FROM CLOSED CITY BLOCK TO OPEN CAMPUS

Urban analysis

DIAGNOSIS AND PROBLEM STATEMENT
The problems regarding the location of Rijksuniversiteit are of those which arise from an inner blockage situation in urban transition from the city. The area has historically been closed off from the city. The main building mass, introduced in the 1960s is working, however, the buildings are not connected to each other by an inner blockage. The main entrance is located at the eastern edge of the site, which makes it difficult to access other parts of the campus. The main entrance of the building is located at the eastern edge of the site, which makes it difficult to access other parts of the campus. The main entrance is located at the eastern edge of the site, which makes it difficult to access other parts of the campus.

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GOALS:

- More university campus Open area in the city.
- Manage green traffic flow of the city.
- Provide parking facilities.
- Add at least 15,000 m² green area to the restructured property.

METHODS:

- Add Student Living at Rijksuniversiteit.
- Incorporate green spaces into the central campus.
- Create a stitching effect between the university and the city.
- Adding parking garage for university staff and visitors.
- Provide an indoor connection to the existing campus.
- Create a connection to the existing city block.

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CREATING CONCEPT

The concept for this area consists mainly on one idea: Constructing a new form on the Rijksuniversiteit, which will fit in the typological image of the city. A new element will be added to the central campus, which will function as a new area for students, staff, and visitors.

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