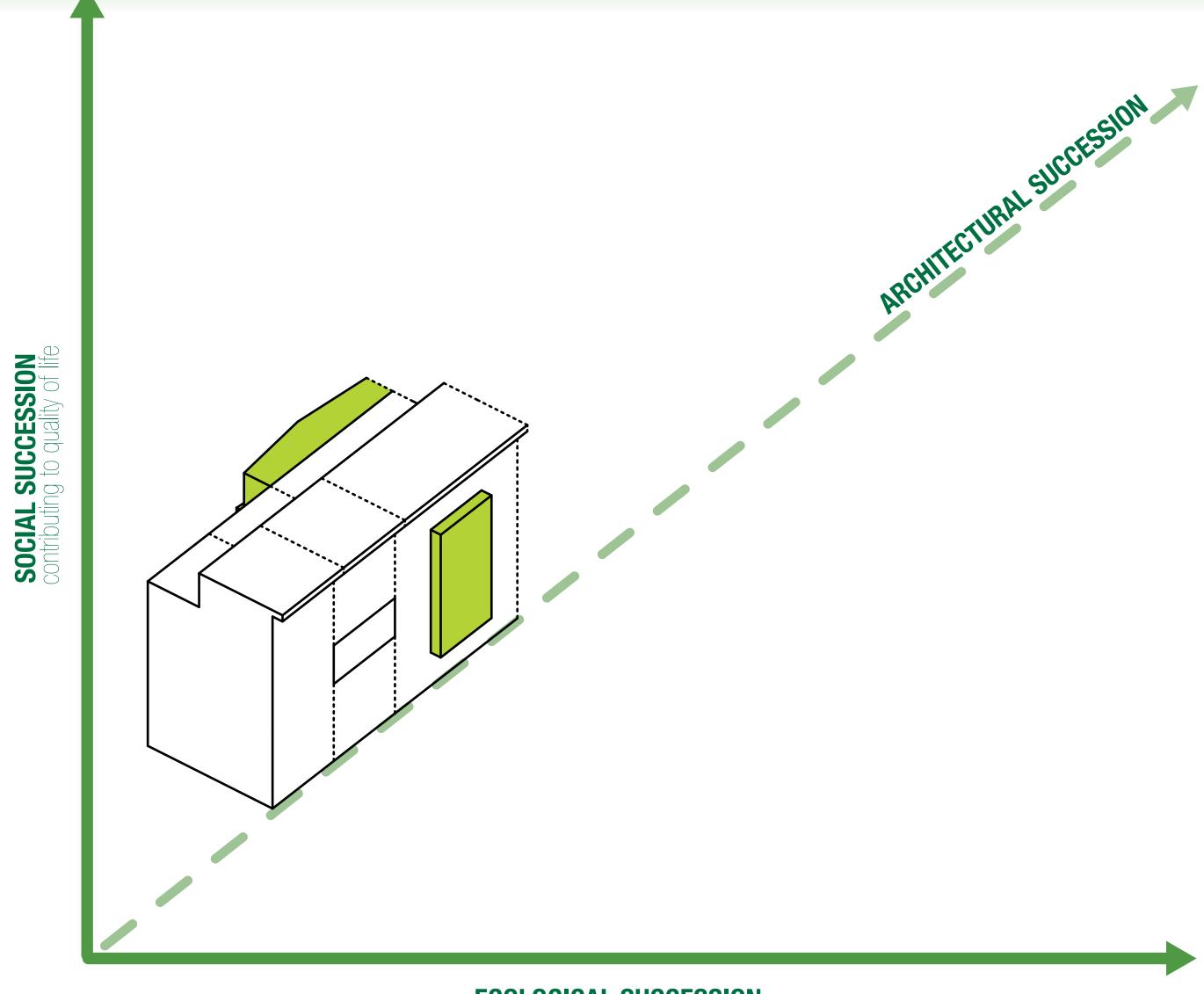
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1. Pioneer Stage



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2. Intermediate Stage

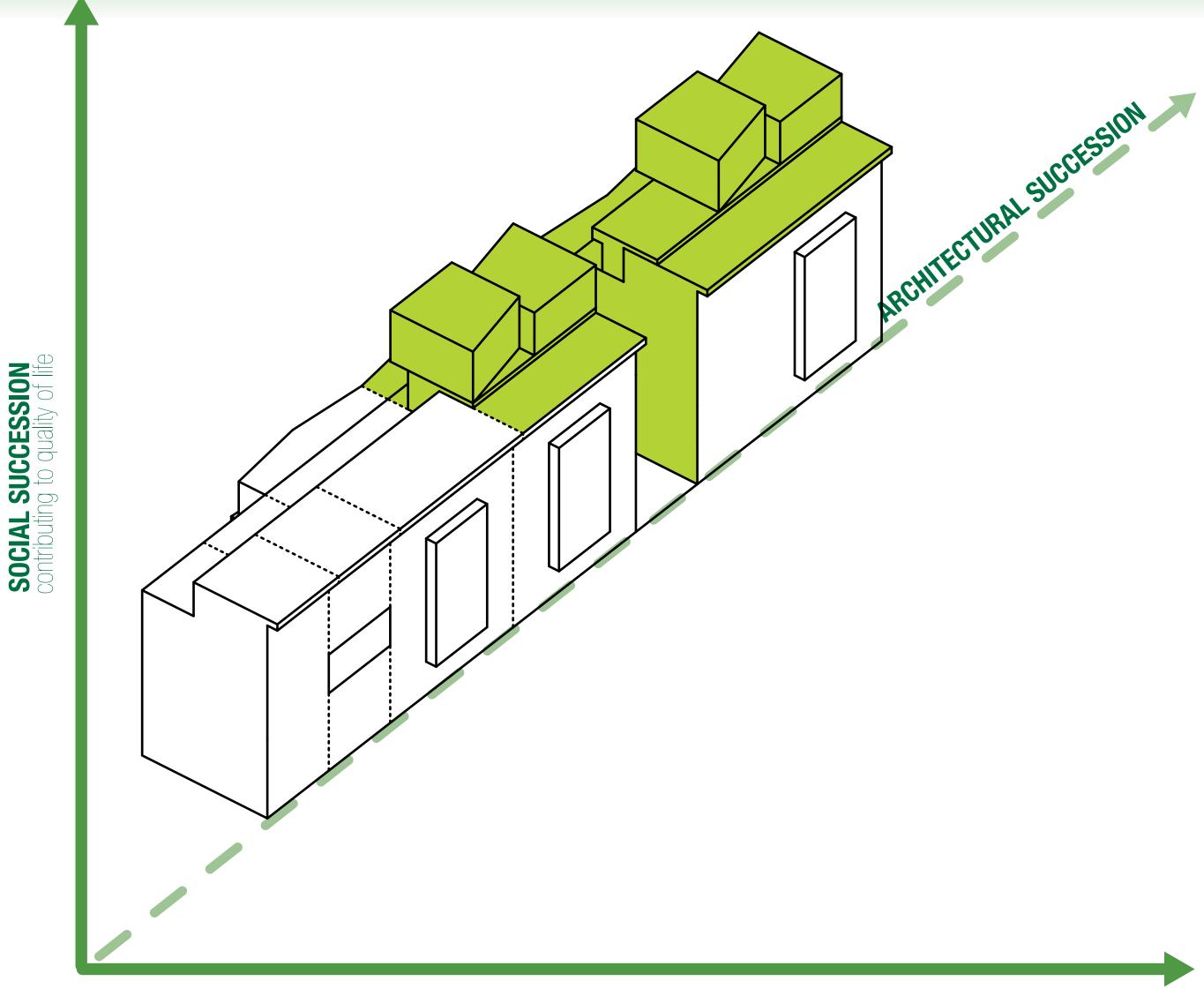


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contributing to functioning of life

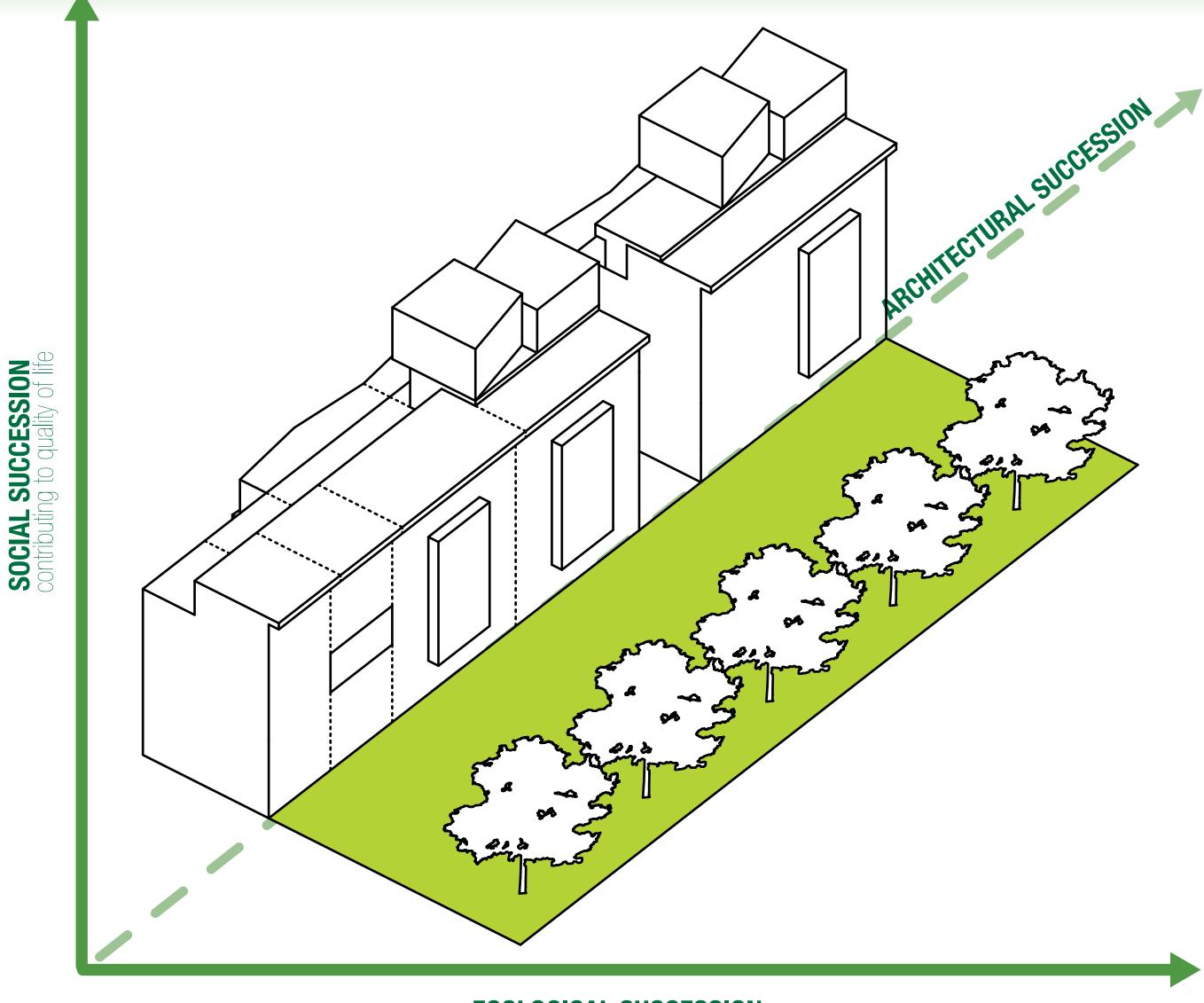
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3. Climax Stage - Building



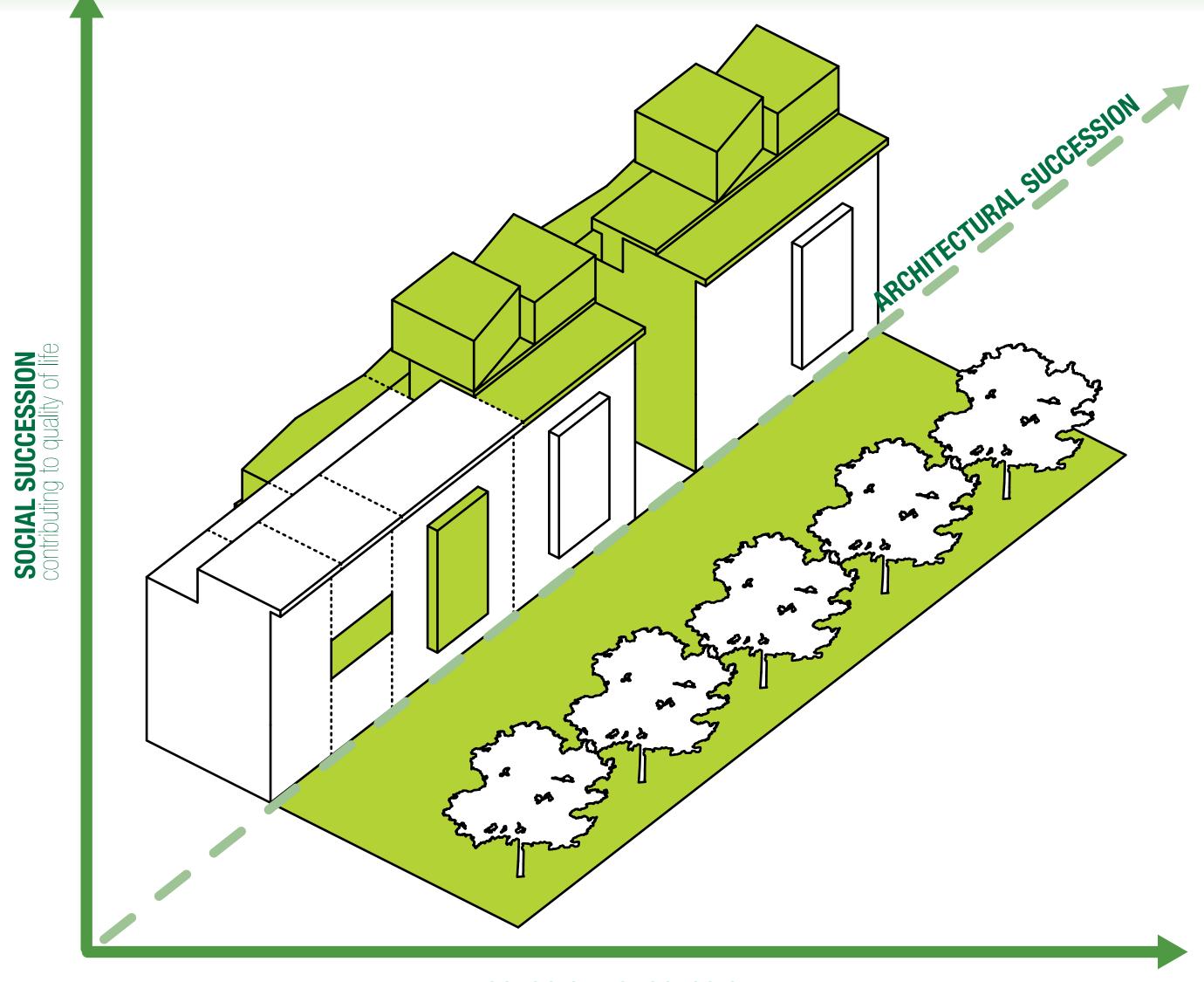
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4. Climax Stage - Street



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contributing to quality of life forms the incentive to let the design grow



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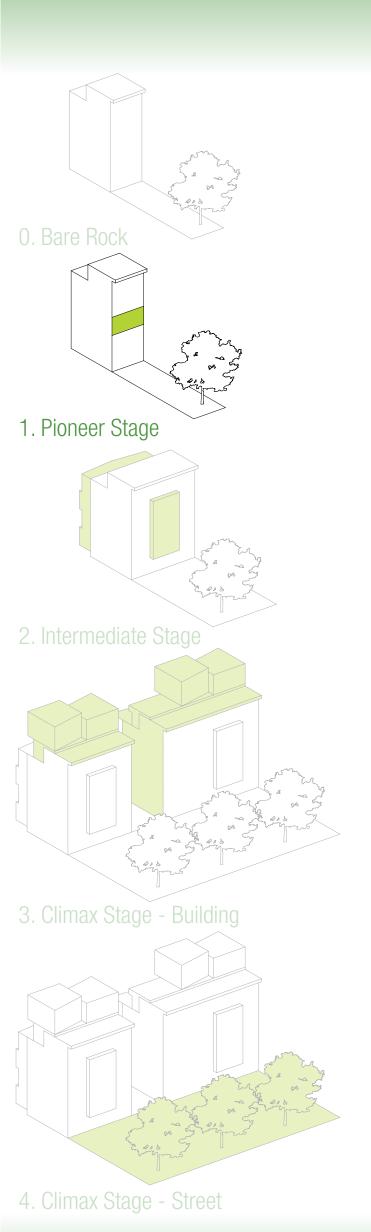
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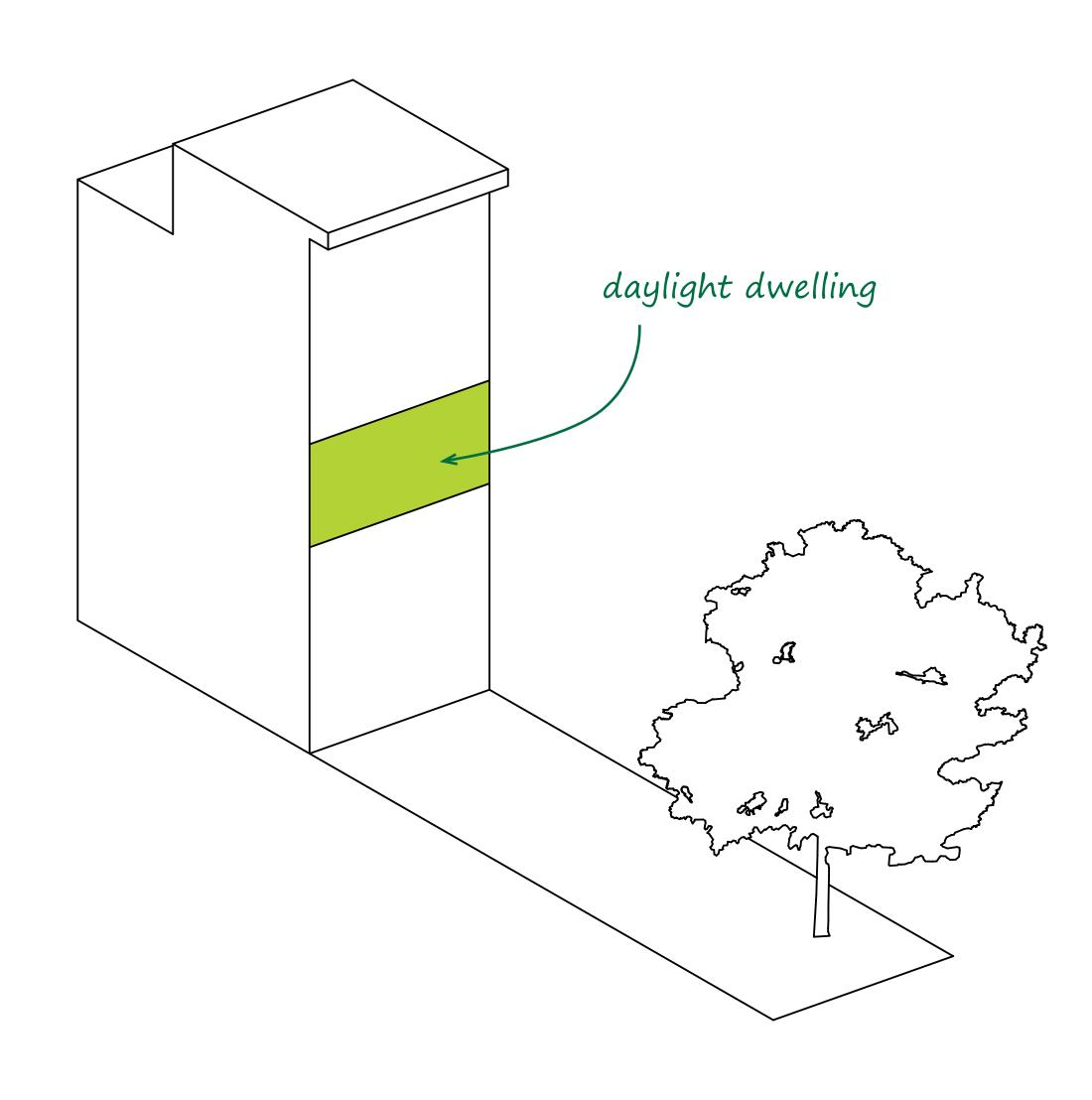


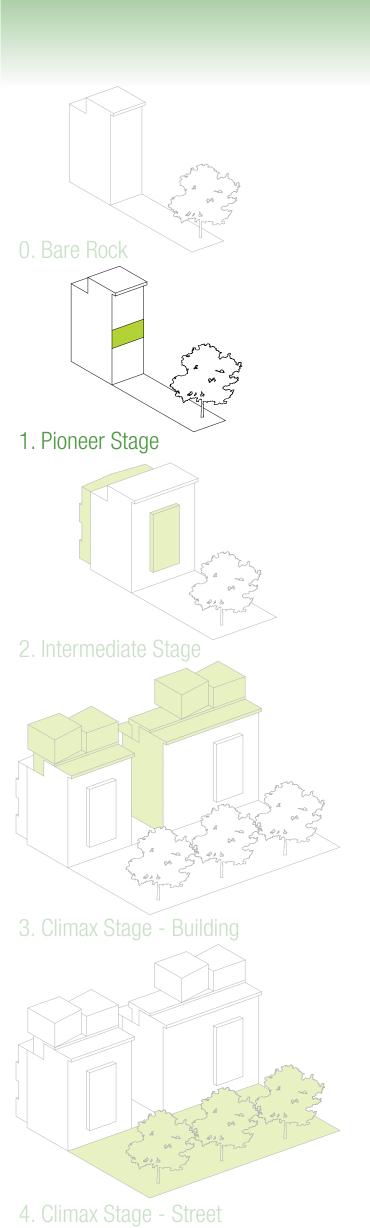


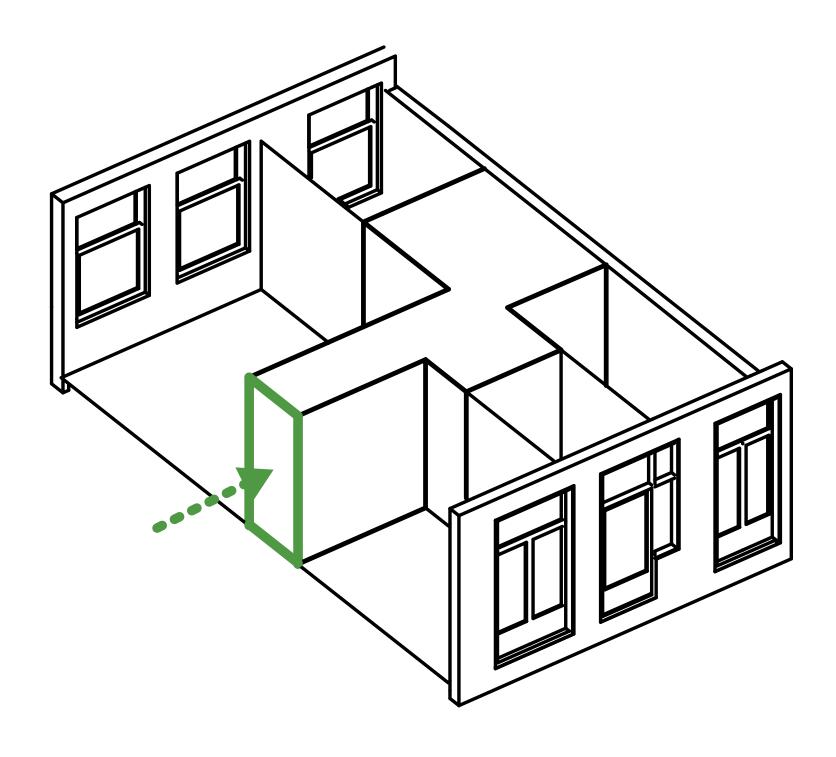
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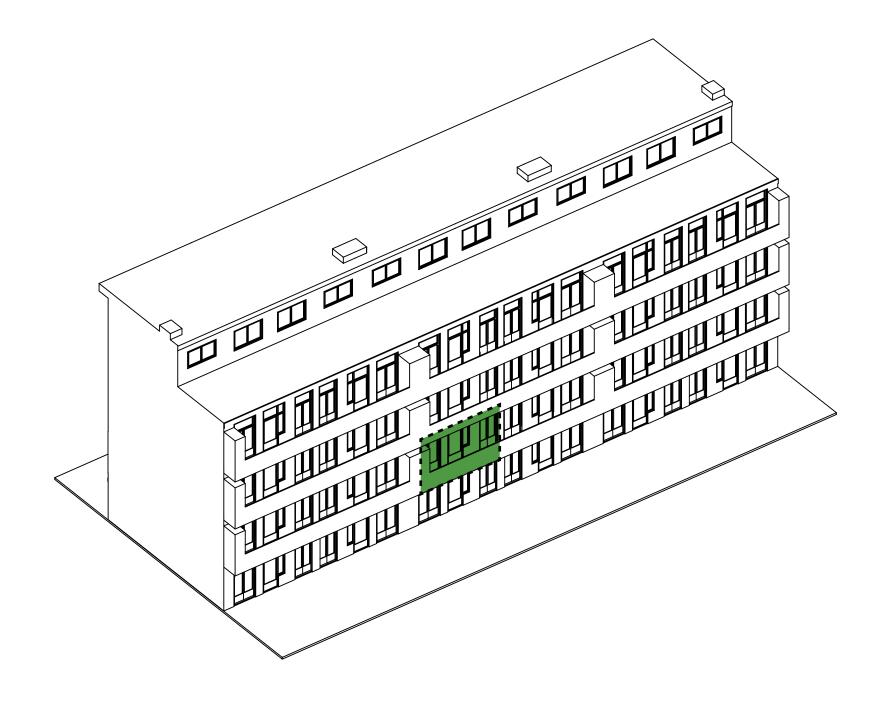
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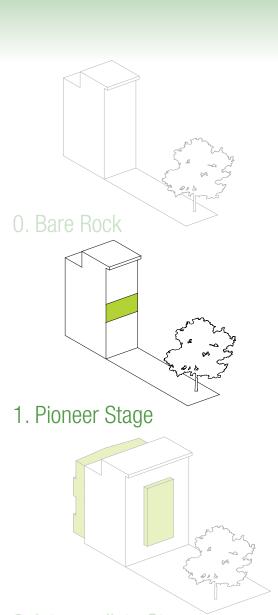


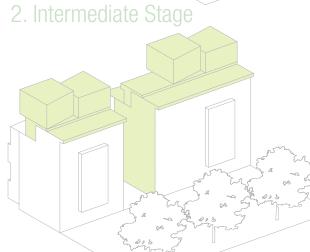




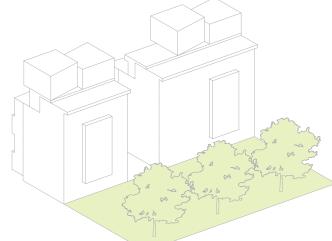




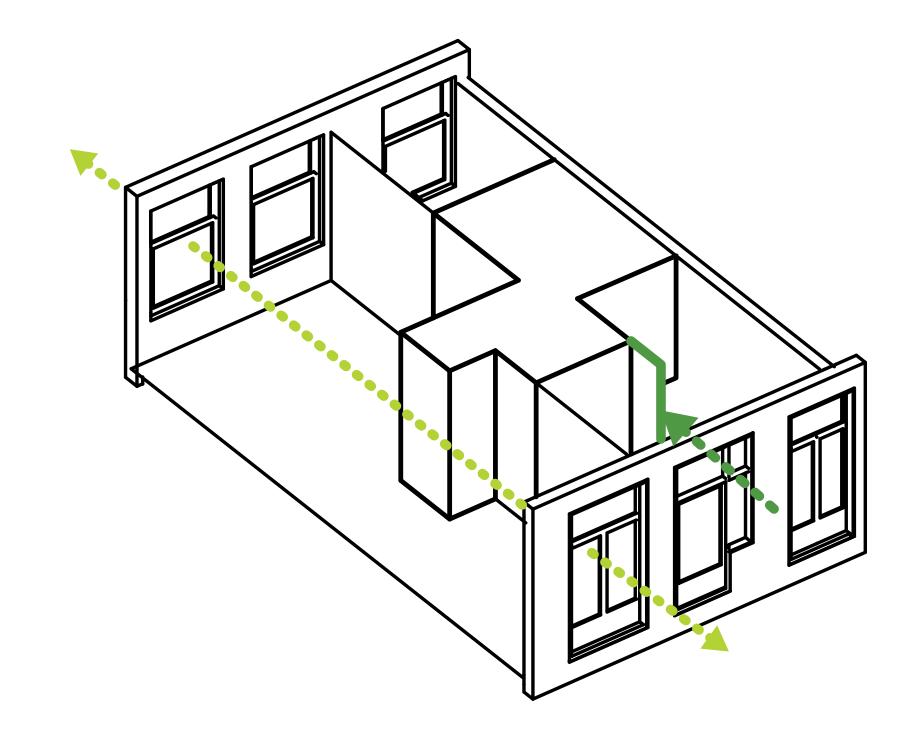


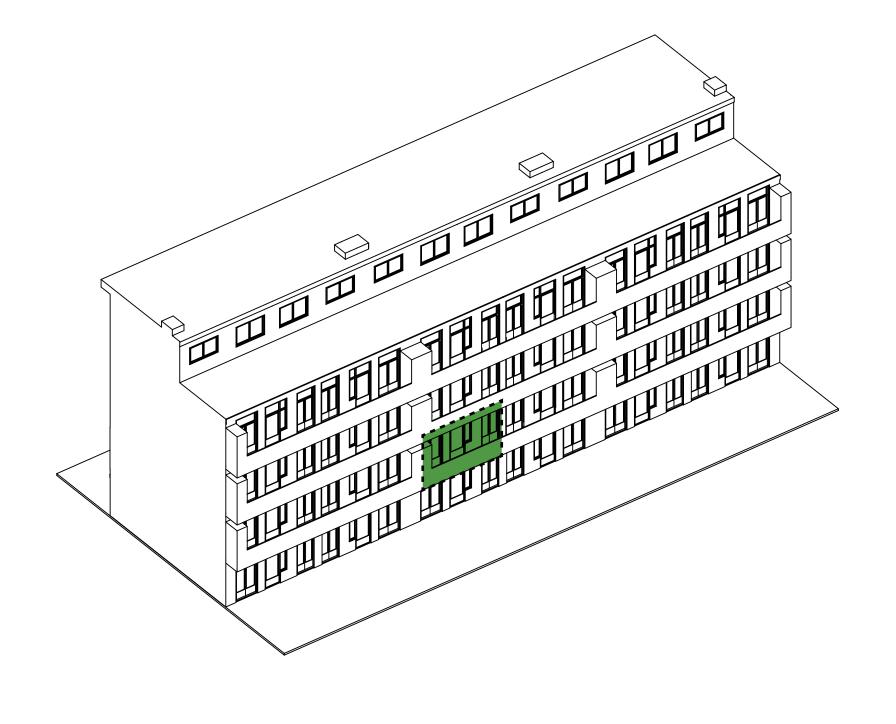


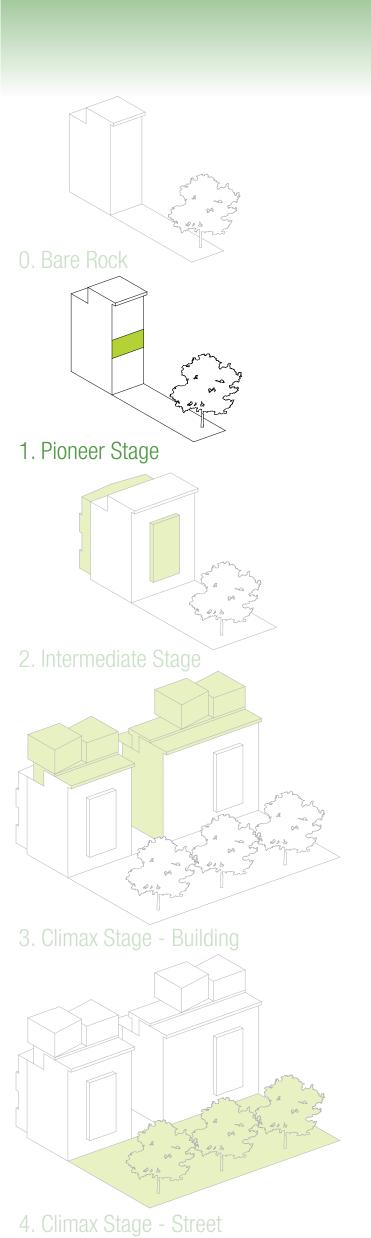


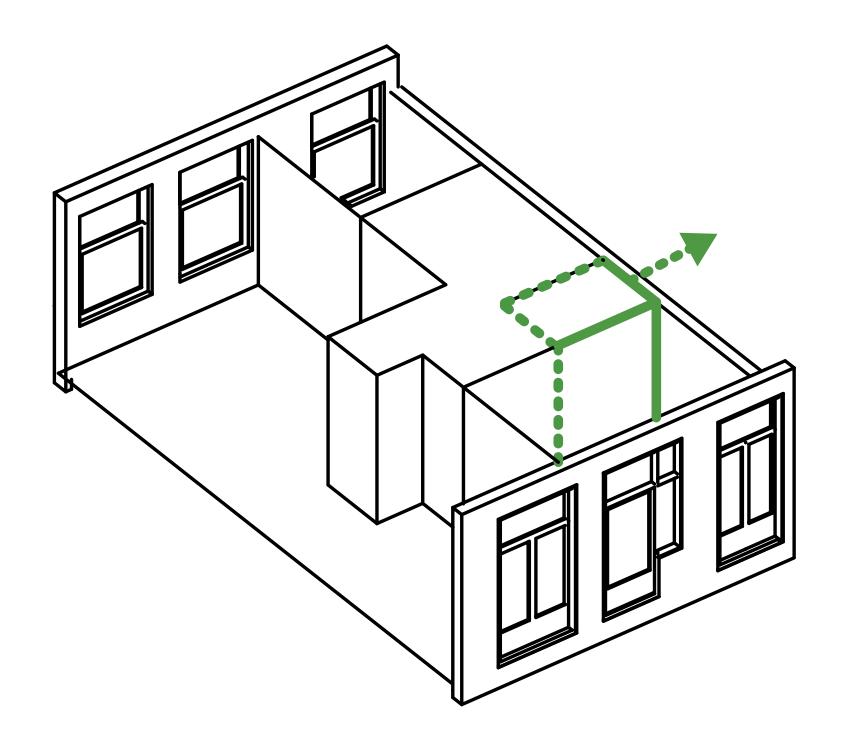


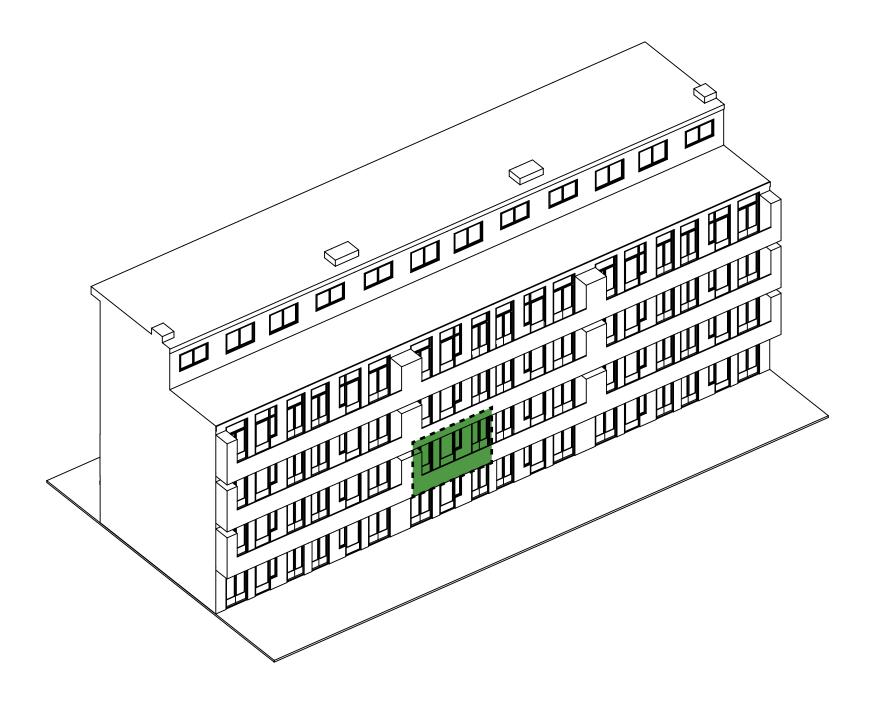
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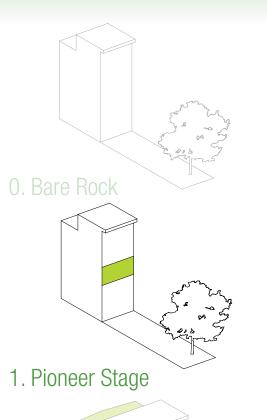


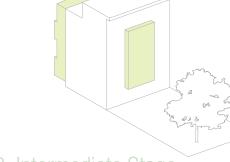




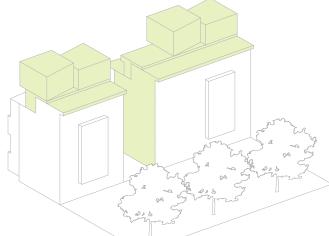




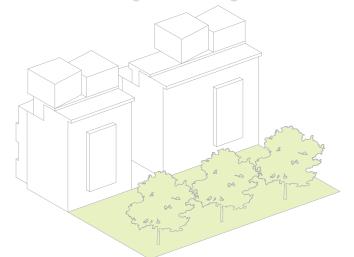




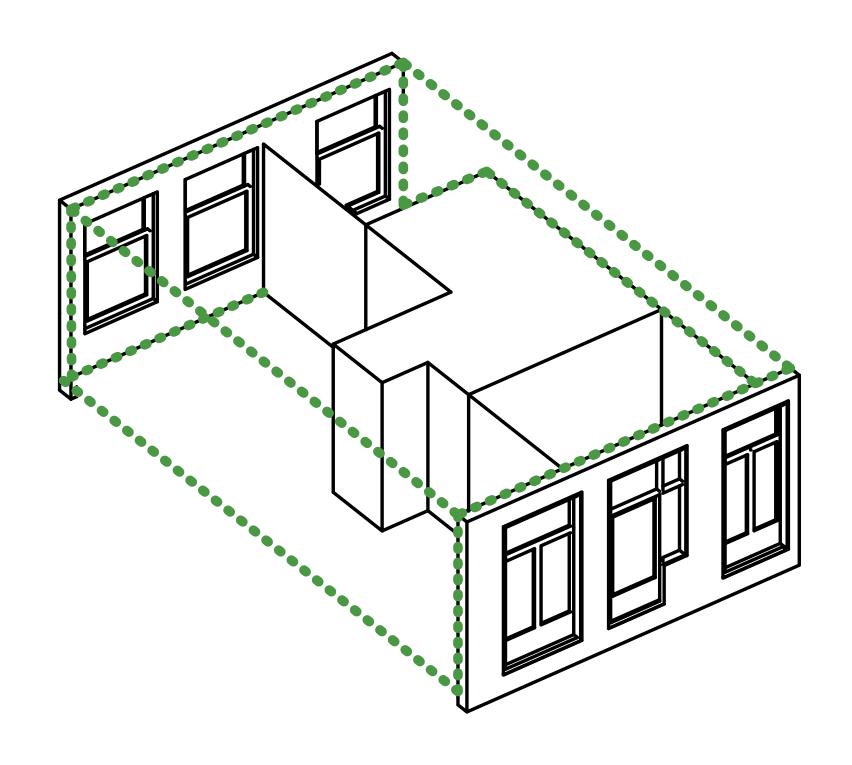
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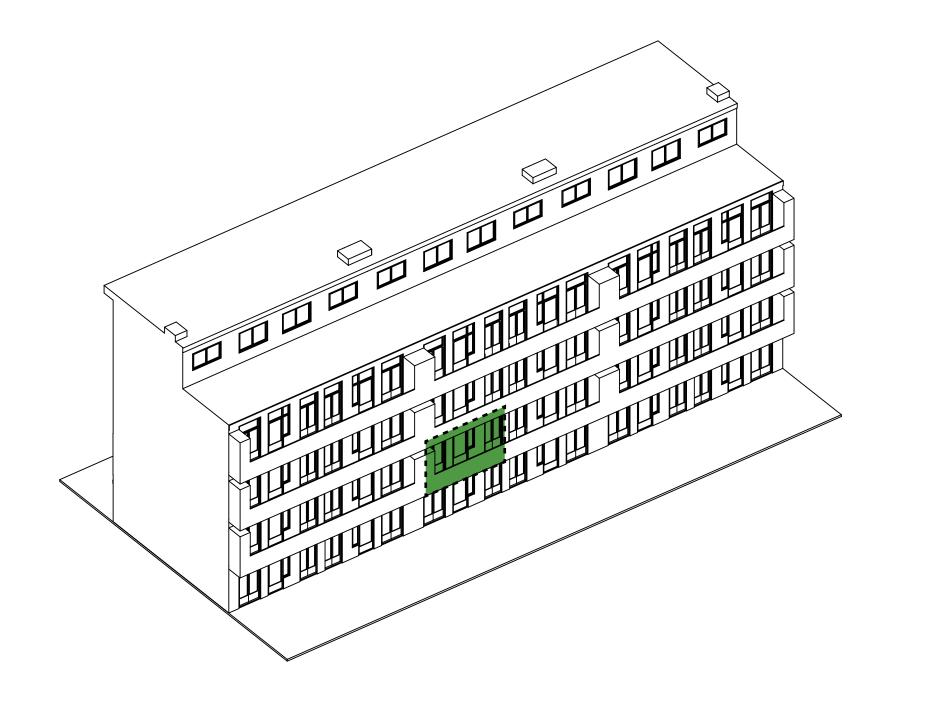


3. Climax Stage - Building



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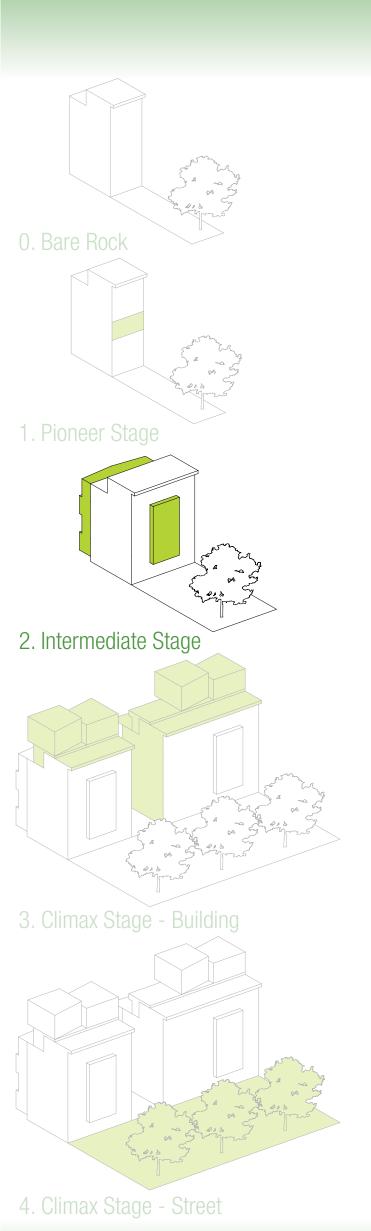


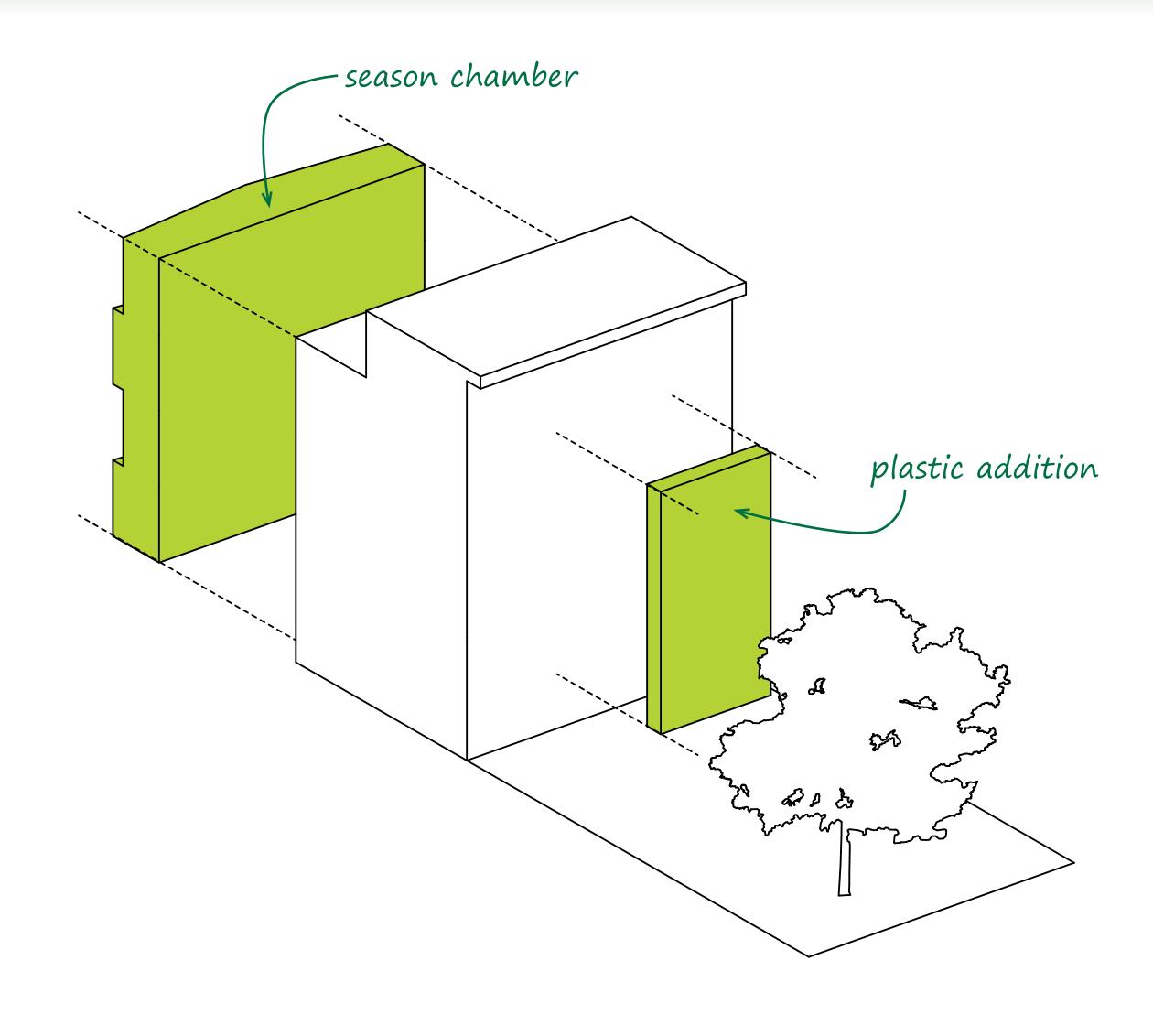




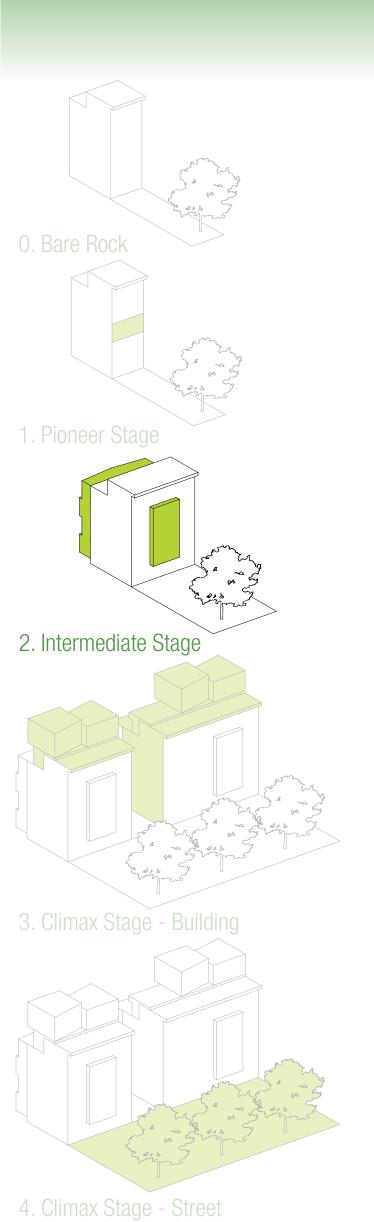


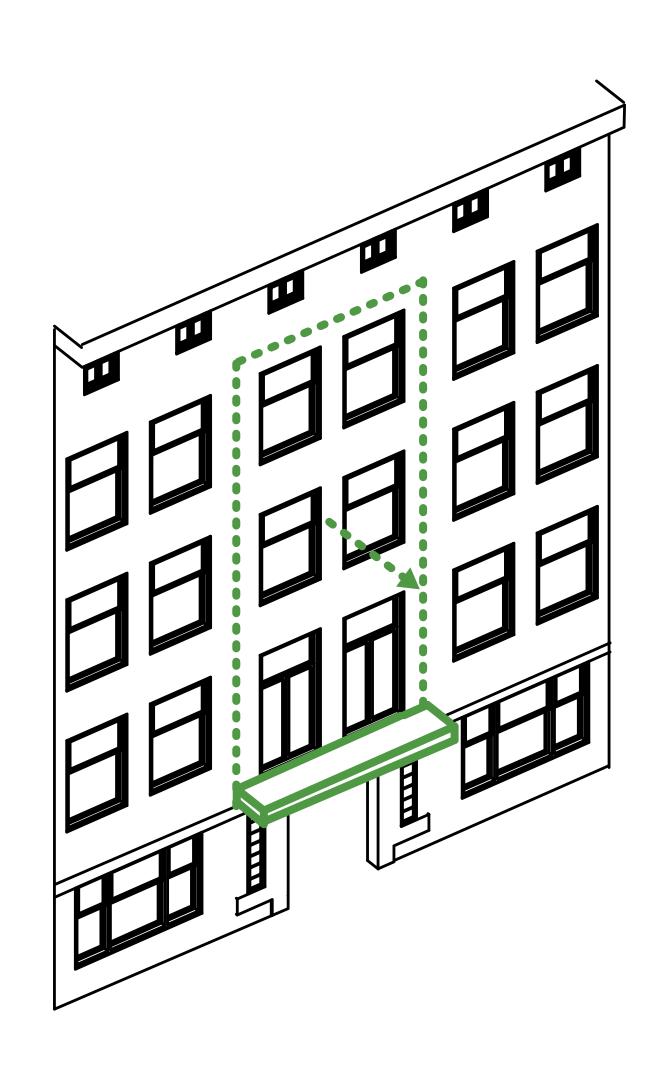
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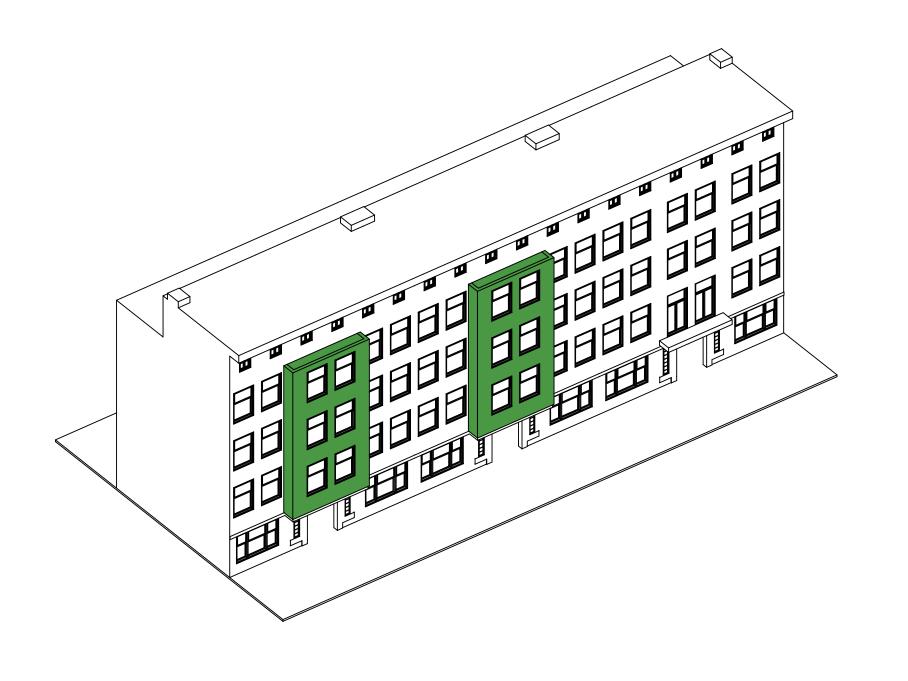




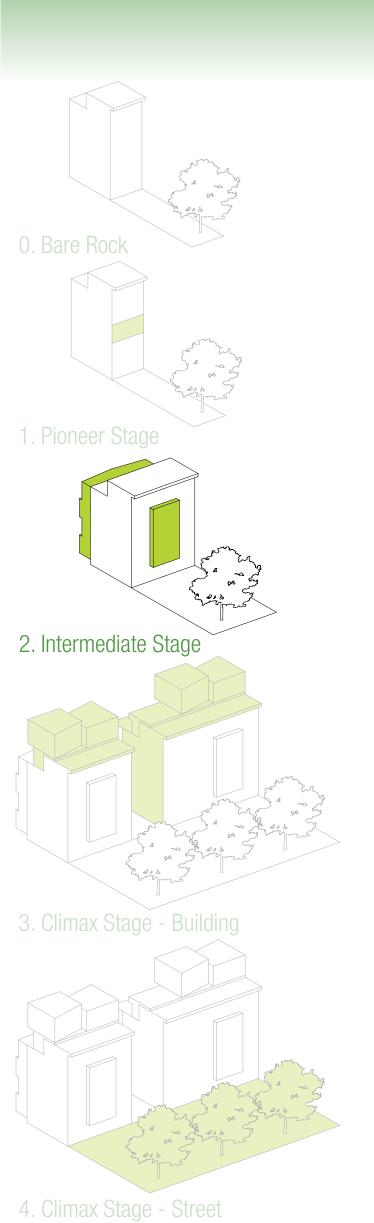
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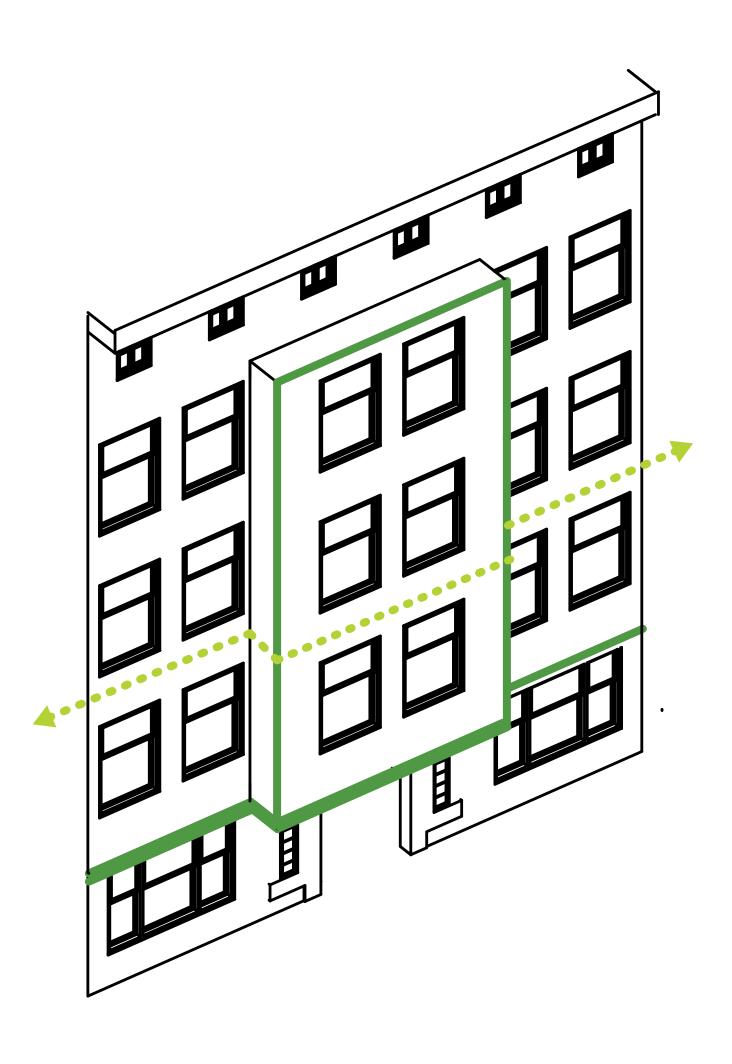


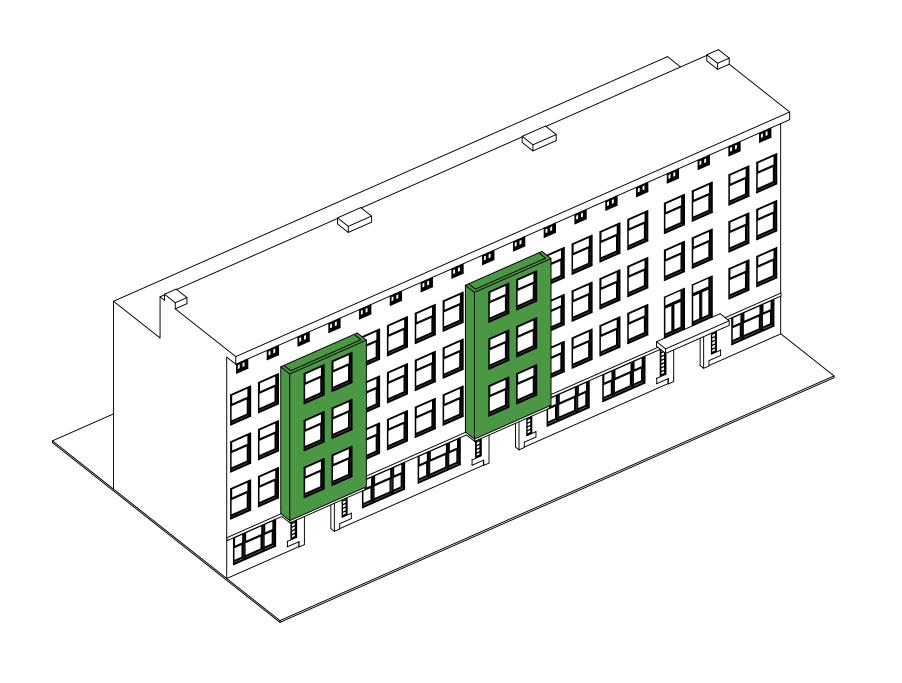




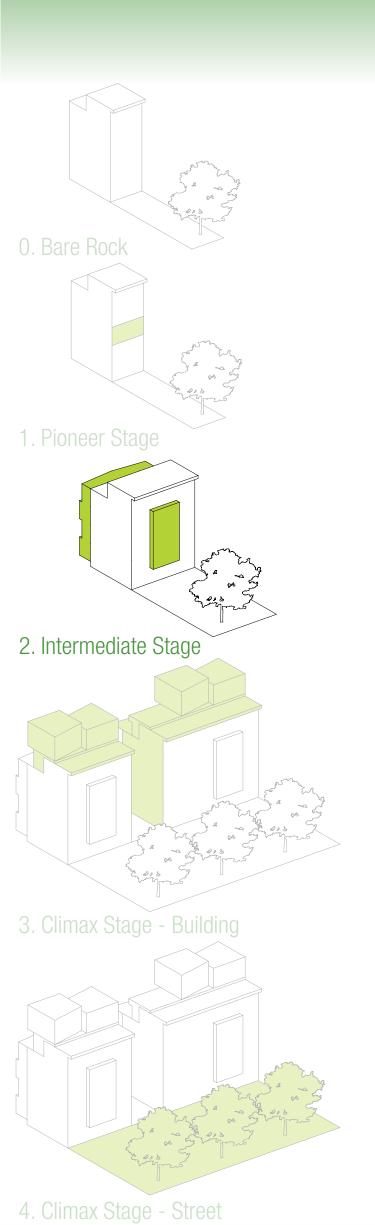
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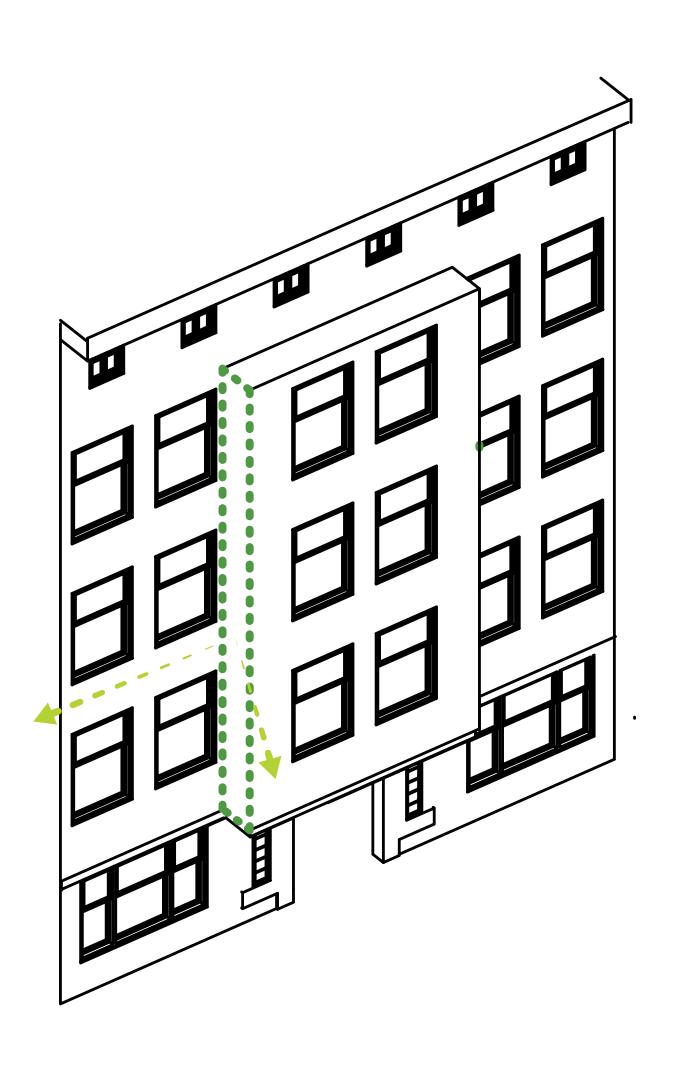


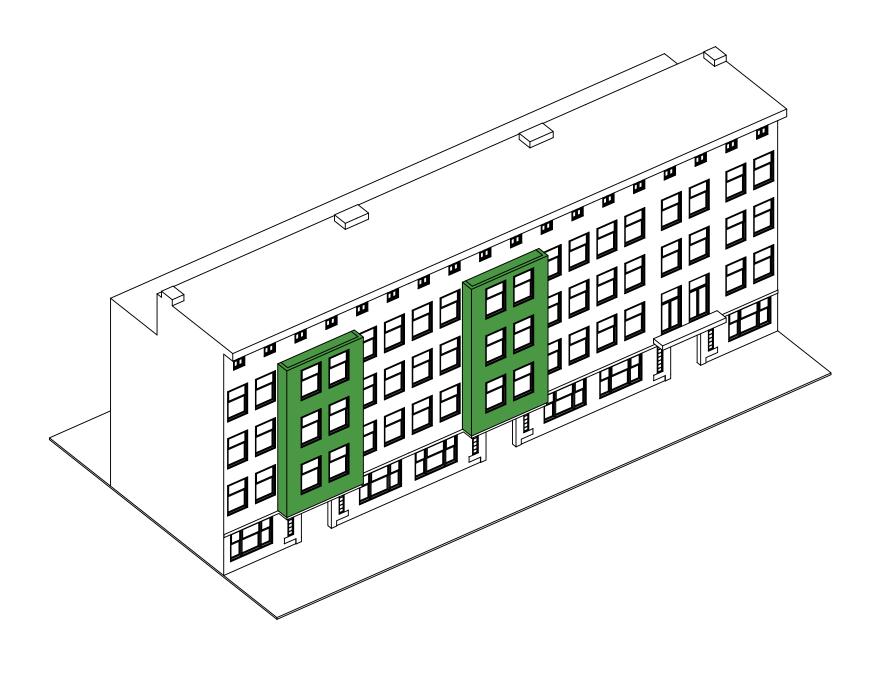




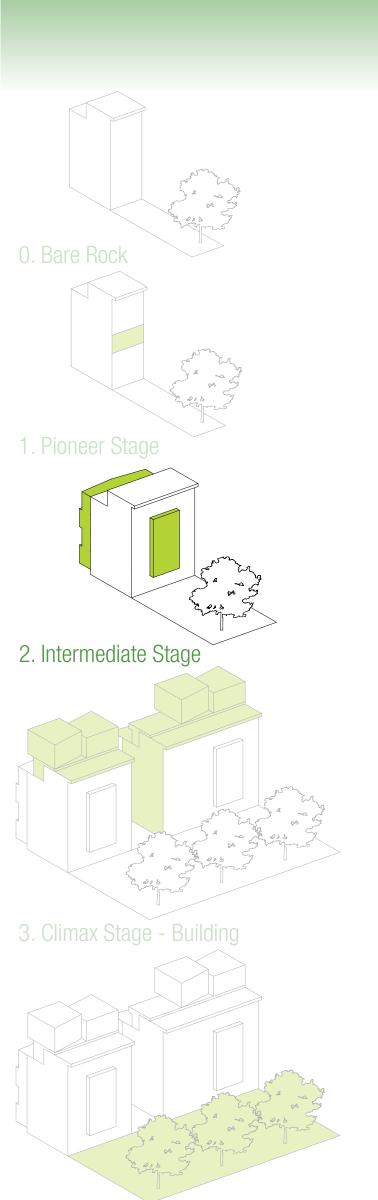
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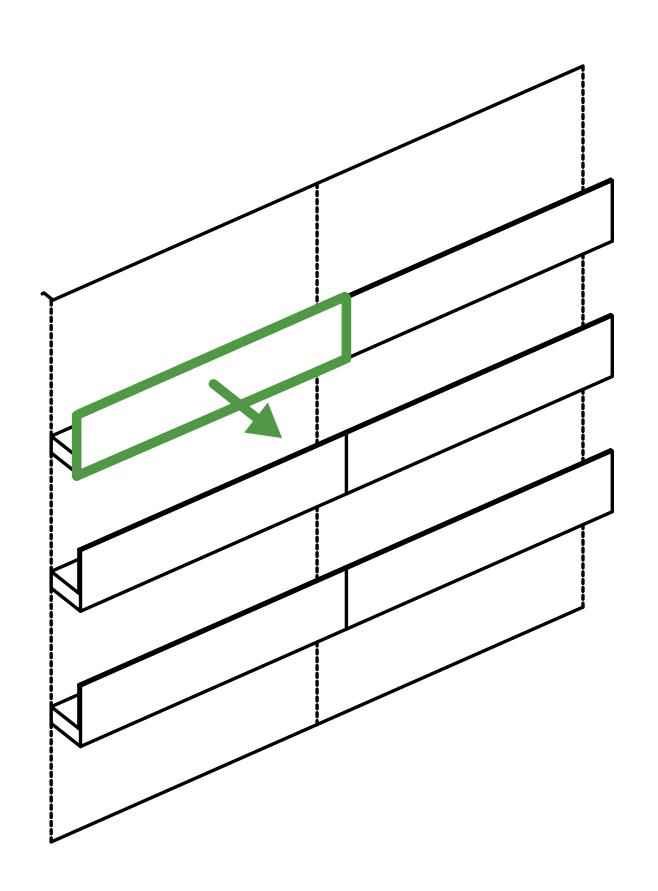


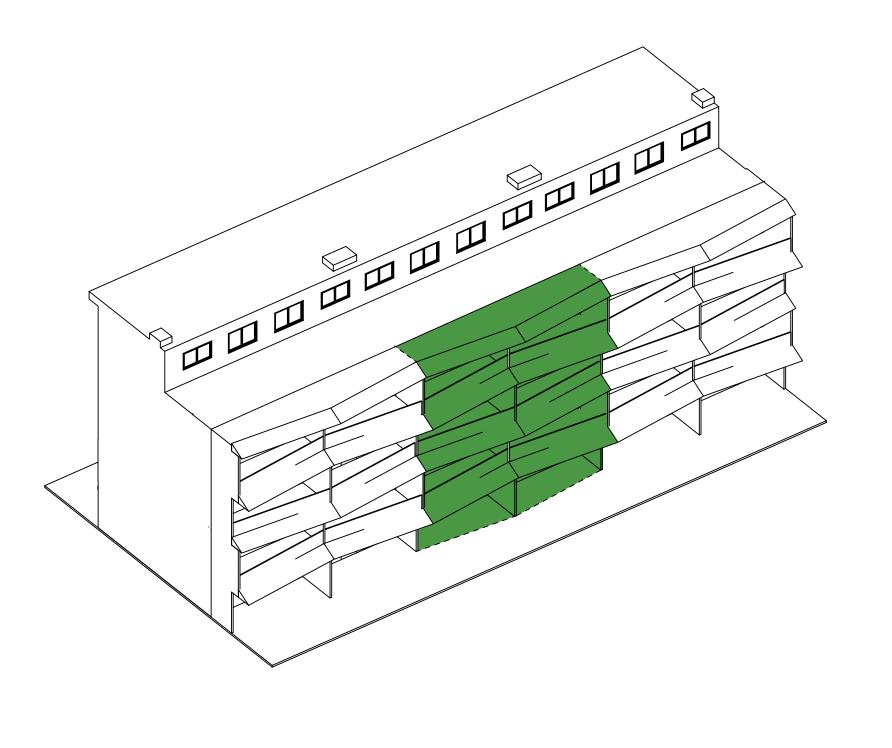




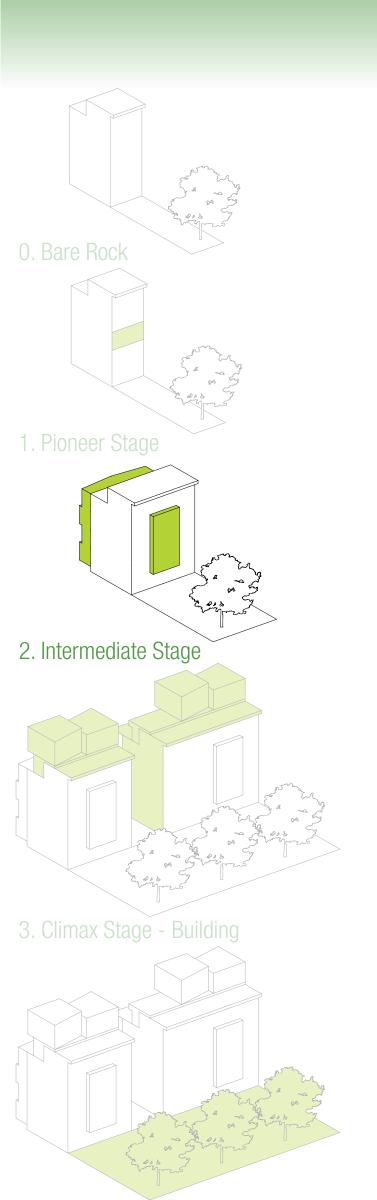
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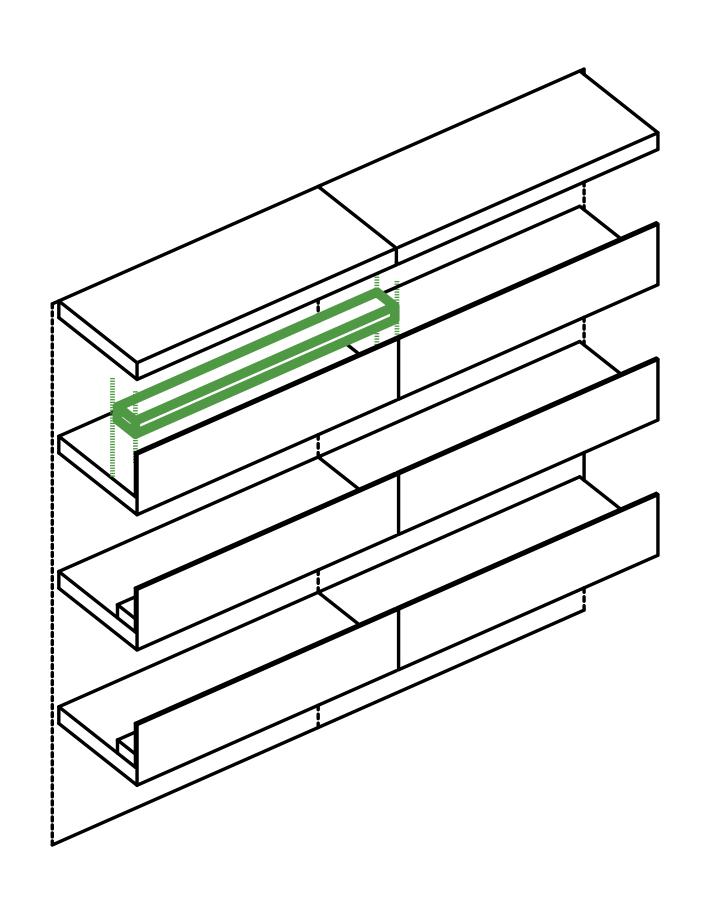


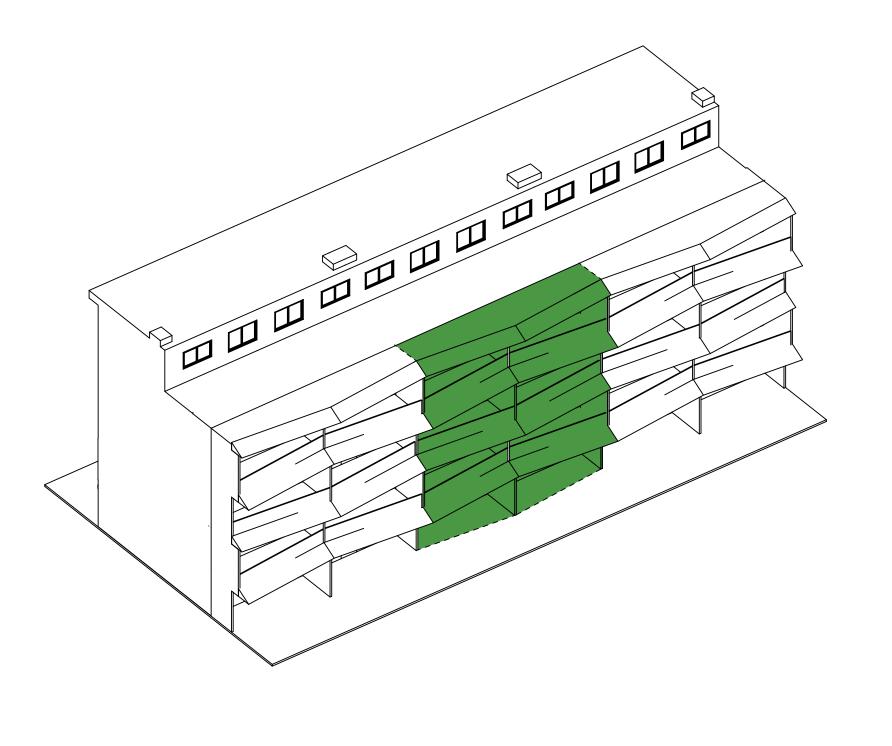




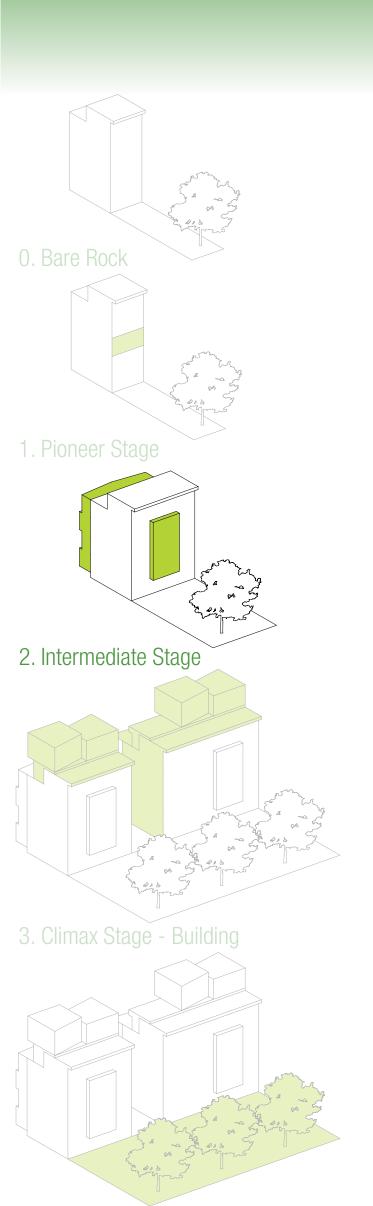
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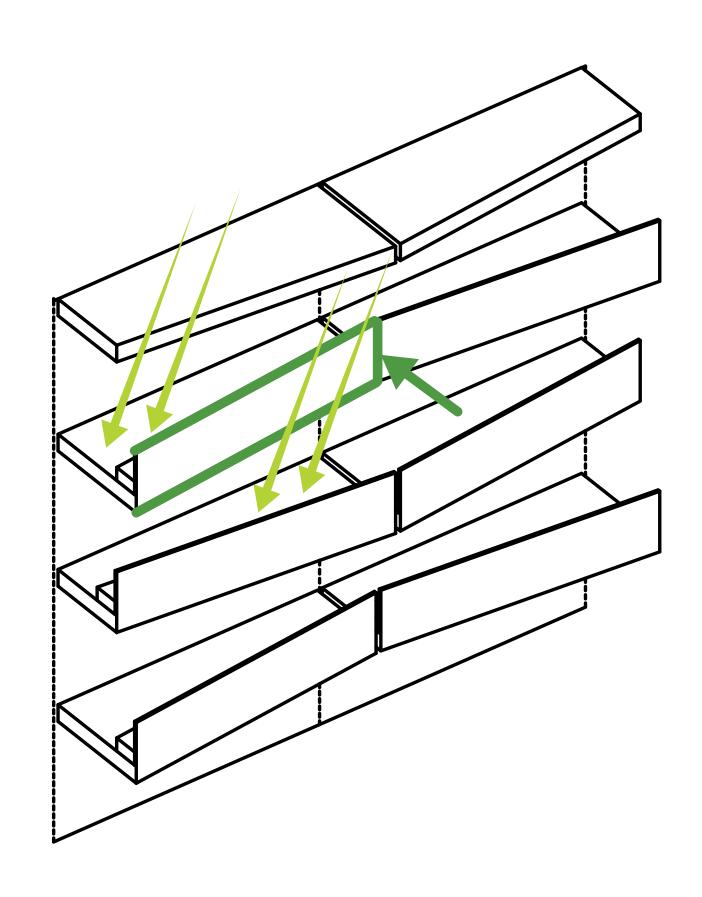


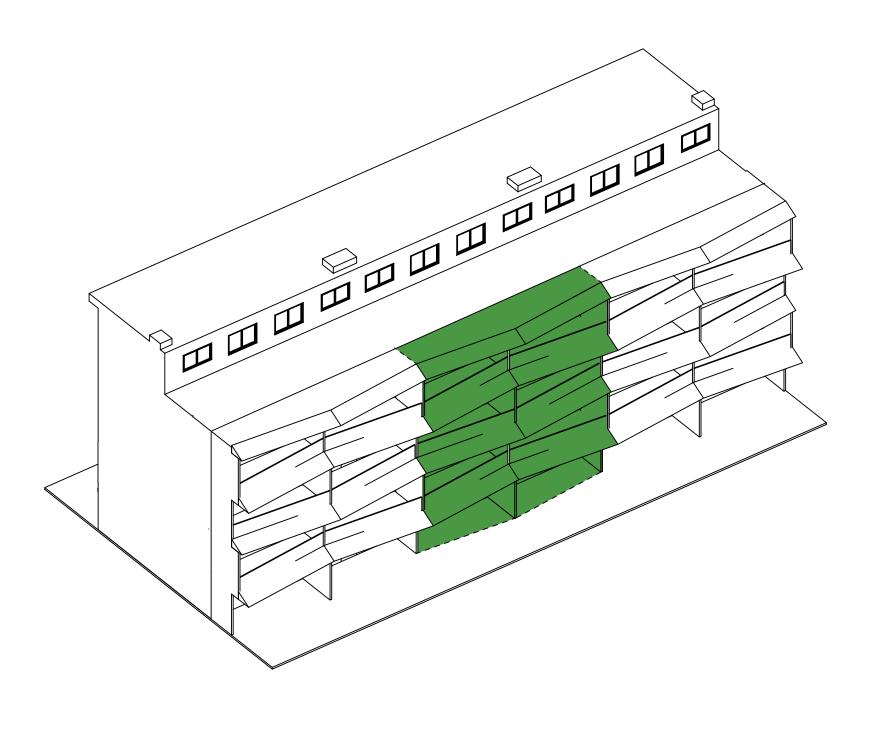




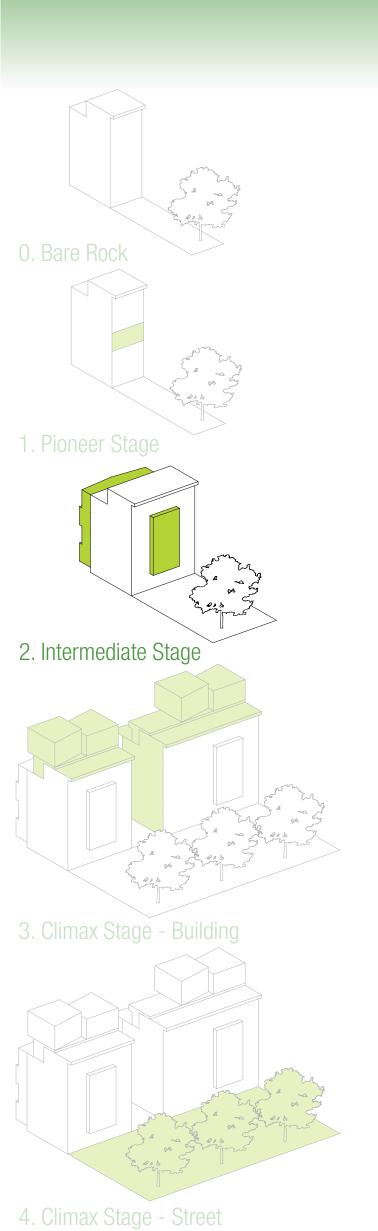
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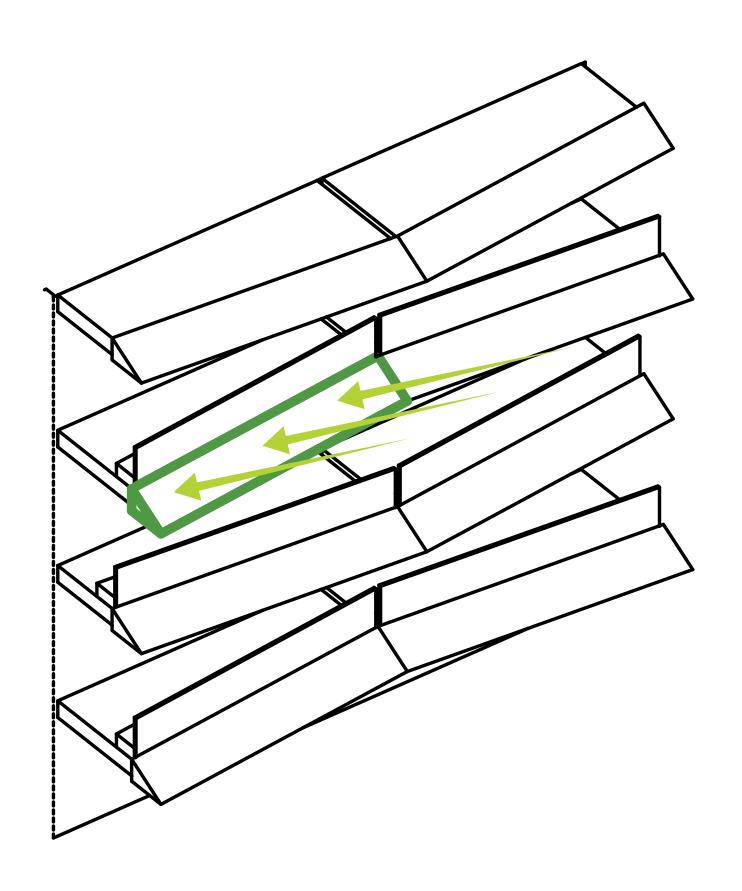


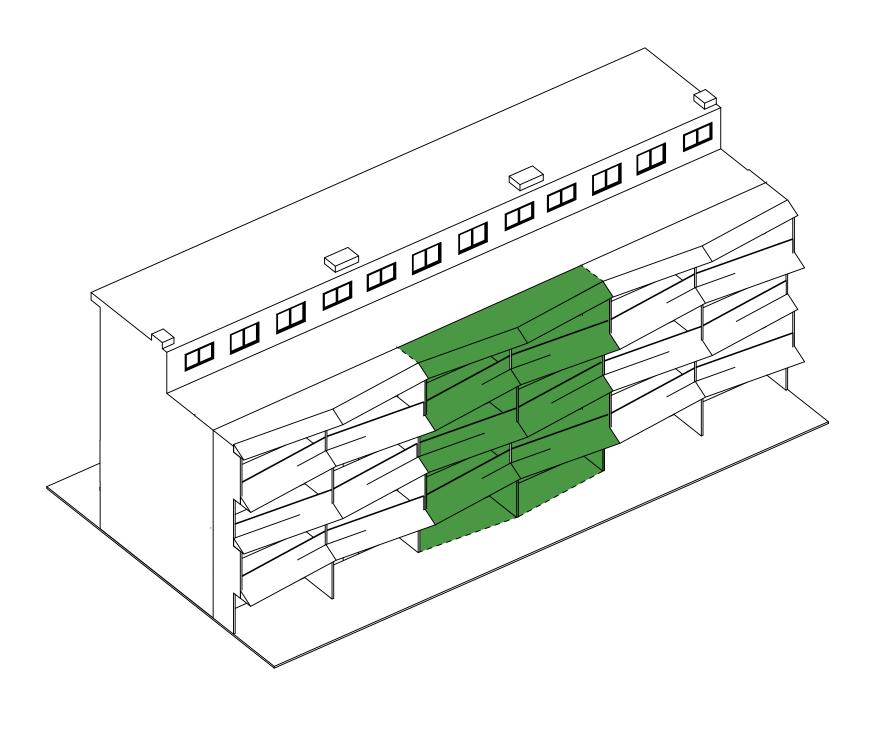




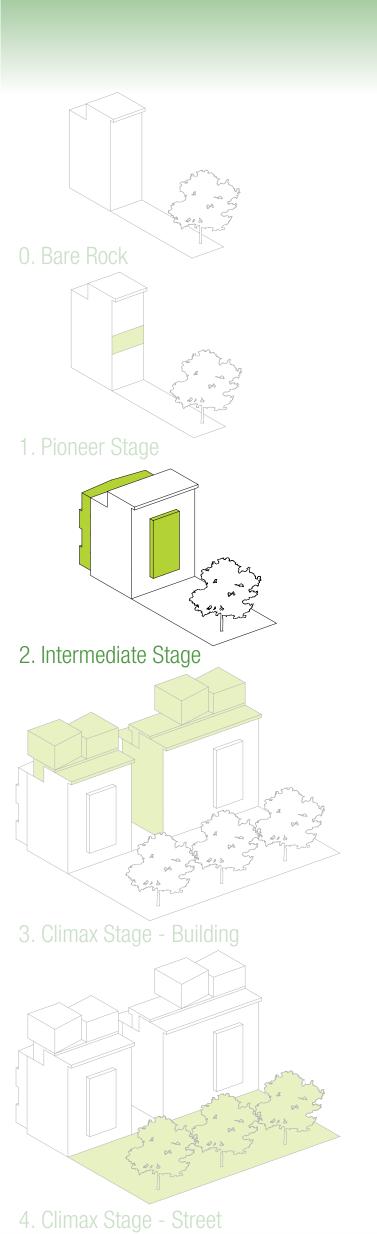
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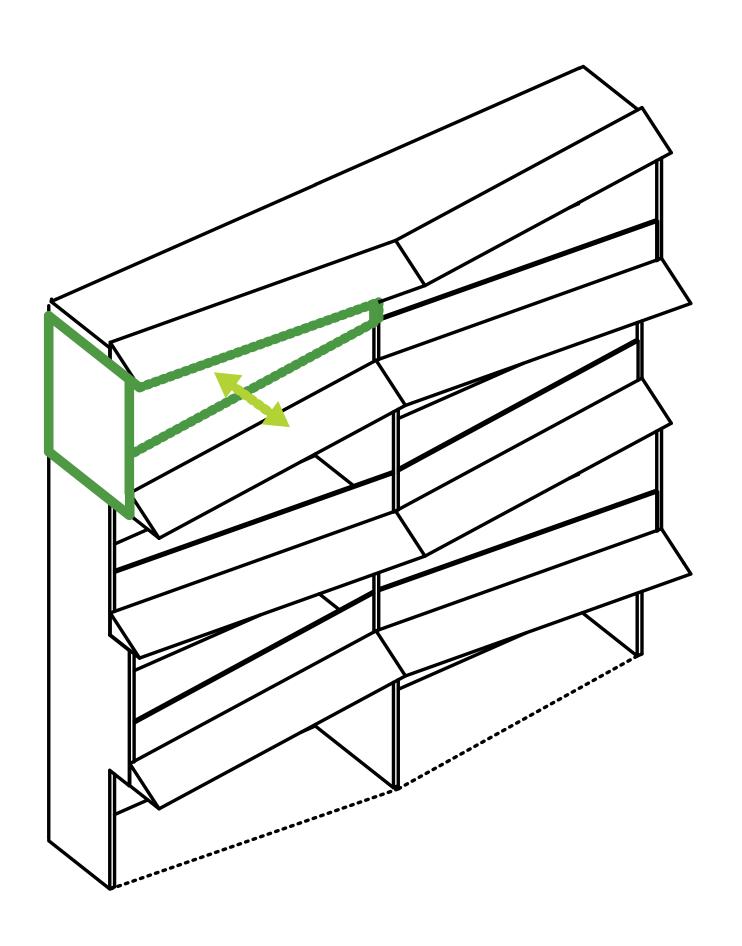


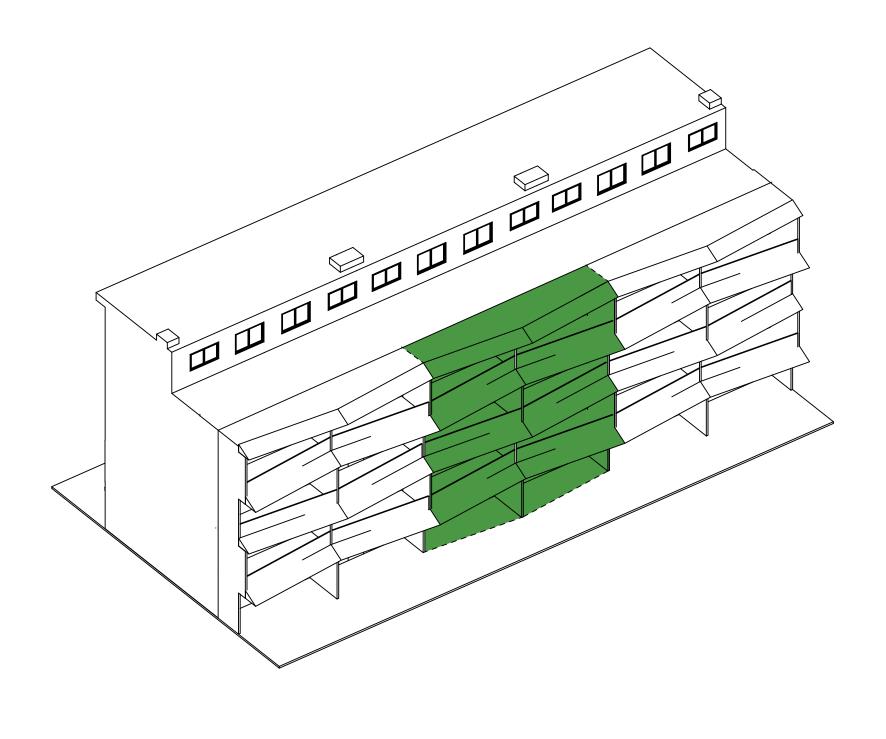




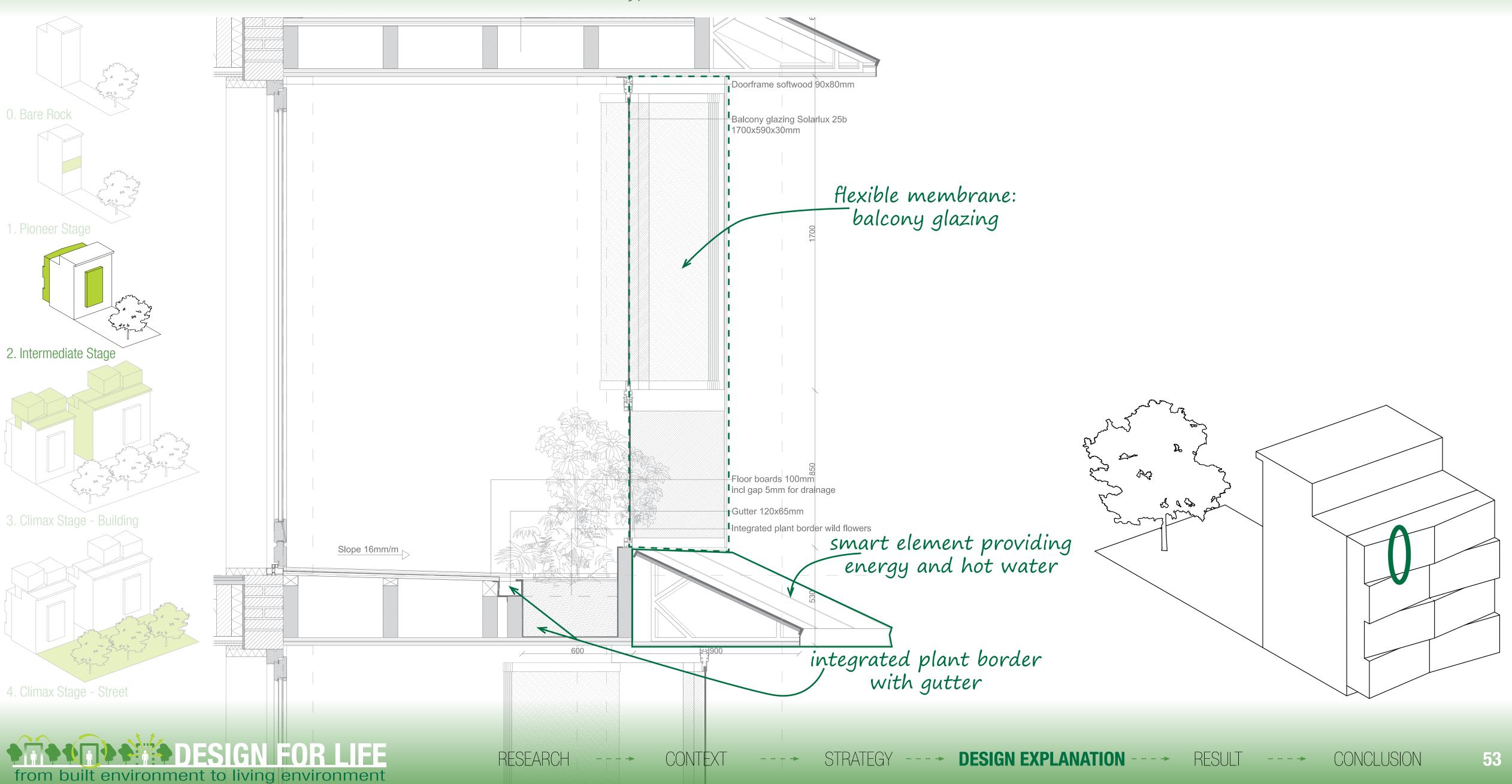
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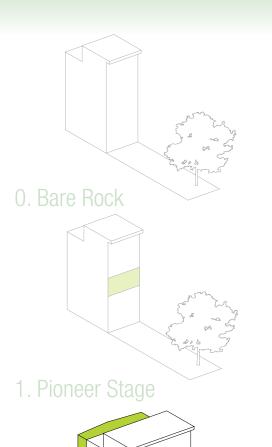


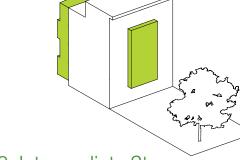


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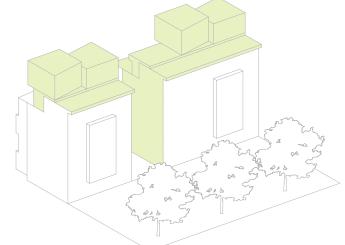


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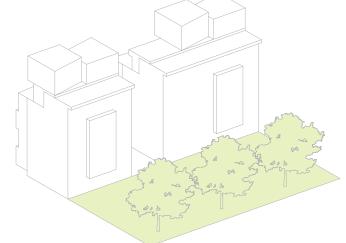




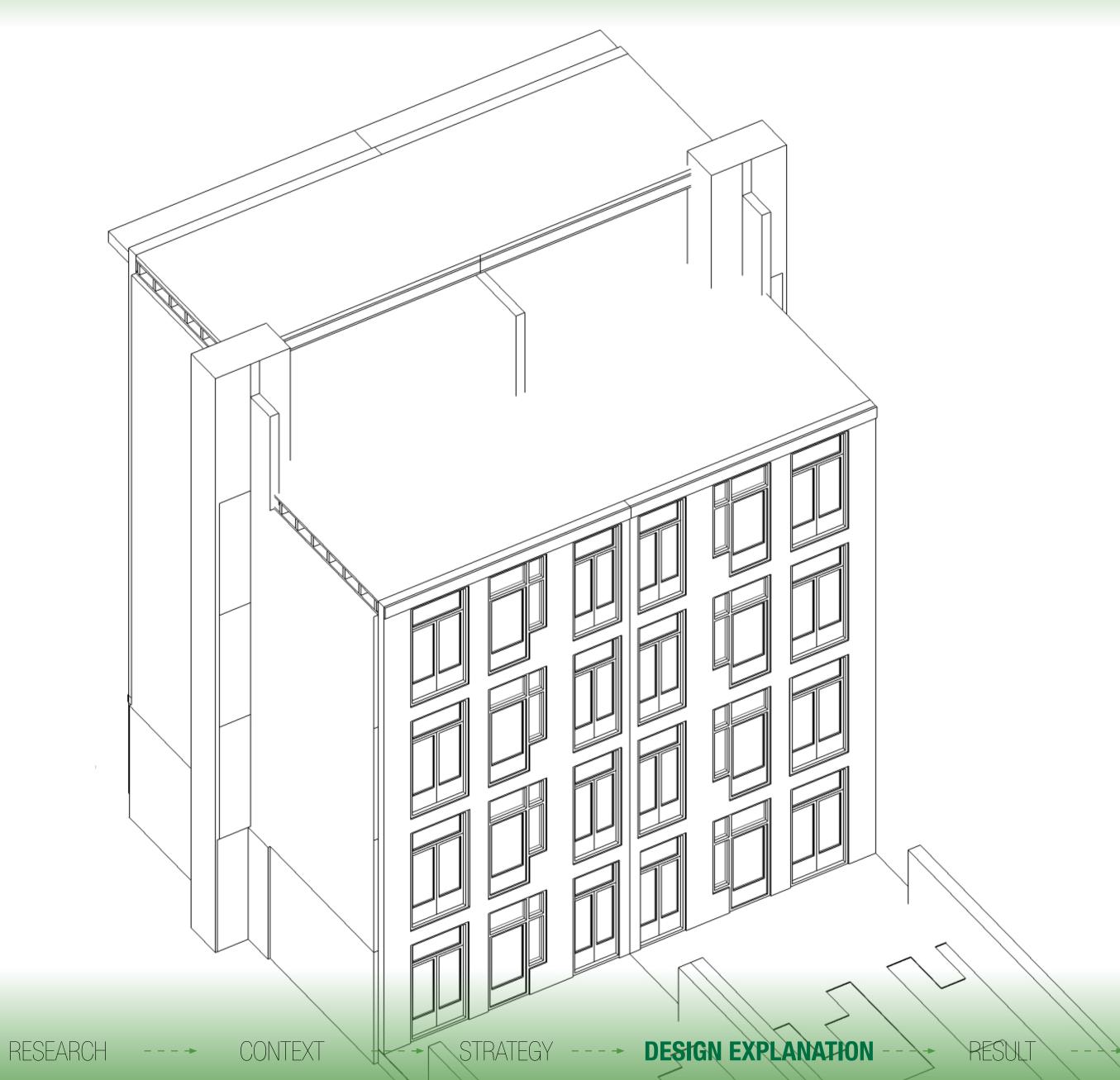
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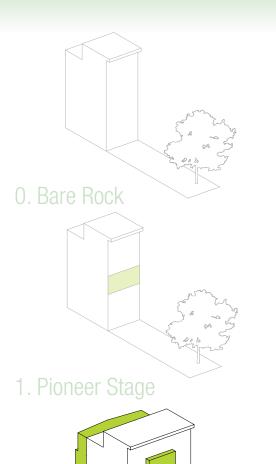
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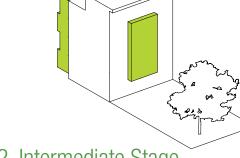


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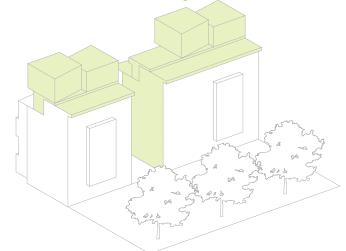


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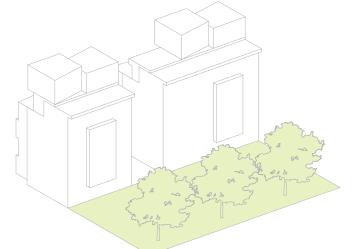




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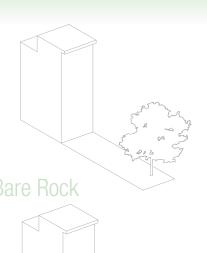
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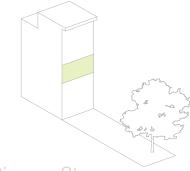


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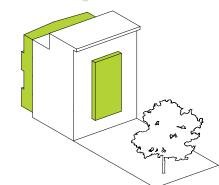


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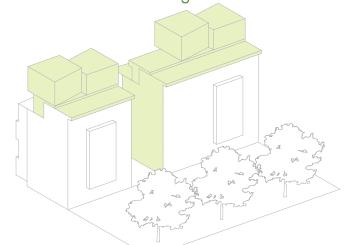




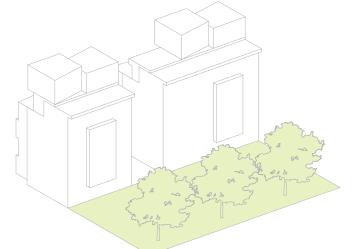




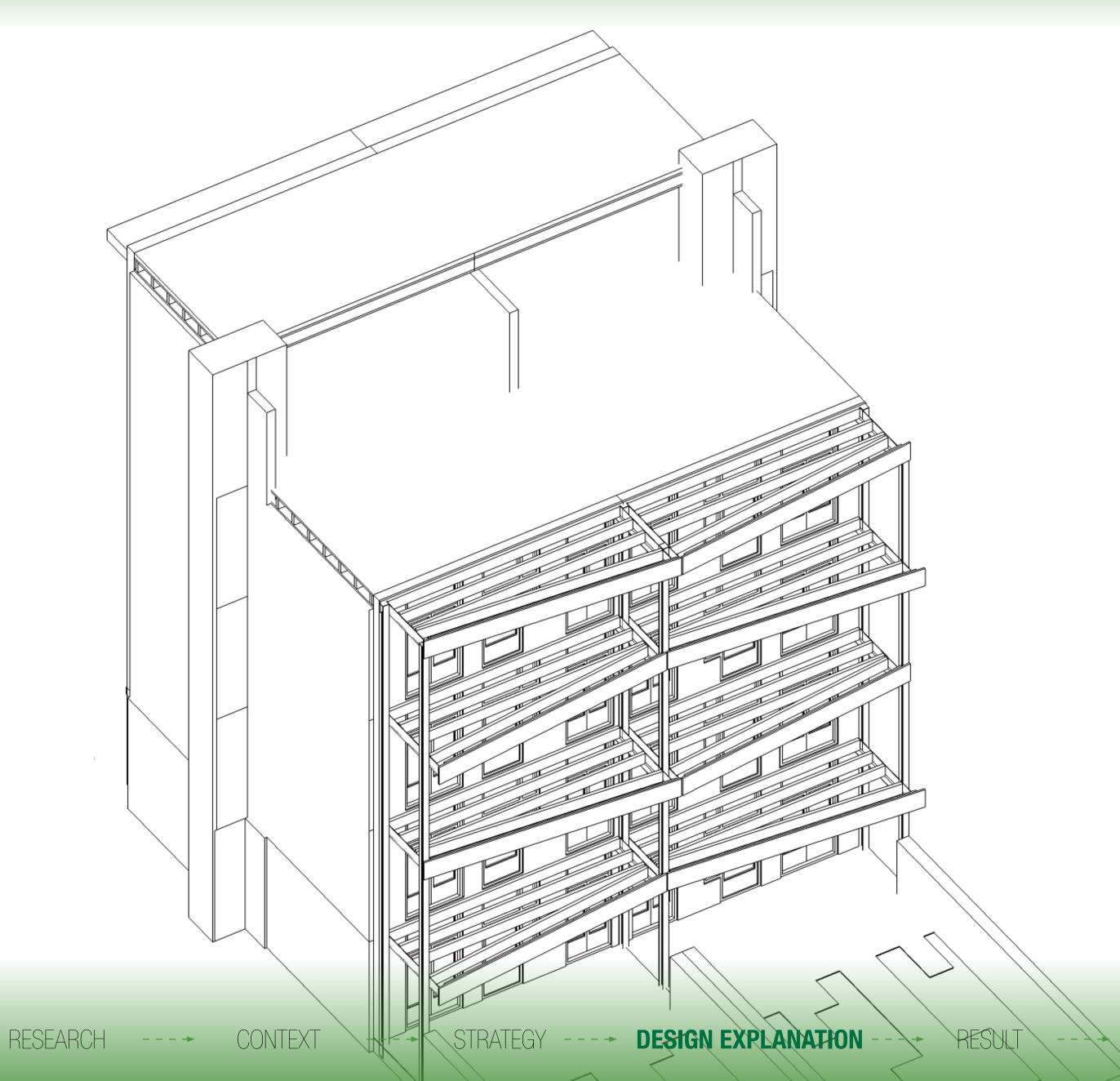
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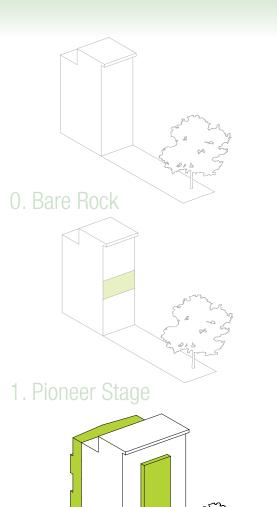
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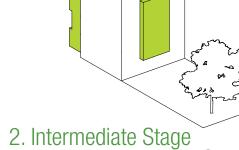


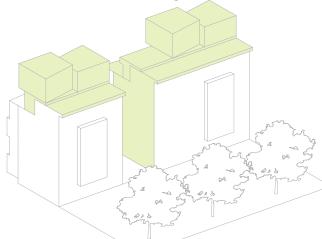
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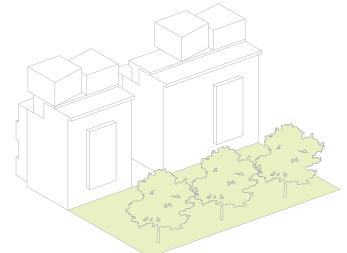
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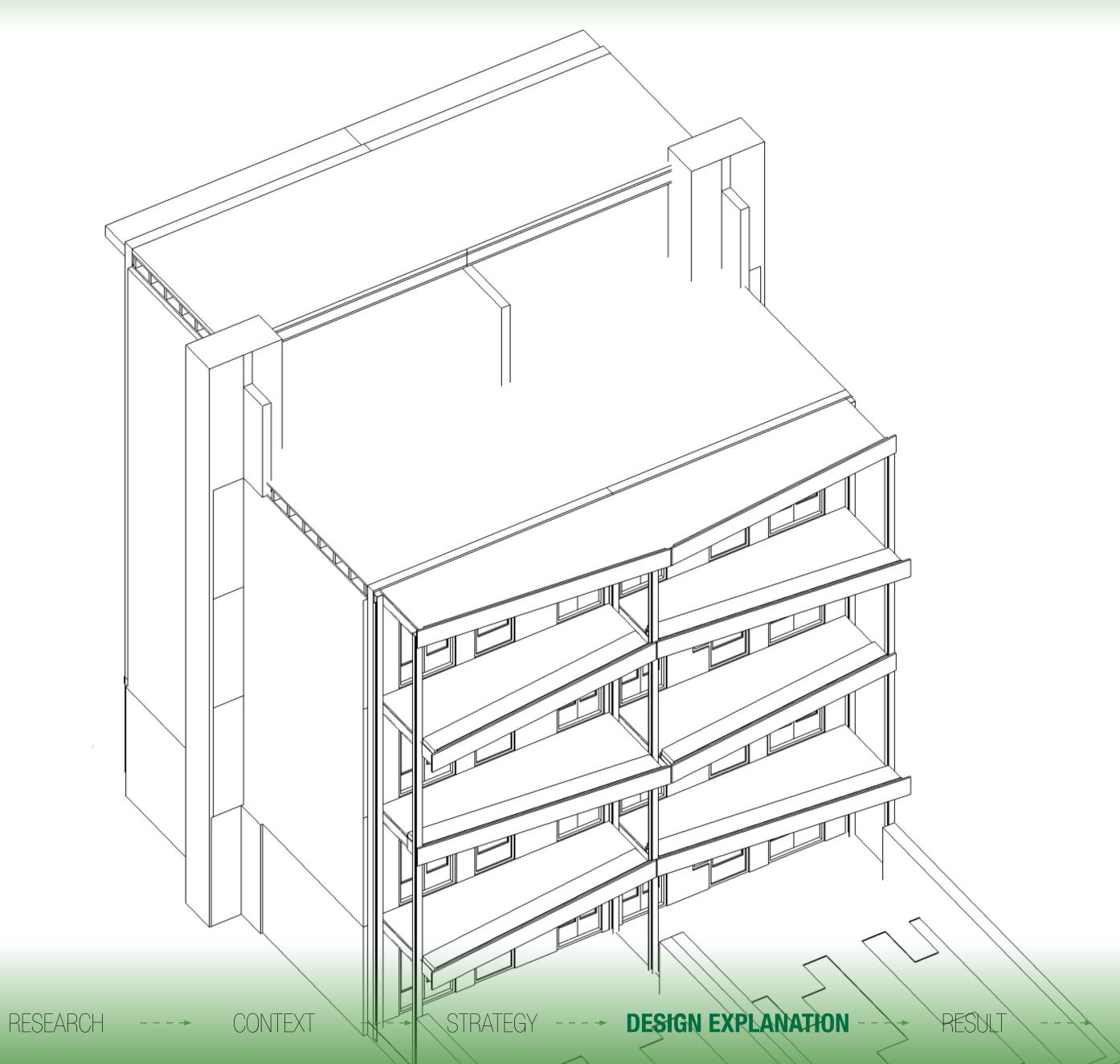




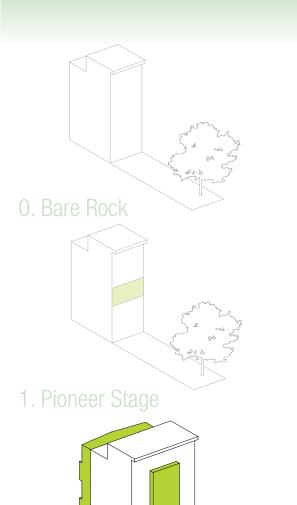
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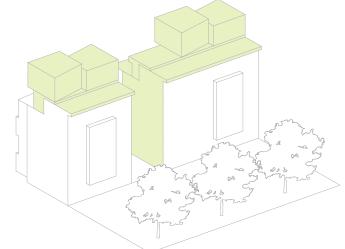
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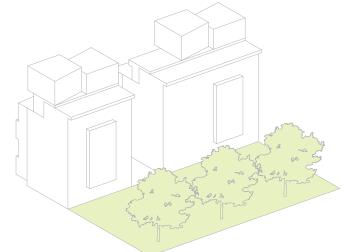
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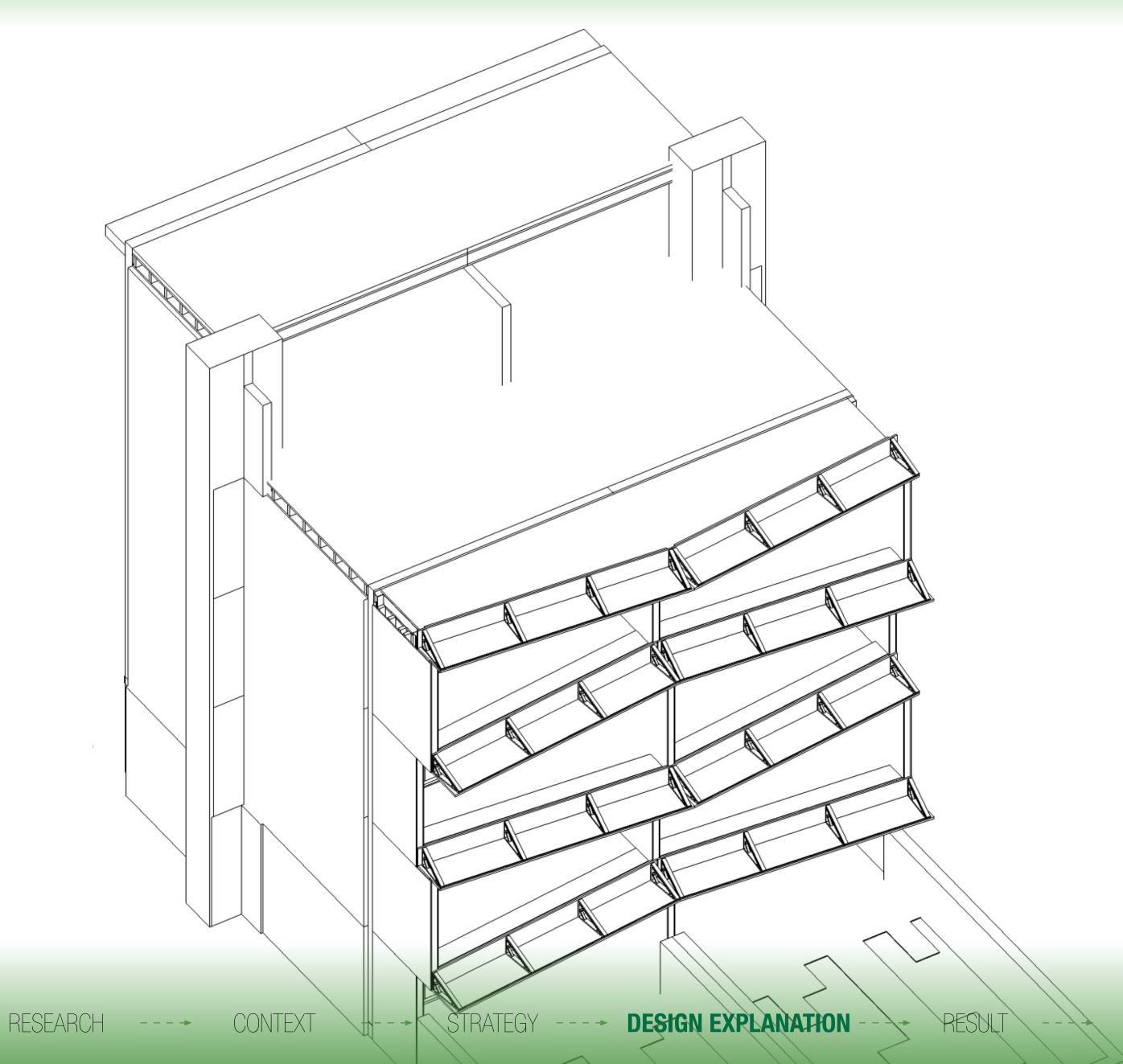




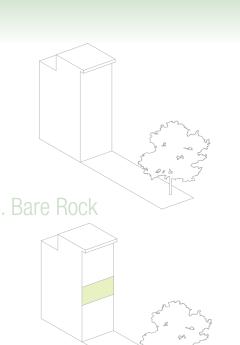
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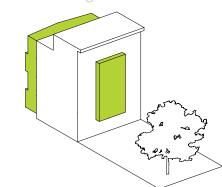
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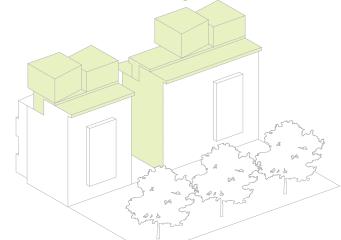
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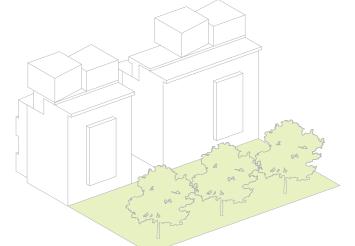




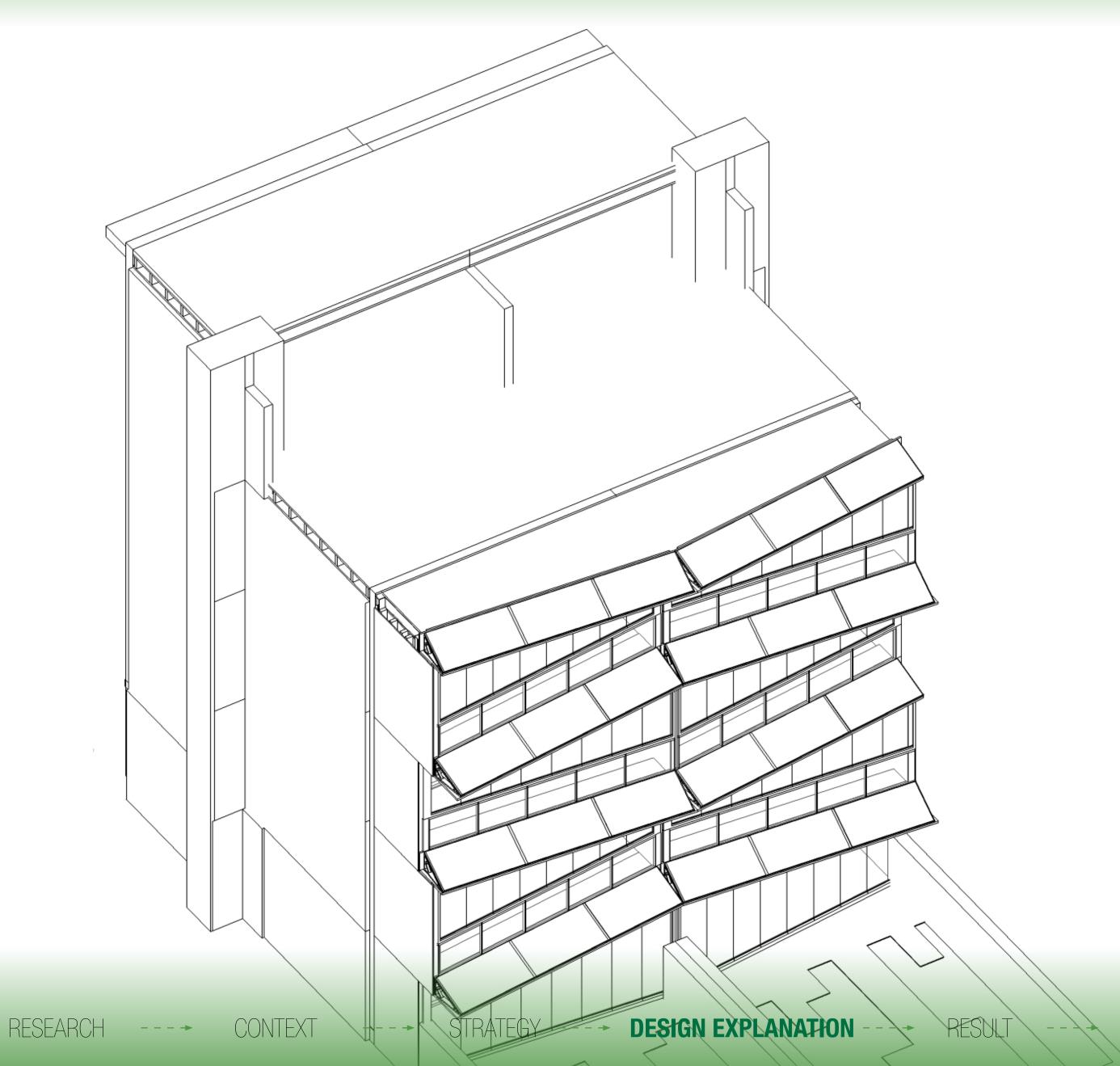
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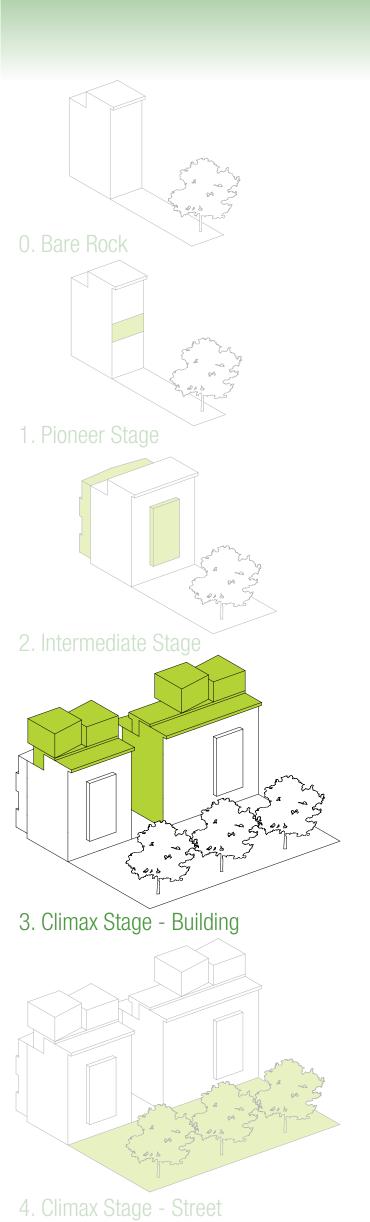


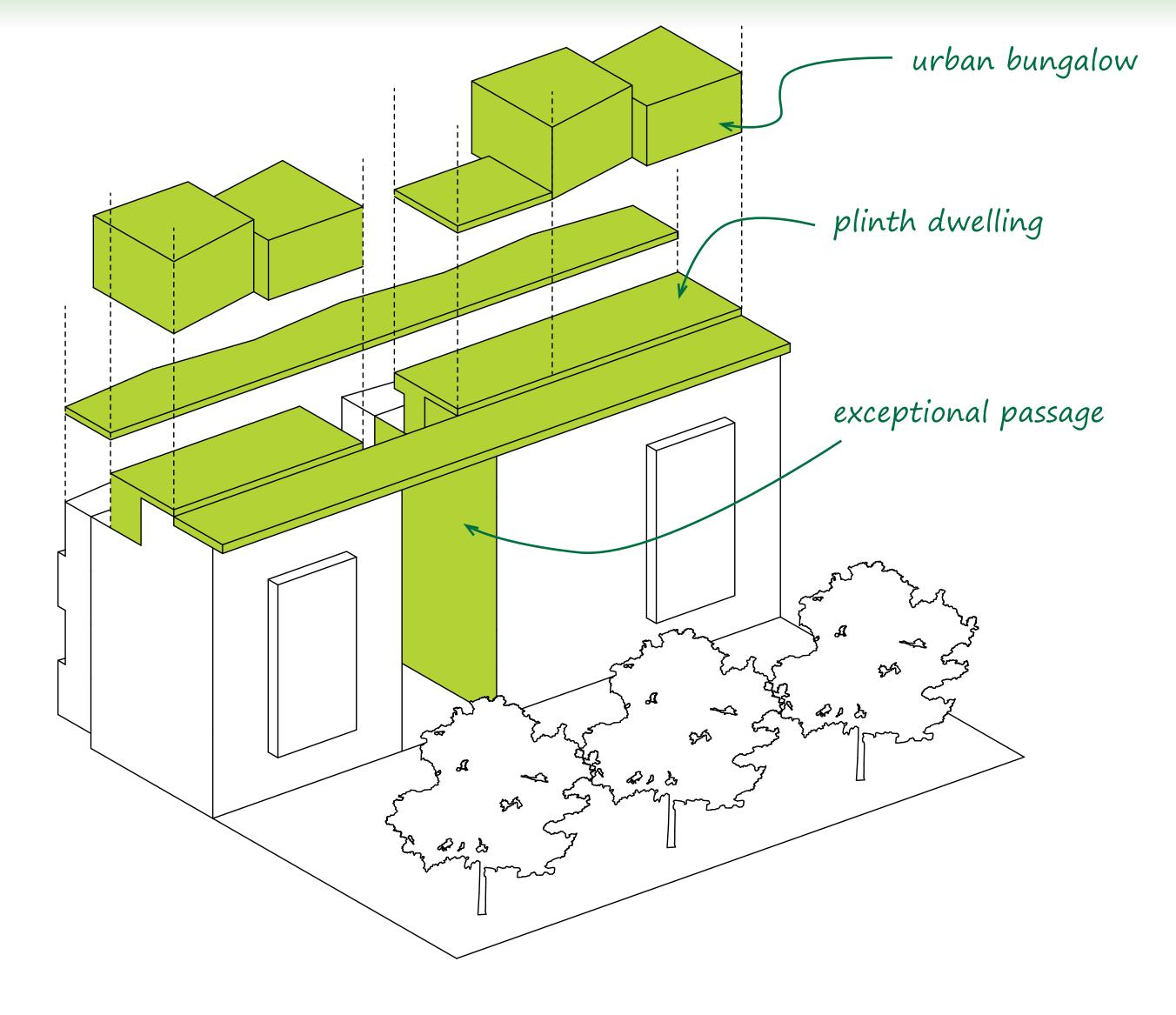




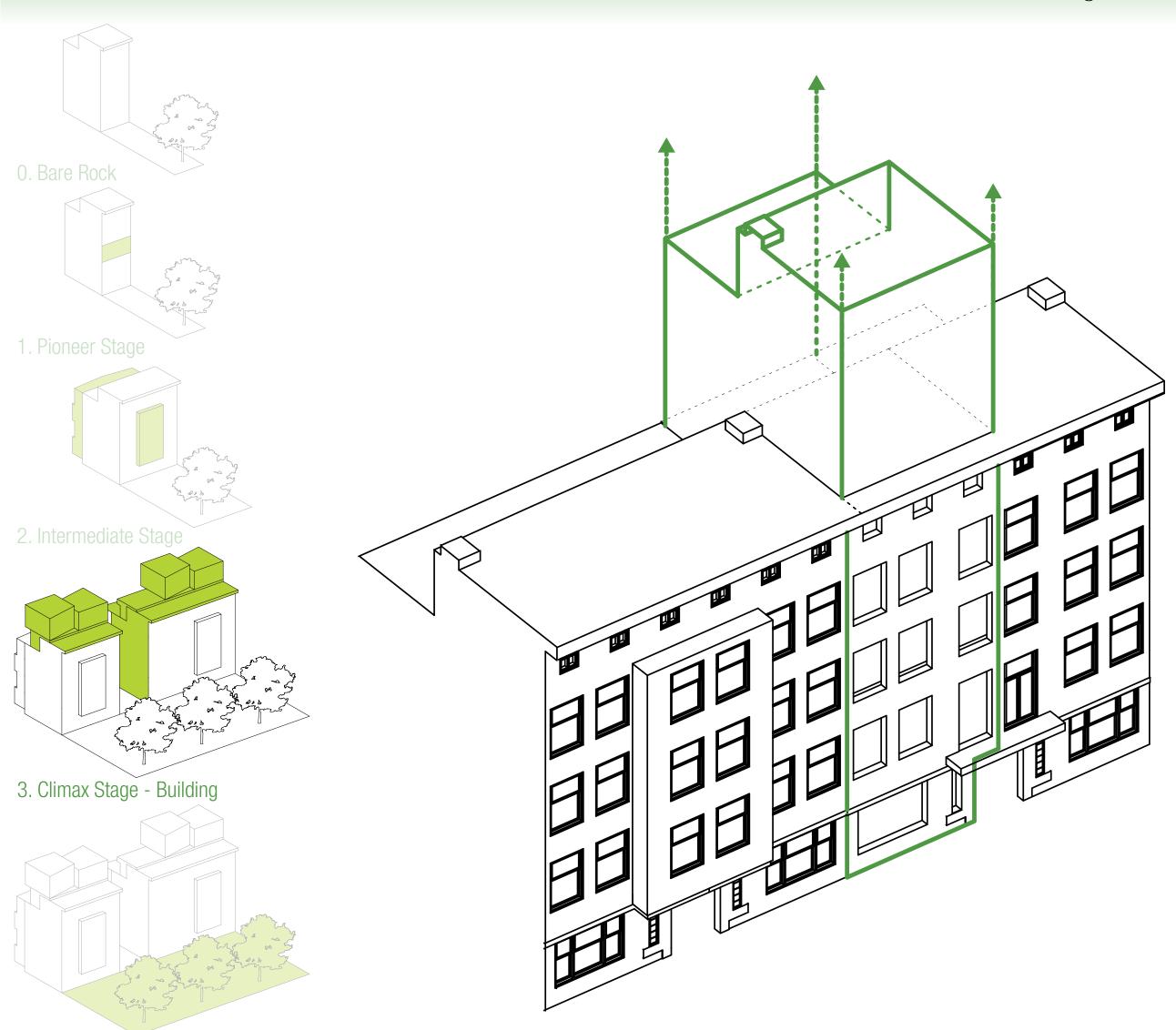


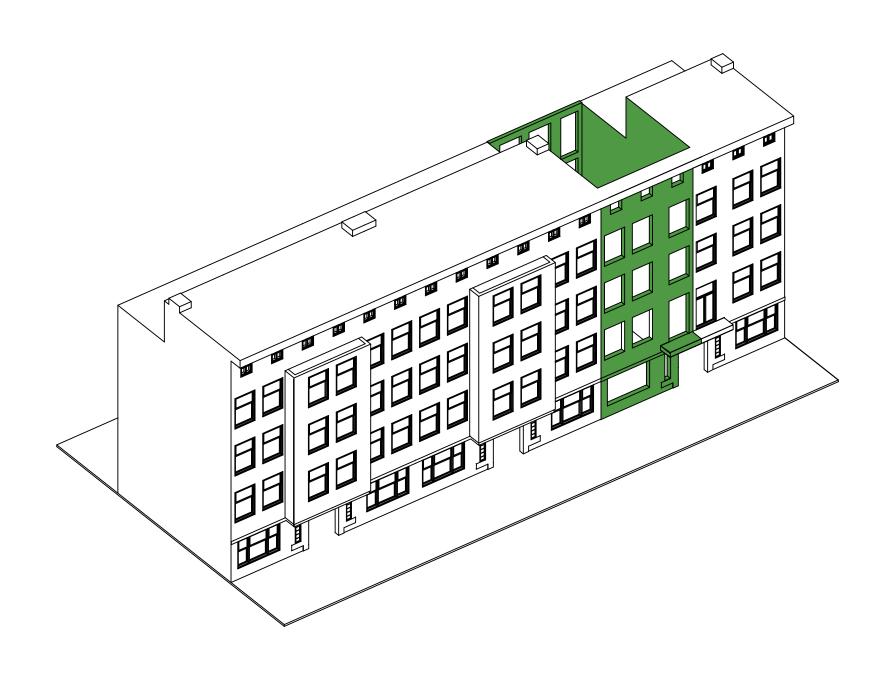
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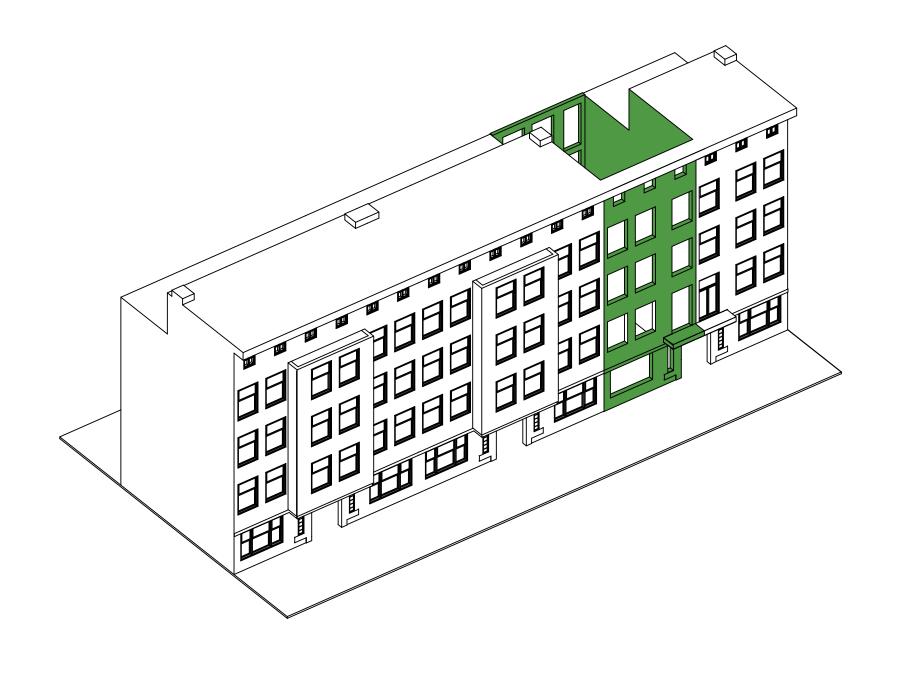
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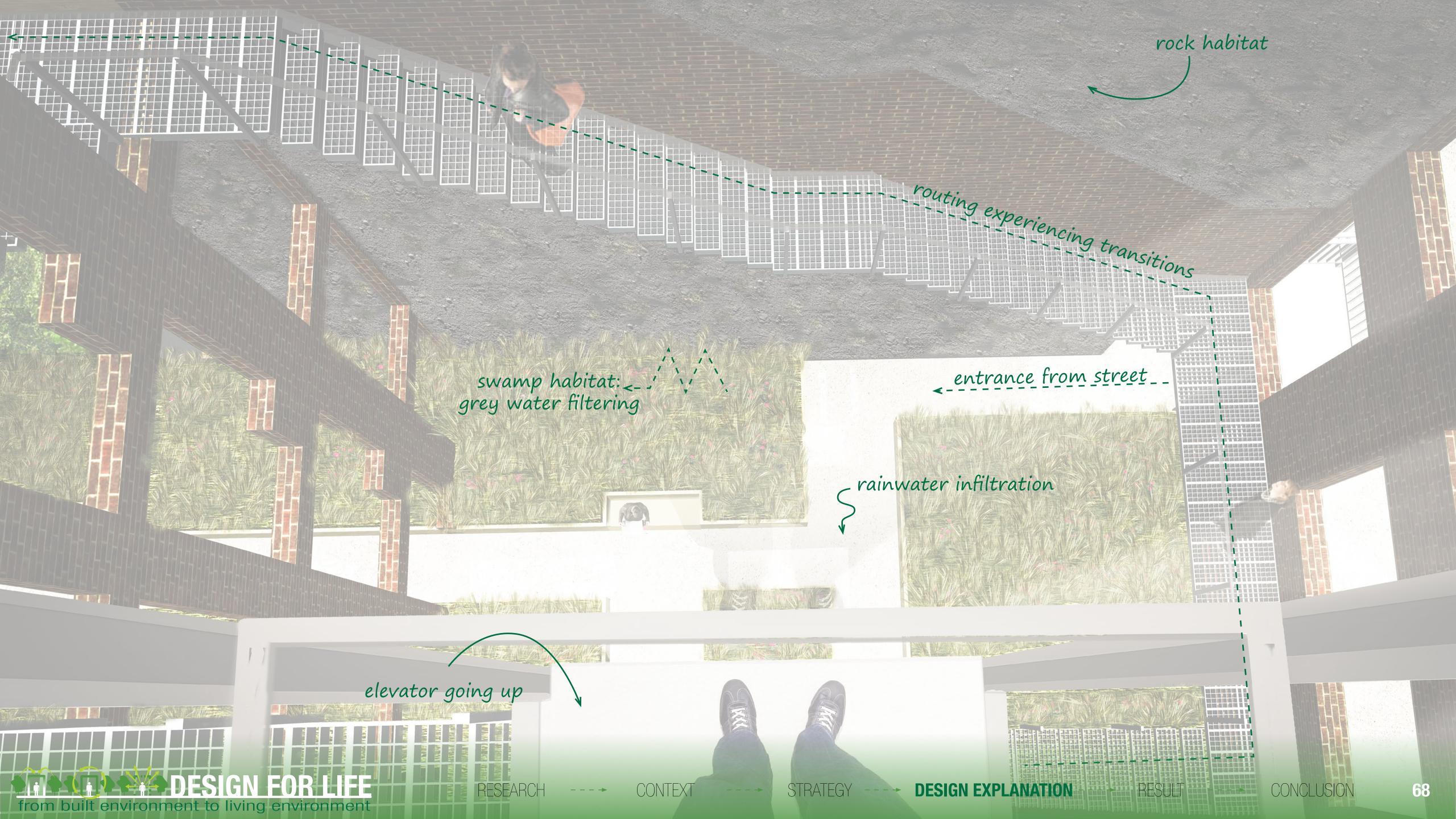
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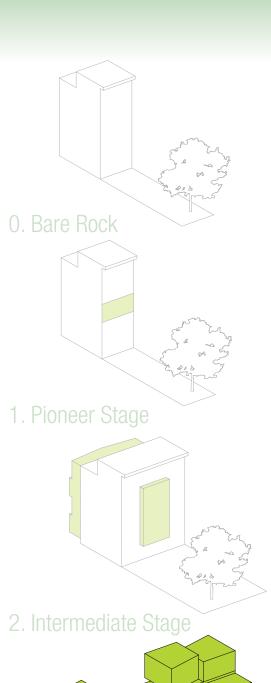


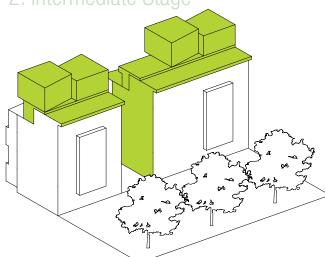




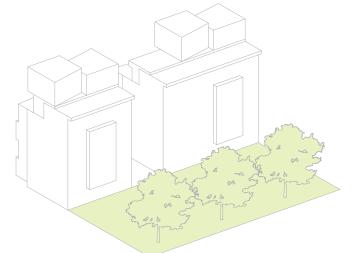


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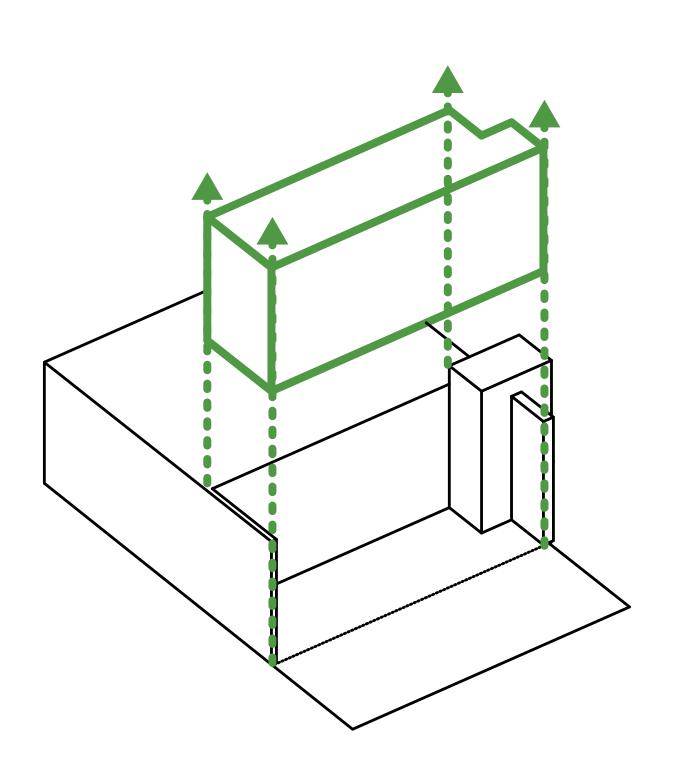


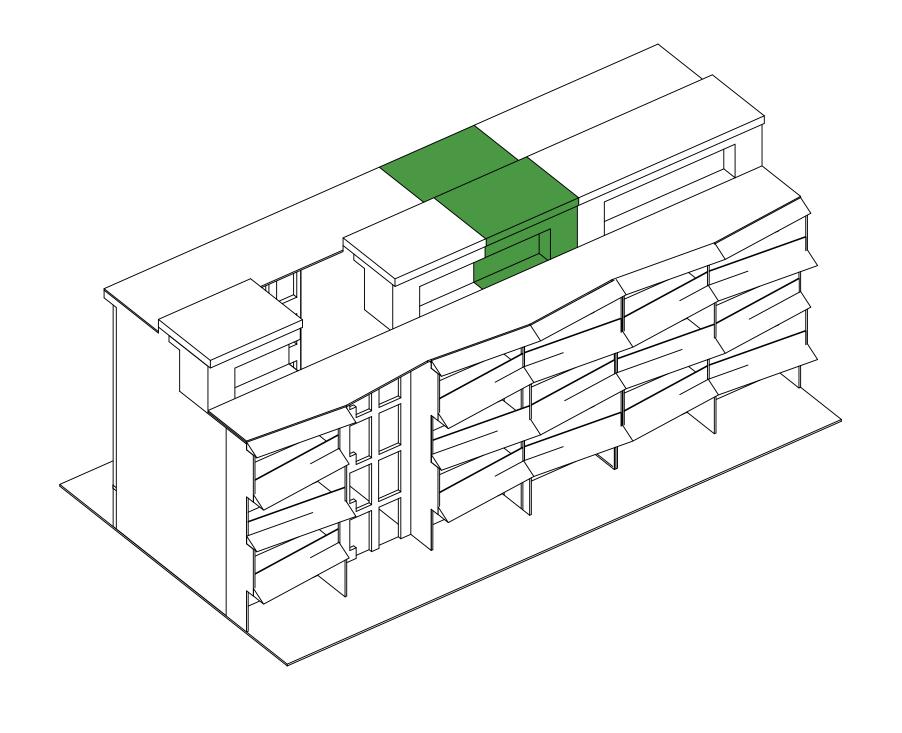


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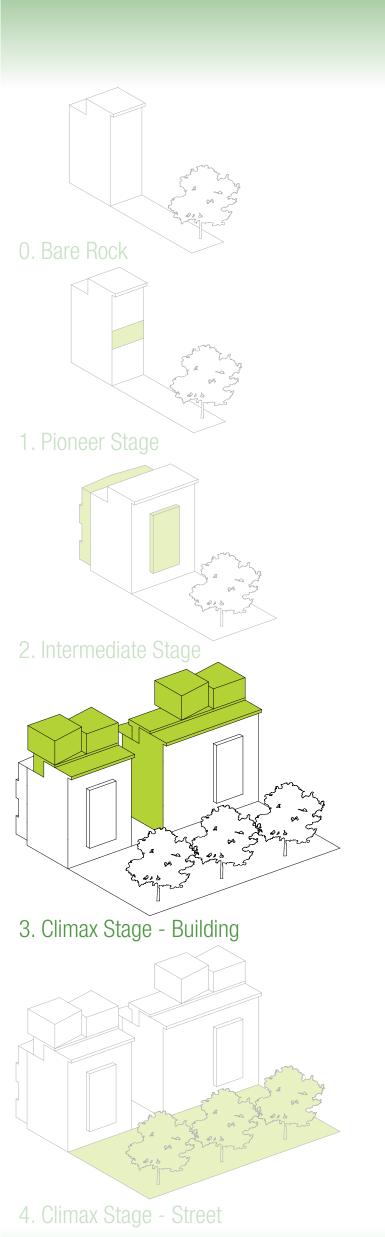


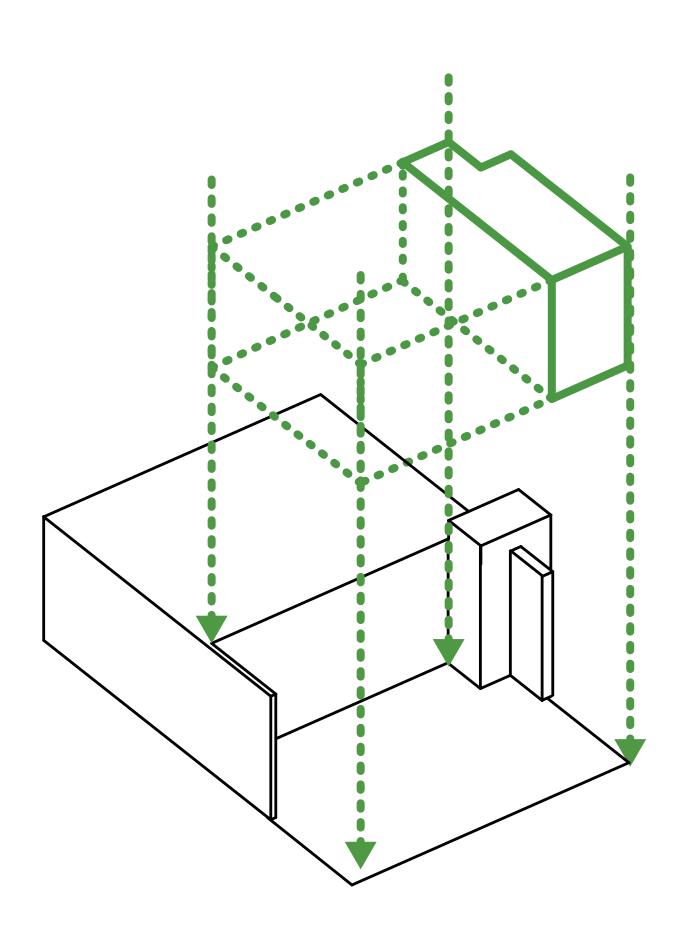
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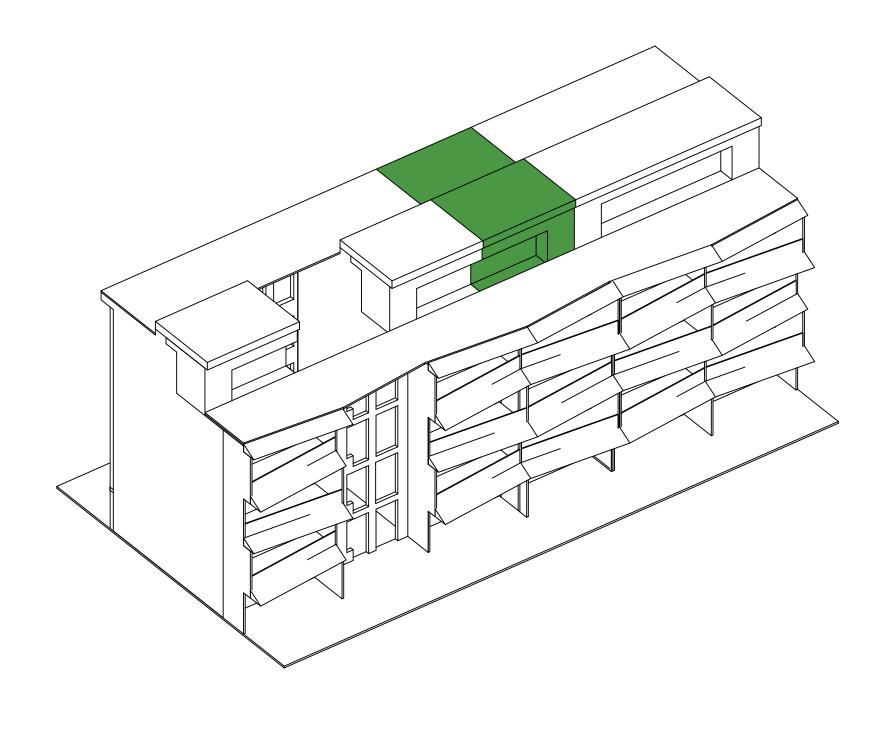




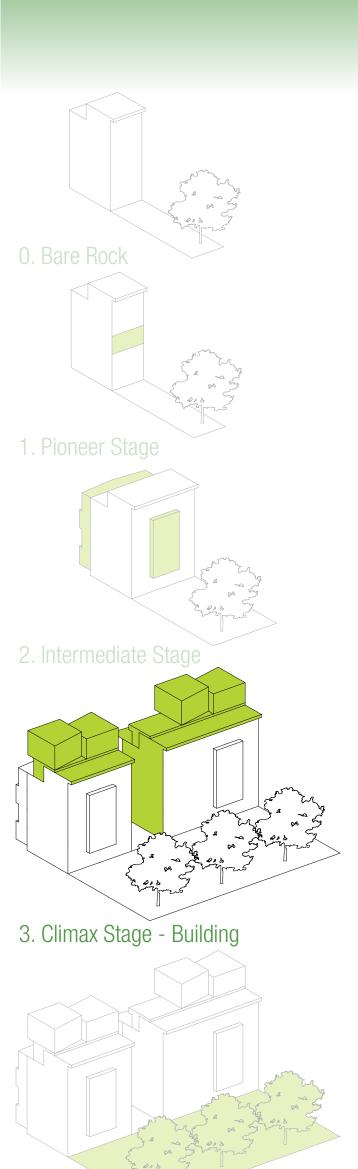
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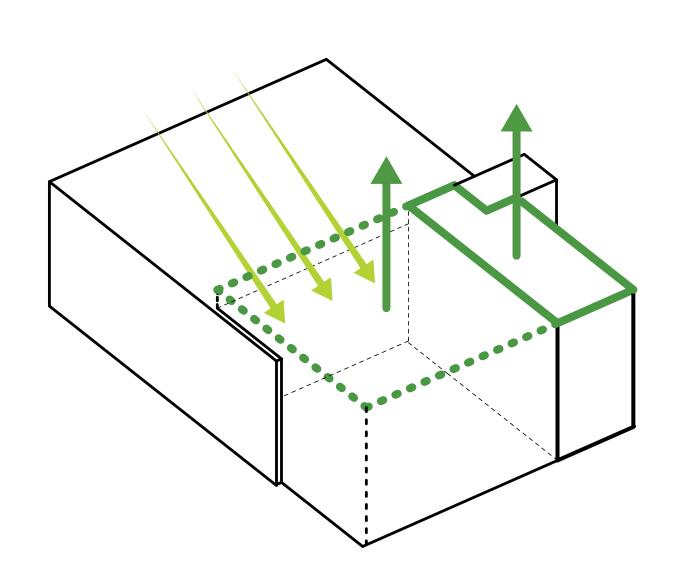


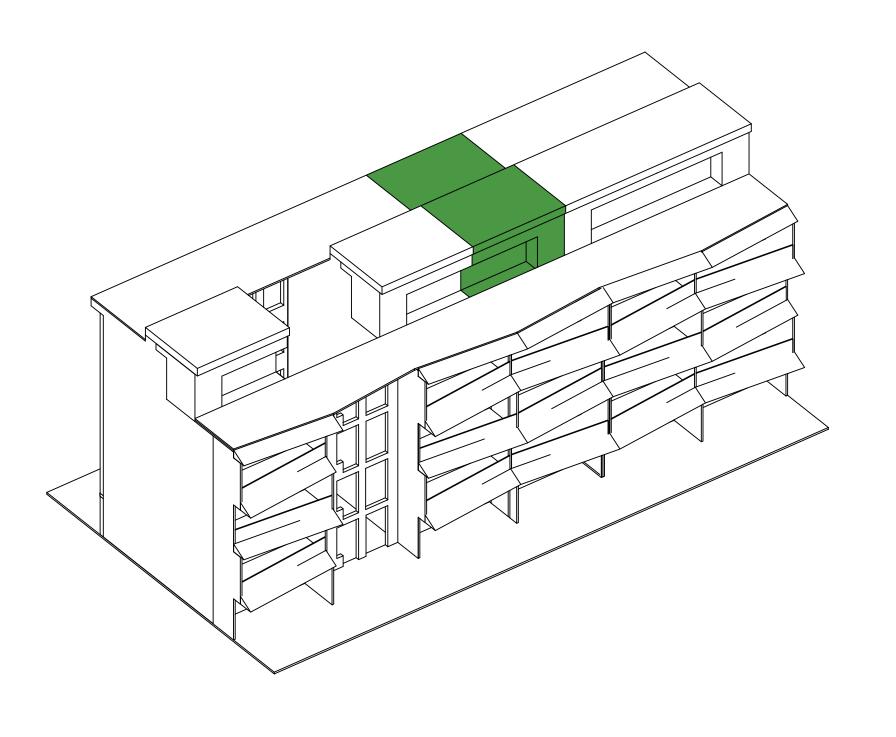




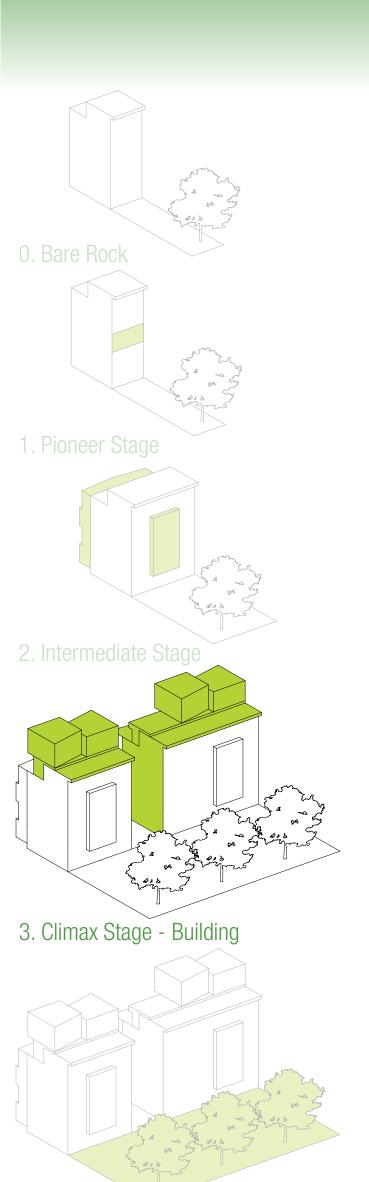
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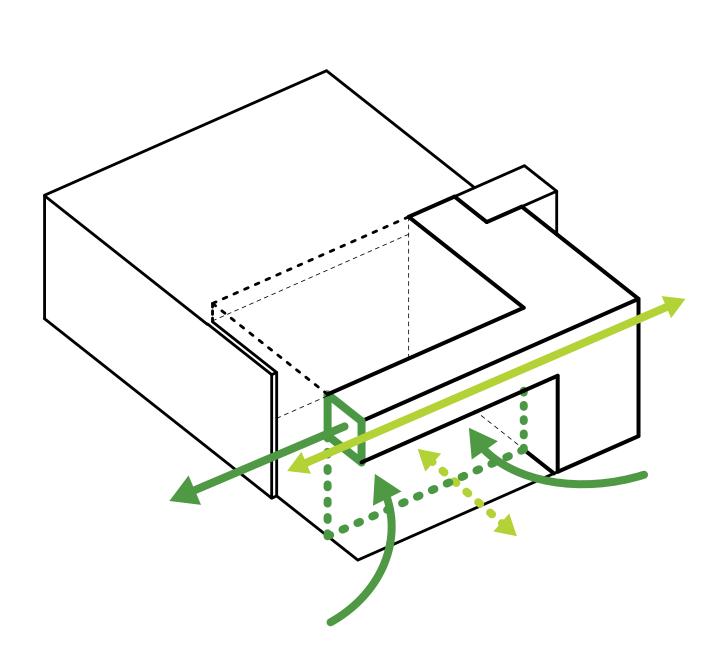


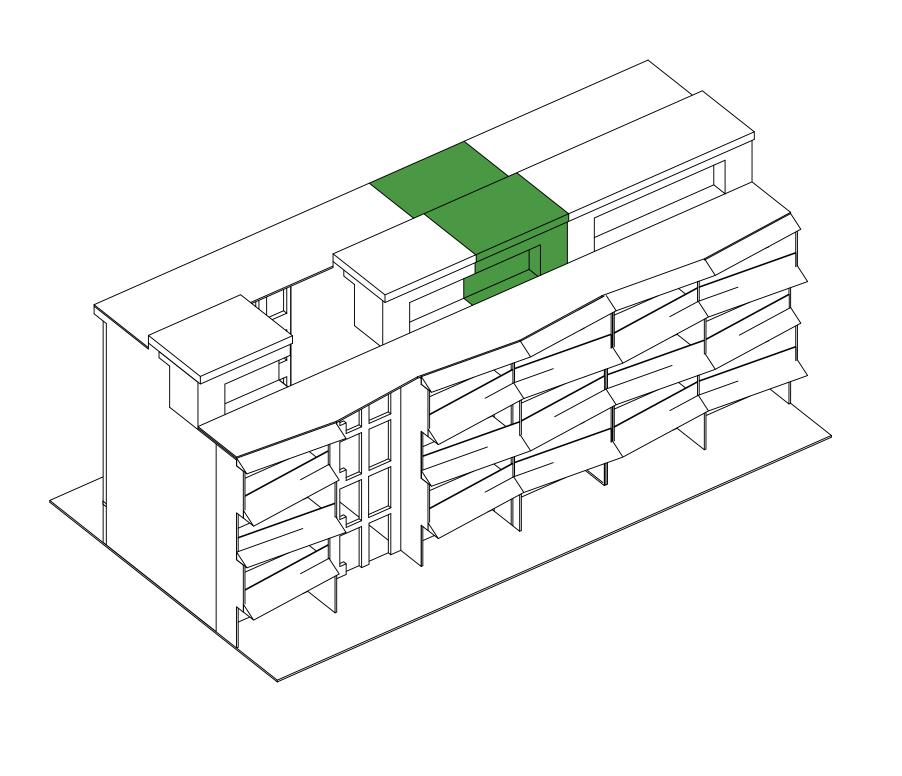




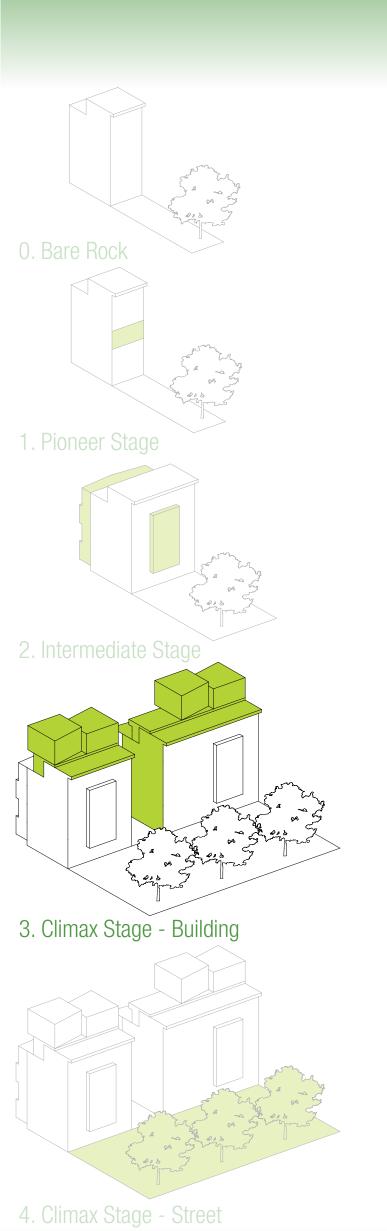
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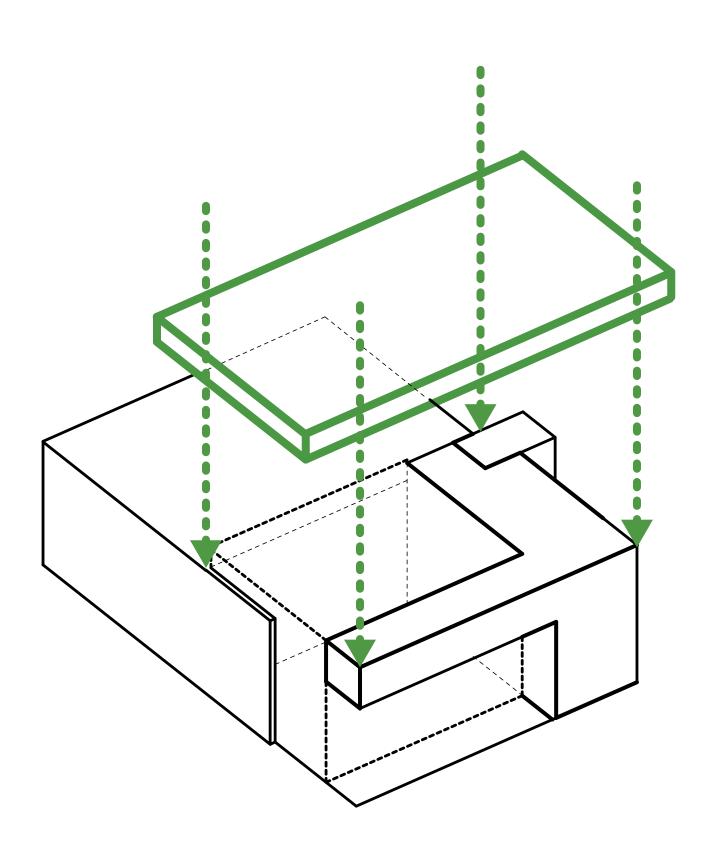


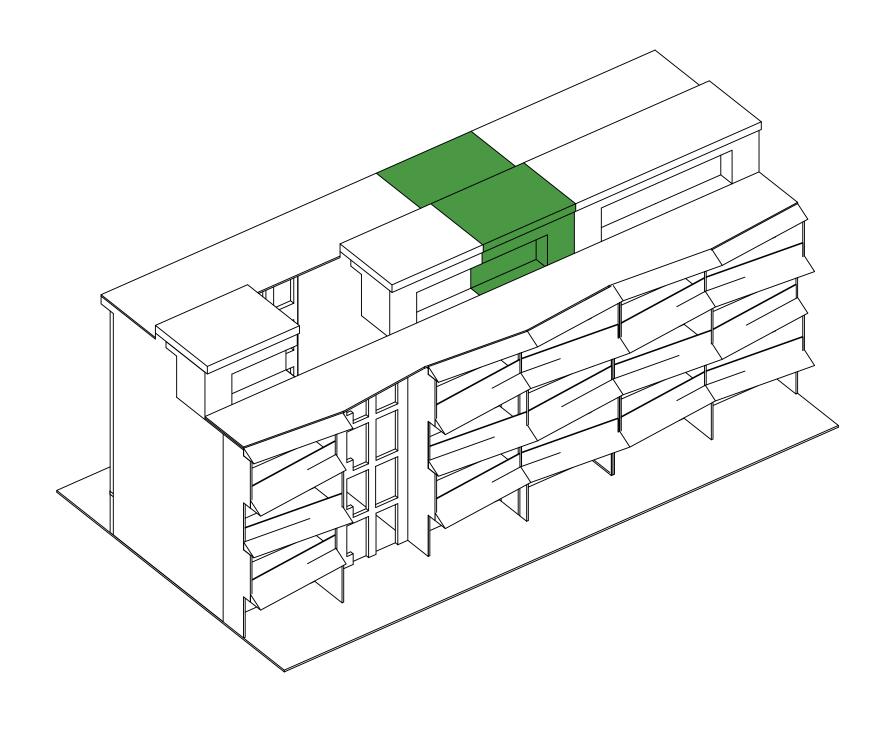




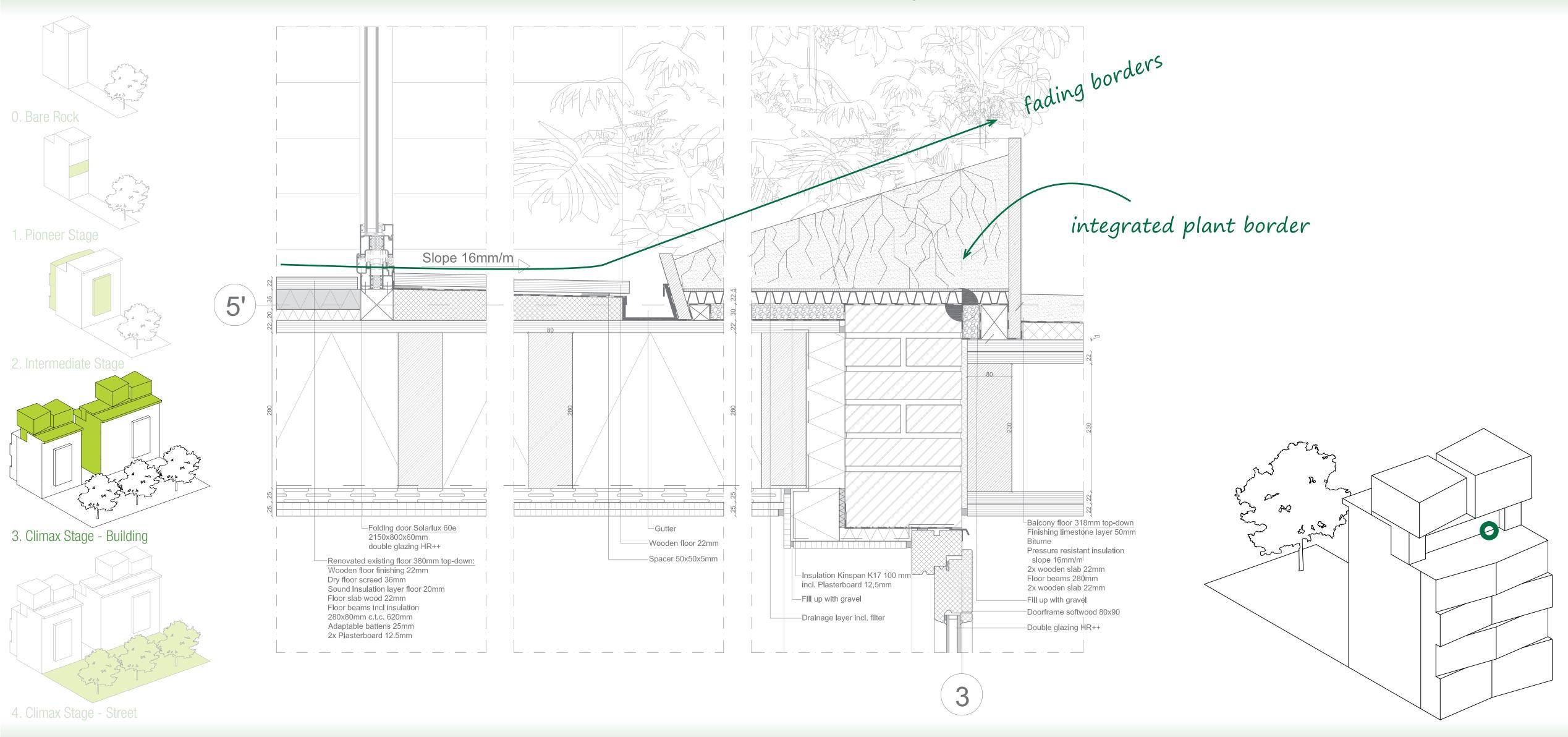
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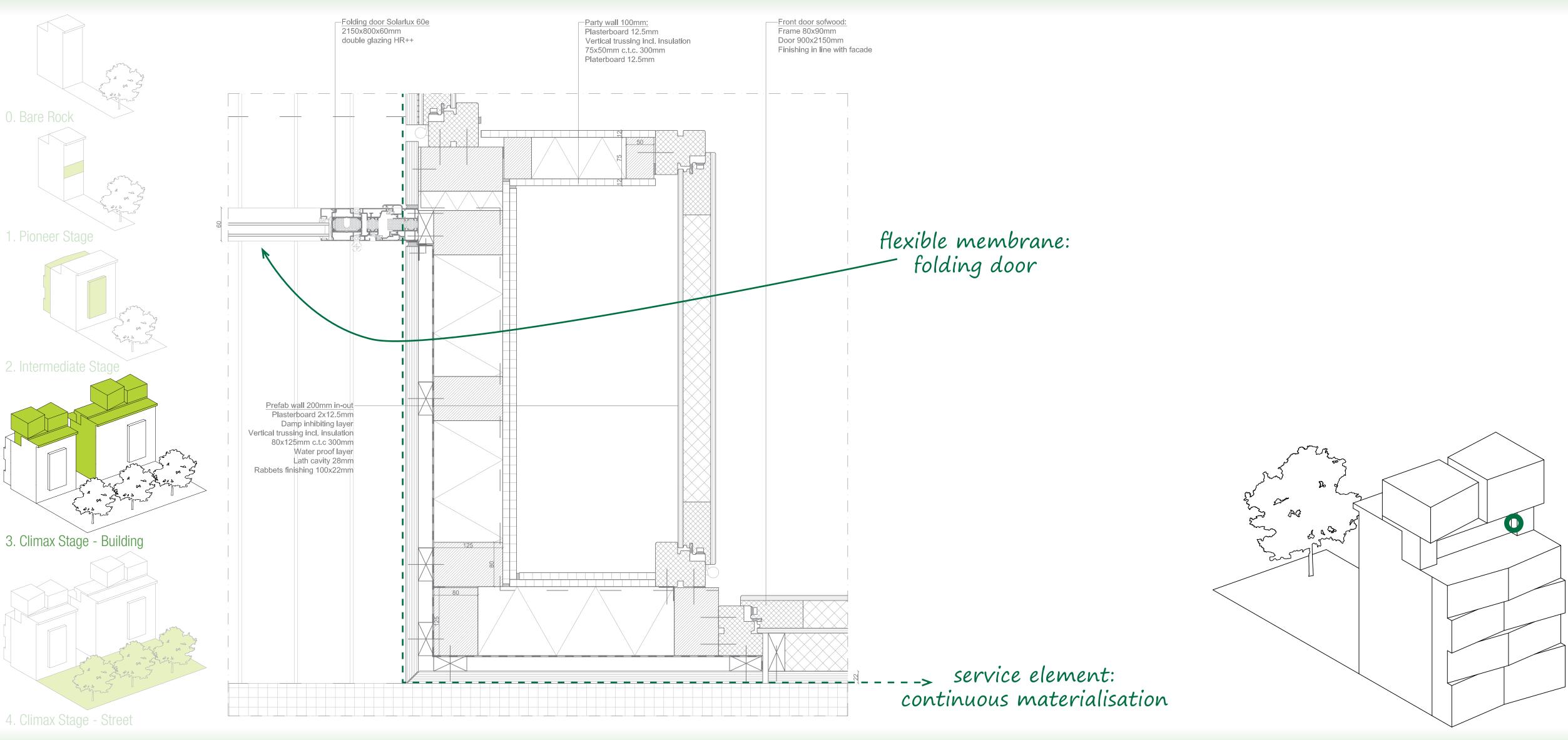




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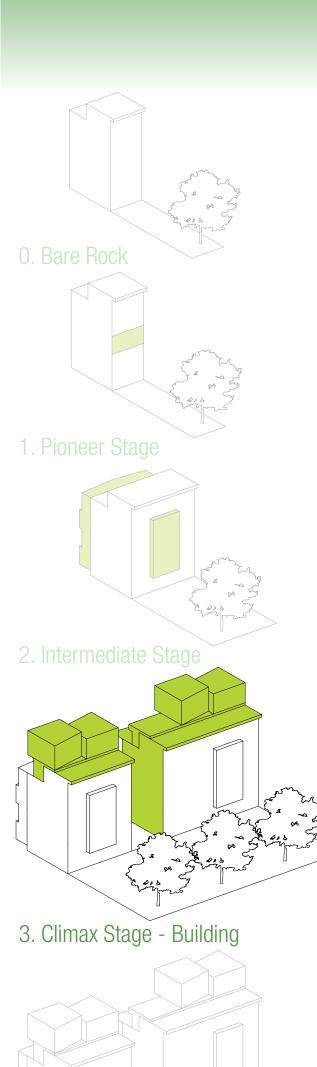
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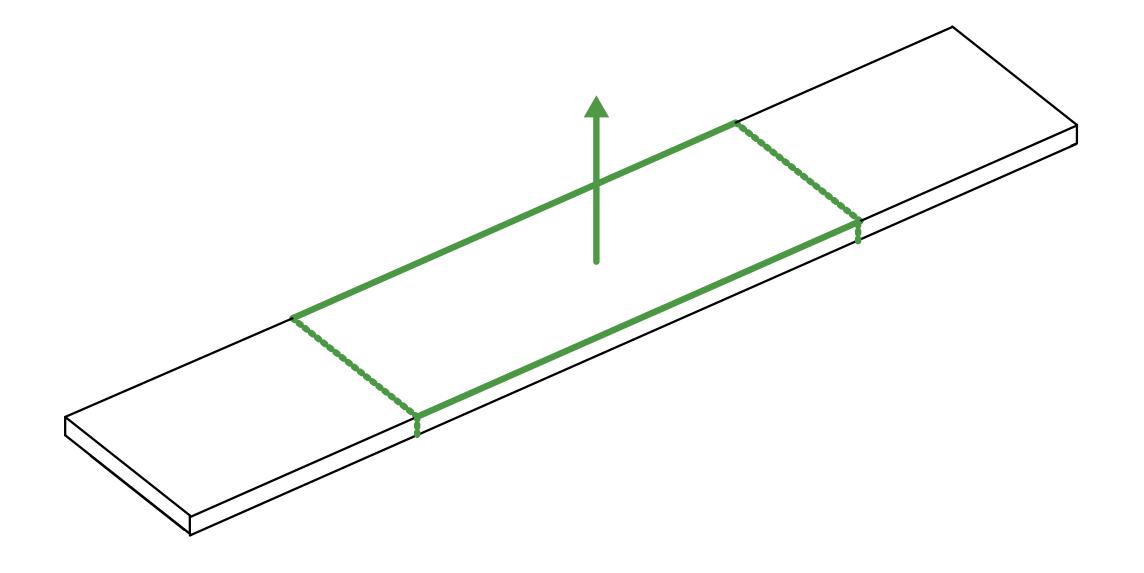


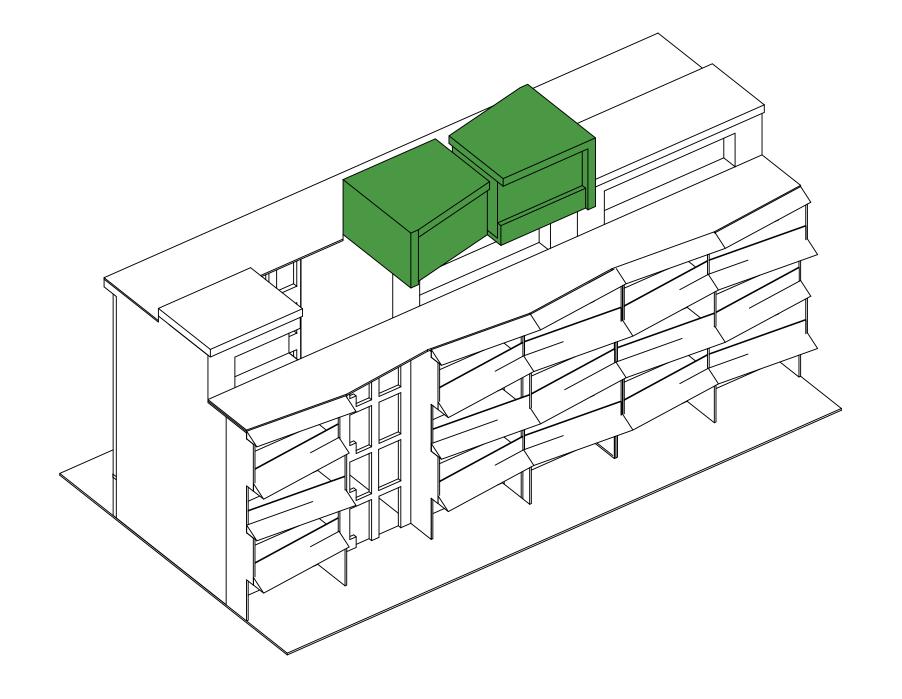




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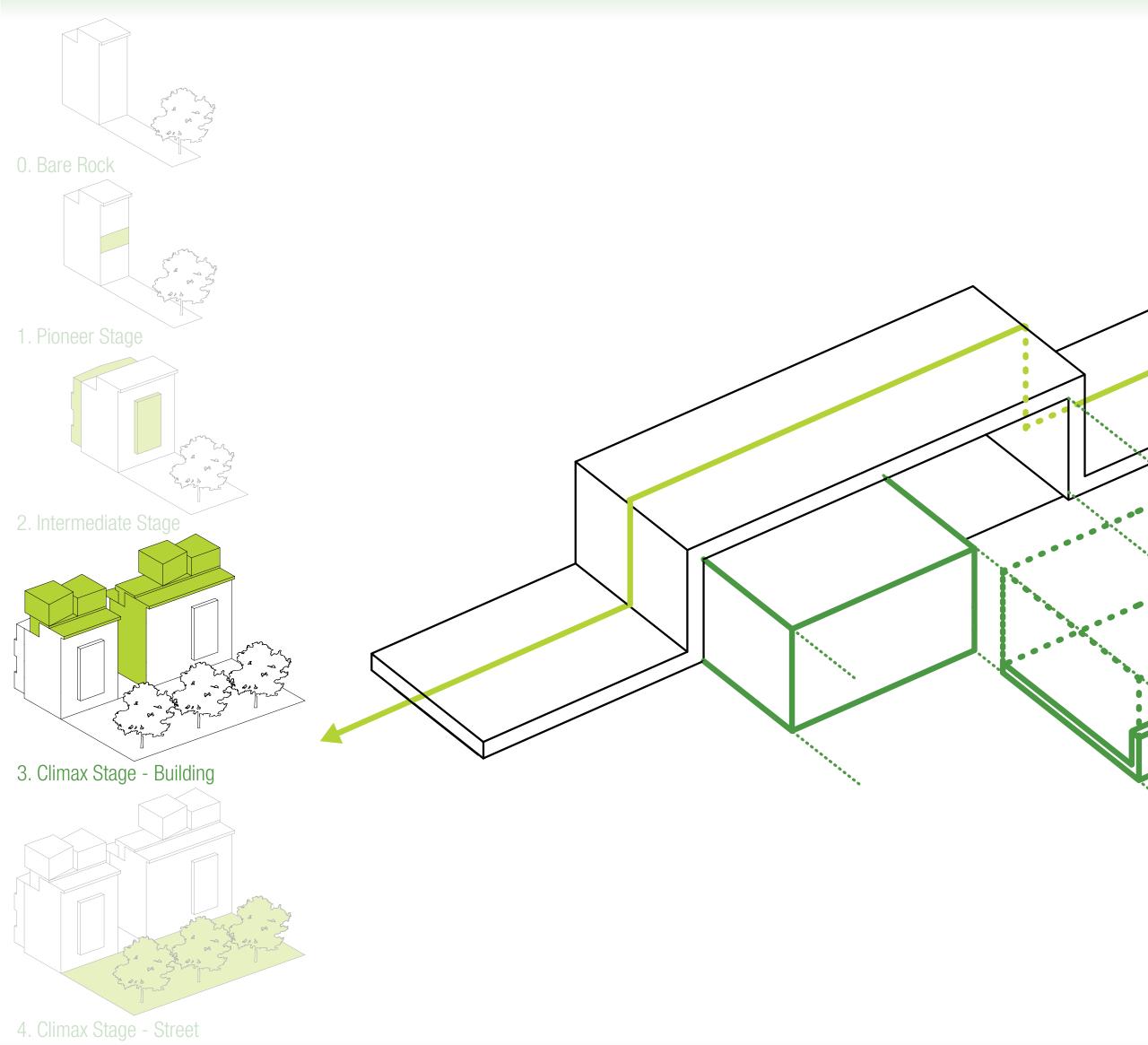


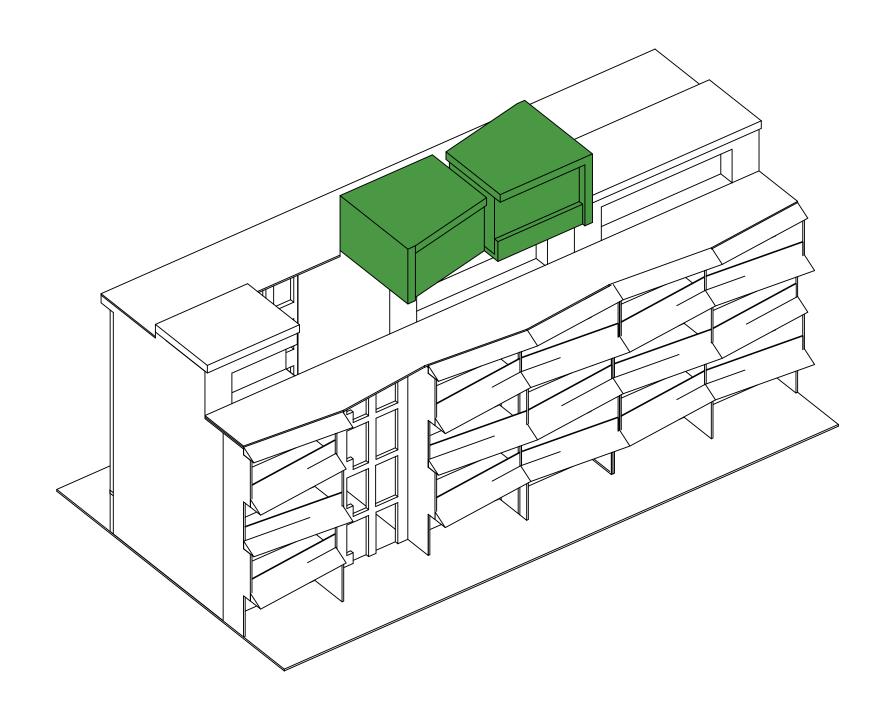






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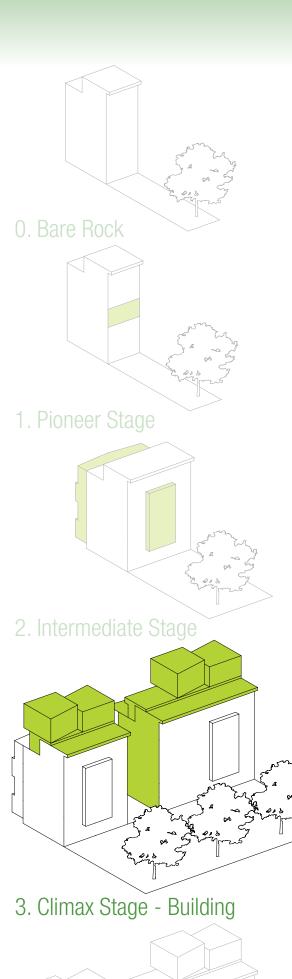


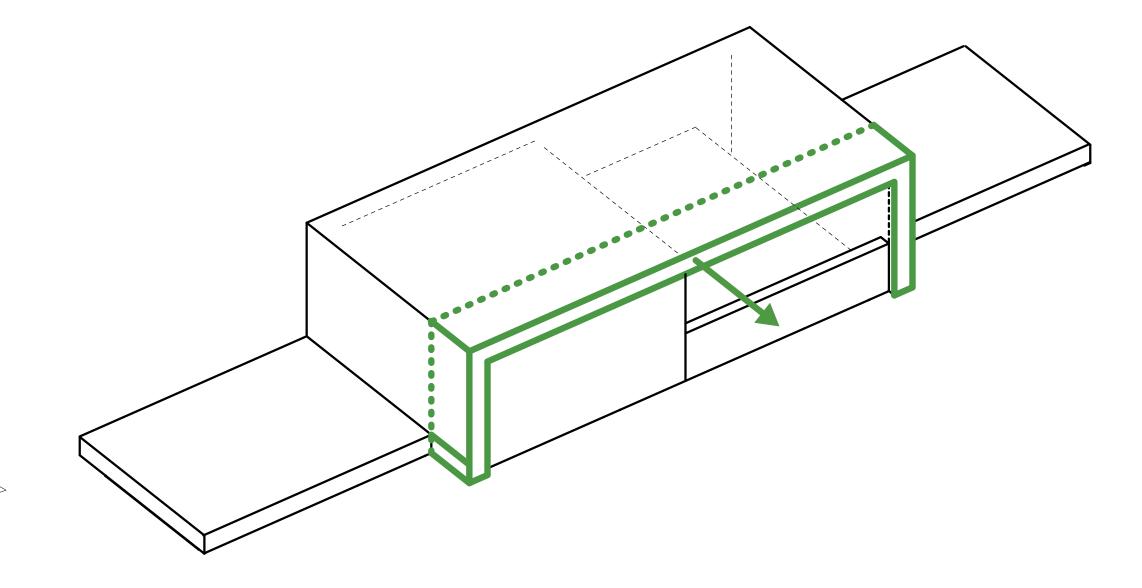


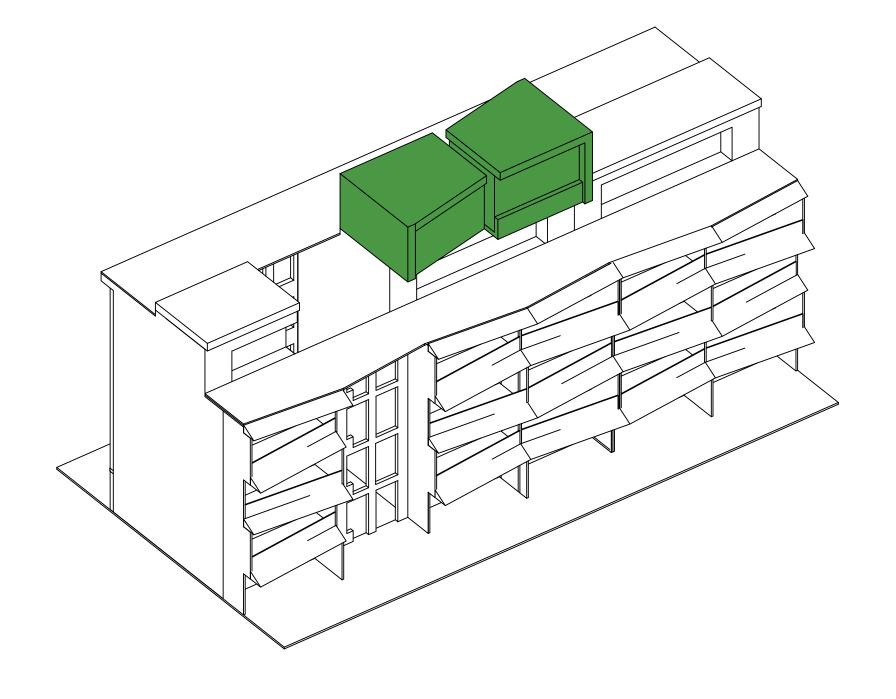


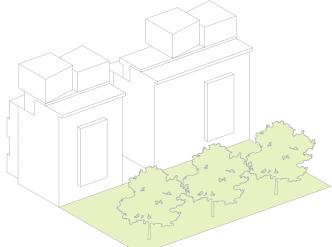


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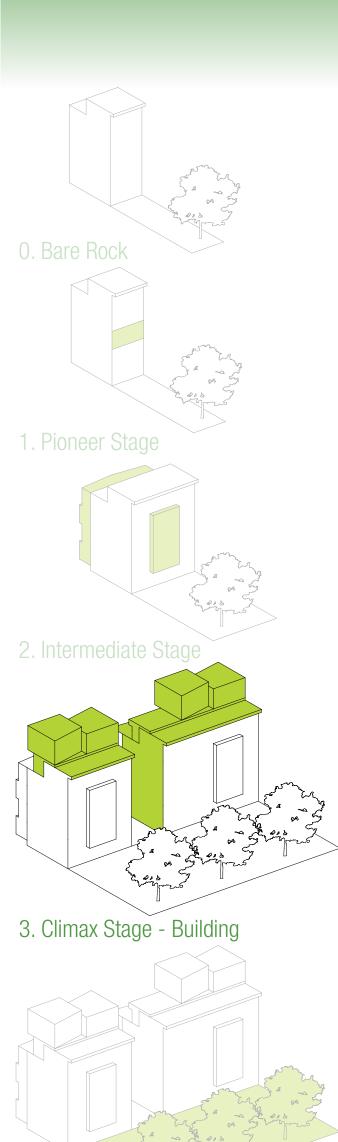


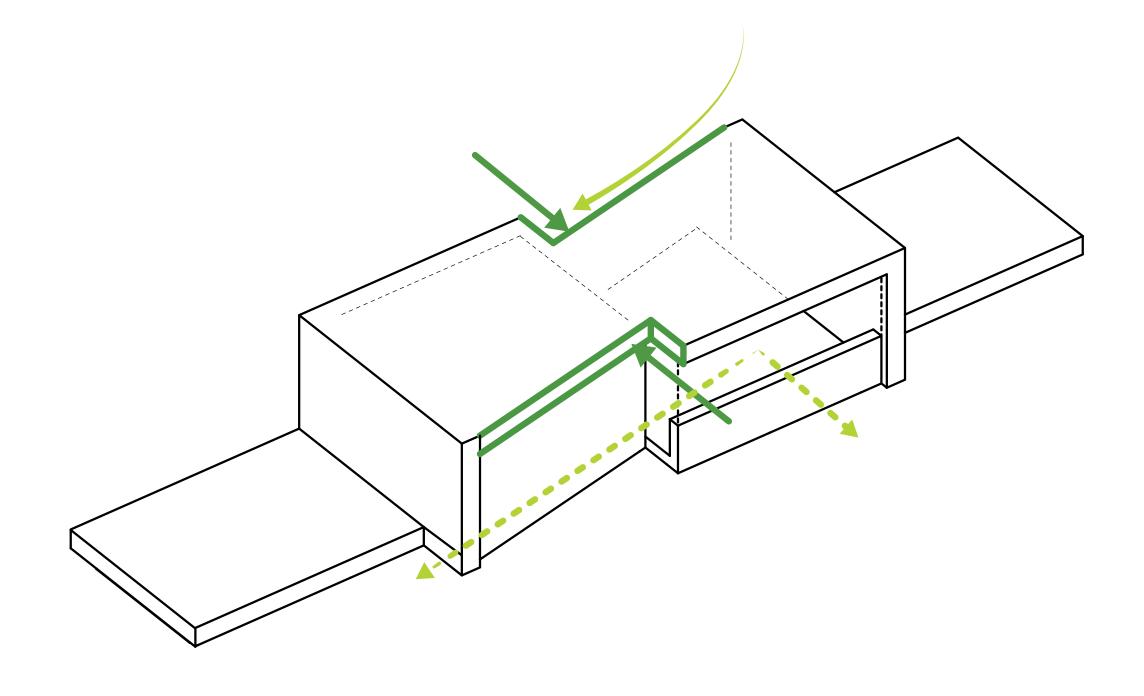


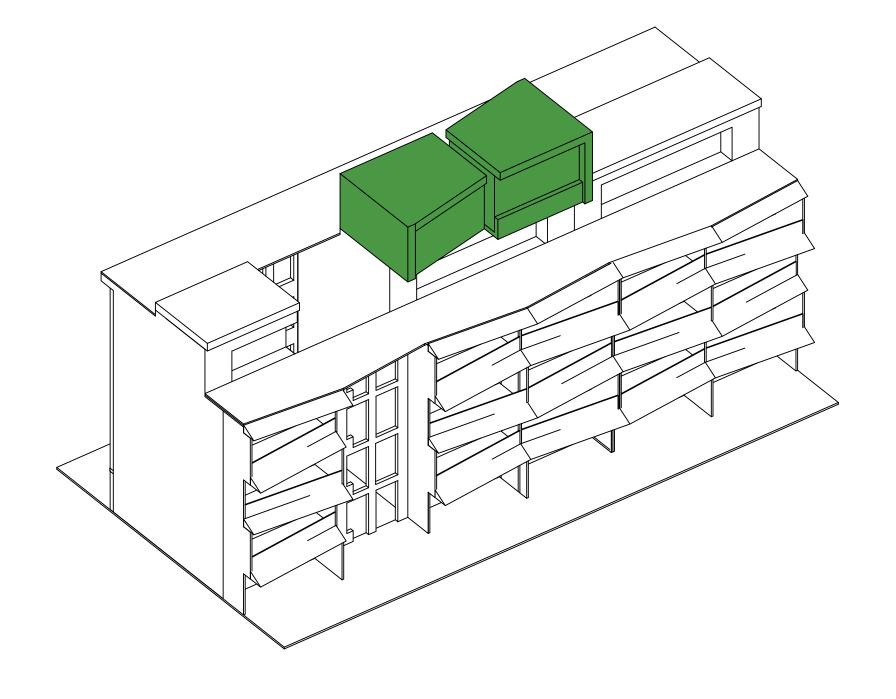




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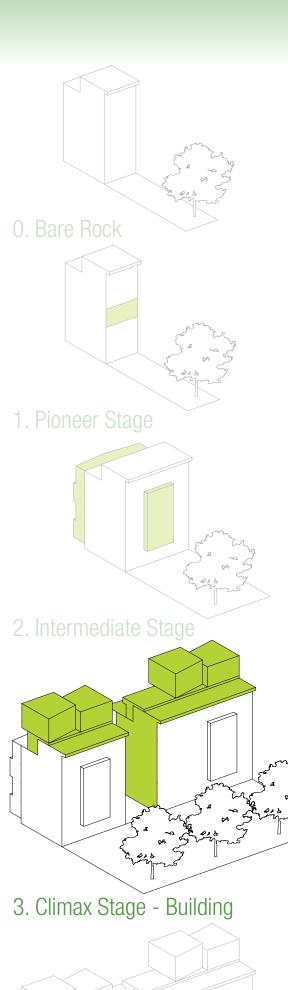


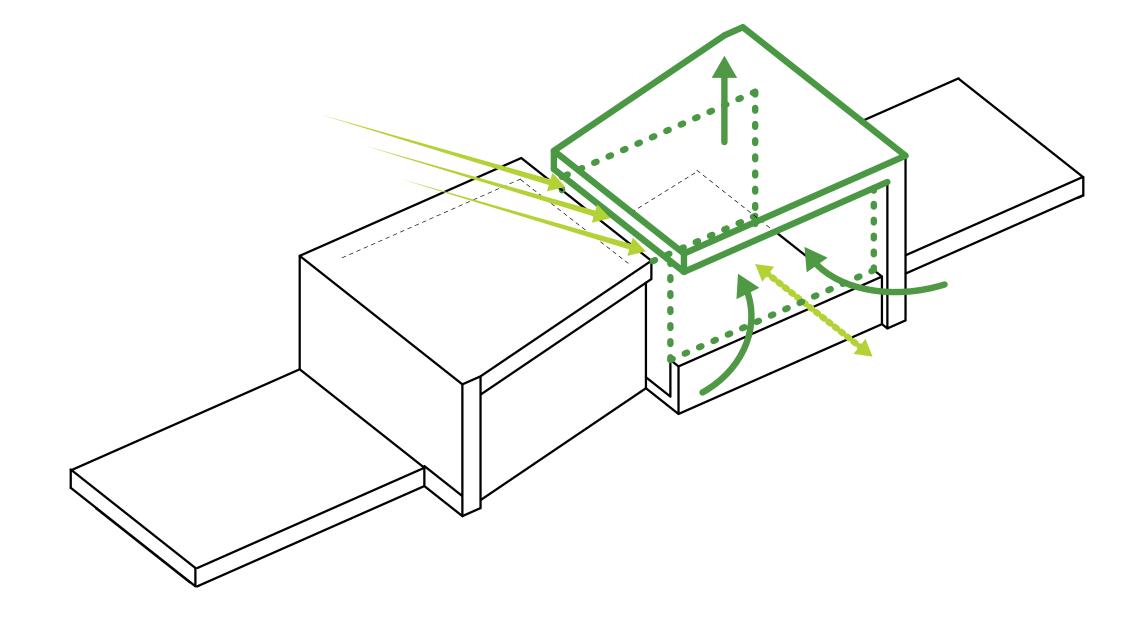


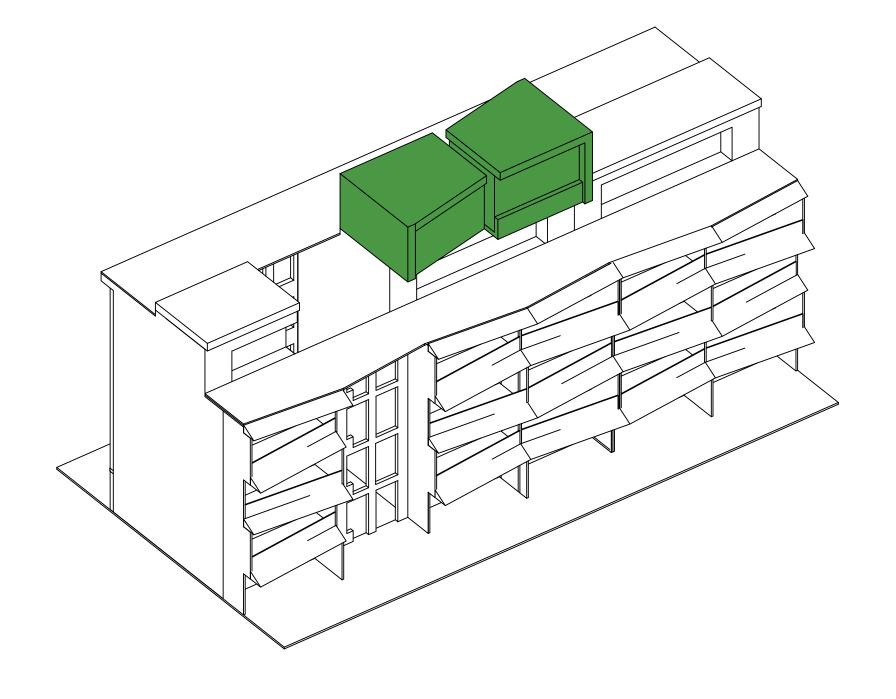


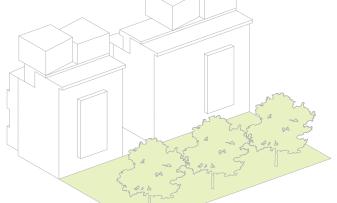


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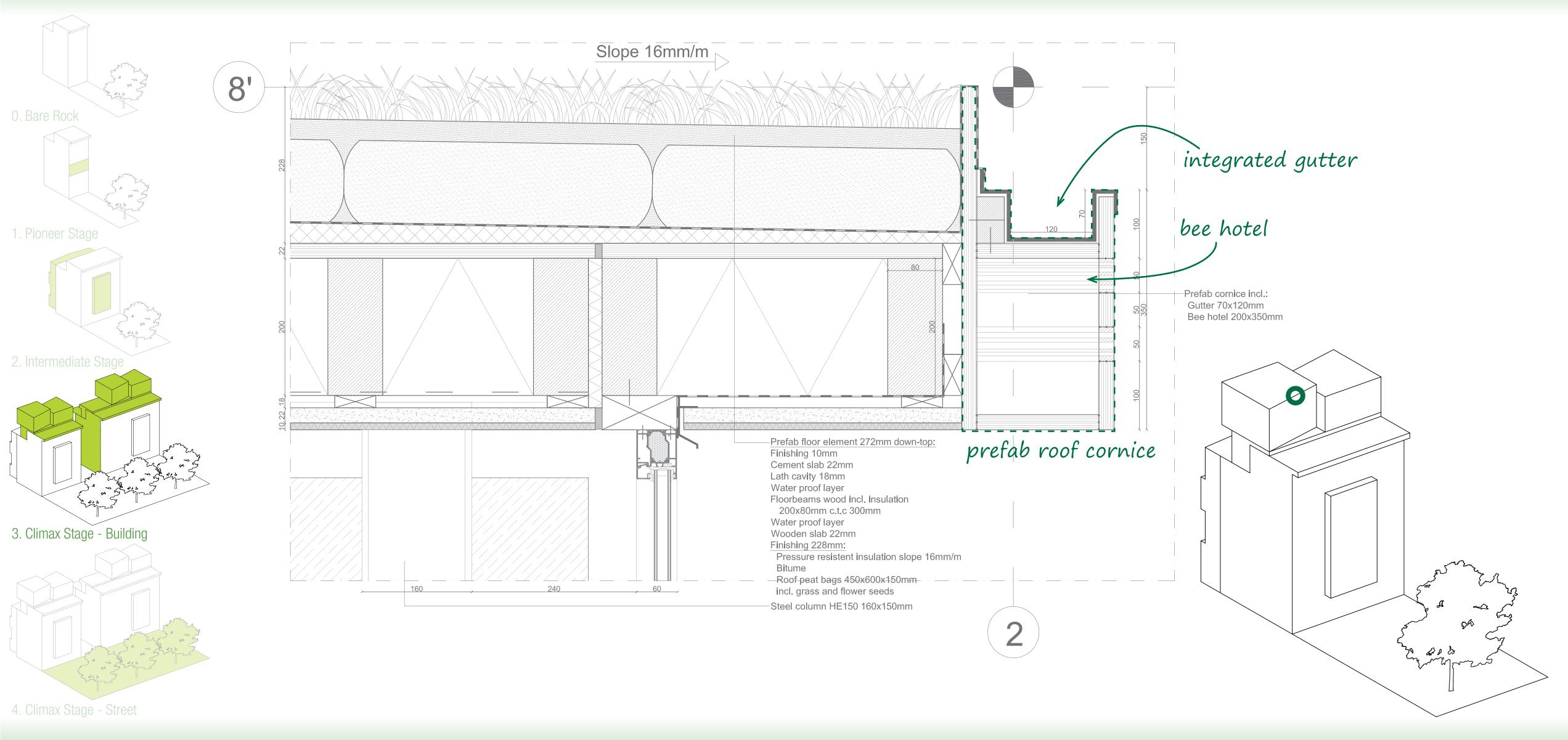


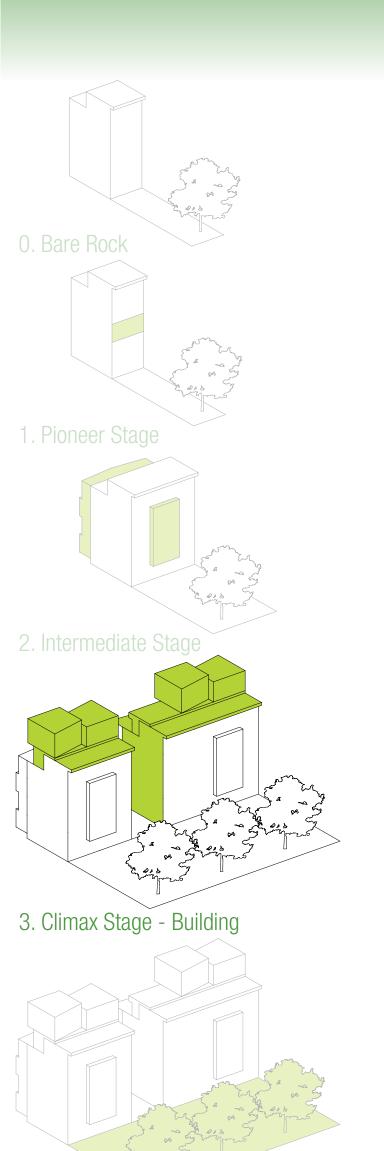




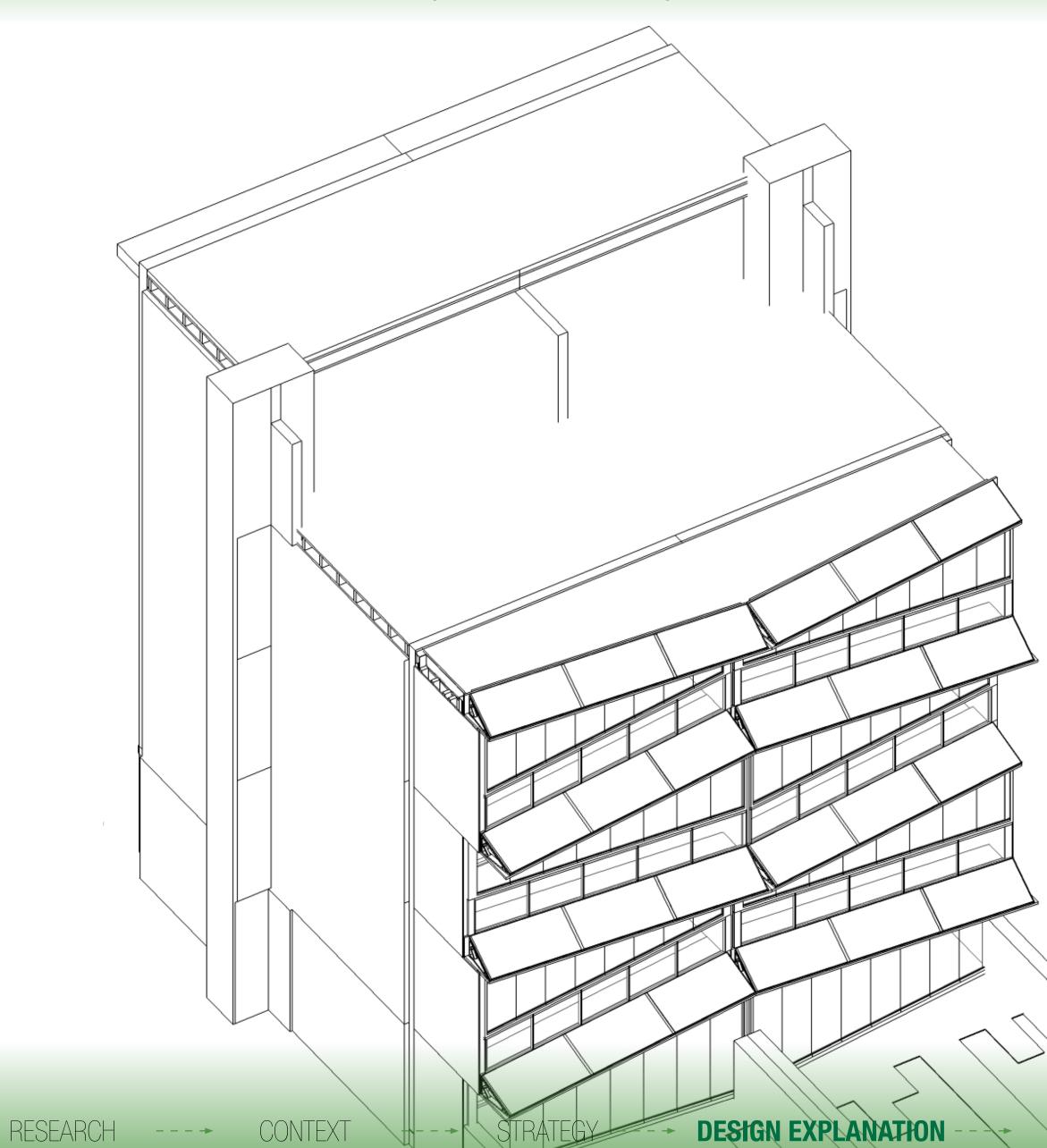


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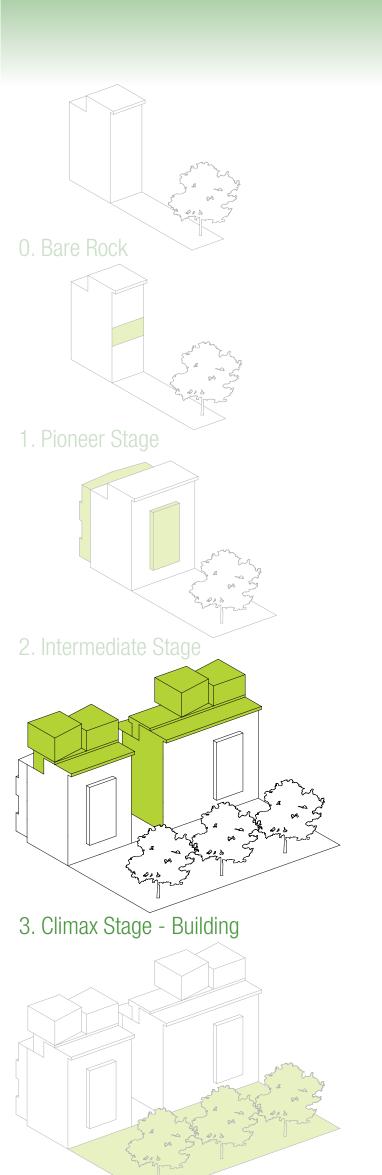




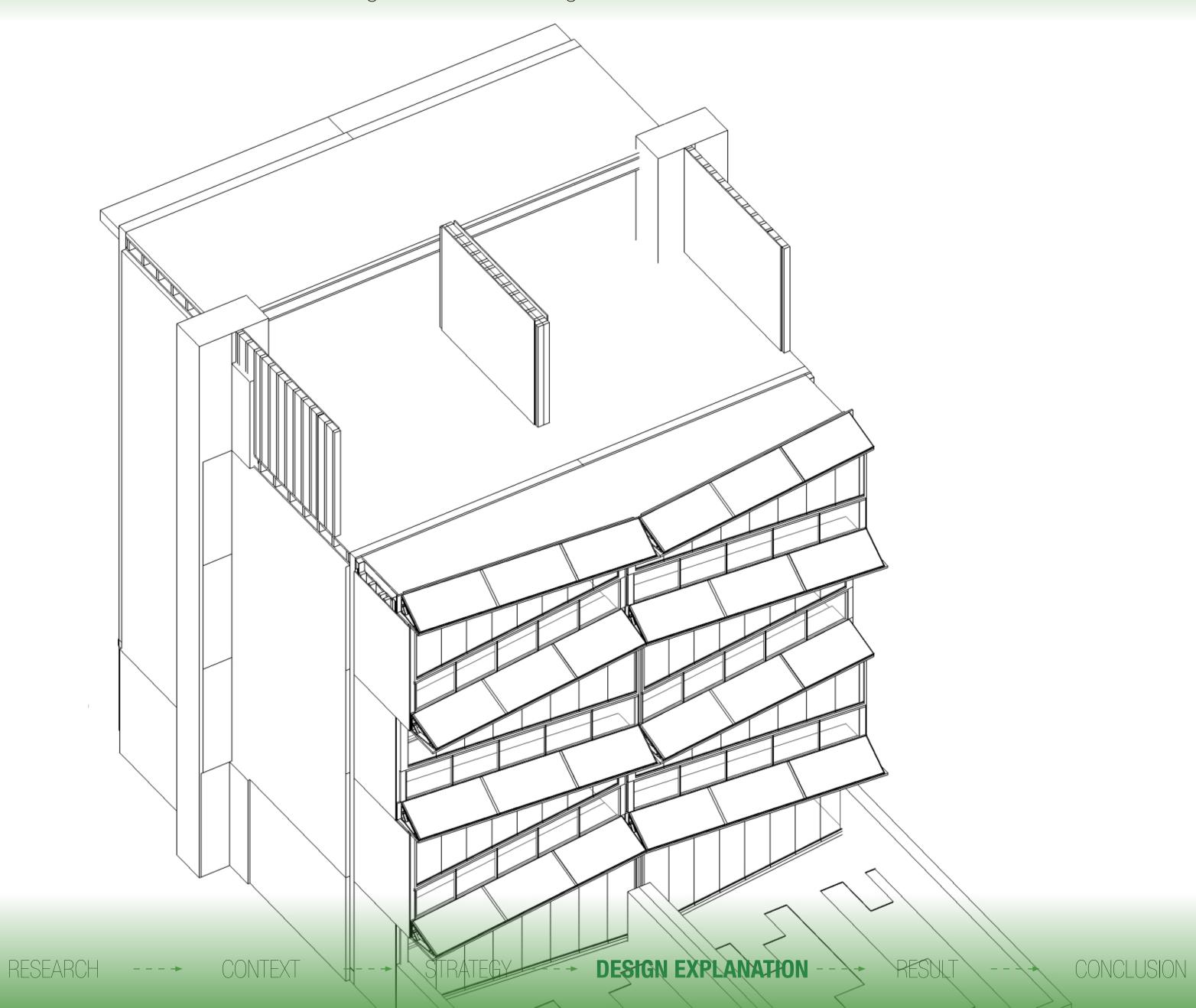
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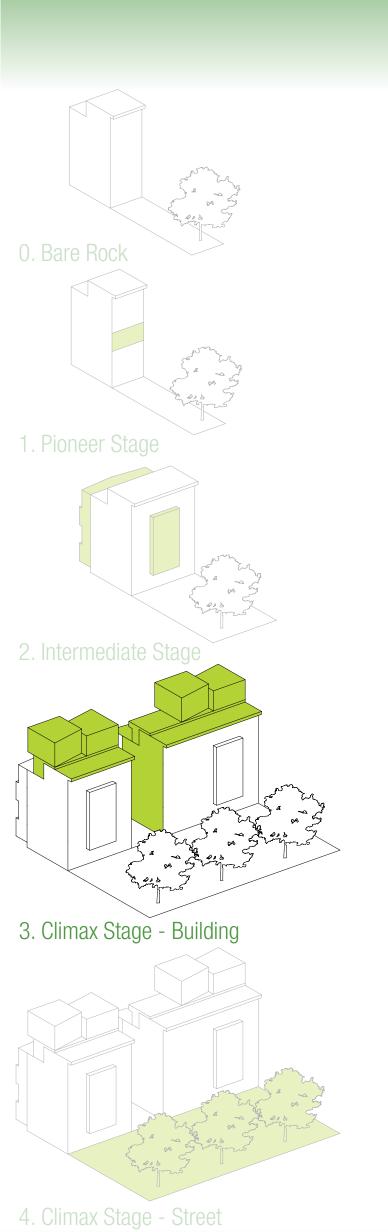


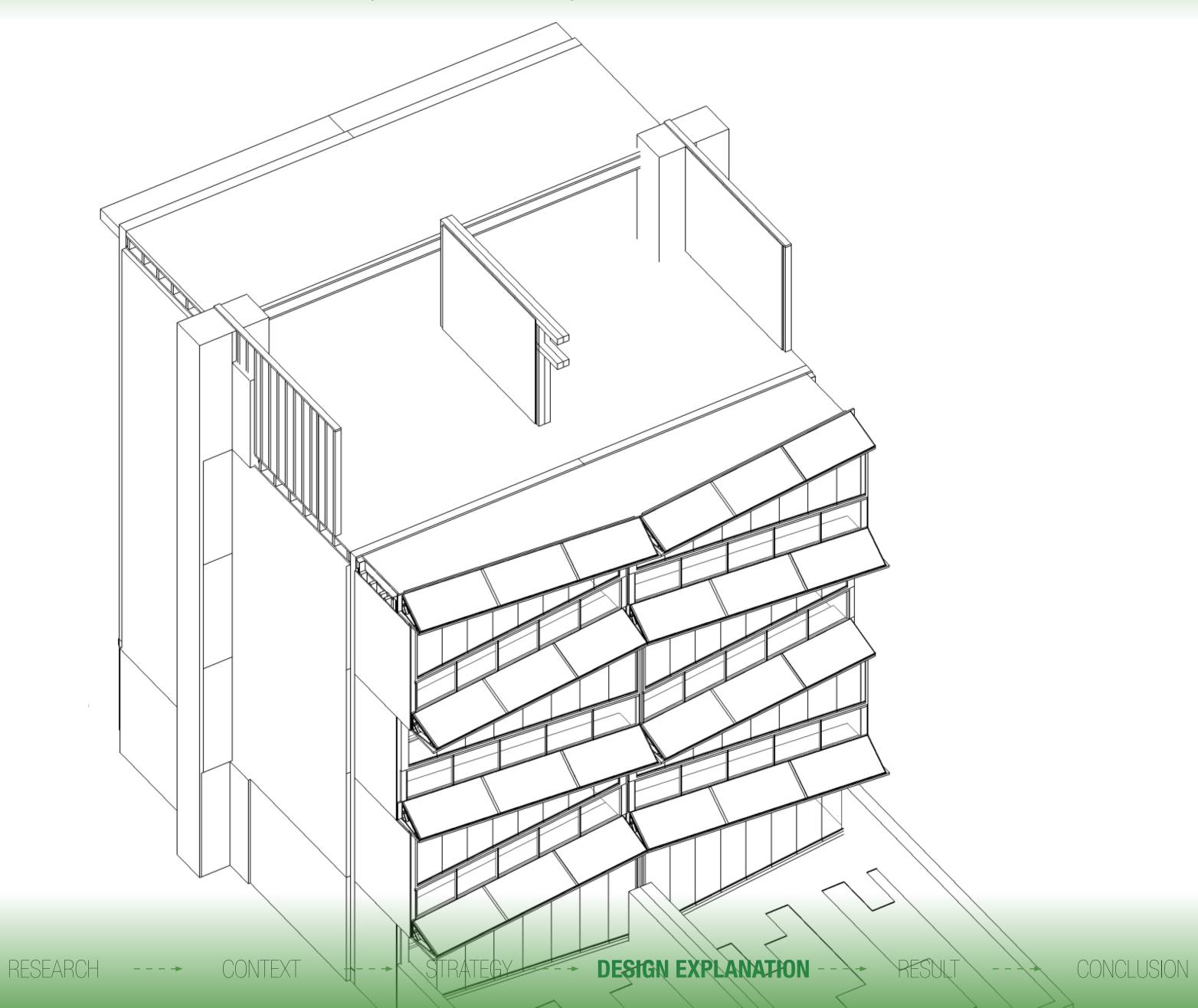
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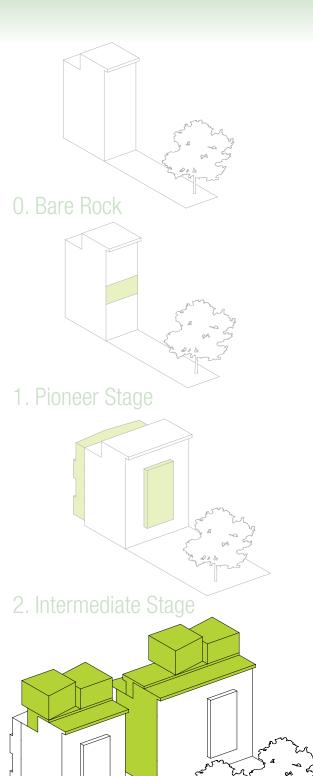


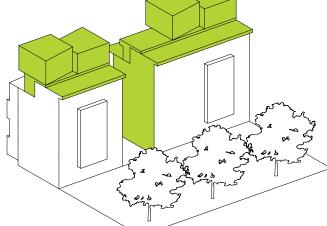




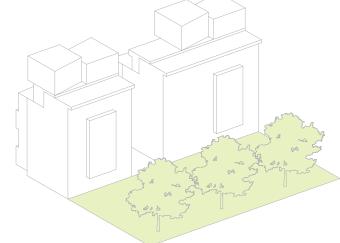


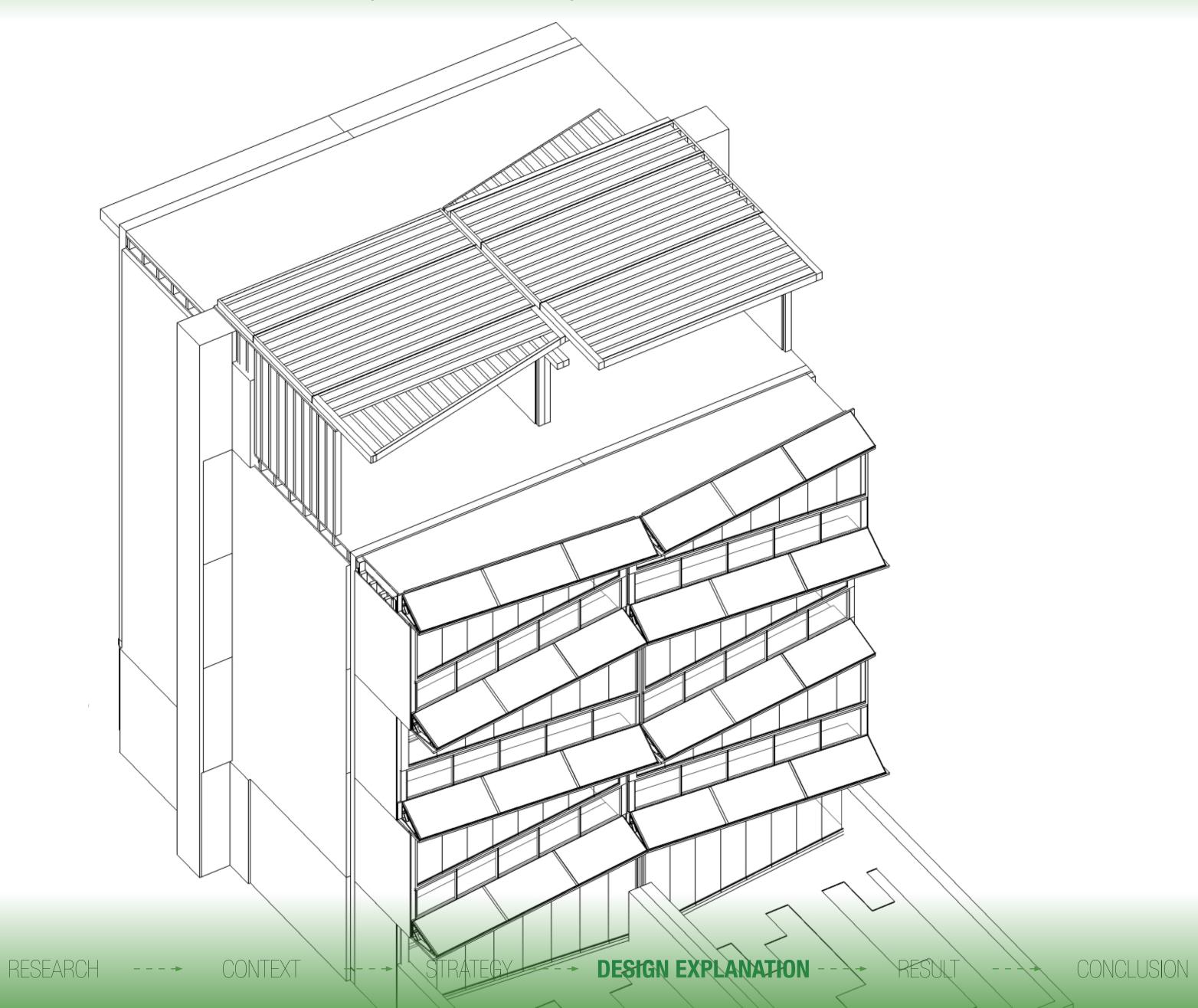


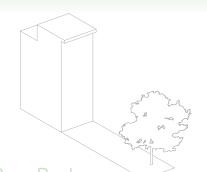


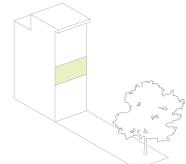


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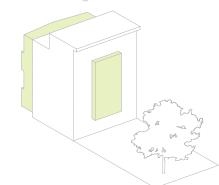




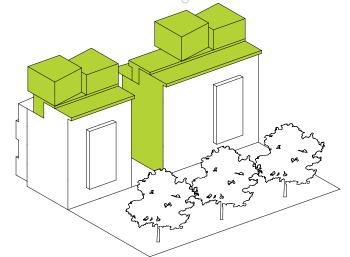




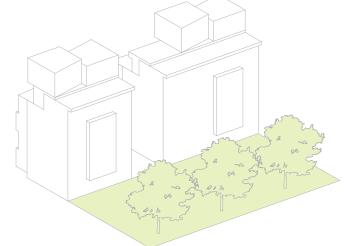
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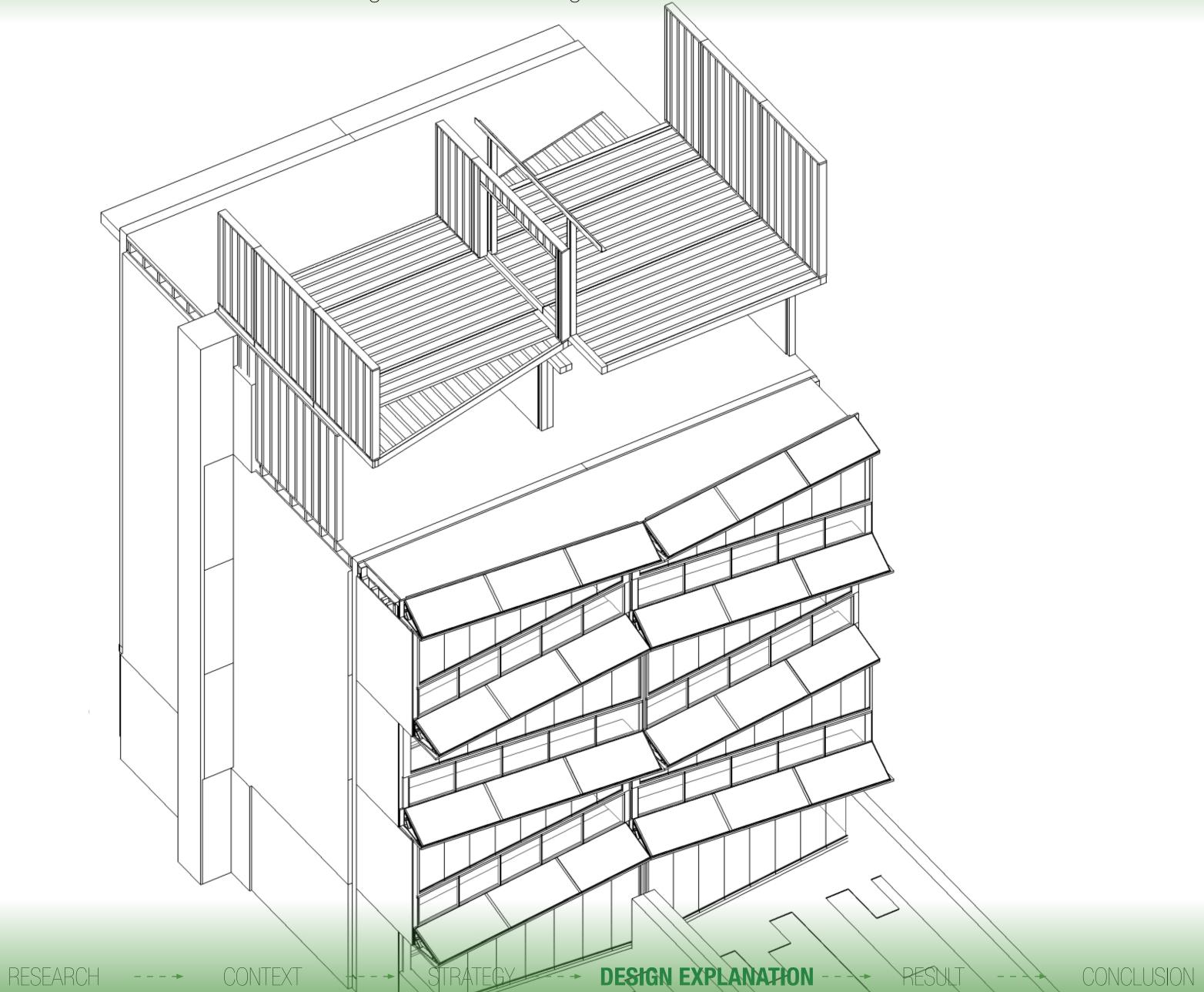
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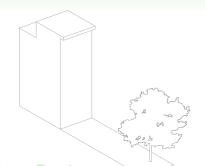


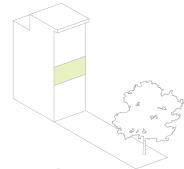
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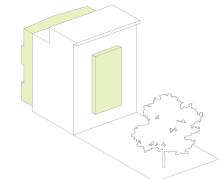
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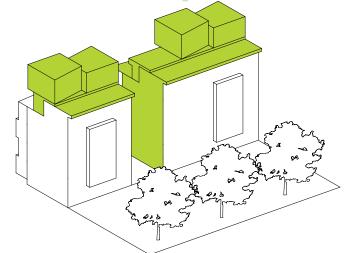




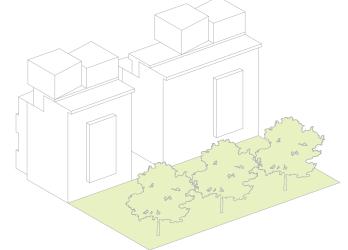
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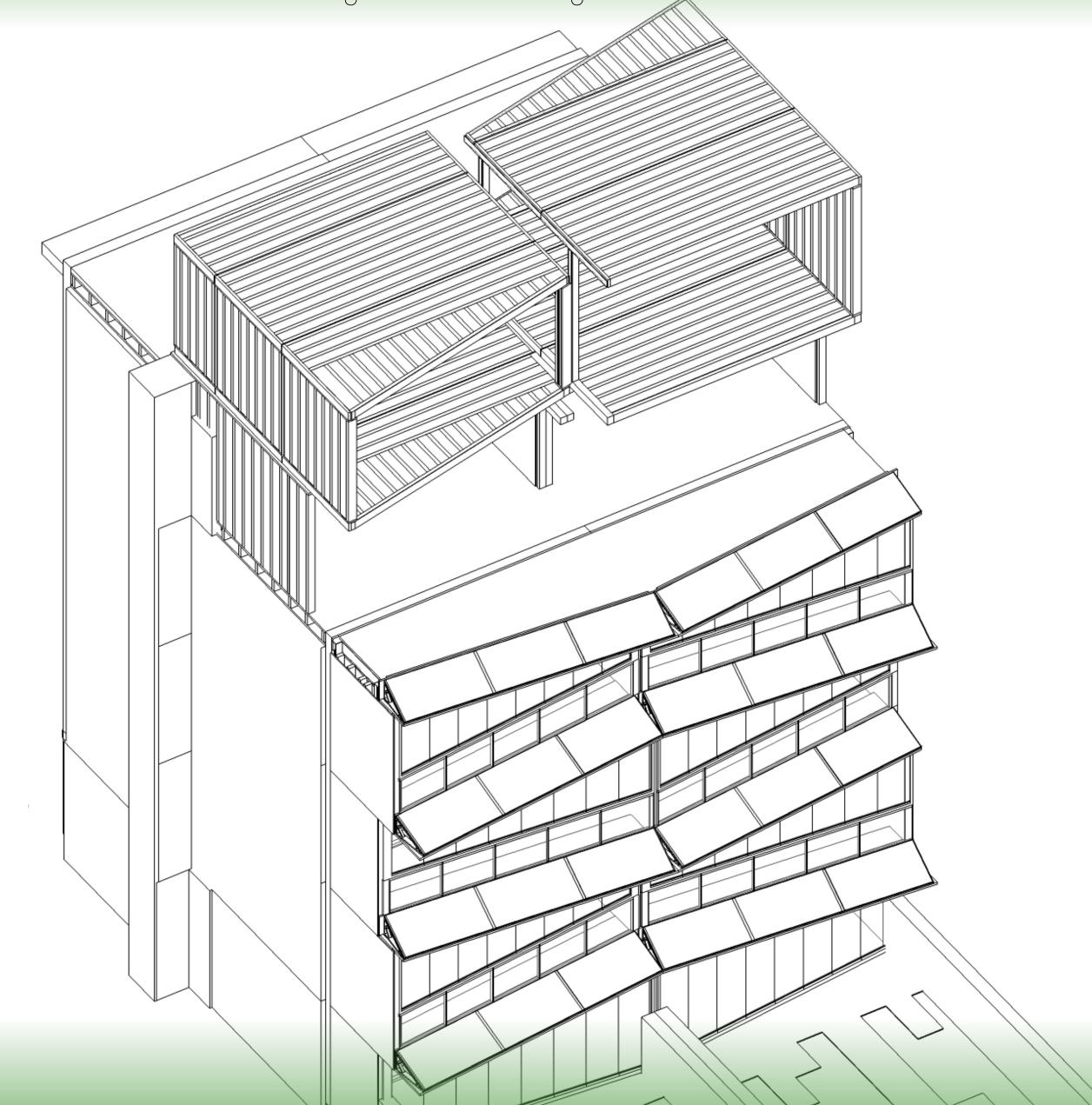
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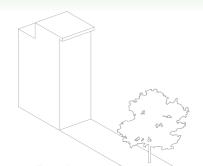


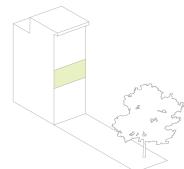
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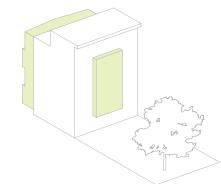
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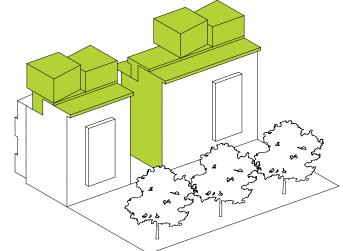




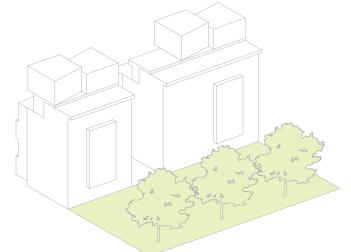
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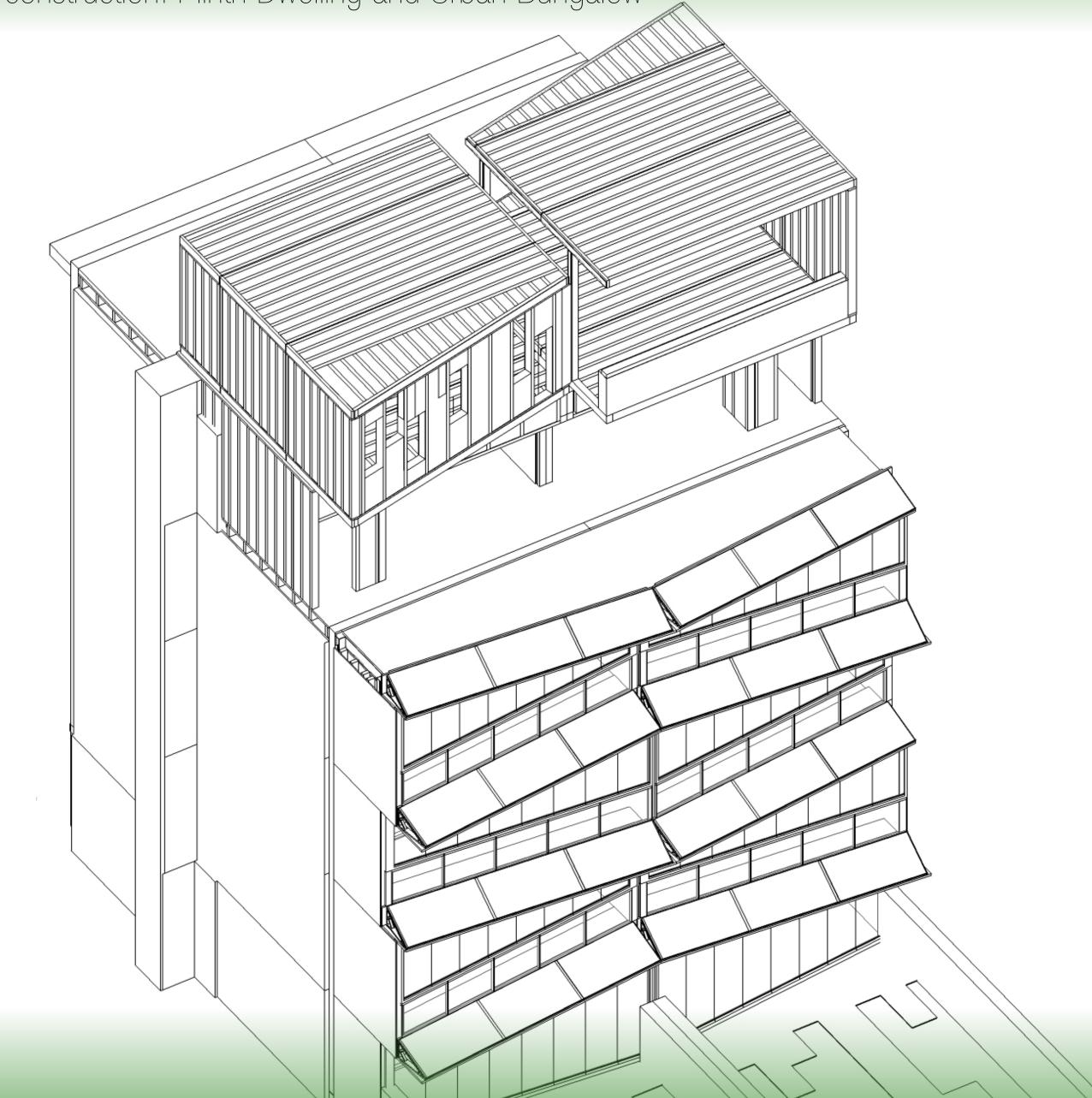
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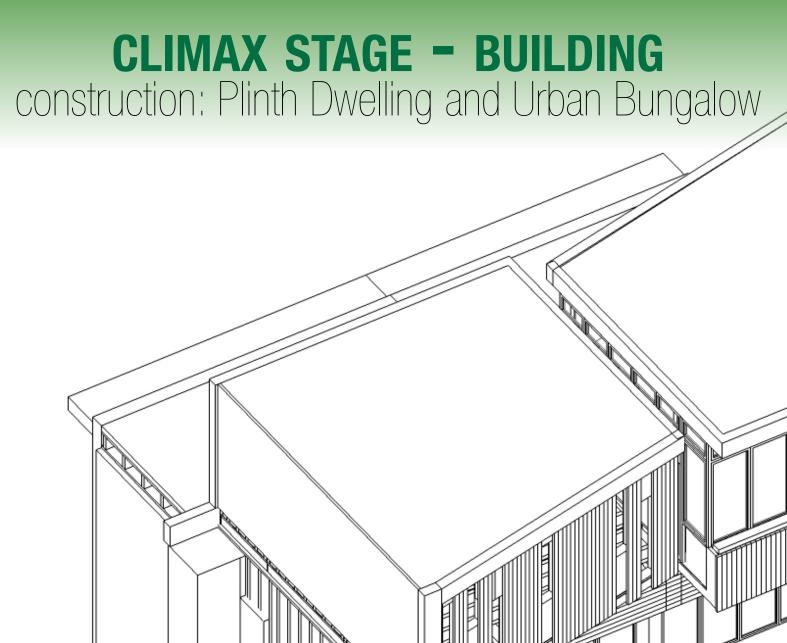


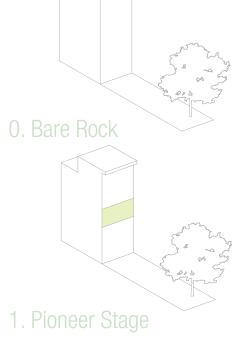
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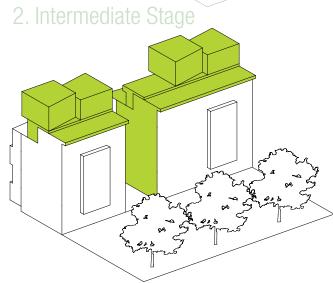
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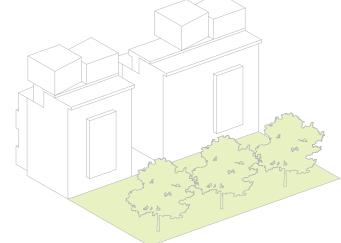




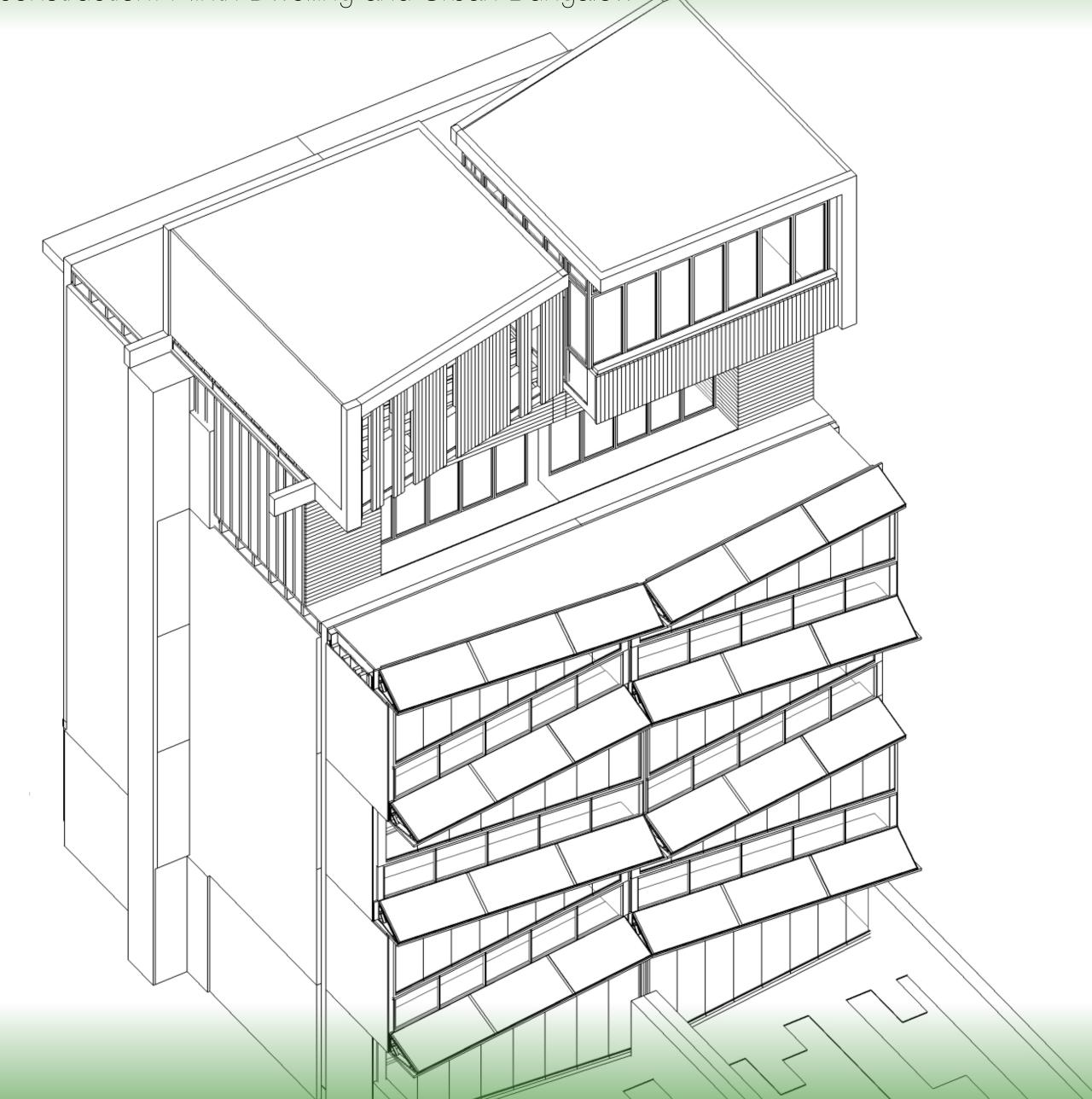




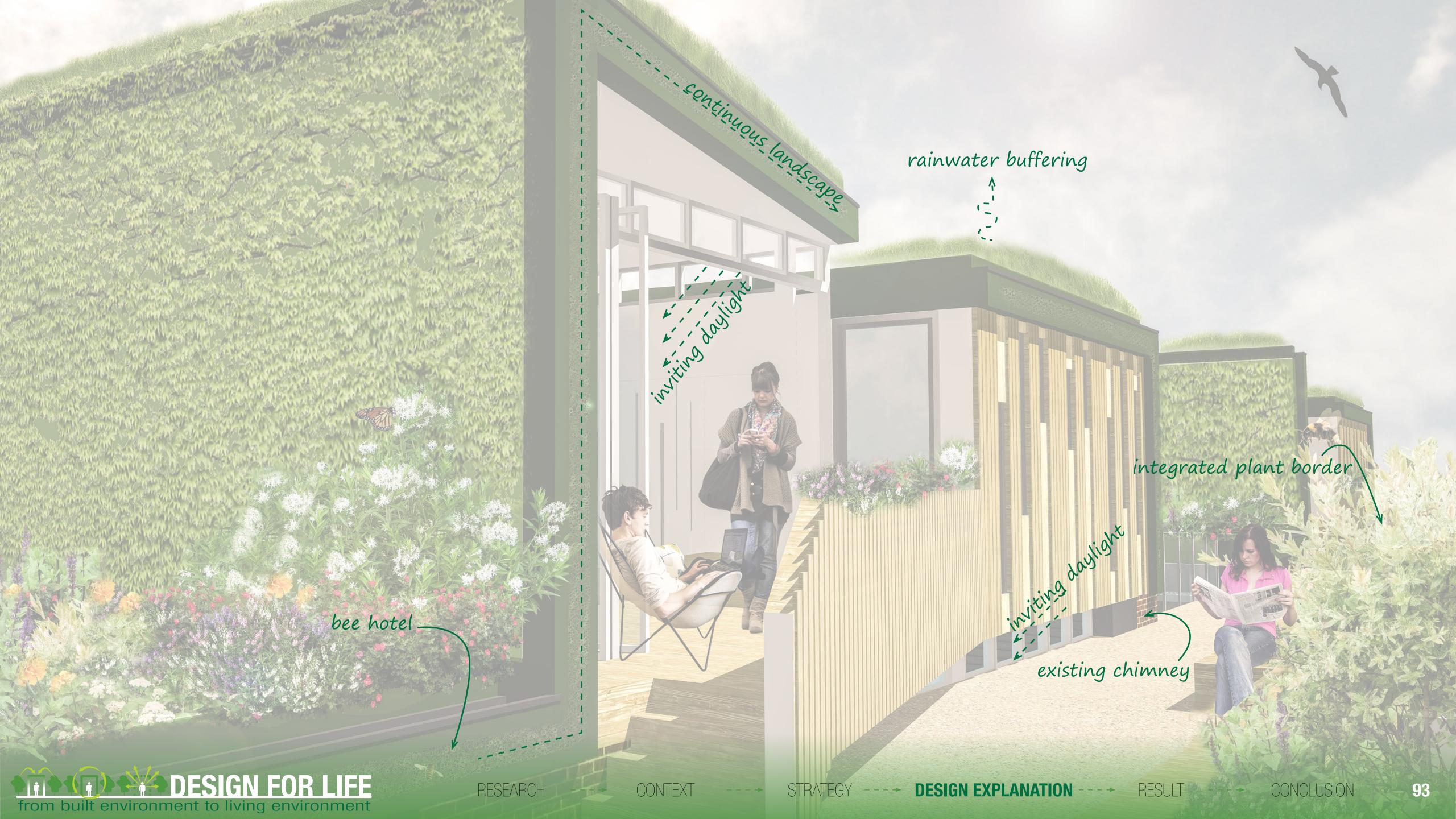
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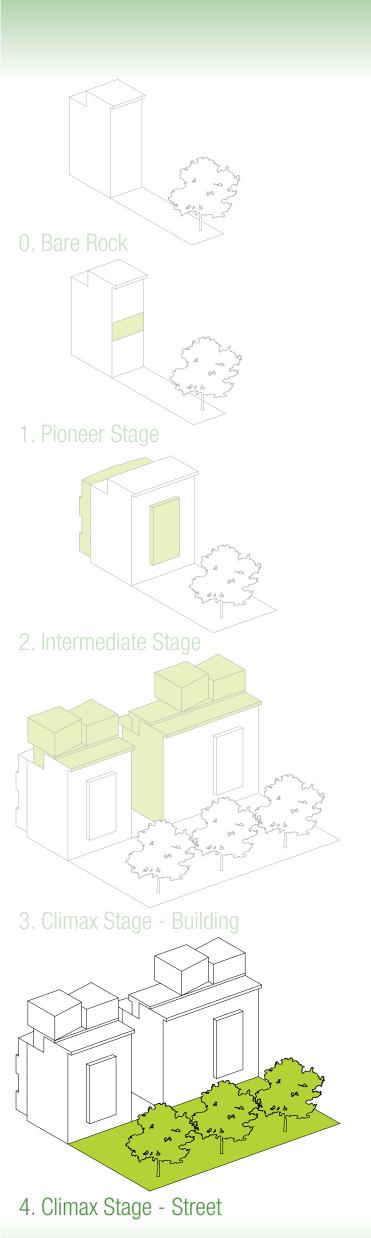


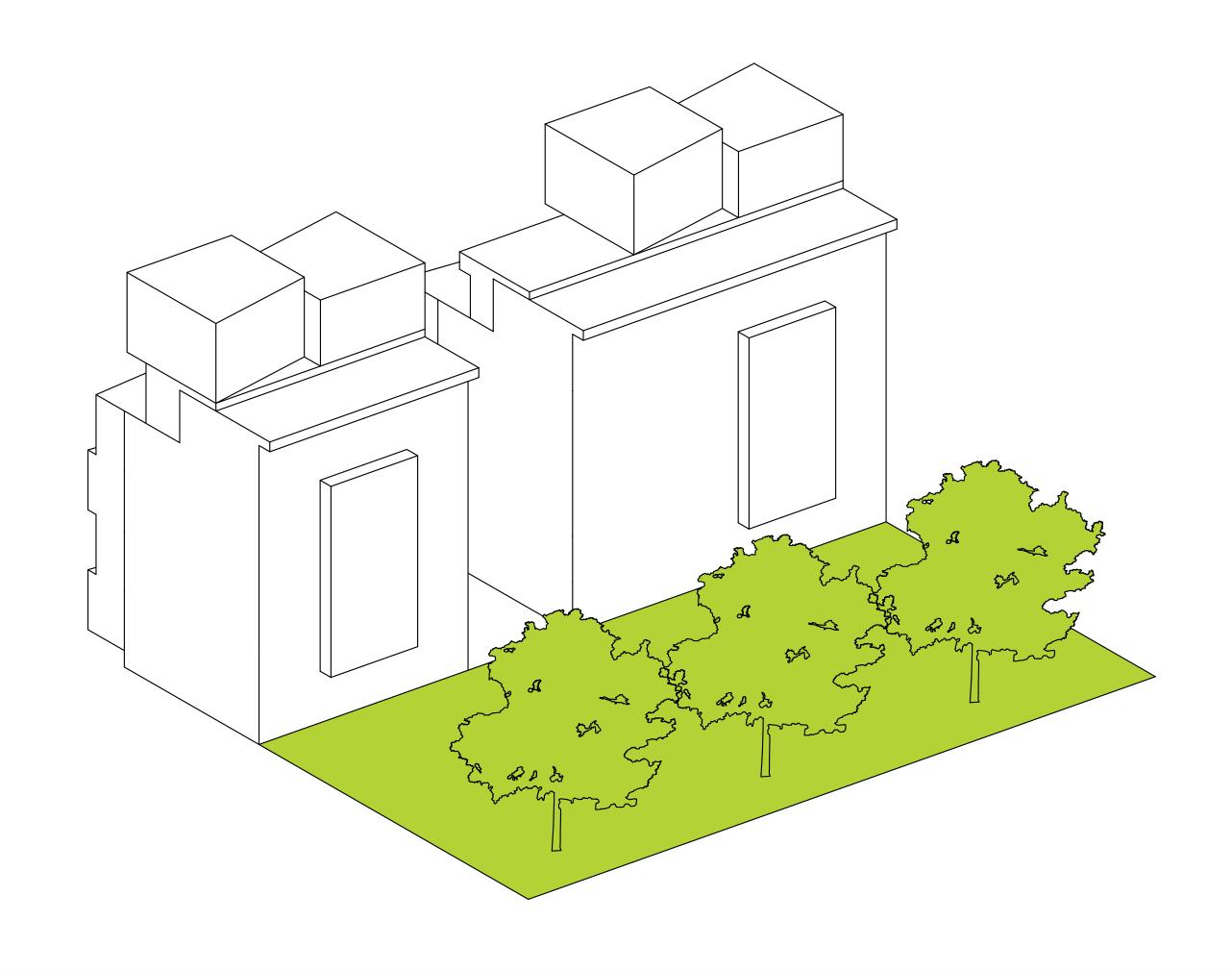






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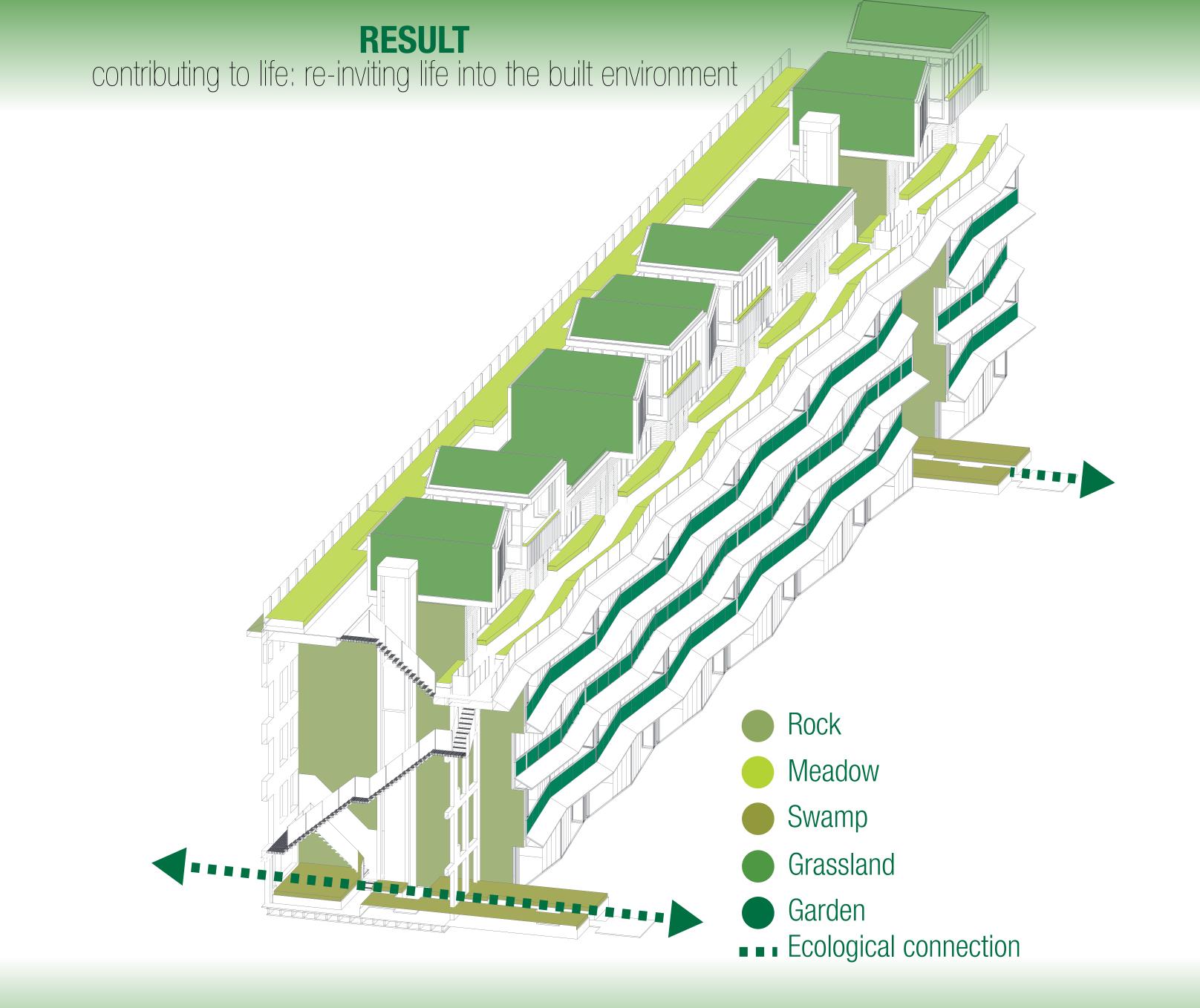


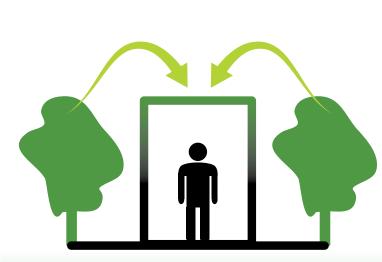




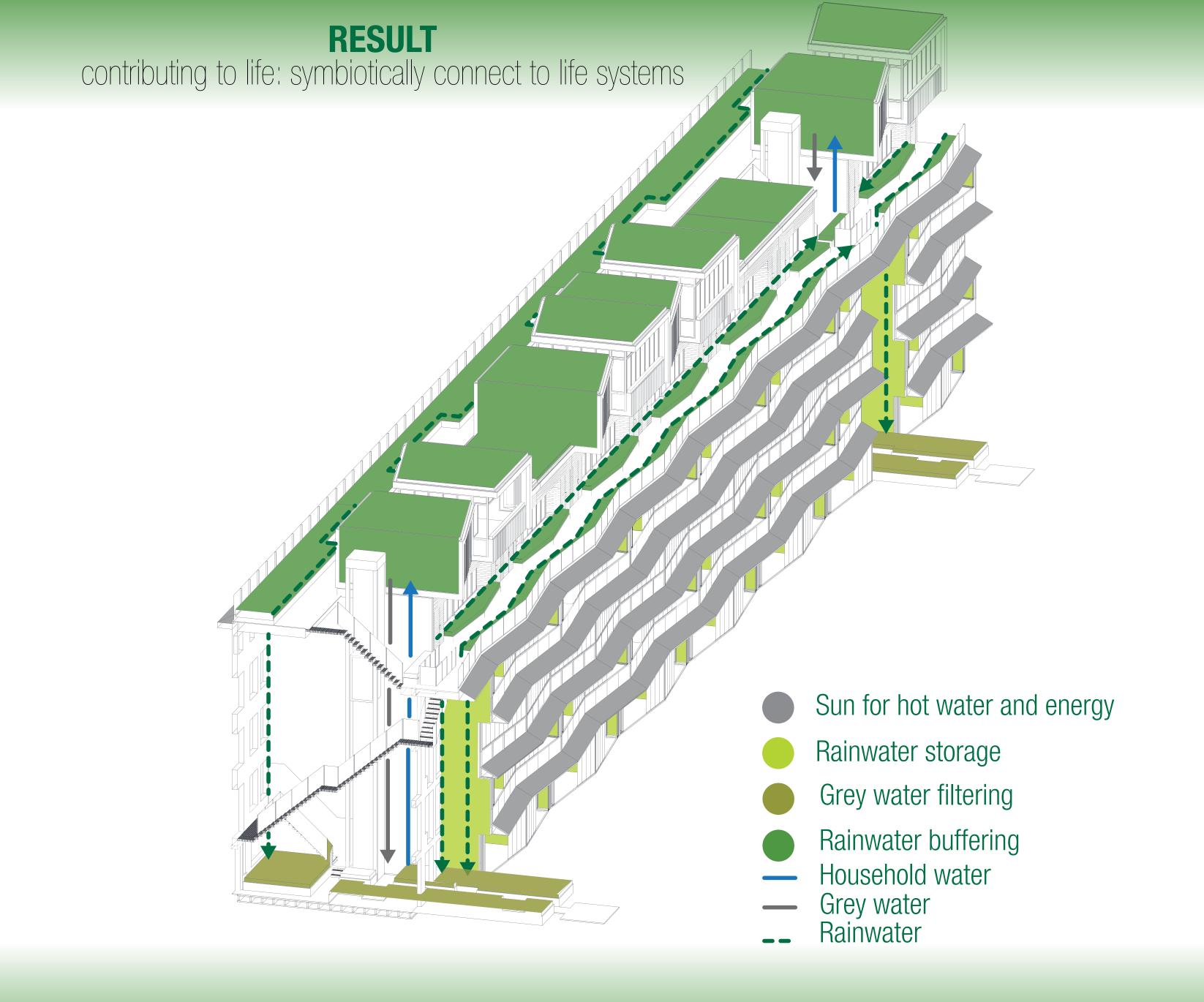
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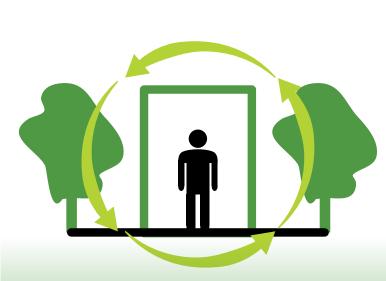










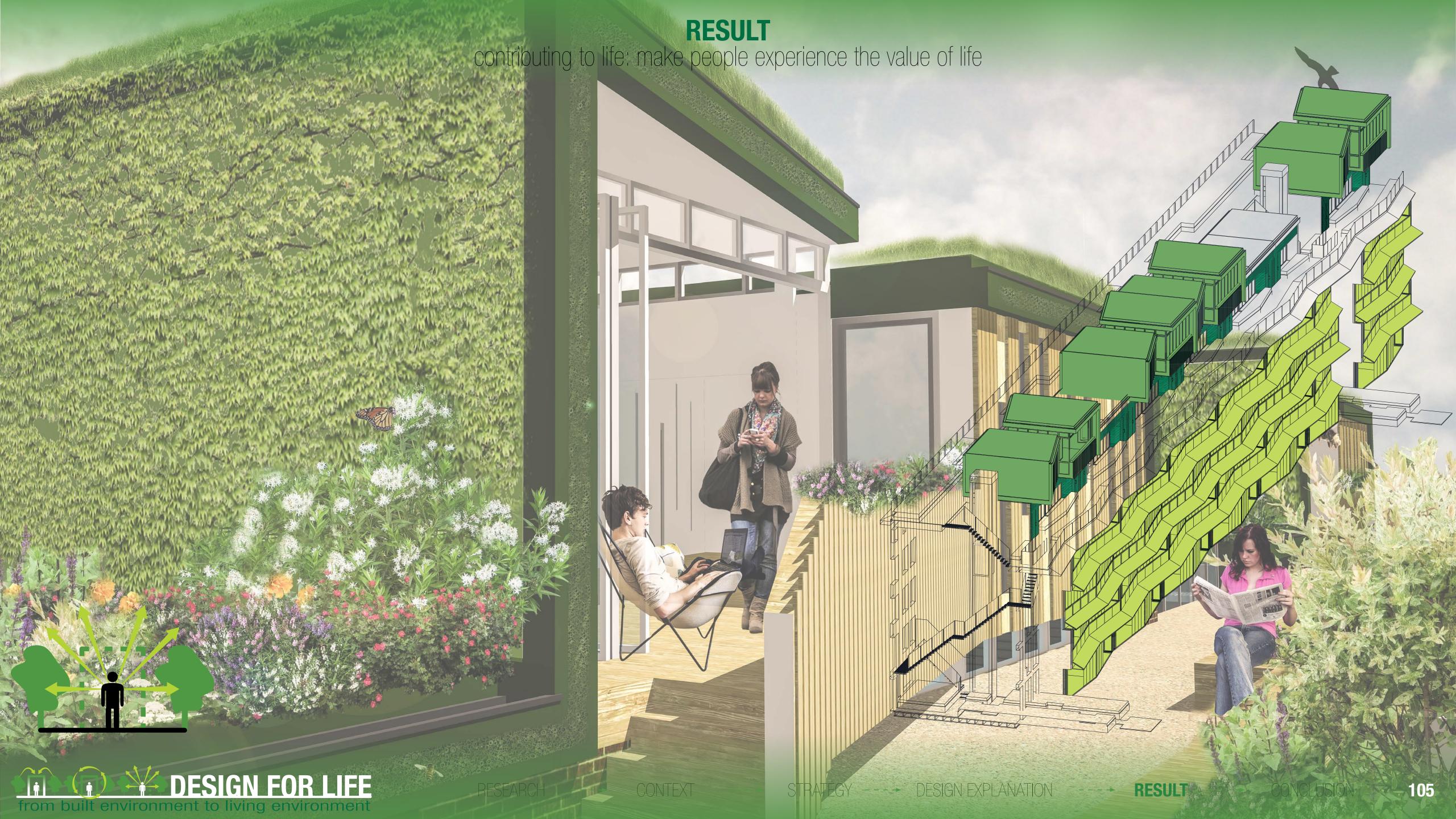




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