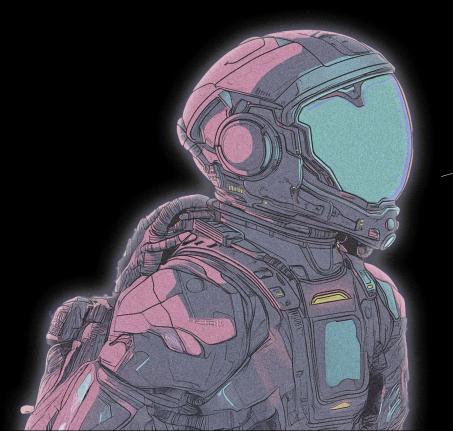
### LUNAR PLAYSCAPE:

DESIGNING A CLIMBING-BASED HABITAT
FOR DYNAMIC HUMAN BODY AND SPACE INTERACTION



#### living on the moon?

TO WORK?

TO PLAY?

TO COMMUNE?

#### LUNAR ARCHITECTURE & INFRASTRUCTURE

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# moon exploration

IN THE PAST

#### tasks intensive missions

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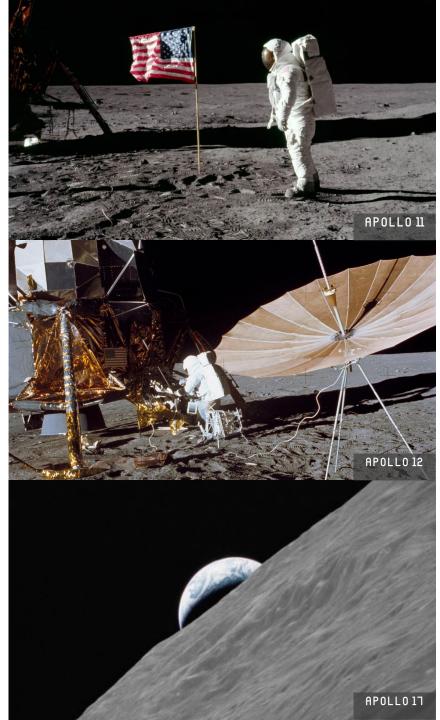
PERFORMED LUNAR LANDING AND RETURN TO EARTH
(NATIONAL GOAL BY PRESIDENT KENNEDY)

#### 12

LUNAR EXPLORATION TASKS BY THE LUNAR MODULE,
DEPLOYMENT OF THE APOLLO LUNAR SURFACE EXPERIMENTS PACKAGE.

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GEOLOGICAL SURVEYING AND SAMPLING OF MATERIALS, DEPLOYING AND ACTIVATING SURFACE EXPERIMENTS, CONDUCTING IN-FLIGHT EXPERIMENTS AND PHOTOGRAPHIC TASKS DURING LUNAR ORBIT AND TRANS-EARTH COAST,

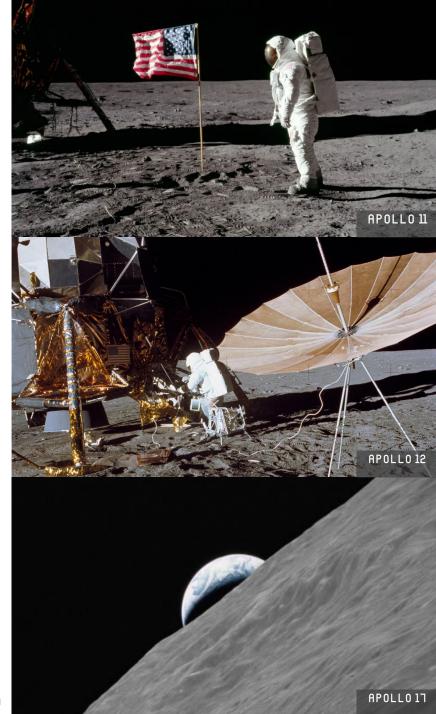


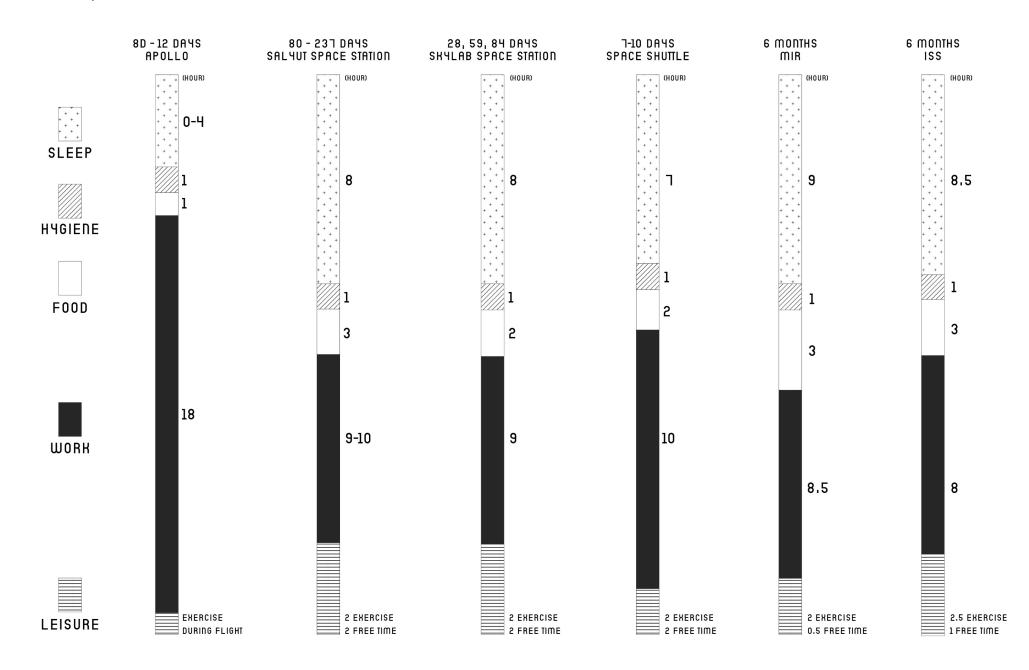
#### **NUMEROUS SECONDARY TASKS**

DEPLOYMENT OF A TELEVISION CAMERA TO TRANSMIT SIGNALS TO EARTH, DEPLOYMENT OF A SOLAR WIND, SEISMIC EXPERIMENT PACKAGE AND A LASER RANGING RETROREFLECTOR, GATHER SAMPLES OF LUNAR-SURFACE MATERIALS, PHOTOGRAPH THE LUNAR TERRAIN, DEPLOYED SCIENTIFIC EQUIPMENT, LUNAR MODULE SPACECRAFT

SELENOLOGICAL INSPECTION, SURVEYS AND SAMPLINGS IN LANDING AREAS, DEVELOPMENT FOT PRECISION-LANDING CAPABILITIES, FURTHER EVALUATIONS OF WORKING FOR LONG PERIOD, DEPLOYMENT AND RETRIEVAL OF OTHER SCIENTIFIC EXPERIMENTS, PHOTOGRAPHY OF CANDIDATE EXPLORATION SITES FOR FUTURE MISSIONS

DEPLOYED EXPERIMENTS SUCH AS APOLLO LUNAR SURFACE
EXPERIMENTS PACKAGE, WITH A HEAT FLOW EXPERIMENT,
LUNAR SEISMIC PROFILING, LUNAR SURFACE GRADIMETER,
LUNAR ATMOSPHERIC COMPOSITION EXPERIMENT, LUNAR EJECTA
AND METEORITES, LUNAR SAMPLING AND LUNAR ORBITAL
EXPERIMENTS



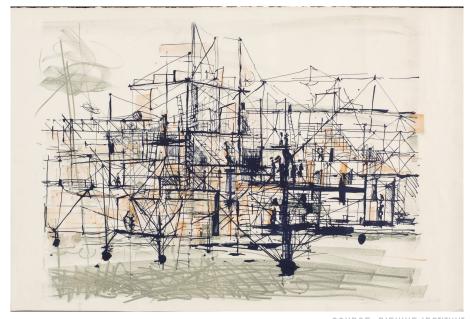


#### short term missions

VS

# long term habitation

## human's playing nature



SOURCE: NIEUWE INSTITUUT

**NEW BABYLON BY CONSTANT** 

CHARLES DUKE FROM APOLLO 16 SAID:

"TOWARDS THE END OF OUR STAY,

#### WE GOT EXCITED AND WE WERE GOING TO DO THE HIGH JUMP.

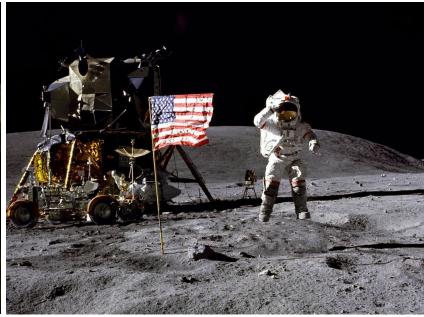
AND I JUMPED AND FELL OVER BACKWARDS,
THAT WAS A SCARY TIME,
BECAUSE IF THE BACKPACK GOT BROKEN,
I WOULD HAVE HAD IT,"

BUILDING HABITATS ON THE MOON P.248

## human's playing nature





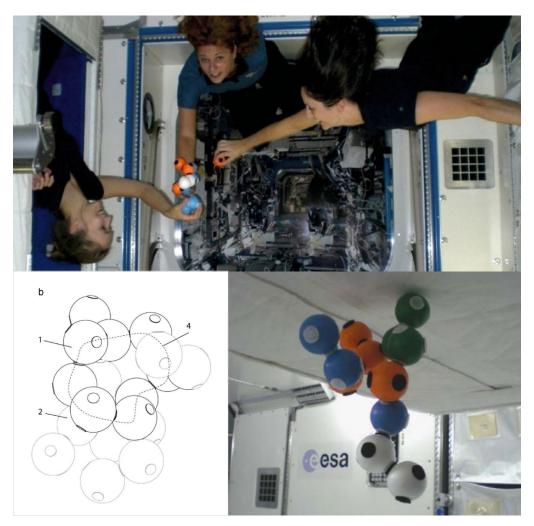


ALAN SHEPARD (AP14)
GOLF ON THE MOON

DAUID SCOTT (AP15)
HAMMER AND FEATHER

JOHN YOUNG (AP16)
MID-AIR SALUTE PHOTO

SOURCE: NASA.GOD



GAME FOR SPACE PROTOTYPE TESTED AT ISS

SOURCE: S. HAUPLIK-MEUSBURGER, ET AL., A GAME FOR SPACE, ACTA ASTRONAUTICA (2009), DOI: '' 10,1016/J.ACTAASTRO.2009.07.017

#### current leisure situation

"SUBJECTED TO HIGH WORKLOADS UNDER A TIGHT SCHEDULE WITHIN A CONFINED ENVIRONMENT, ASTRONAUTS HAVE DRAWN ON LEISURE ACTIVITIES IMPORTED MOSTLY FROM EARTH. POPULAR LEISURE ACTIVITIES DOCUMENTED TO-DATE HAVE CONCENTRATED ON PASSIVE PERUSAL OF MEDIA

LIKE RECORDS, AUDIO CASSETTES, NEWSPAPER, LETTERS, BOOKS, MAGAZINES, TELEVISION, AND MOVIES"

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**LUNAR PLAYSCAPE** → REIMAGINES THE LIFESTYLE ~ ACTIVITIES

### physical requirement

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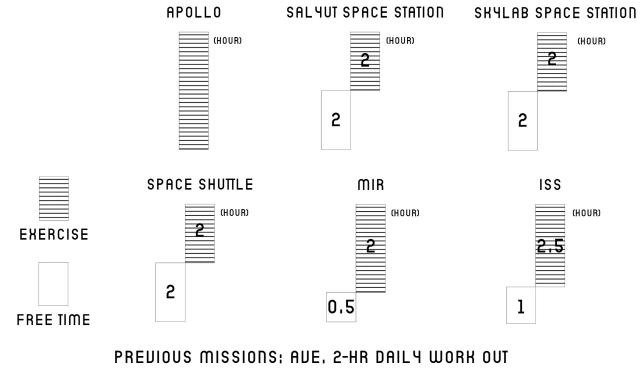
social requirement

### 1. physical

LONG-TERM HABITATION
IN
LOW LUNAR GRADITY

AFFECTS

BODY STRUCTURE
MUSCLE & BONE DENSITY



SOURCE: ARCHITECTURE FOR ASTRONAUTS (BOOK)

#### **NEW WAY OF EXERCISING -> DISTRIBUTING WORK OUT**

HAVING BREAKFAST GOING TO MEETING

SITTING IN LUNCH LECTURE HAVING SOCIAL EVENING

GOING TO GYM HEADING HOME "...I DO GET A SENSE OF SATISFACTION FROM WORKING OUT ... EXERCISE IS NOT ONLY A CRITICAL PHYSICAL COMPONENT ... IT HAS AN IMPORTANT PSYCHOLOGICAL COMPONENT TOO."

-PEGGY WHITSON, ISS-

"I COULD REALLY RUN (IN PLACE) AT DIFFERENT SPEEDS AND FOR **LONG DURATIONS**, AND THAT'S THE WAY I DID ALL MY EXERCISE."

-GENE CERNAN, APOLLO 17-

"I HATE OUR EXERCISES ...

BORING AND MONOTONOUS, AND HEADY WORK ..."

-DALERY RYUMIN, SALYUT-

"SOMETIMES IT IS DERY HARD TO FORCE YOURSELF TO DO. WE LIKE THE TREADMILL THE MOST, BECAUSE WE CAN DO SUCH A DARIETY OF EXERCISES ON IT. IN FACT, WE'DE EDEN MADE UP SOME NEW EXERCISES OF OUR OWN."

-LEBEDED, SALYUT-

ARCHITECTURE FOR ASTRONAUTS (BOOK)



### 2. social

INCREASING MOONERS POPULATION

LEADS TO

A QUERY IN COMMUNITY CREATION



### social life in previous spaceship

#### **UERY LOW IN PRIORITY**

"HAUING DINNER IS A SOCIAL ACTIVITY SHARED BY MANY CULTURES AND IS ONE OF THE HABITUAL SOCIAL CUSTOMS THAT PEOPLE CARRY INTO SPACE ... ON SKYLAB MISSIONS, CREWS REFUSED TO FLOAT OVER THE TABLE ... THEY HAD FOR THE FIRST TIME A LARGE DEDICATED AREA FOR FOOD PREPARATION AND DINING AND WERE EATING TOGETHER ON A SPECIALLY DESIGNED TABLE, EATING WITH KNIVES, FORKS AND SPOONS

SPACE ARCHITECTURE EDUCATION FOR ARCHITECTS AND ENGINEERS P.131

#### MORE WAYS OF SOCIALISING?

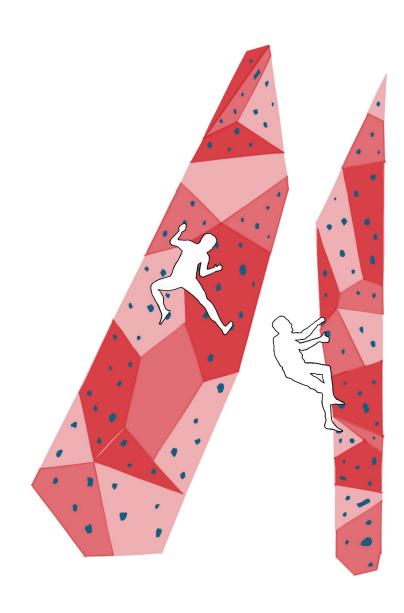




RESEARCH QUESTION | PHYSICAL REQUIREMENT

#### PHYSICAL & SOCIAL WELL-BEING

# playscape = incorporating muscle work & various postures with architecture



### climbing as an act of new normal

TO MOVE BY CLIMBING -> IMMERSIVE DIFFUSION INTO LUNAR CONDITIONS

176 WEIGHT OF EARTH →
LIGHTER BODY WEIGHT, HIGHER IMPACT-LESS FALL

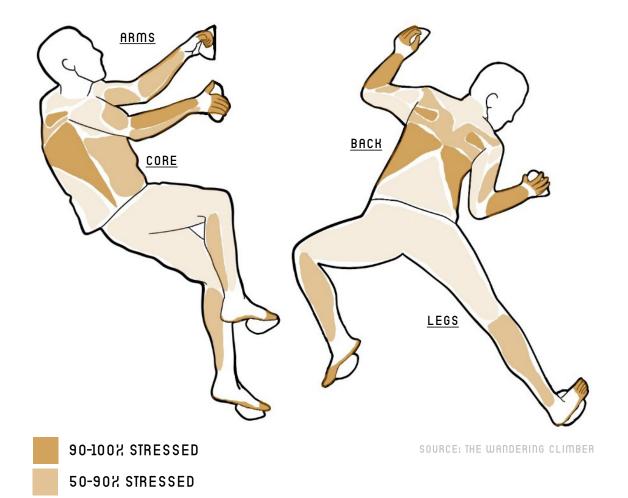
FULL BODY MUSCLE USE

RICH ACTIVITY
DEVELOPMENT OPTIONS

TRIGGER OF ANOTHER
BODY MOVEMENTS
(GRIPPING, JUMPING, FALLING)

LESS THAN 50% STRESSED

### muscle activation





EXPERIENCING CLIMBING

## an effective social bonding tool



#### **RESEARCH QUESTION**

how is **playscape** designed under benefits of lunar environment to foster work productivity and social interaction during long-term lunar habitation?

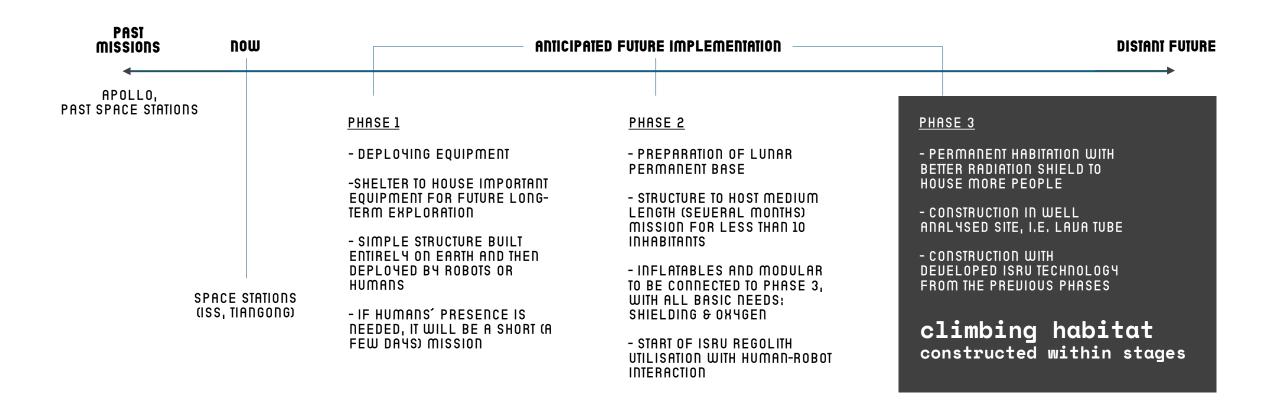
#### DESIGN DIRECTION

climbing habitat -> to create interactive and engaging environment, space and furniture

### **NEW RITUAL**

being on the moon is the perfect time to **re-feel our body** by engaging with new gravity & new architecture around us

### project timeline

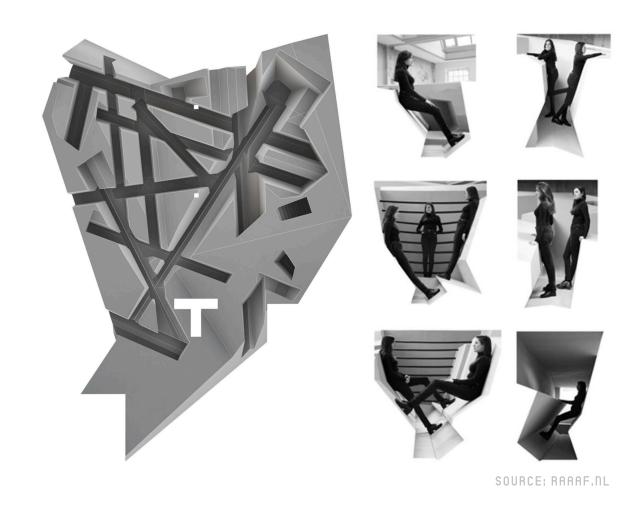


## human body postures & interactions in between

#### UNCONVENTIONAL VERTICAL SURFACES AS A COUNTERACT OF SEDENTARY WORKSTYLE



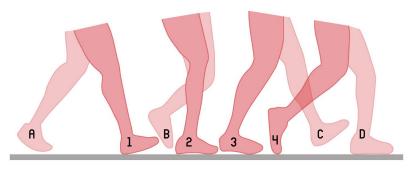
THE END OF SITTING BY RAAAF



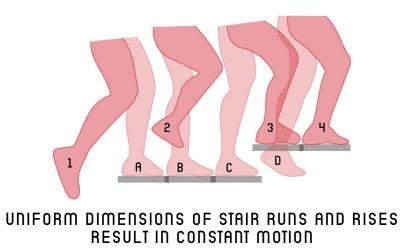
### human body postures & interactions in between

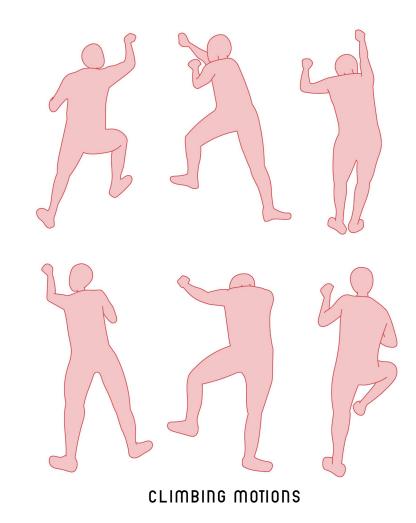
CLIMBING AS A COUNTERACT OF REPETITIVE AND STATIC MOVEMENTS ON EARTH

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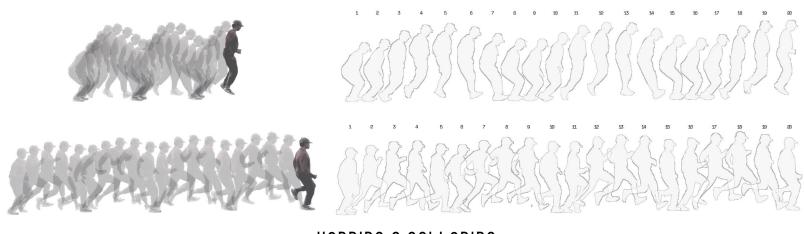


WALKING = LINEAR MOTION ADAPTED TO FLAT & STABLE TERRAIN

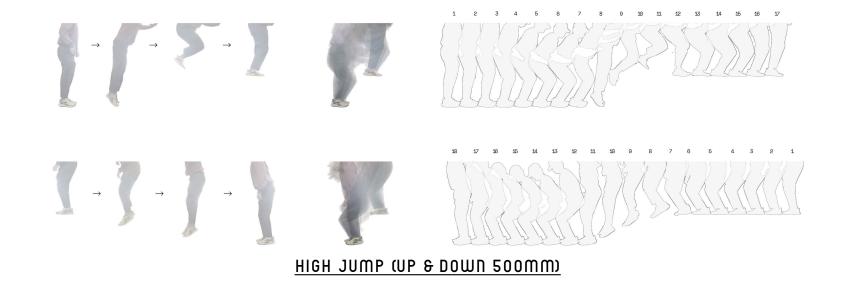


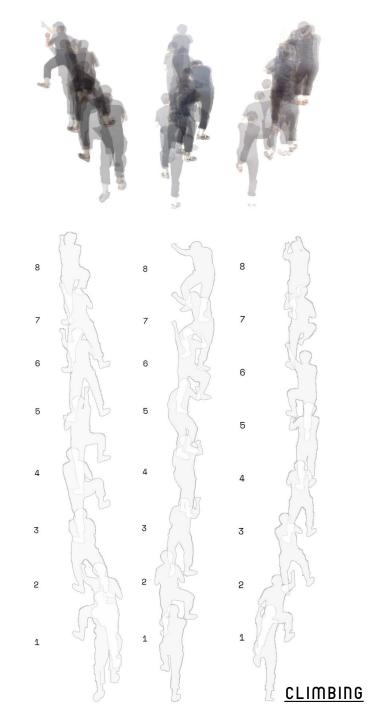


## human body movements mapping

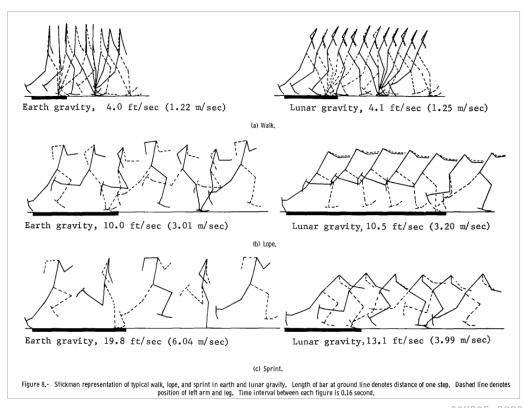


#### HOPPING & GALLOPING



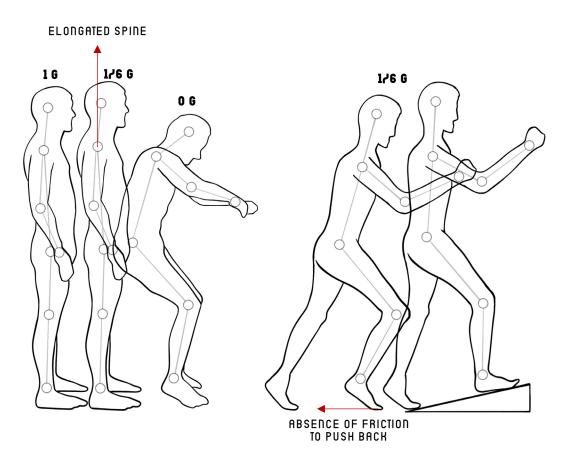


### body movement against gravity



SOURCE: DASA

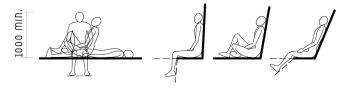
COMPARATIVE MEASUREMENTS OF WALKING AND RUNNING GAITS (1966)



**NEUTRAL POSITION & START OF WALKING** 

# parameters derived from lunar physics

ALL DIMENSIONS IN MILIMETRES



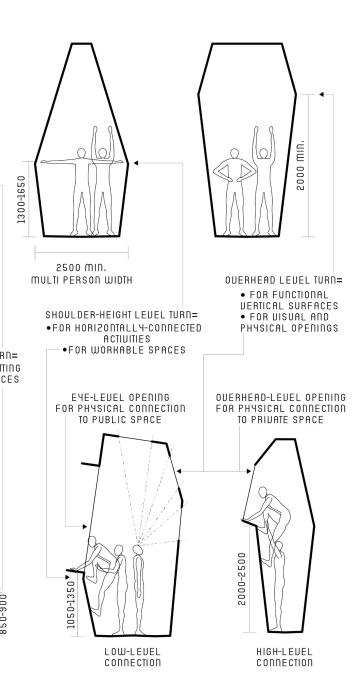
LAYING AND FLAT-SEATED LEANING (RESTING POSITION)

INCLINATION OF HORIZONTAL MOVEMENT (2°-5°) TO STRAIGHTEN BODY AND TO INCREASE SURFACE FRICTION HIGH CEILING= • FASTER MOVEMENT • HIGHER HUMAN AND ACTIVITY DENSITY • MORE FUNCTIONAL **UERTICAL SURFACES** LOW CEILING= 6000 MAK. • SLOW AND LOW IMPACT MOVEMENTS 4500 MIN.

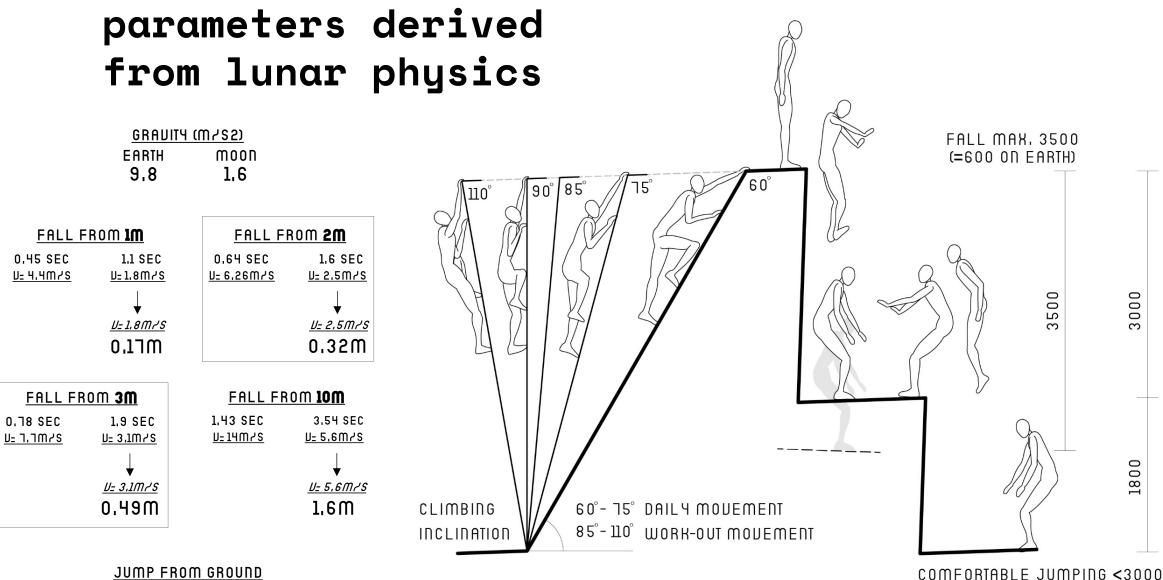
STABLE STANDING POSTURE (SHOULDER WIDTH OR MORE) MID-BODY LEUEL TURN= • TO ACCOMMODATE SITTING • FOR STATIONARY SPACES ACUTE ANGLE SEATS FOR HIGHER SEATING STABILITY 250-300 SITTING SPACES PUBLIC CLEARANCE SPACE

1500 MIN.

SINGLE PERSON WIDTH 800 MIN.



PERSONAL CLEARANCE SPACE

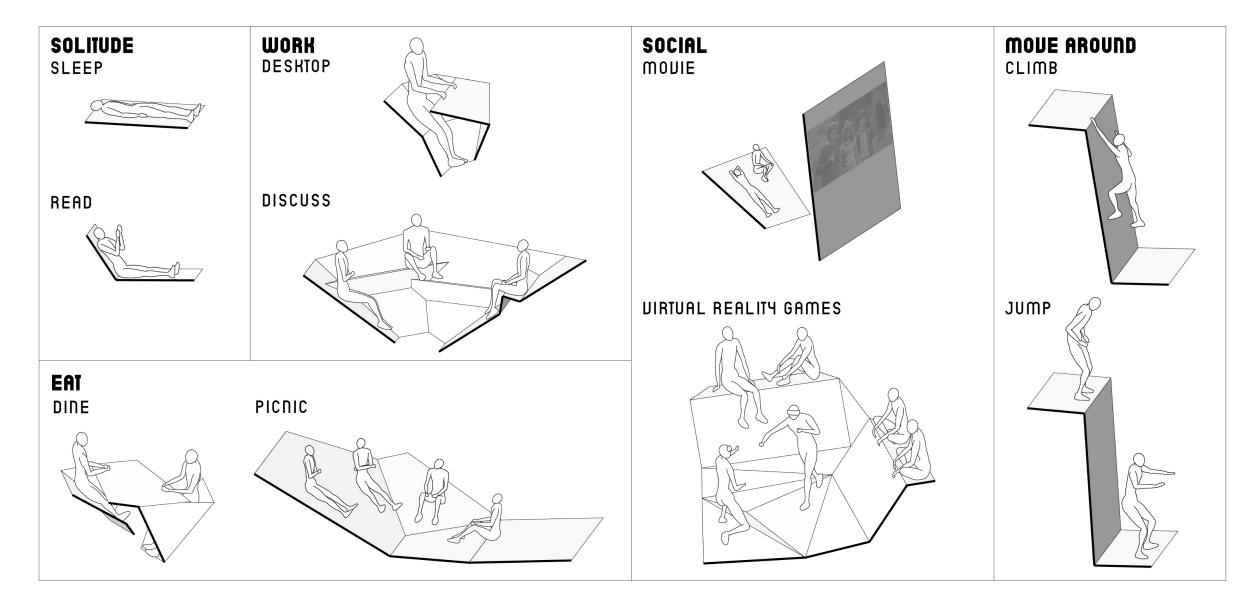


(=500 ON EARTH)

JUMP FROM GROUND

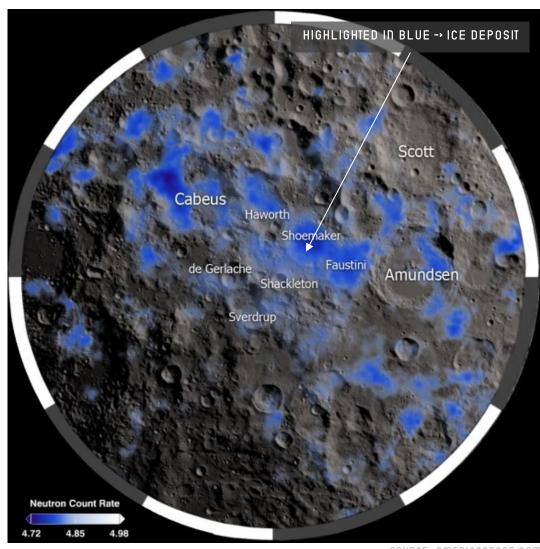
0.5 M → 2.7 - 3 M

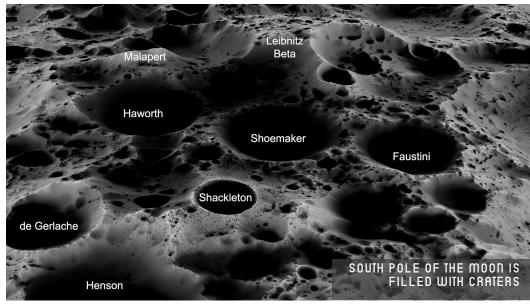
# (assumptive) fundamental postures to activities



# designing lunar habitat

### site





SOURCE: LPI.USRA.EDU

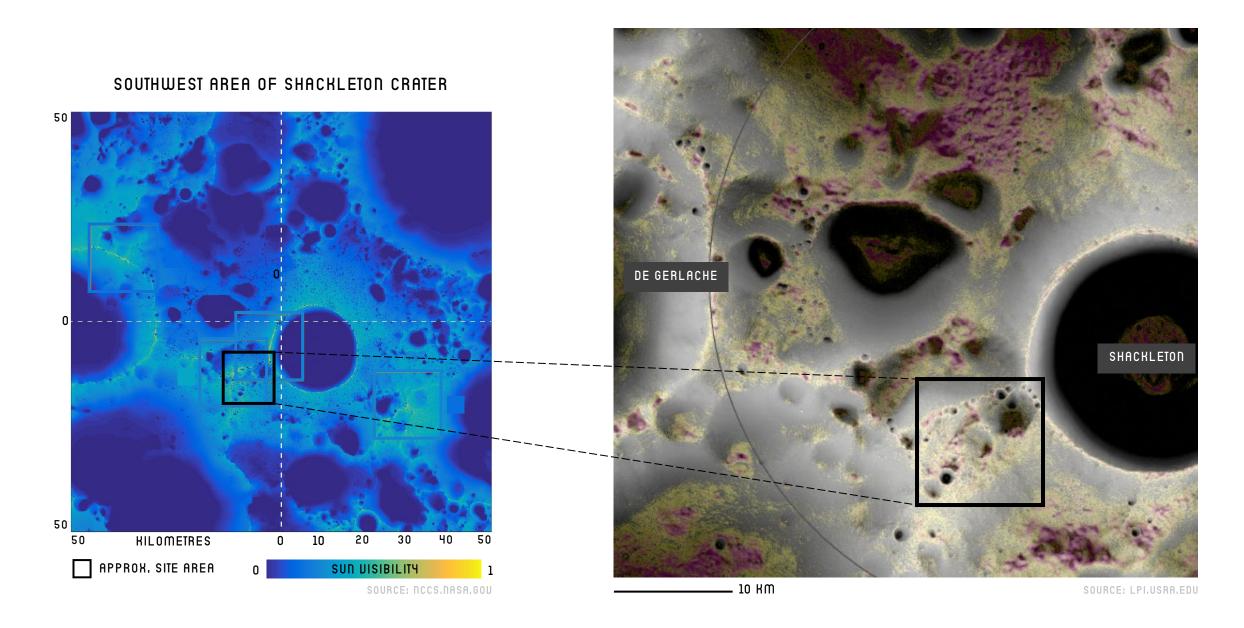
SOUTH POLE OF MOON

**RESOURCES** 

WATER (ICE) → CRATER BASE SUN POWER → CRATER RIM

SOURCE: AMERICASPACE.COM

### site



### site

(zoom in to 1:1000)



#### PROTECTION FROM

RADIATION (200X > EARTH SURFACE)
TEMPERATURE FLUCTUATIONS (-133 TO 121°C)
METEORITE SHOWER

SOURCE: SETI INSTITUTE

### program requirements

(MIN. 80M3 PER PERSON)

#### 1. PUBLIC OPEN SPACES

ATRIUM PLAYGROUND

UERTICAL GARDEN FOOD GALLERY

KITCHEN & DINING
SEMI-OUTDOOR SPACE

#### 2. CIRCULATION

CLIMBING WALLS FOR ENCOURAGED MAIN CIRCULATION

PROGRAM	MIN. VOLUME PER PERSON (M3)	S		MIN. HEIGHT (M)	MAX. Capacity	CONNECTION ORIENTATION
PRIVATE QUARTERS (BED)	6	4	8	1.5	1 (EACH)	HORIZONTAL
PRIDATE QUARTERS (STUDY)	25	17	R	4.5	3 (EACH)	UERTICAL
PRIVATE QUARTERS (HYGIENE)	4	3	ĸ	3	1 (EACH)	-
KITCHEN & DINING	15	10	ĸ	4.5	3	HORIZONTAL
GЧМ	10	٦	ĸ	4.5	3	HORIZONTAL
WORK FACILITIES	20	14	ĸ	6	6	UERTICAL
MINIMUM HABITABLE	80					
PLAYGROUND	30	21	R	10	>6	UERTICAL
FOOD GALLERY	20	14	8	10	>6	UERTICAL
CLINIC	4	3	R	4.5	3	HORIZONTAL
STORAGE	5	3	ĸ	3	-	HORIZONTAL
SERUICE	5	3	R	3	-	-
TOTAL	144	100	R			

### 3. SPECIFIC WORKING SPACES

RESEARCH LAB
DESK STATIONS
CONTROL CENTRE
CLINIC
GYM

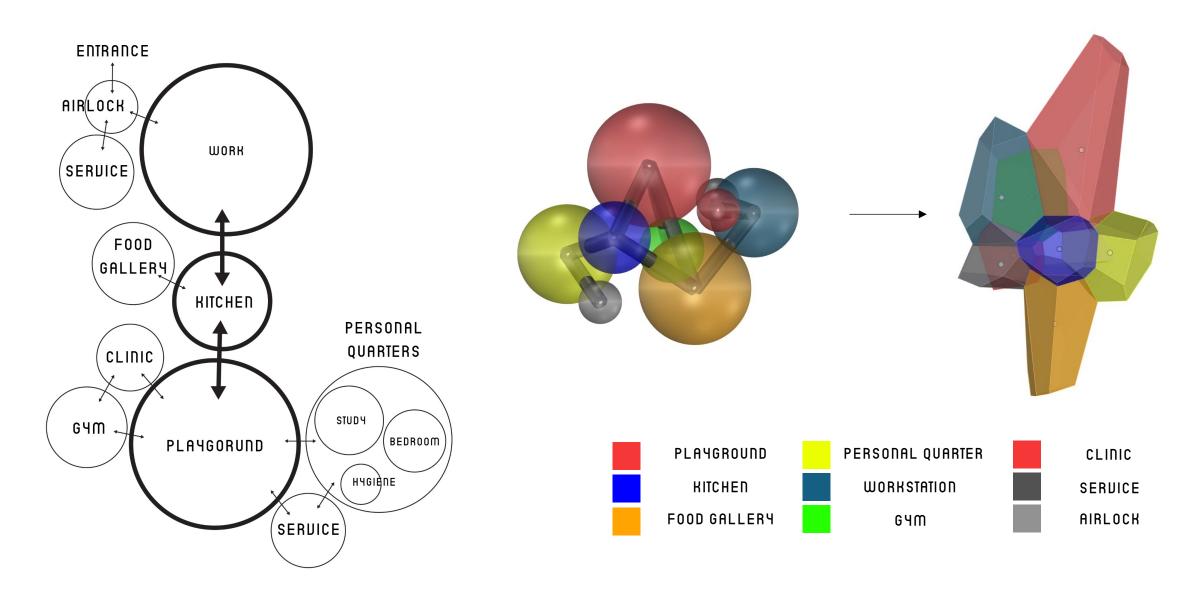
## 4. PERSONAL SOLITUDE SPACES

BEDROOM STUDY HYGIENE

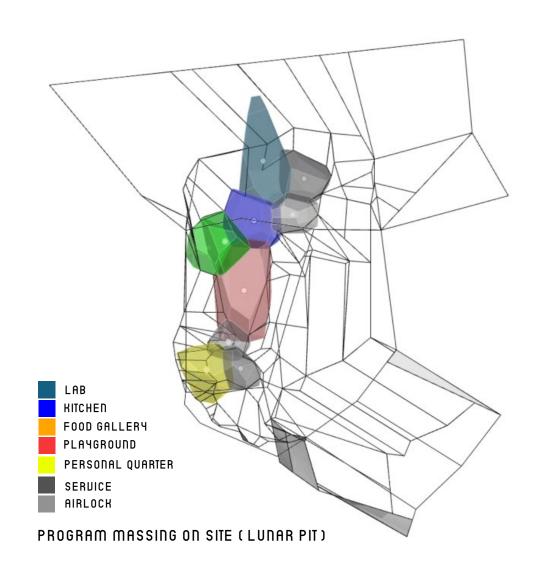
#### **5. SERUICE SPACES**

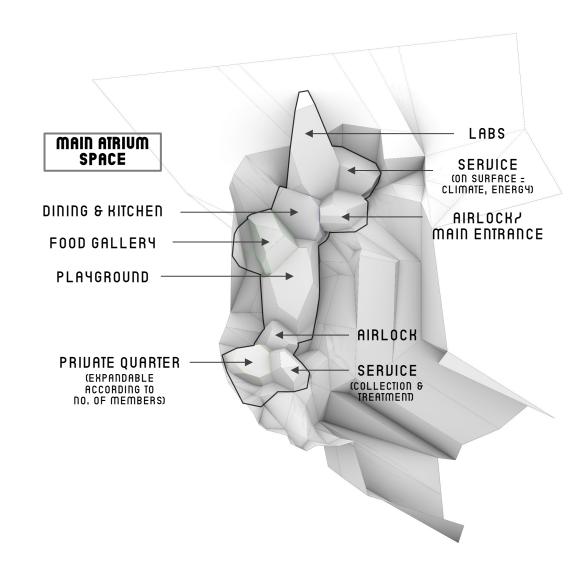
LIFE SUPPORT STORAGE
AIRLOCK CHAMBERS
DONNING & DOFFING AREA
STORAGE

# program spatial distribution 2D program adjacencies to 3D connectivity



# program massing 3D program adjacencies on site

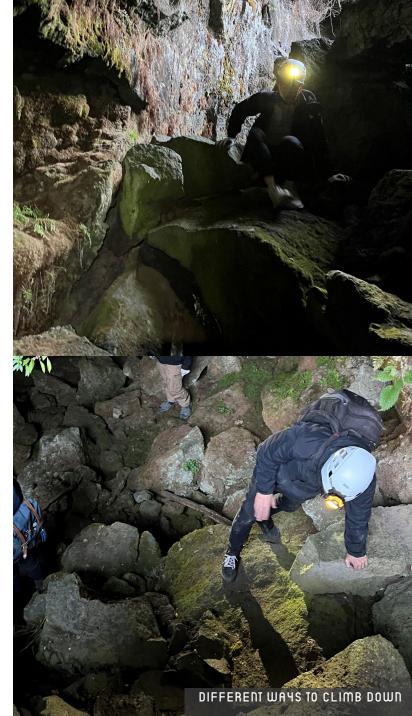




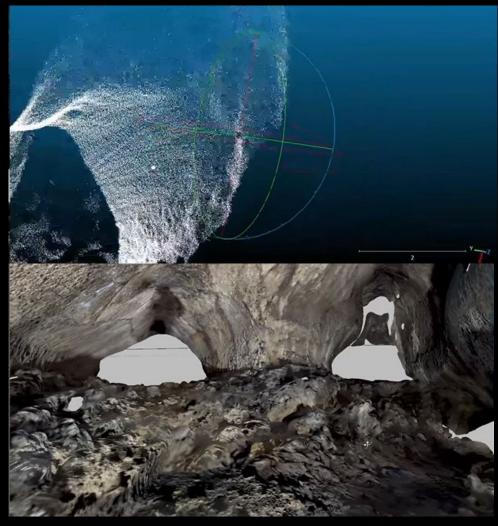
### lava tube mission



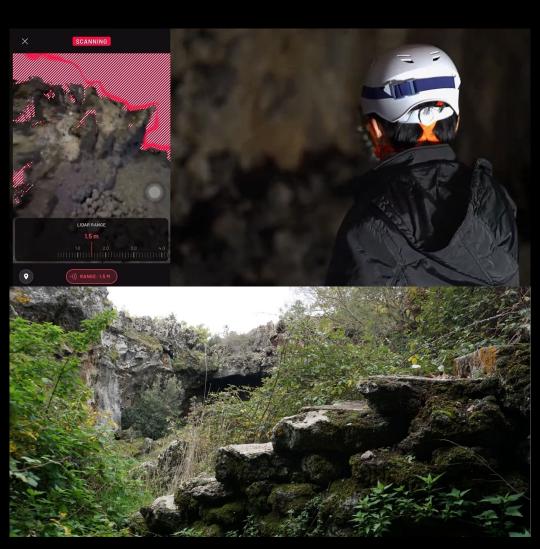
CHALLENGING → EYES & BODY → SPATIAL COORDINATION



## lava tube mission

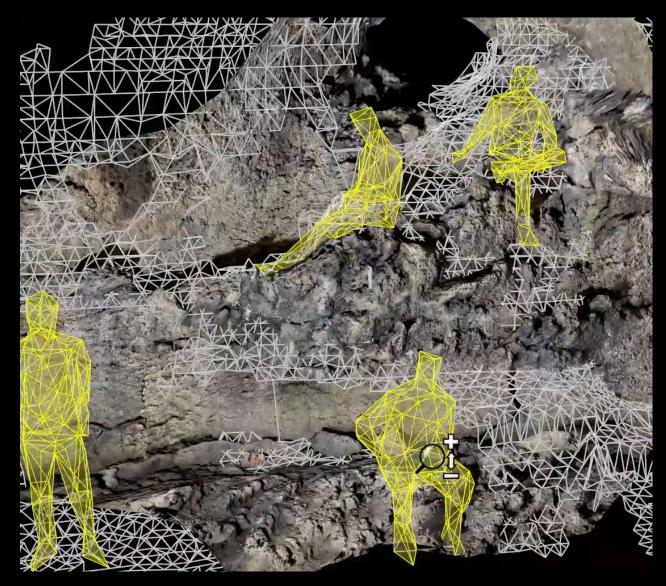


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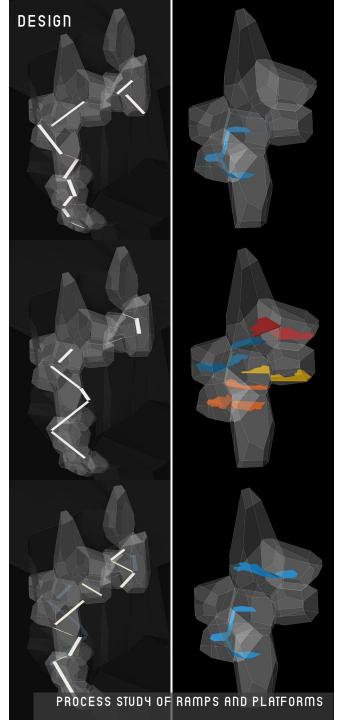


FURNITURE & MATERIAL SCALES

## body dimensions to architectural scales

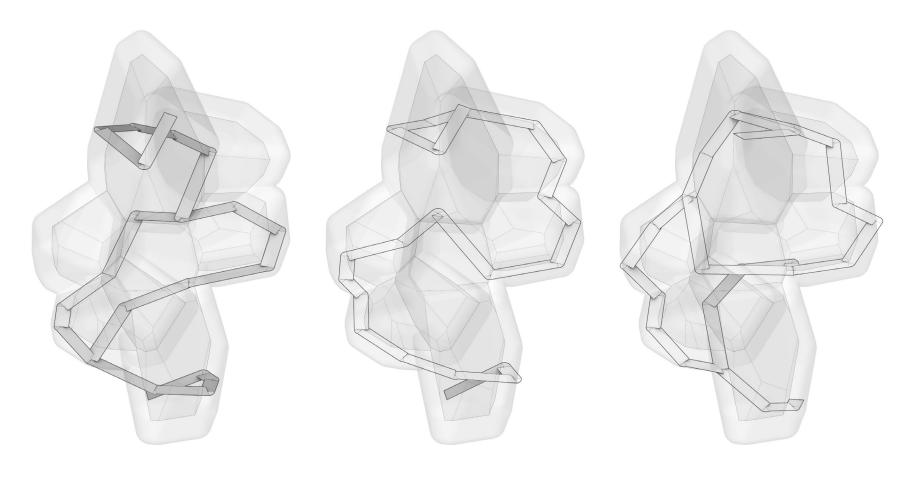






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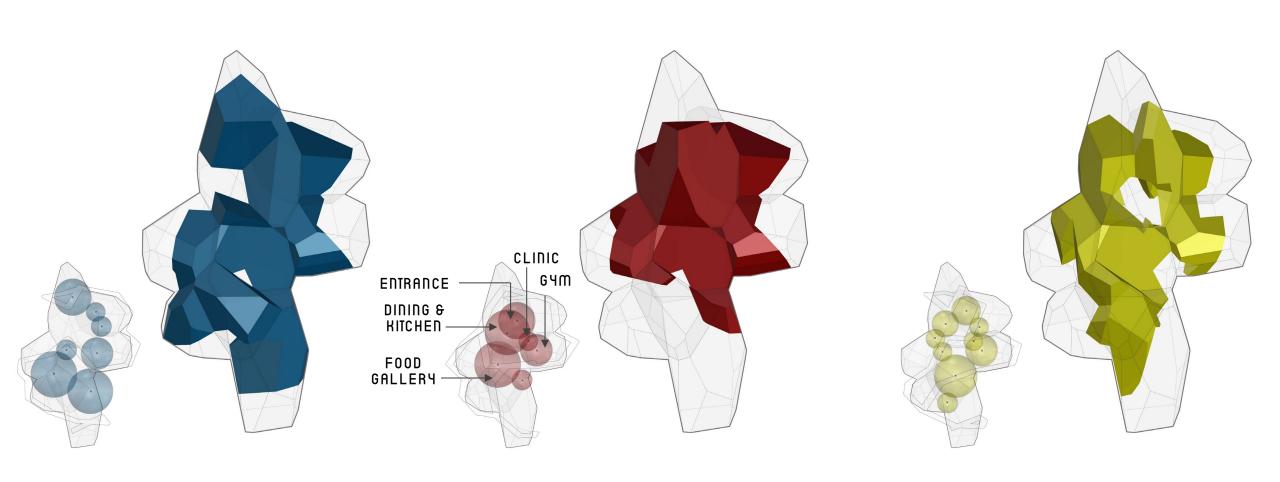
thick walls and circulation



GRADUAL ANGLED PATH GOES THROUGH THICK WALLS

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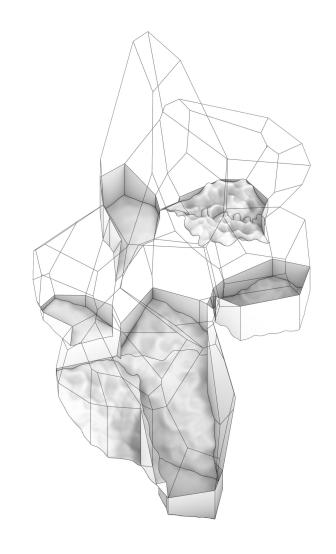
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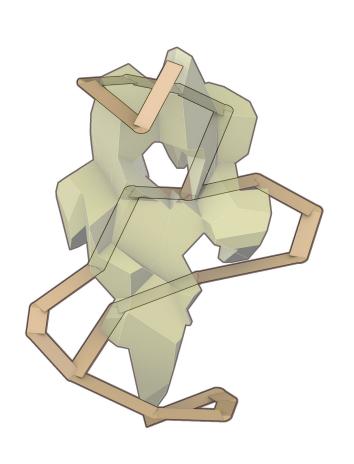


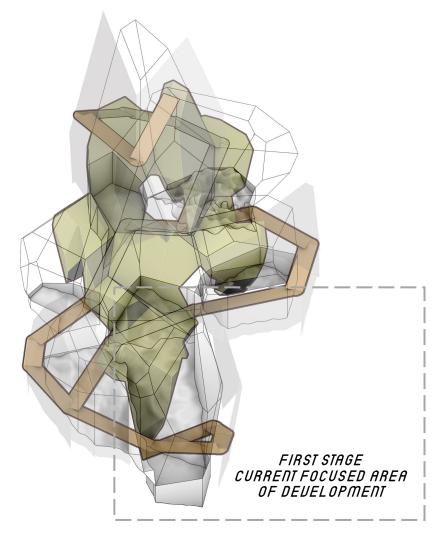
PROGRAM PLACEMENT TESTED ALONG CIRCULATION
POINTS GENERATED FROM SPHERES -> CONVERTED INTO VORONOI-BASED SPACES

## form finding

man-made to nature







NATURAL TERRAIN BUILT ELEMENTS INTERTWINED

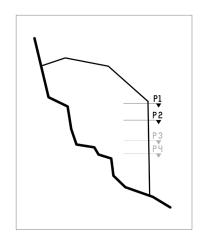
ARCHITECTURAL ELEMENTS - EXISTING TERRAIN -> SURFACES ANGLES AND RESOLUTION

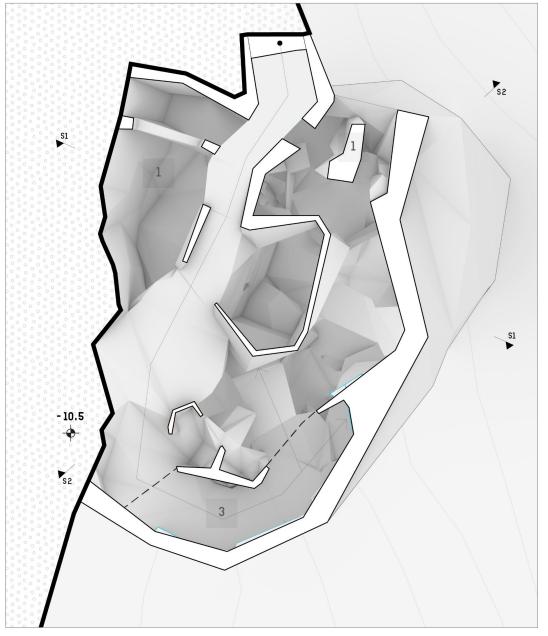
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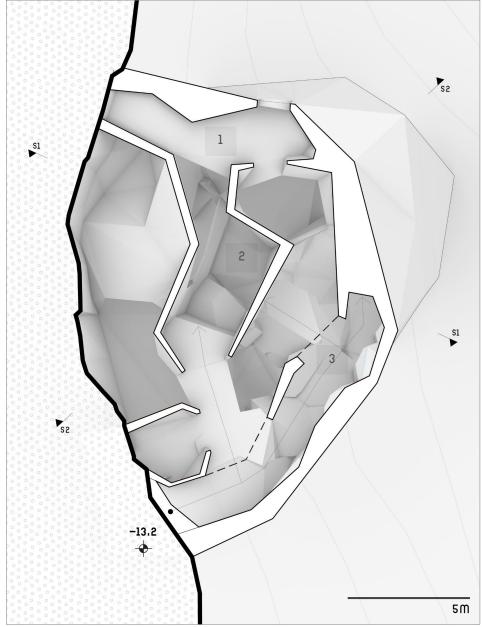
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ARCHITECTURAL ELEMENTS - UIEWS, BODY ENGAGEMENT

- 1 WORK ZONE
- 2 EAT ZONE
- 3 INTERNAL RAMPWAY





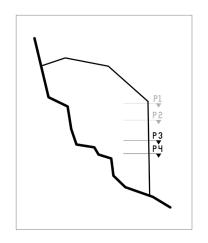


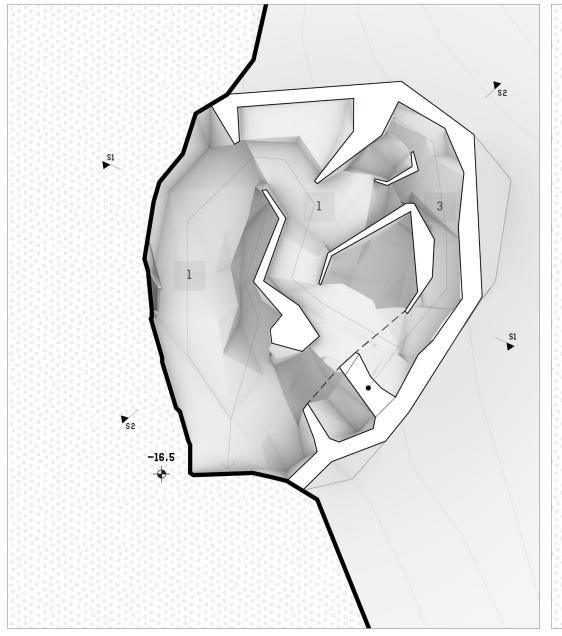
PLAN 1 PLAN 2

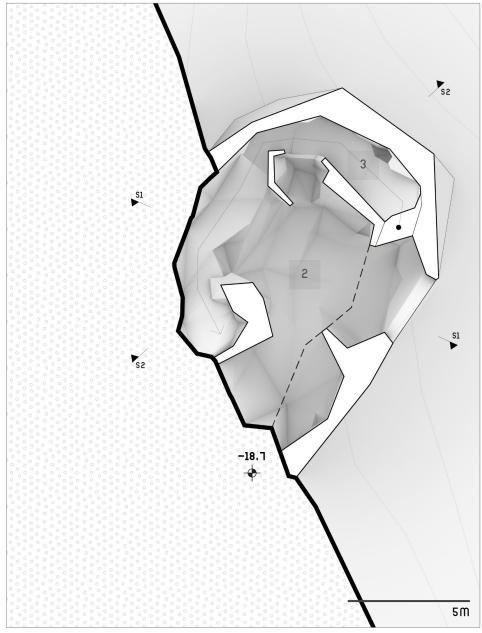
#### plans

ARCHITECTURAL ELEMENTS - UIEWS, BODY ENGAGEMENT

- 1 EAT ZONE
- 2 SOCIALISE ZONE
- 3 INTERNAL RAMPWAY







PLAN 3 PLAN 4

#### sections

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1 WORK ZONE

2 EAT ZONE

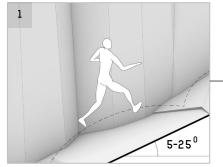
3 SOCIALISE ZONE

4 INTERNAL RAMPWAY

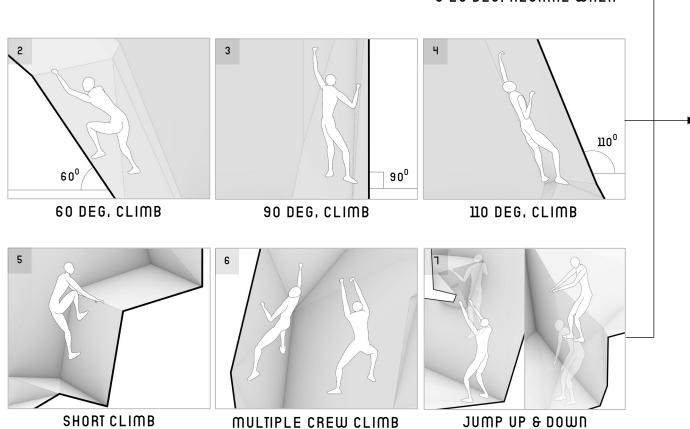


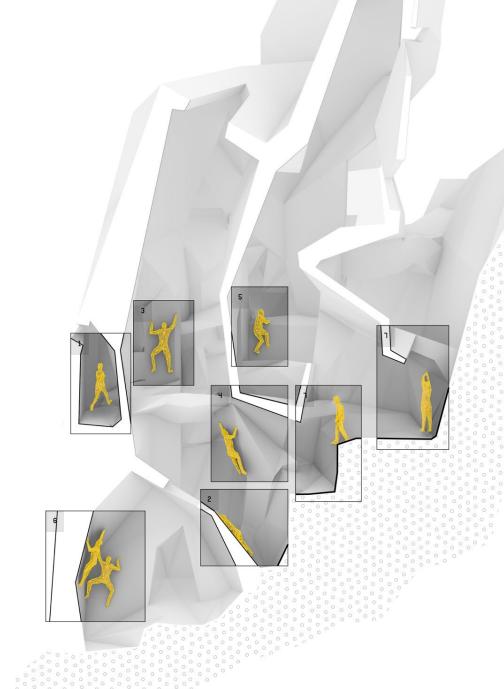
## motion and movements

#### BODY ENGAGEMENT THROUGH THE ARCHITECTURAL ELEMENTS



5-25 DEG. NEUTRAL WALK



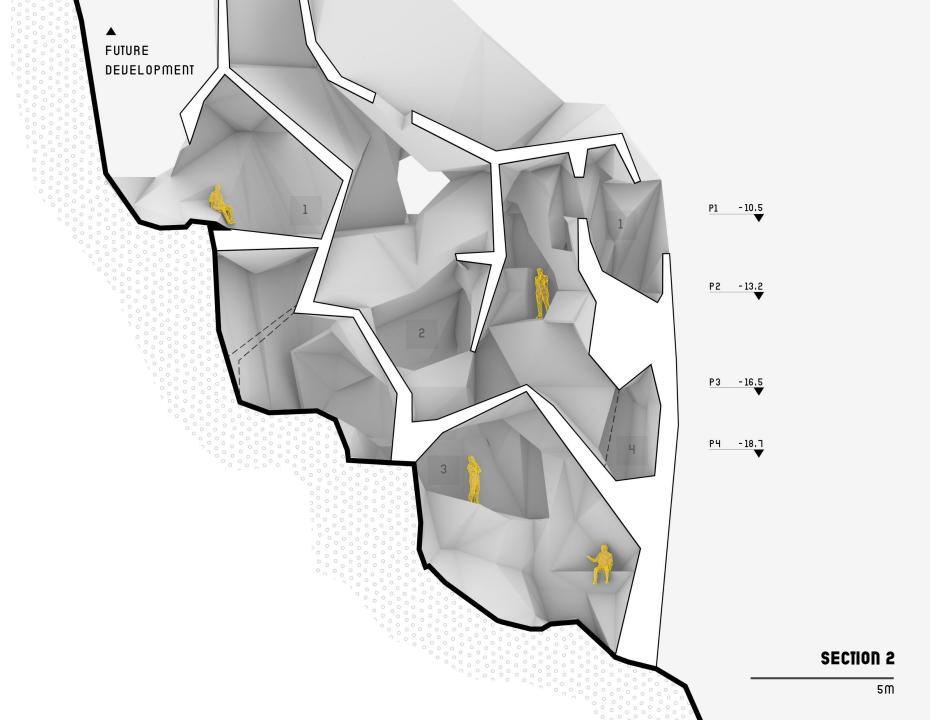


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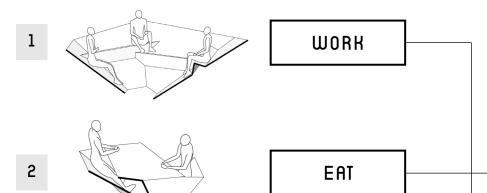
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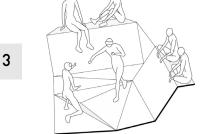


# activities to furniture integration

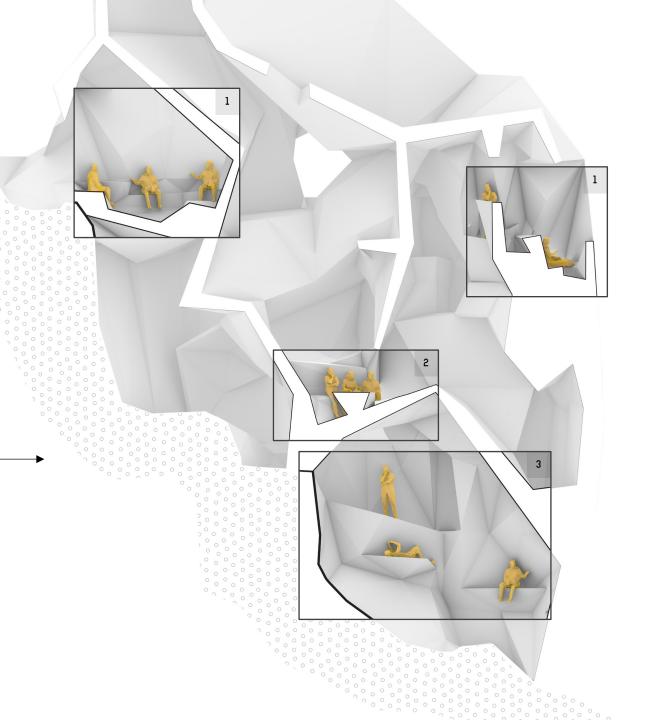
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#### **HUMAN BASIC ACTIVITIES AT THE MAIN ATRIUM**





SOCIALISE



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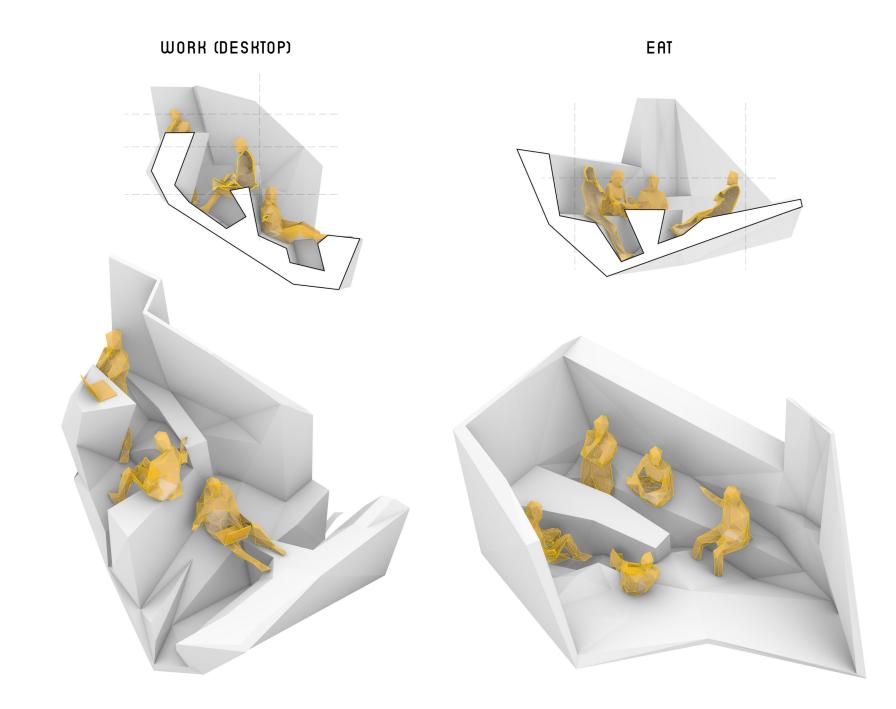
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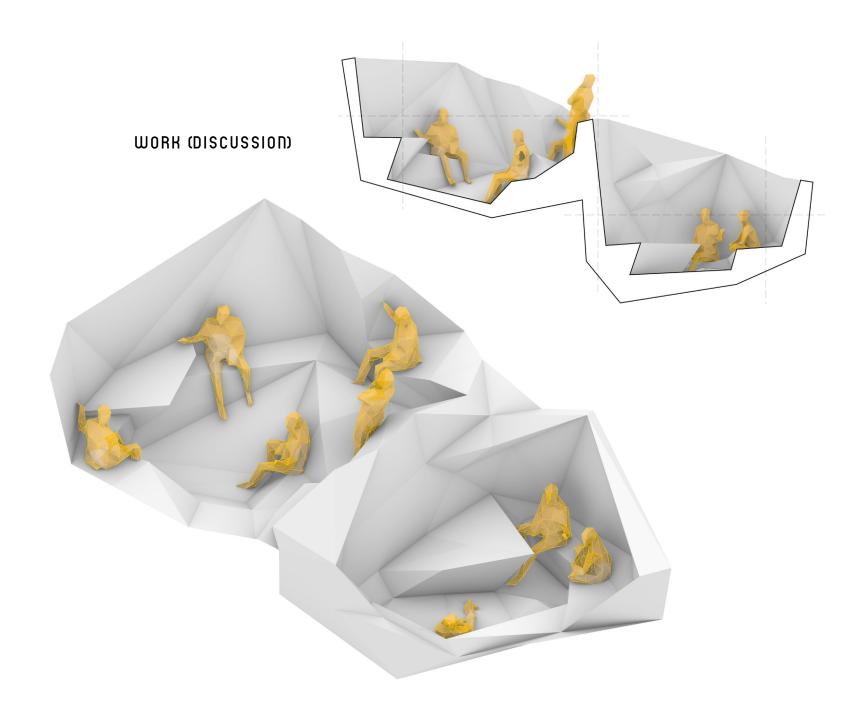
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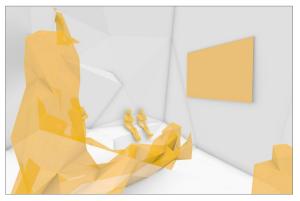
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## furniture design: various configurations



SMALL GROUP



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ARENAY UR GAMES

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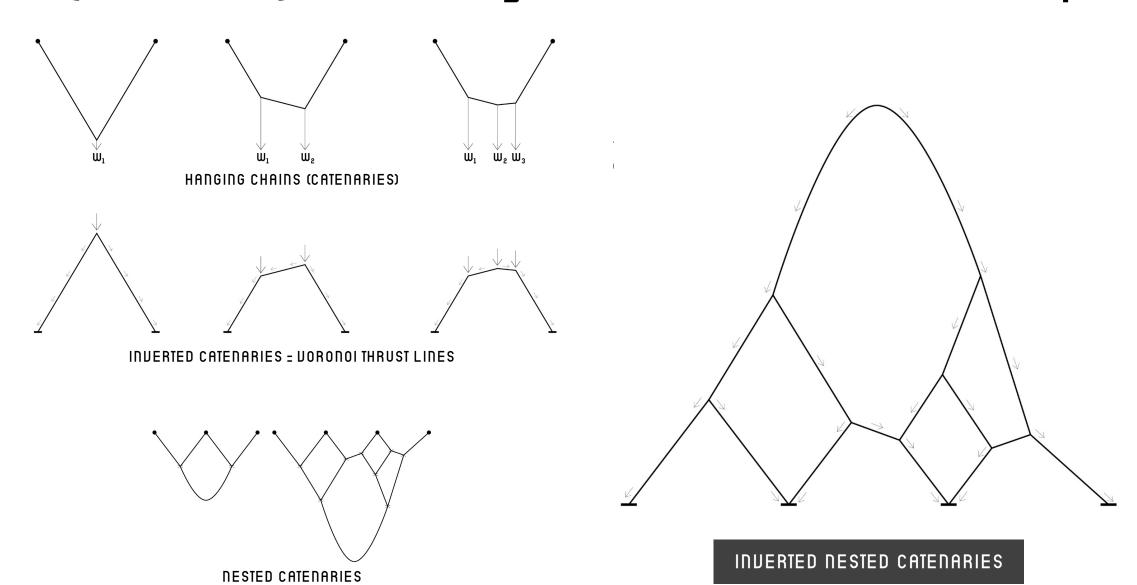
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UARIOUS SURFACES LEAD TO PERSONAL INTERPRETATIONS & PREFERENCES OF STATIONARY POSTURES

## construction & materialisation

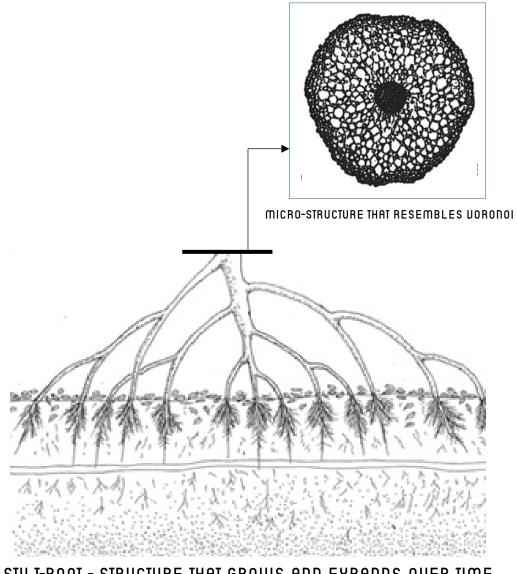
## (inverted) catenary structure relationship



#### inverted nested catenaries in nature



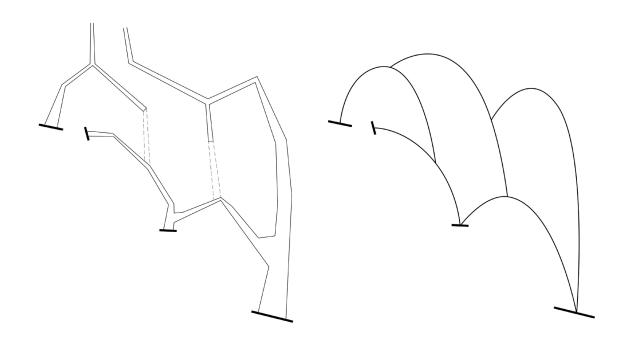
MANGROUE TREE ROOTS SOURCE: JOURNAL OF PLANT RESEARCH (2004), PLANTSNAP



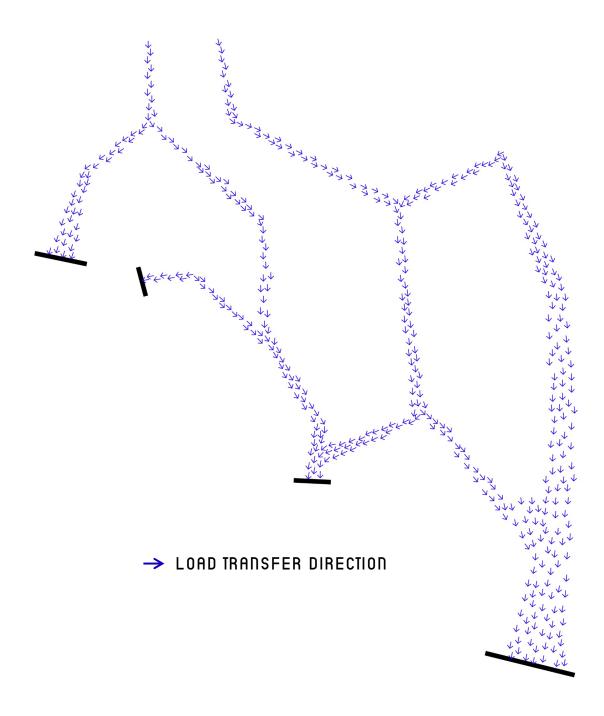
STILT-ROOT = STRUCTURE THAT GROWS AND EXPANDS OVER TIME

SOURCE: PROCEEDINGS OF THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES (2016)

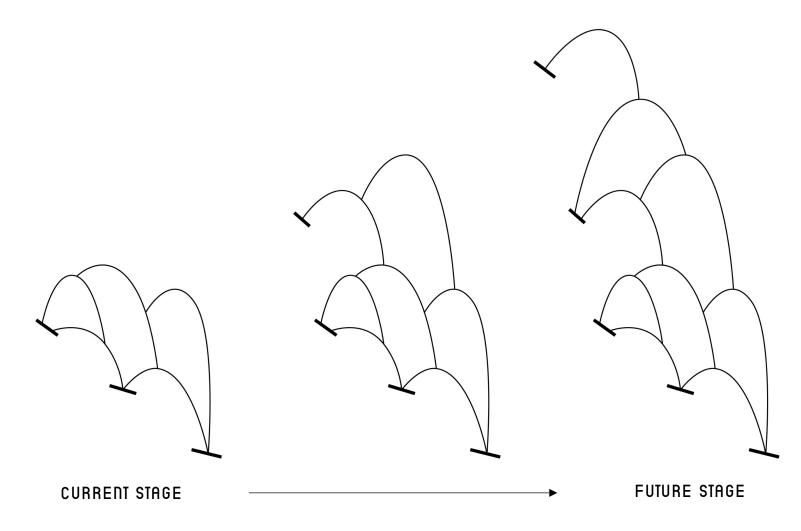
## overall structural logic



INVERTED NESTED CATENARIES TRANSLATION



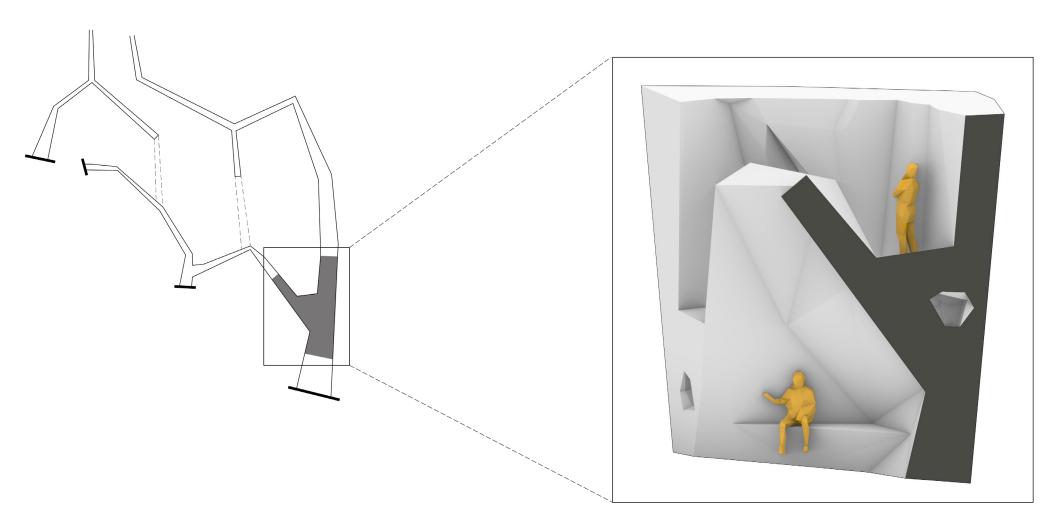
## habitat expansion overtime



NESTED CATENARIES STRUCTURE IS EXPANDABLE OVERTIME

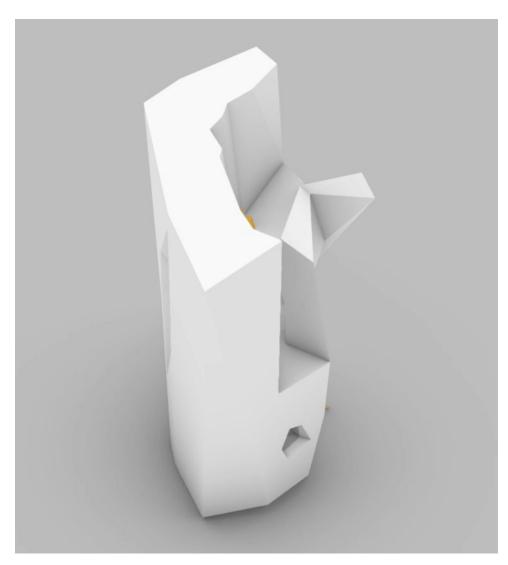
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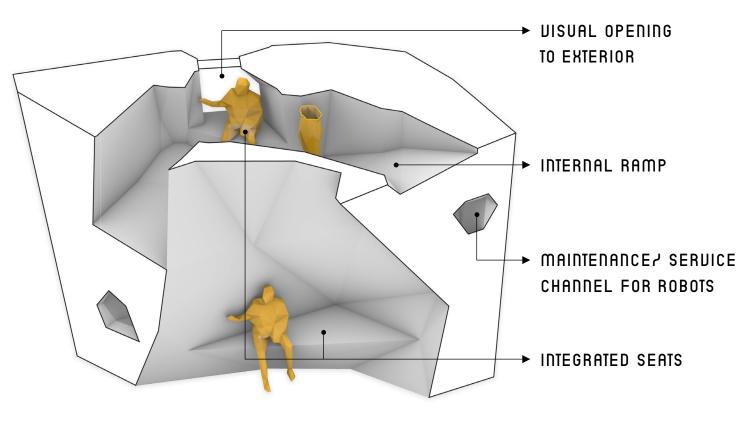
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SELECTED WALL FRAGMENT

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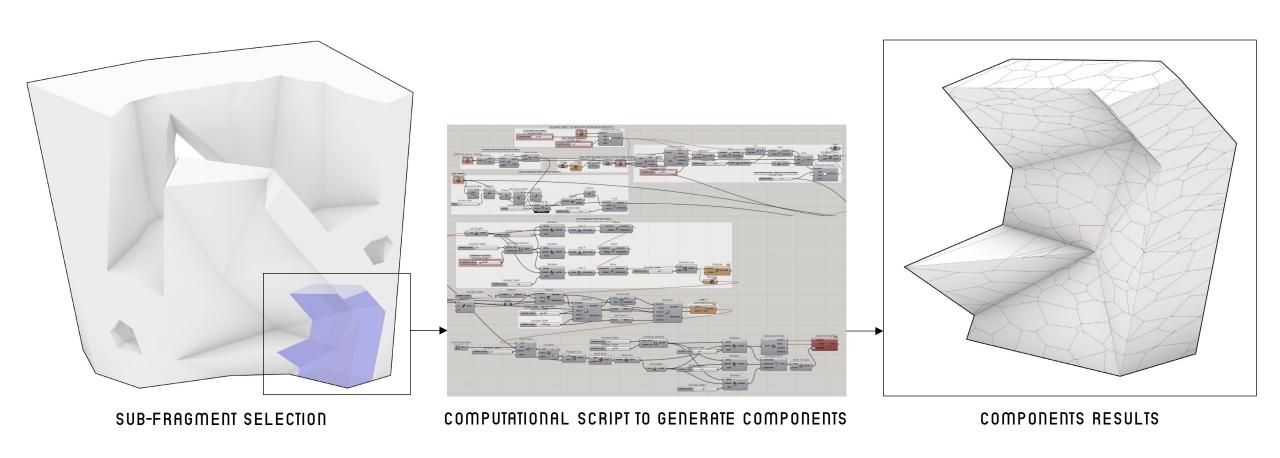


WALL FRAGMENT OVERVIEW

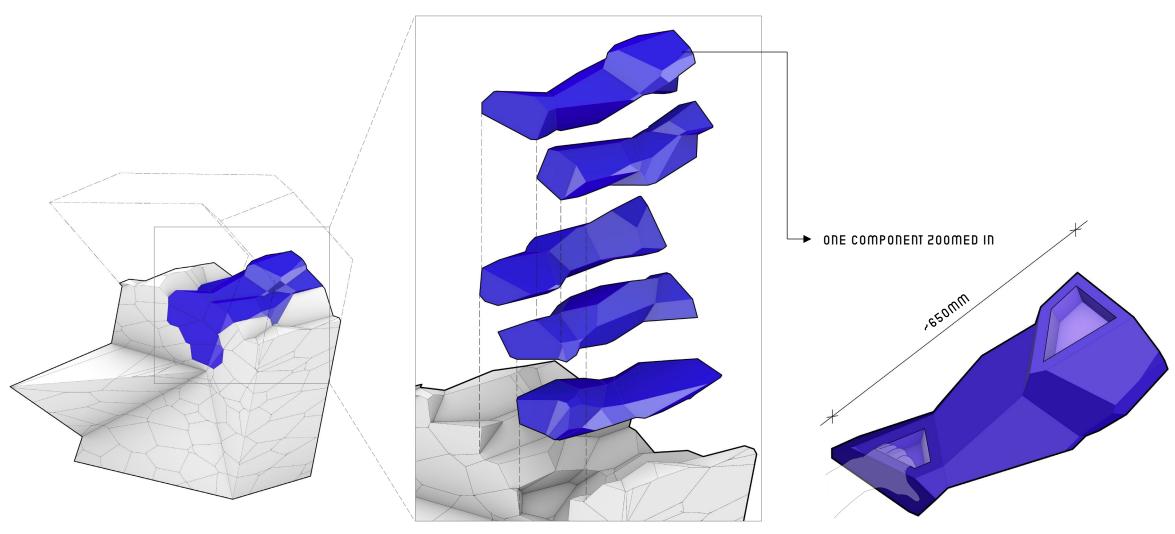
INTEGRATED FUNCTIONS

#### components design generation

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## component integration details

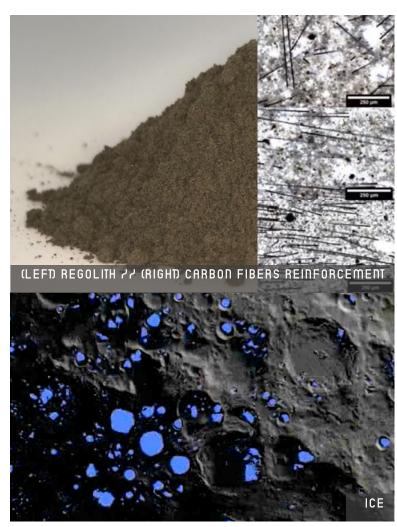


COMPONENTS ARE STACKED & 3D INTERLOCKED GEOMETRICALLY

SOURCE: FANG CHE CHENG ET AL. (2016)

HOLE FOR GRABBING THE COMPONENTS

#### In Situ Resource Utilisation (ISRU)



SOURCE: ESA. MATTHIAS RUTZEN (U AUGSBURG

#### REGOLITH =

- STRUCTURAL BLOCKS (HIGH COMPRESSION STRENGTH), 3D PRINTED WITH
- CARBON FIBERS AS STRUCTURAL REINFORCEMENT MATERIAL

  (TENSILE STRENGTH IMPRODEMENT) SOURCE: DIRK DOLKMER (2016), RUTZEN ET AL. (2021)

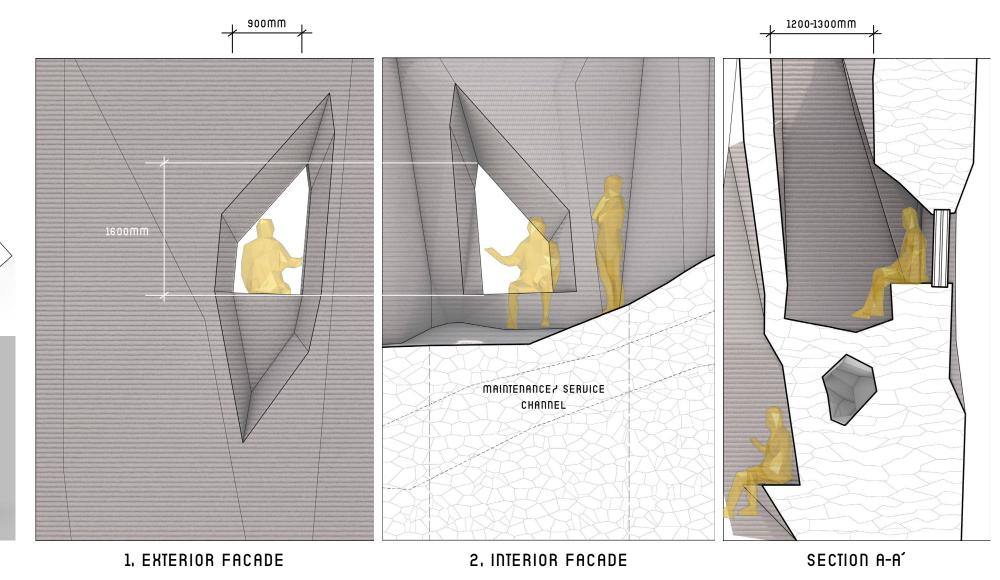
#### EXTRACTED FROM REGOLITH =

- 40-45% **OXYGEN** FOR COMBUSTION & LIFE SUPPORT
- 42-48% SILICON PRODUCTS: GLASS FIBRE,
  AEROGELS FOR SEAL MATERIALS, FOR INSULATION LAYER (NASA)
- **METAL ALLOYS (ALUMINIUM)** FOR FRAME

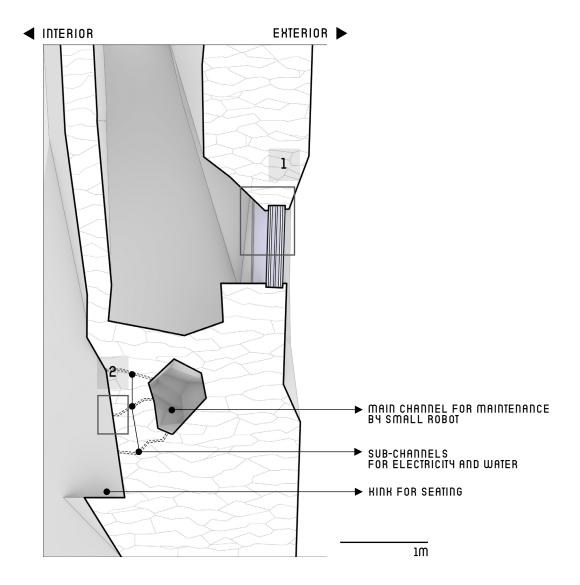
#### ICE =

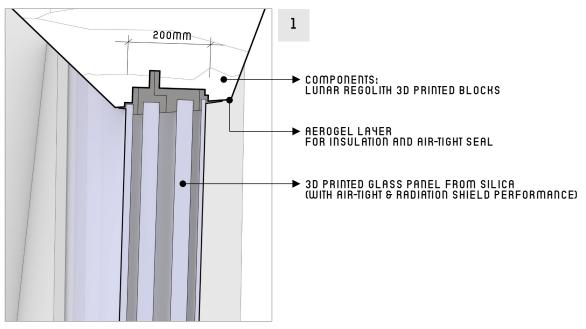
- LIFE SUPPORT MATERIALS (WATER, OXYGEN, HYDROGEN) SOURCE: ESA, NASA

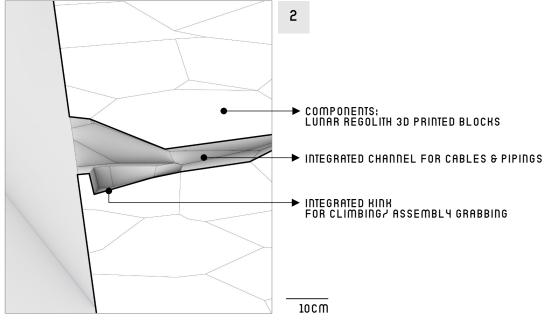
## wall fragment



## fragment details

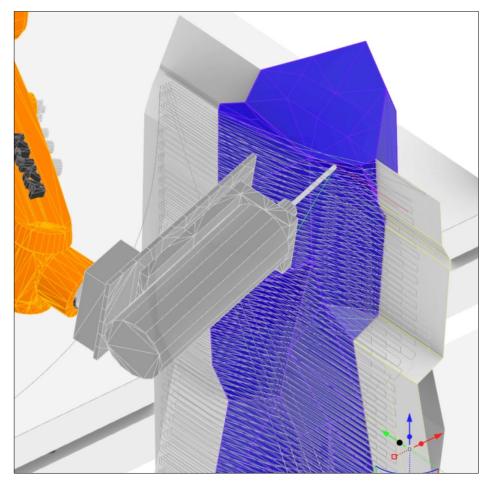






## fabrication: mock-up

(zoom in to 1:1)



1:1 FABRICATION MOCK-UP (EPS FOAM)





## fabrication: 3D printing technology



COMPARATIVE LESSON FROM WORKSHOP: TOOLPATH DESIGN PROCESS ON THE COMPUTATIONAL TOOL

## assembly mock-up: Human-Robot Interaction (HRI)

#### ROBOTIC PROCESS SUPPORTED BY COMPUTER DISION (CD)

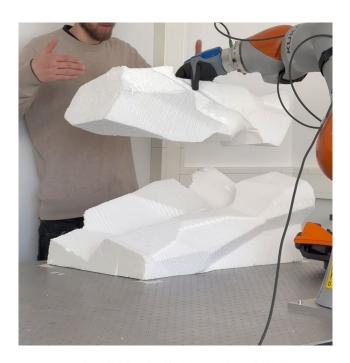


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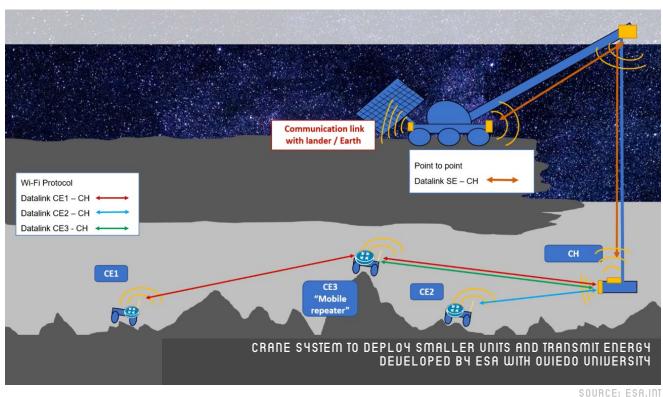
2. PICKING COMPONENT (ASSISTED)
3. TRANSPORTING COMPONENT TO DESIGNATED POINT



1. APPROACHING COMPONENT
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4. ADJUSTING COMPONENT
5. PLACING COMPONENT (ASSISTED)

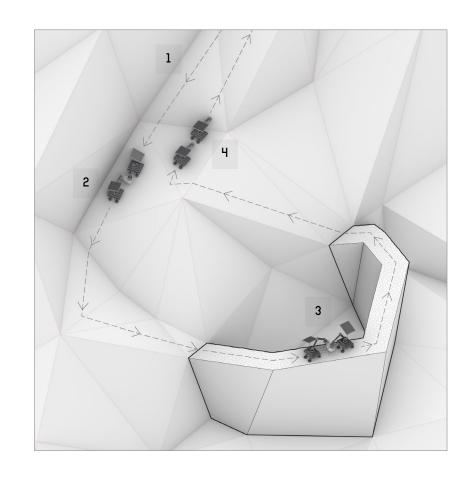
#### robotic crane and climbing robots





SOURCE: NASA,GOU

#### assembly during construction

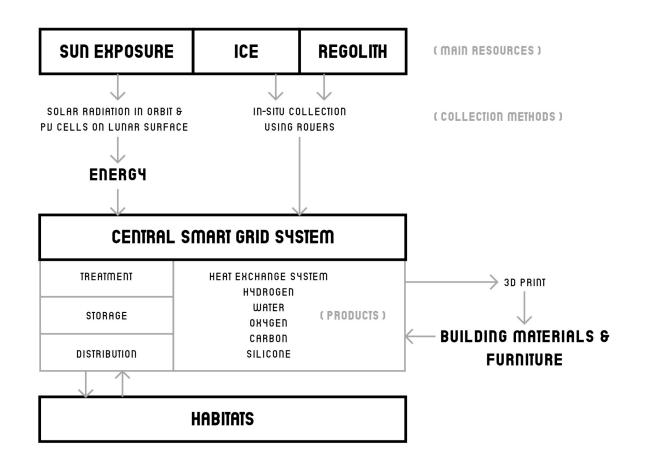




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- 1. DEFINING PATH & CREATING MINOR SITE ADJUSTMENTS
- 2, TWO ROBOTS TRANSPORTING ONE COMPONENT DOWN
  - 3, PLACING COMPONENTS AT DESIGNATED PLACE
- 4. RETURNING UP & PICKING NEXT COMPONENT, REPEAT

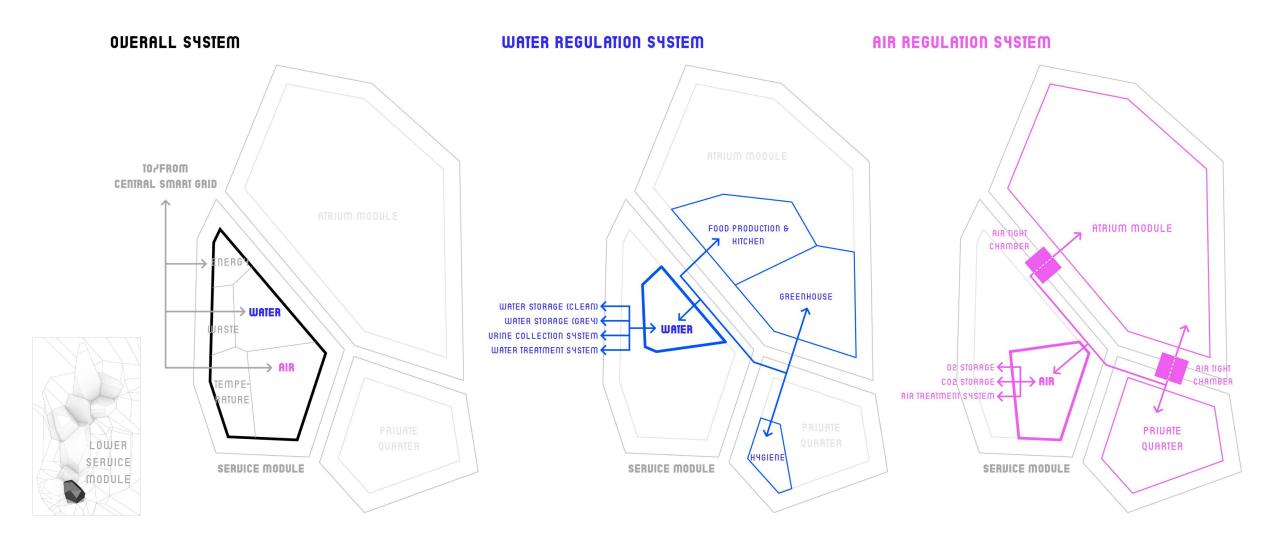
## energy & resources collection/ distribution





SOURCE: YOUTUBE.COM/WATCH?U=DUGJFAYYECE

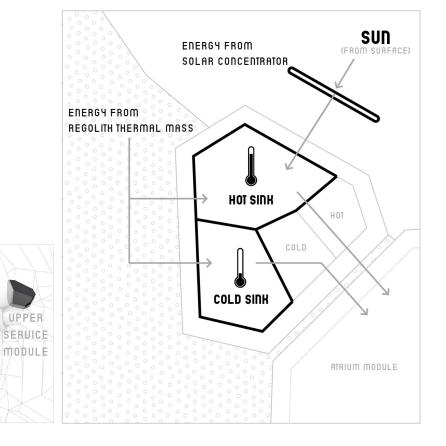
## building service/ life support systems



#### climate control strategy

( MACRO )

#### PROPOSED HEAT EXCHANGE SYSTEM



#### HEAT EXCHANGE SYSTEM

USE OF THERMAL MASS (CAPACITY TO STORE AND RELEASE ENERGY DURING DAYLIGHT & NIGHD OF LUNAR REGOLITH

FOR HEATING & COOLING

#### SITE & BUILDING ENVELOPE

LAUA TUBE, THICK REGOLITH WALLS
AEROGEL INSULATION LAYER

#### FURNITURE-INTEGRATED SYSTEM

ADJUSTABLE POWER FOR SMALL ENVIRONMENT

#### CLOTHING-INTEGRATED FEATURES & WEARABLE SENSORS

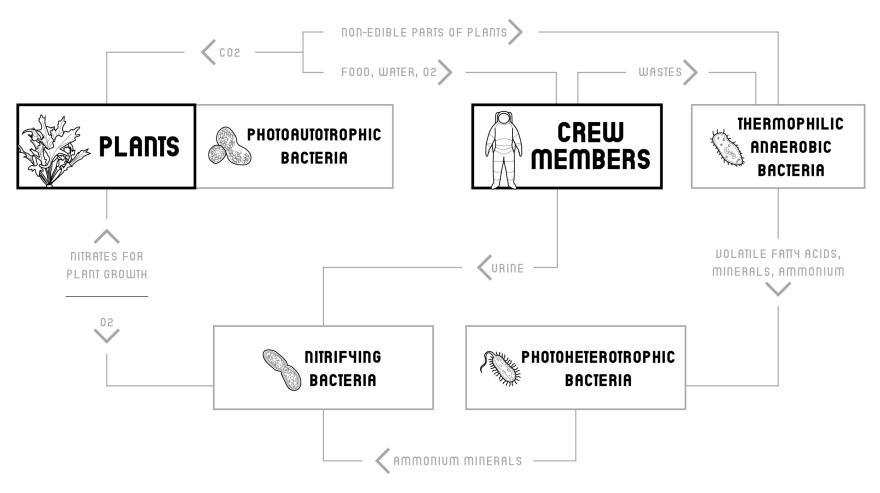
ANTI-BACTERIAL PROPERTIES
HEAT TRANSFER & SWEAT MANAGEMENT

SOURCE: DASA SOURCE: DASA

(MICRO)

#### closed-loop life support system

The Micro-Ecological Life Support System Alternative (MELiSSA)



#### societal relevance

#### KNOWLEDGE TRANSFER LOOP TO ONZOFF-EARTH ARCHITECTURE

#### CIRCULAR DESIGN AND LIFESTYLE:

- EXEMPLARY TOWARDS OFTEN THEORETICAL CIRCULAR DESIGN ON EARTH
- IN-SITU RESOURCE UTILISATION & AUTOMATED CONSTRUCTION
- CLOSED LOOP LIFE CYCLE LEARNT FROM MELISSA

#### **ERGONOMICS & HUMAN BODIES:**

- RETHINKING SITTING POSITION TO RAISE AWARENESS ON BODIES
- MOVEMENT/POSTURE-BASED ARCHITECTURE INSTEAD OF FUNCTION-BASED ARCHITECTURE

Pictogram, overall reflection

