

Central St.Giles Court



The complex of residences and offices rises where the headquarters of the British secret services were located. The design of the complex is born from the gaps left by the demolition of the pre-existing building, so a 22-faced jagged polyhedron is drawn. The space was complex for the geometry of the urban fabric, and so there was a combination of changing façades, each different in height, orientation, color, and relationship with light. The mass is so lightened and fragmented, composed of so many pieces of different colors connected to each other. The facades stop from 4 to 6 meters from the ground, making the site accessible and transparent, an invitation to converge into the inner square where shops and public activities are concentrated.

Dati Progetto

Design	2002 - 2006
Construction	2006 - 2010
Total floor area	Offices: 39000 m2 (10 piani) Residences: 800 m2 (14 piano, 109 appartamenti) Restaurant, commercial spaces on the ground floor: 2137 m2 Public square: 2044 m2
Site area	7082 m2

Credits

Client	Legal & General with Mitsubishi Estate Corporation Stanhope PLC
Architect	Renzo Piano Building Workshop, architects in collaborazione con Fletcher Priest Architects (Londra)
Consultants	Arup (structure and services); Davis Langdon (cost consultant); Bovis Lend Lease (pre-construction advice); Emmer Pfenninger & Partners (façades); P.Castiglioni / G.Bianchi (lighting); PRP (fit-out for affordable residential); Charles Funke Associates (landscaping)

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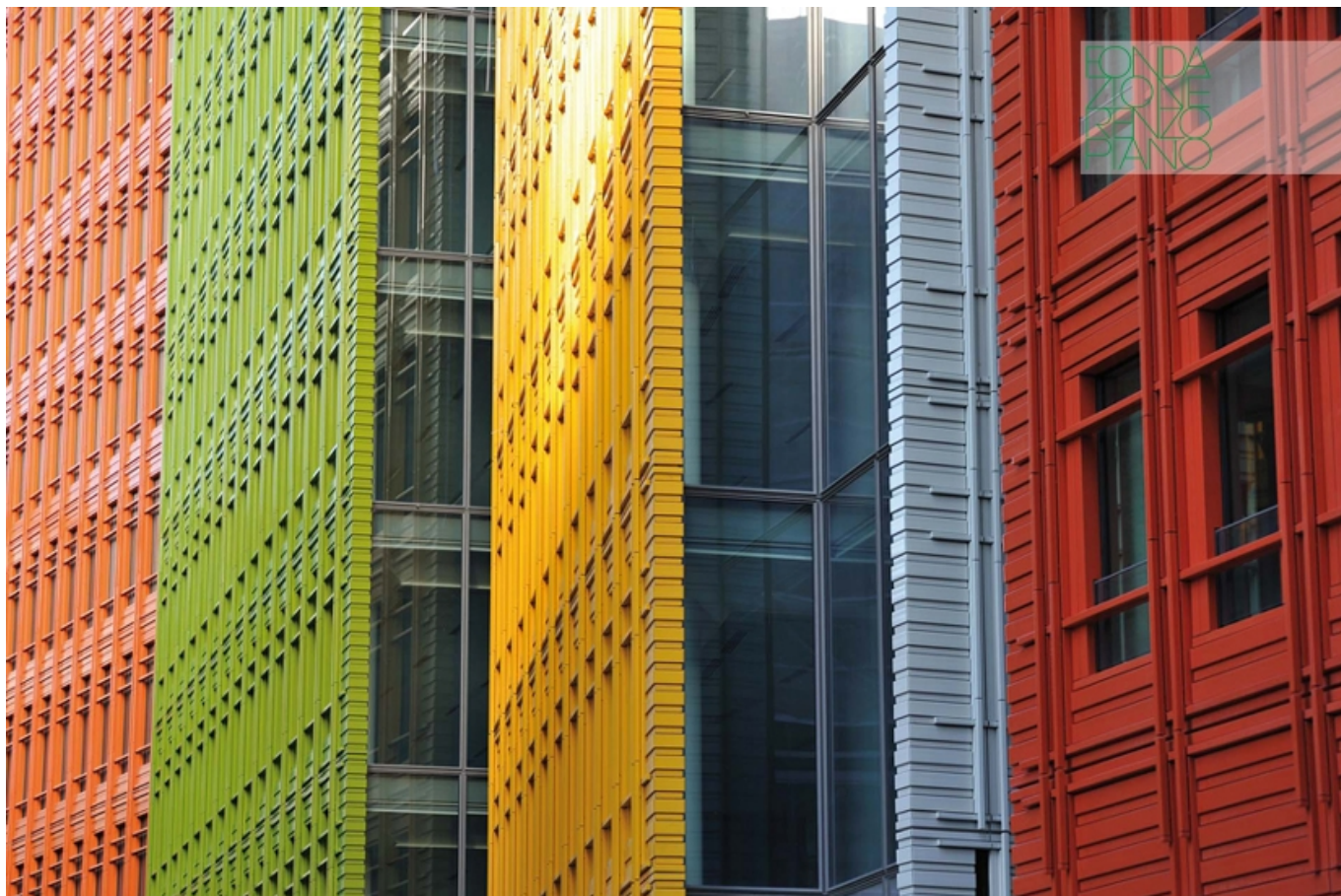
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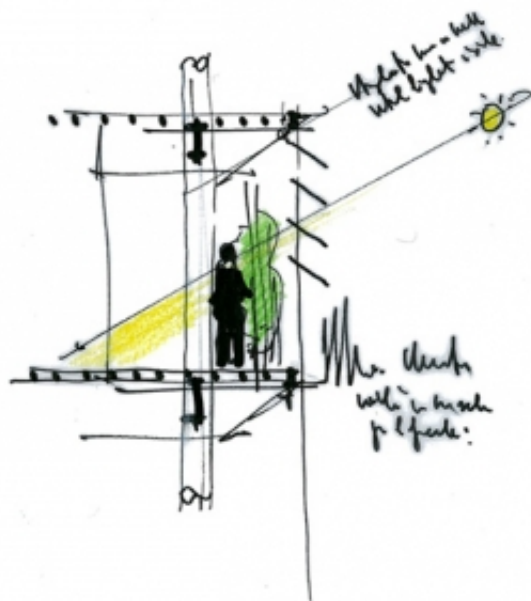


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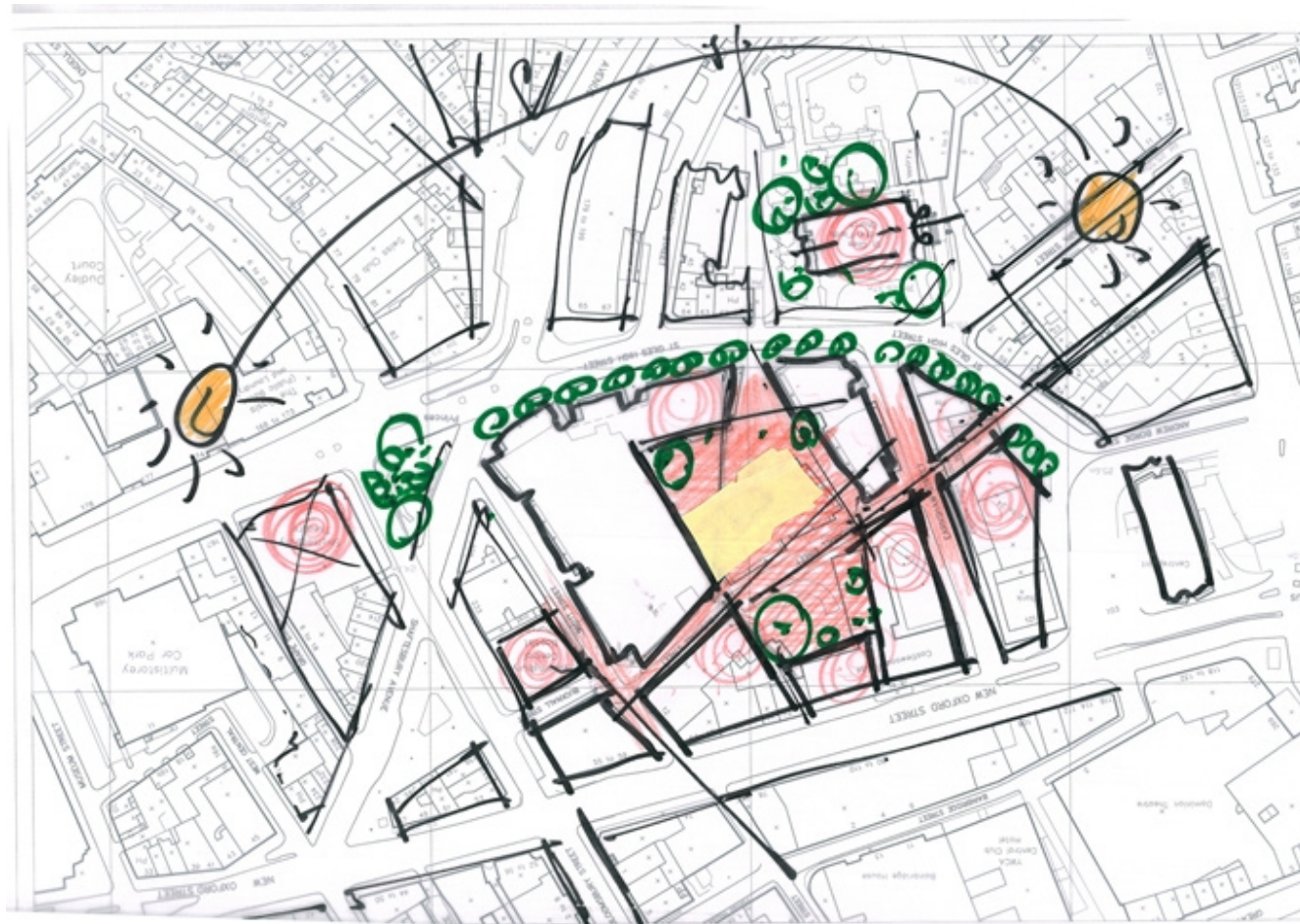
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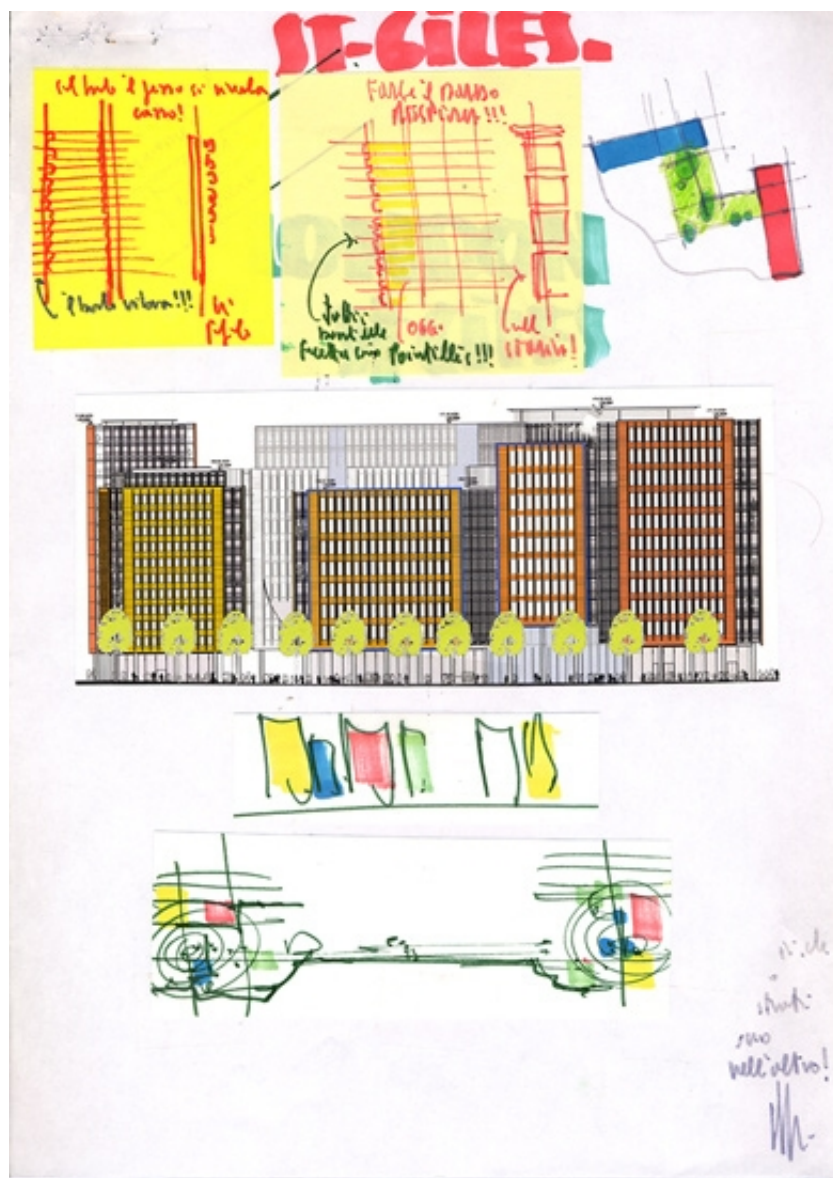


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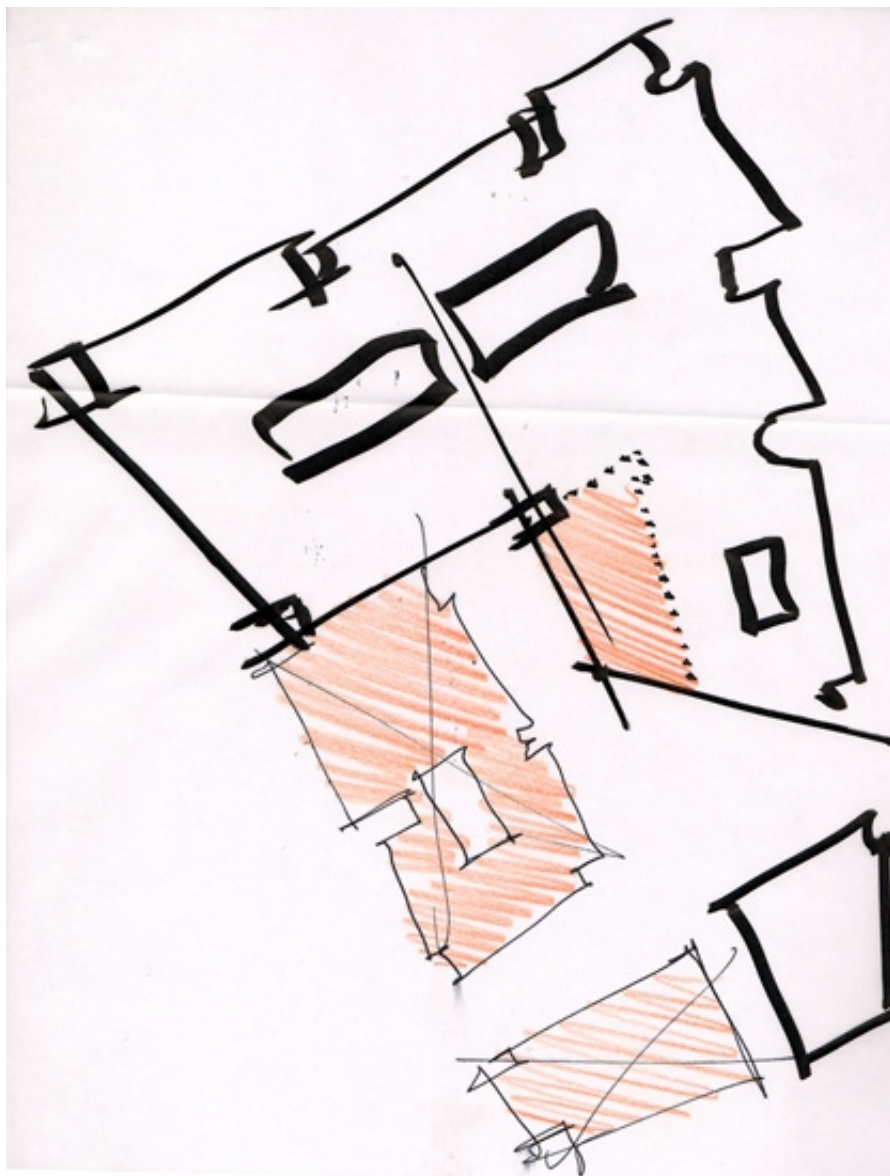
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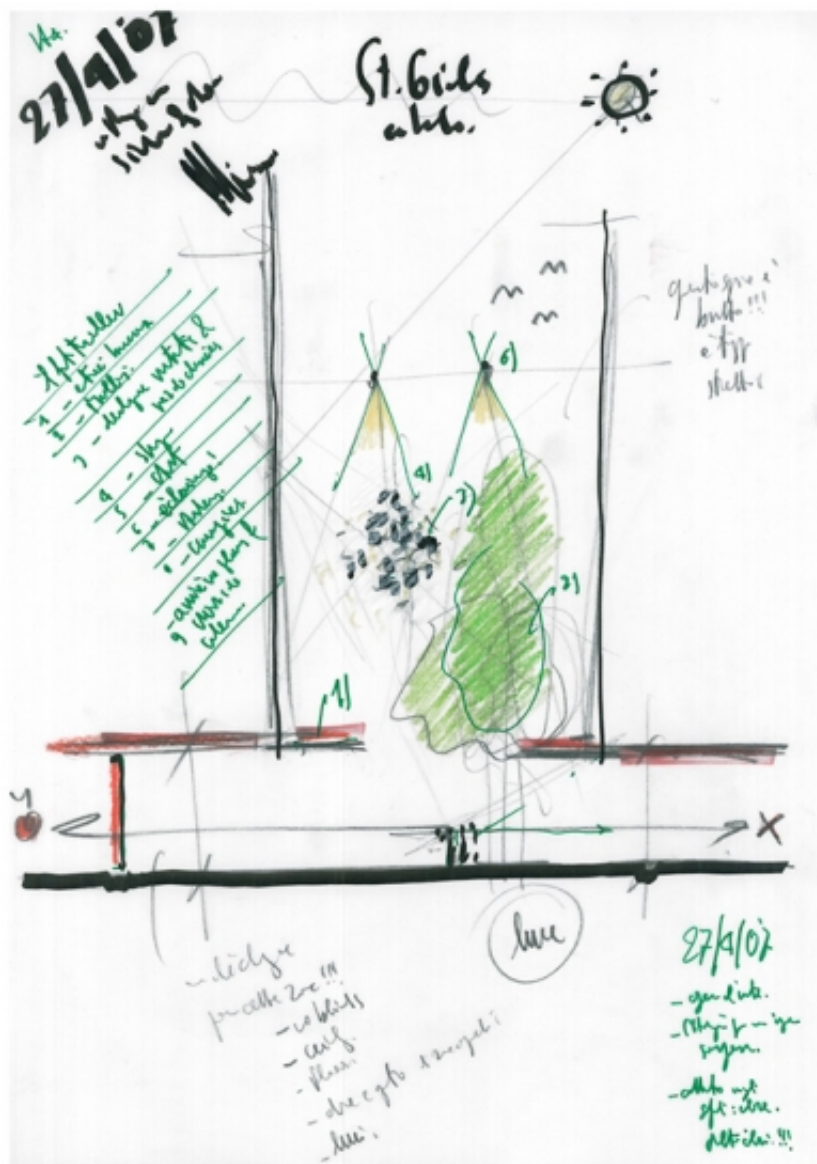
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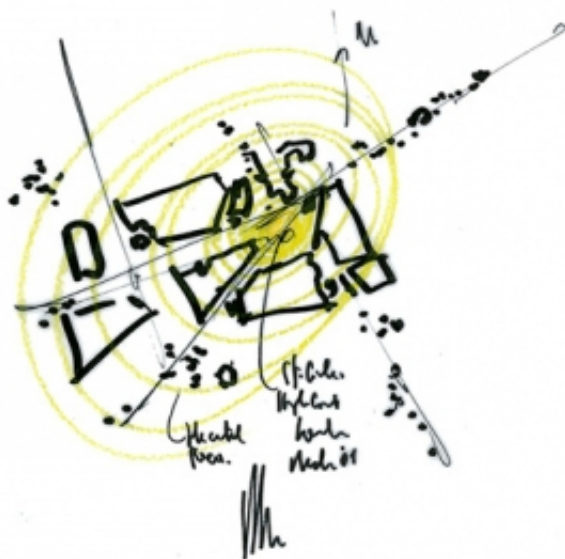
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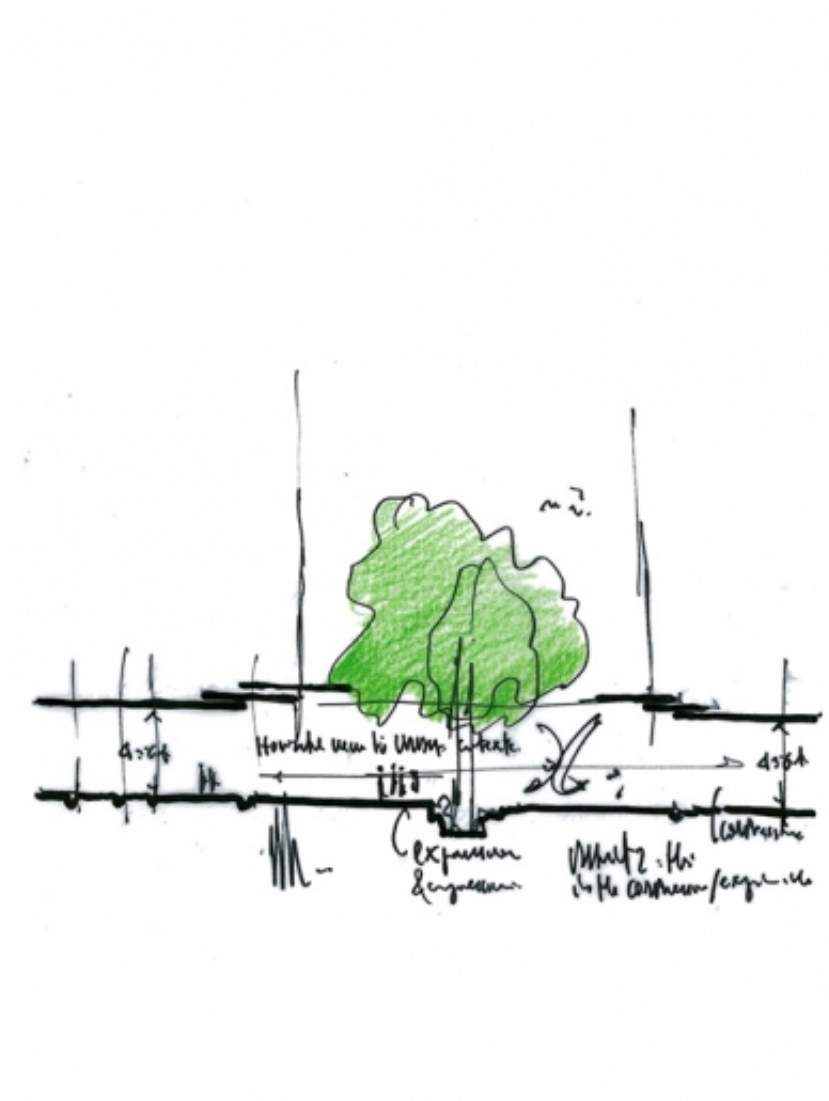
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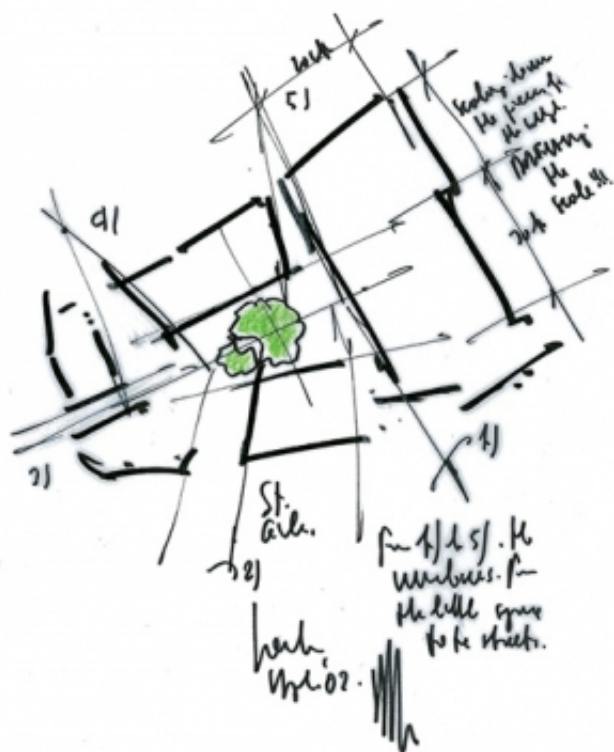
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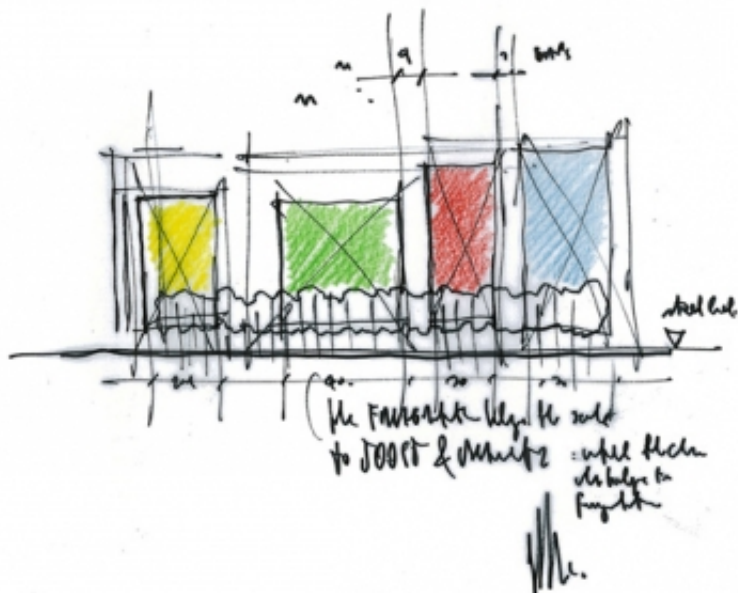
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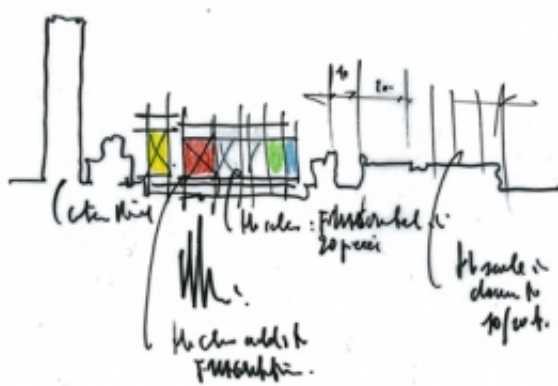
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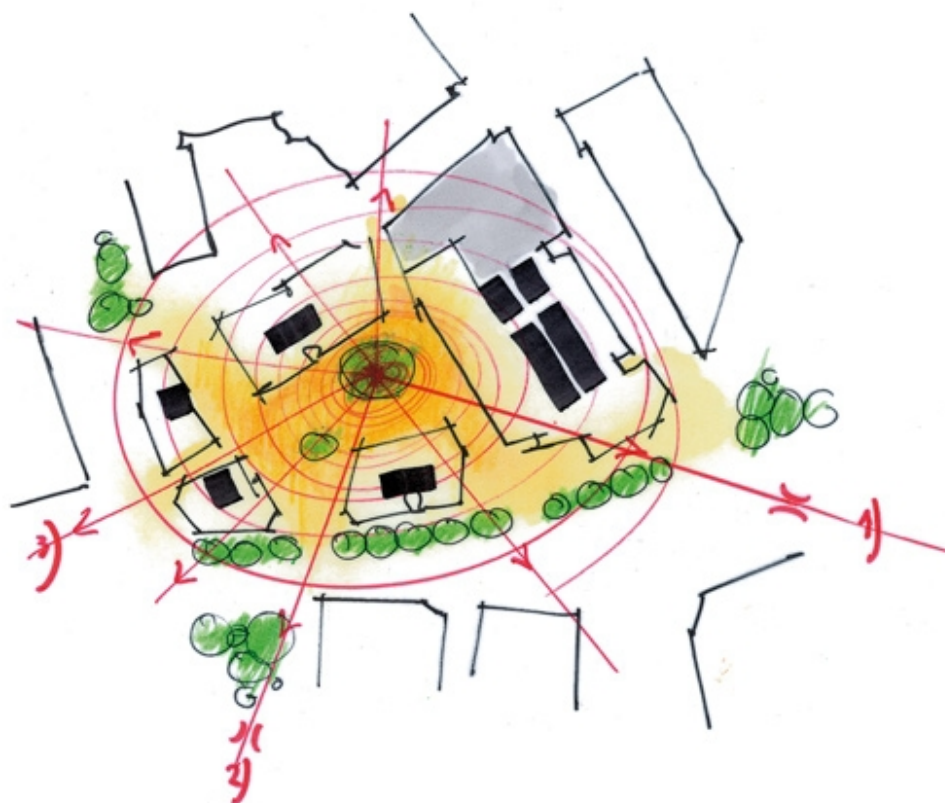
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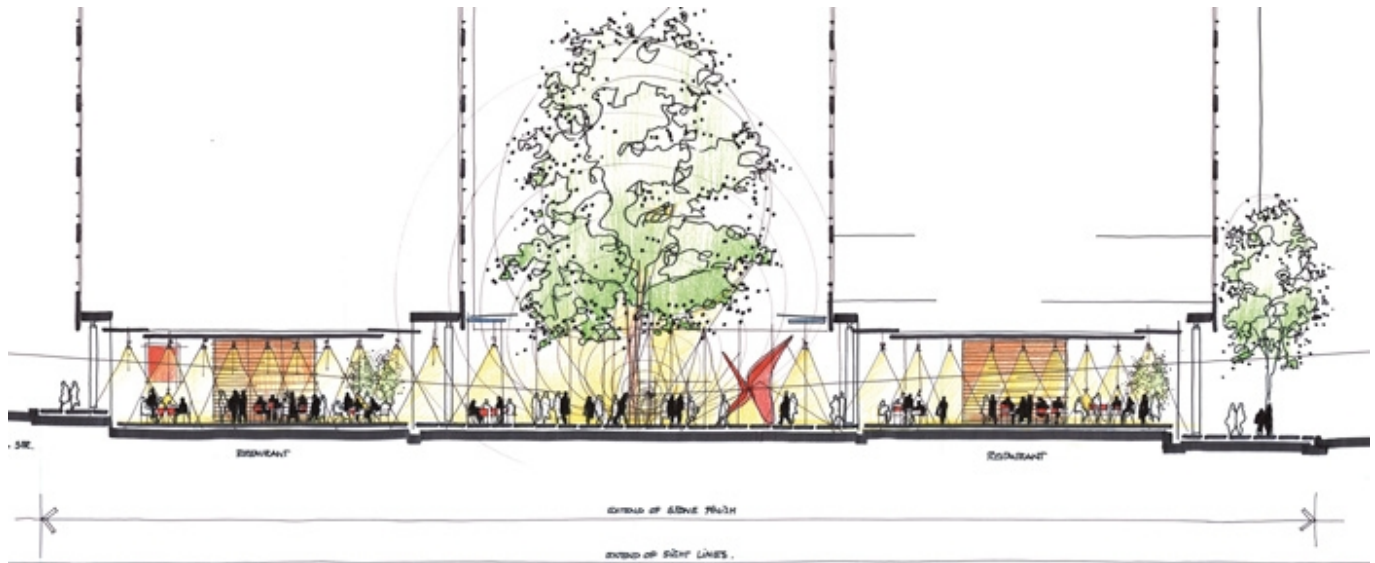
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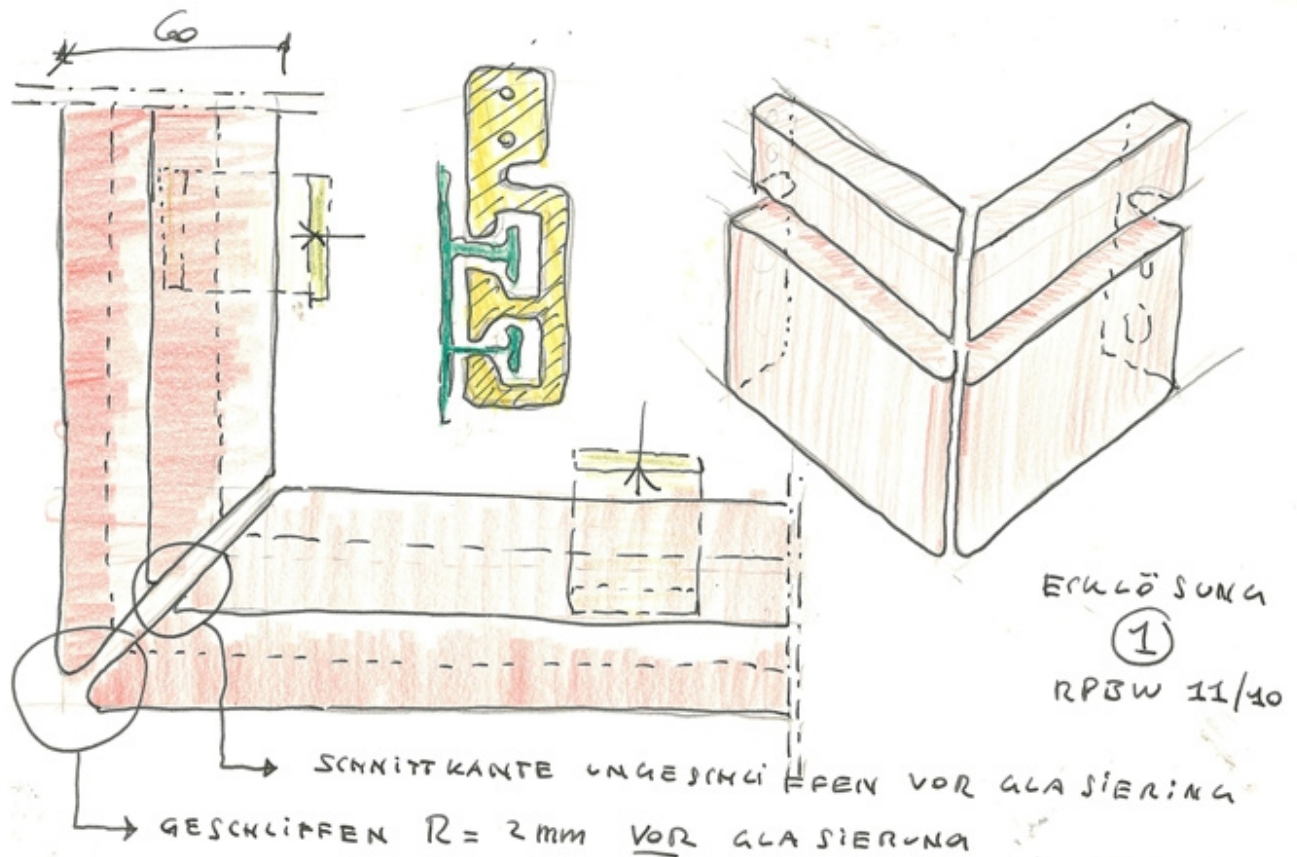
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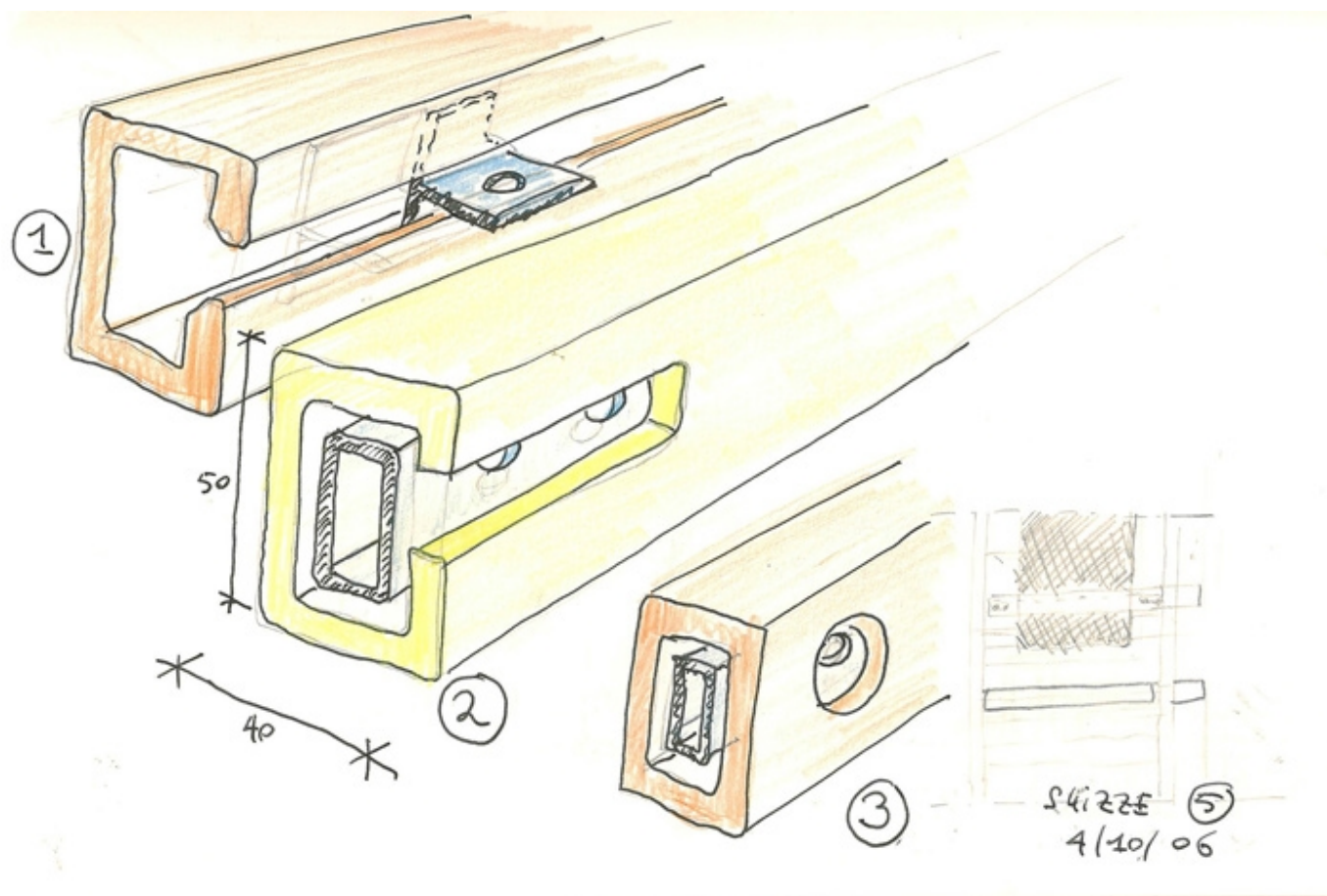
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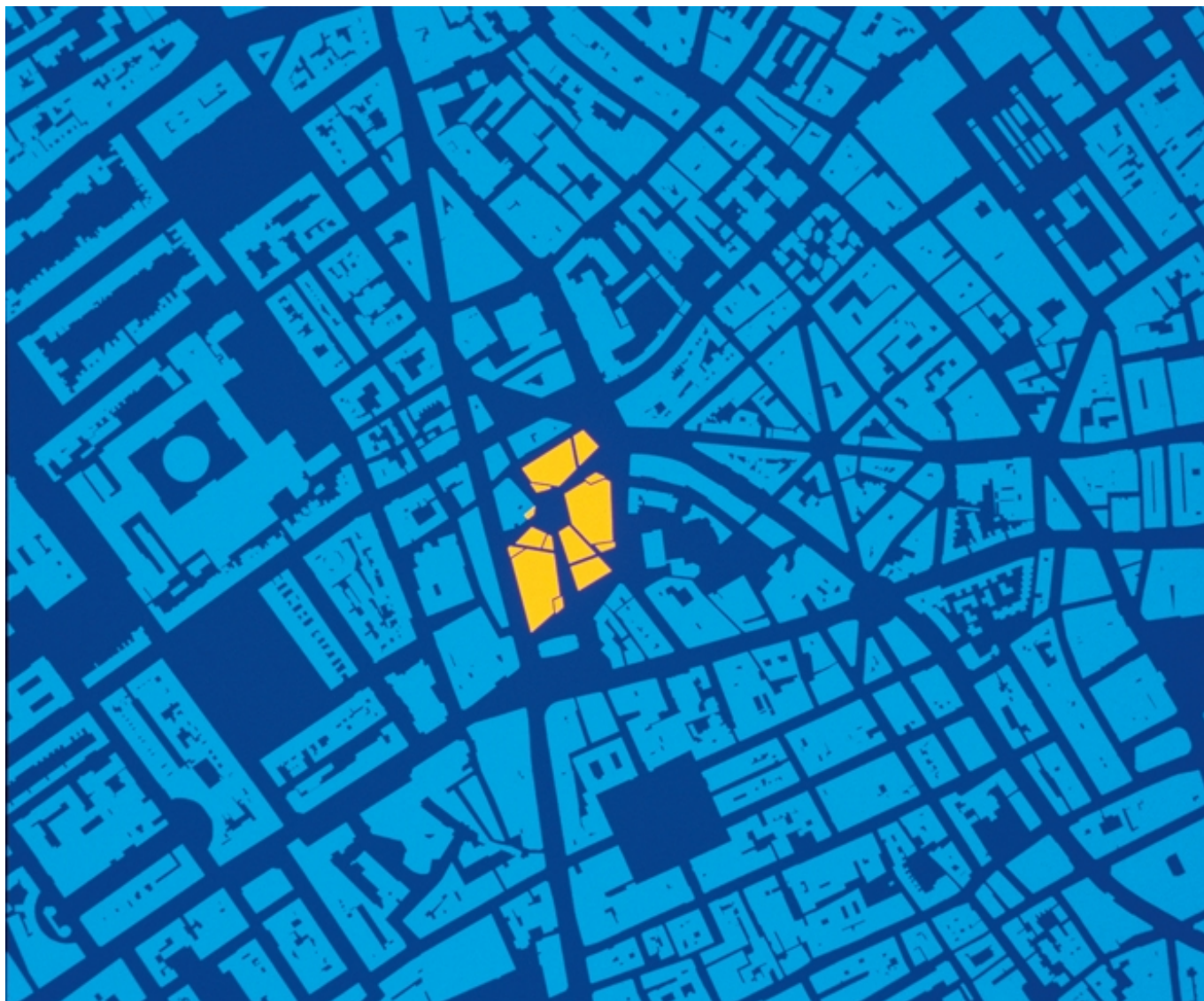
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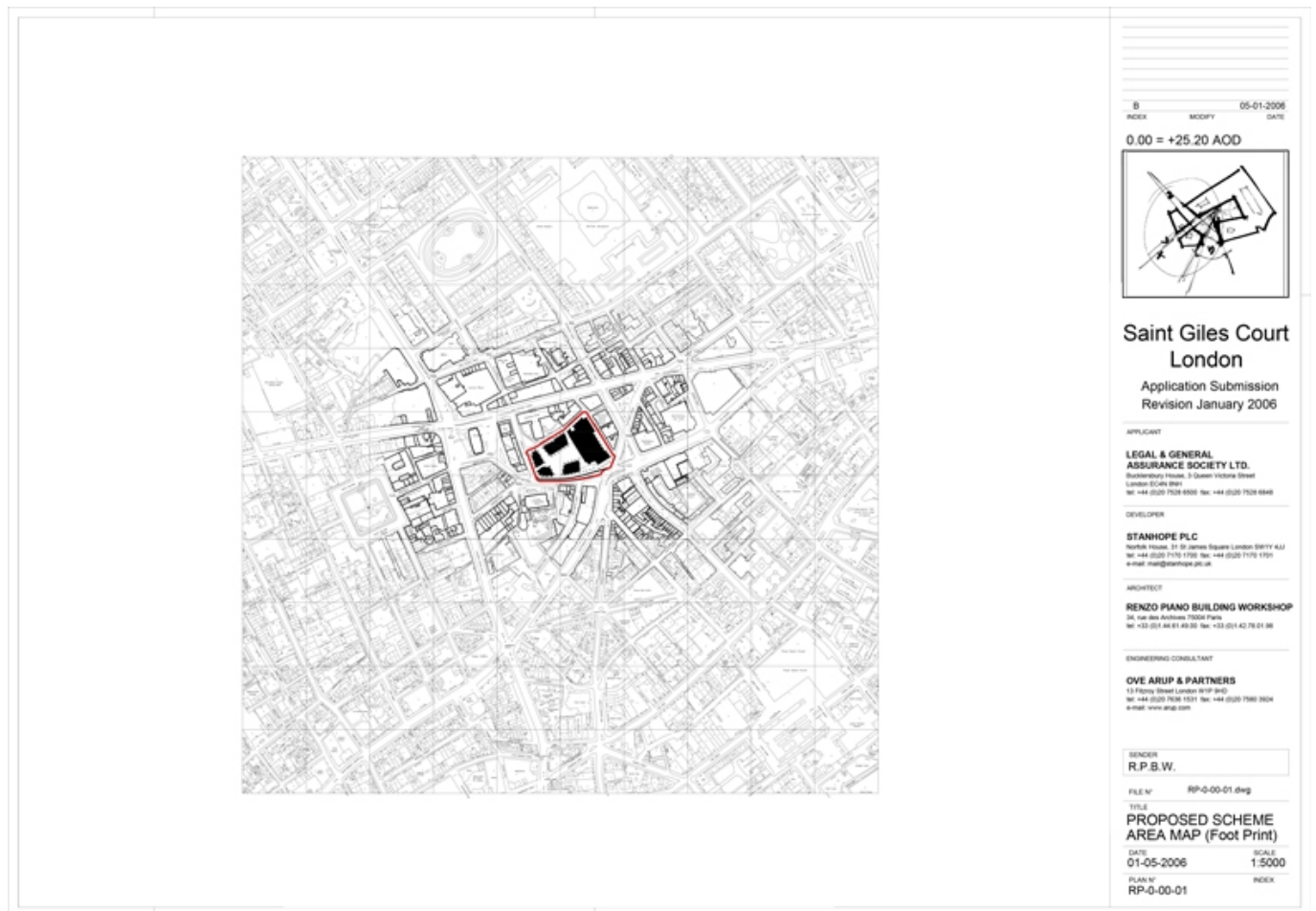
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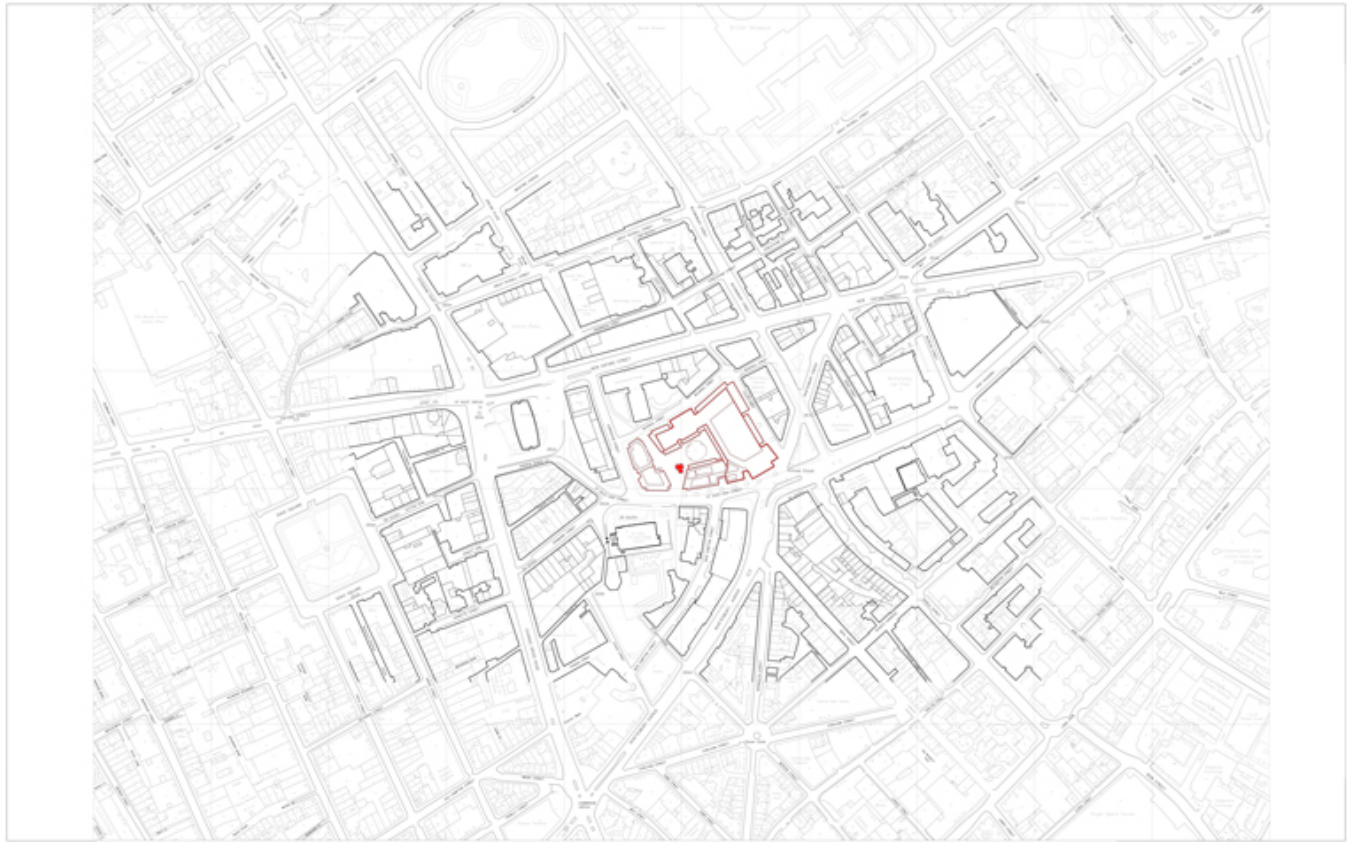
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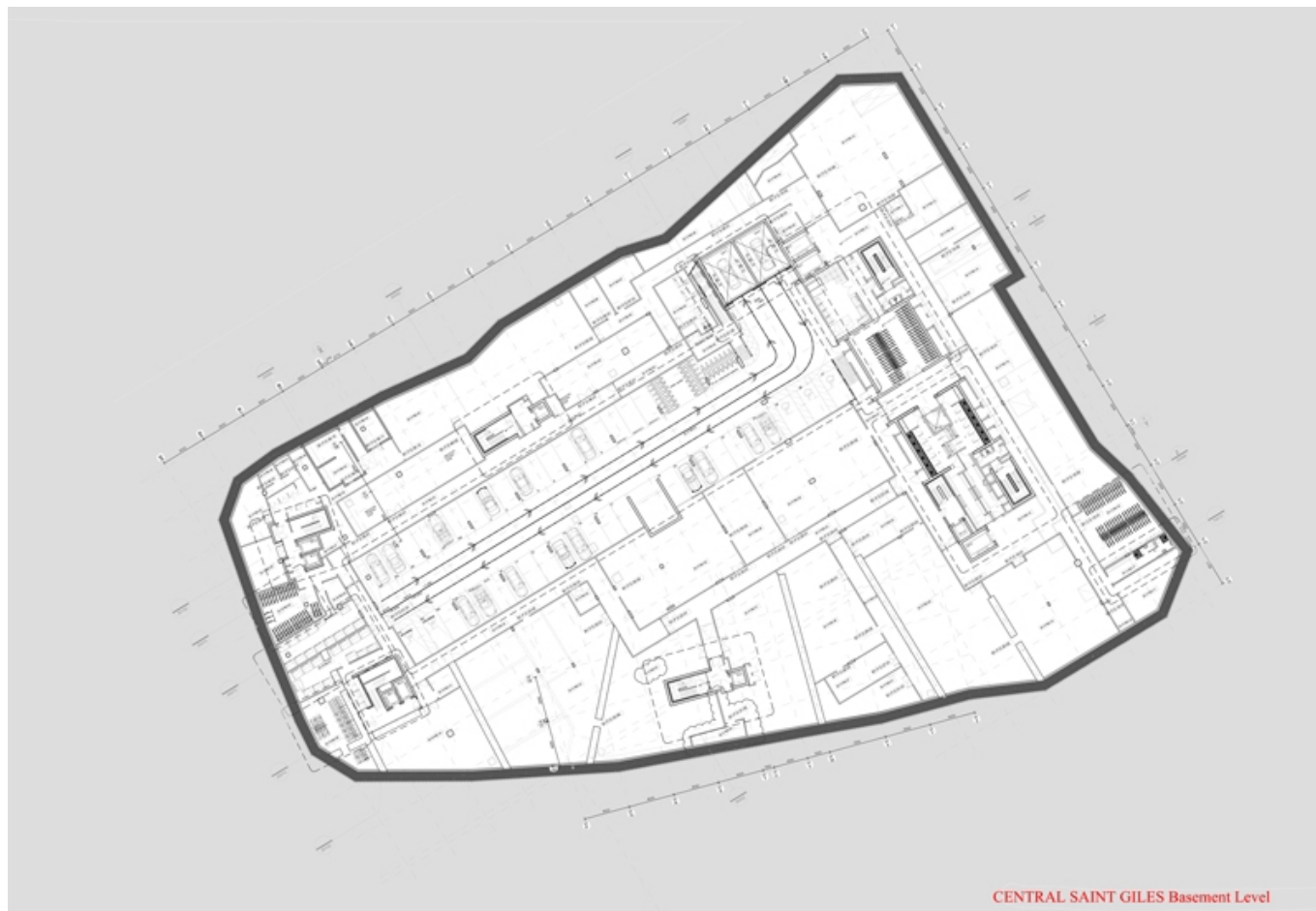
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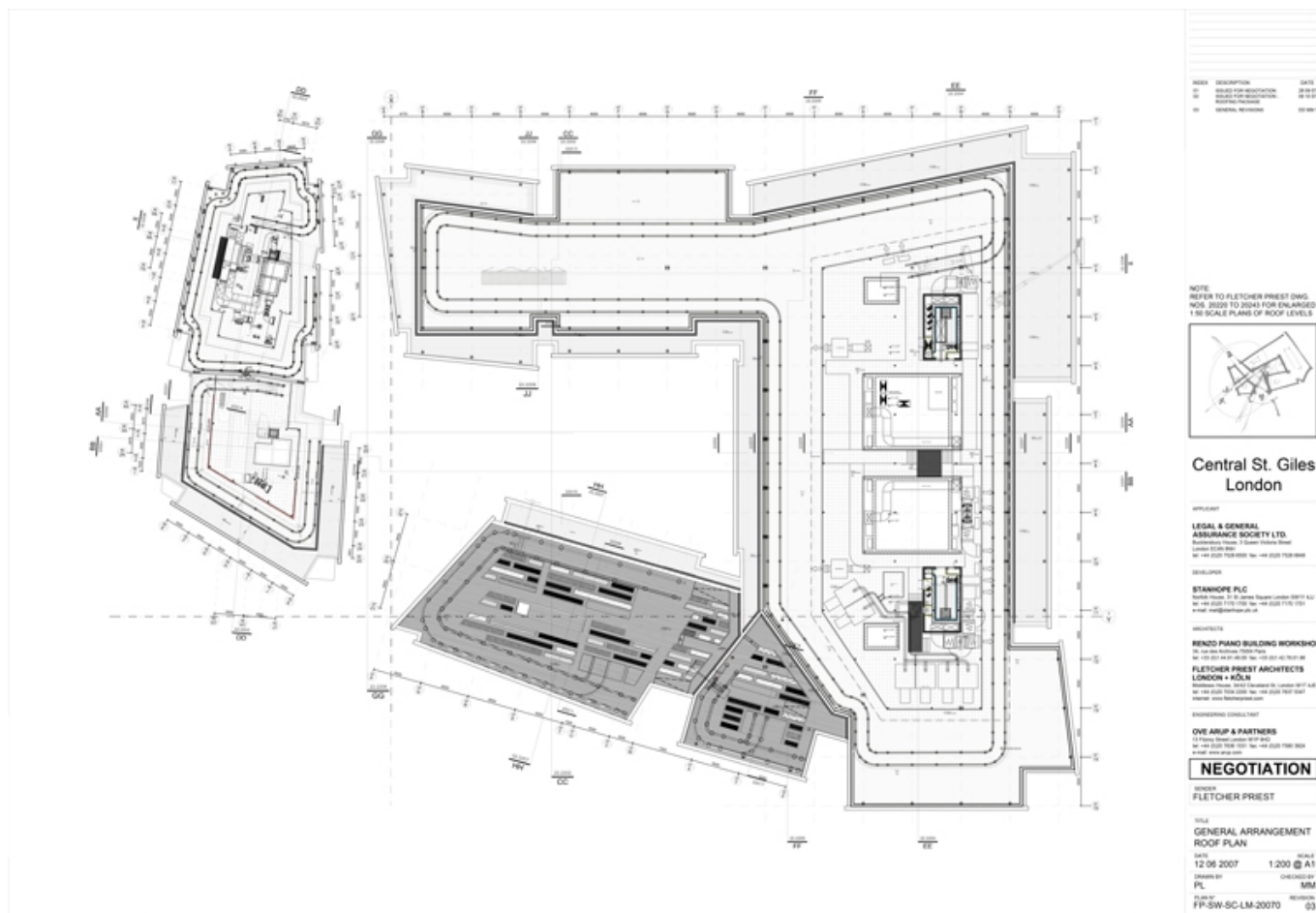
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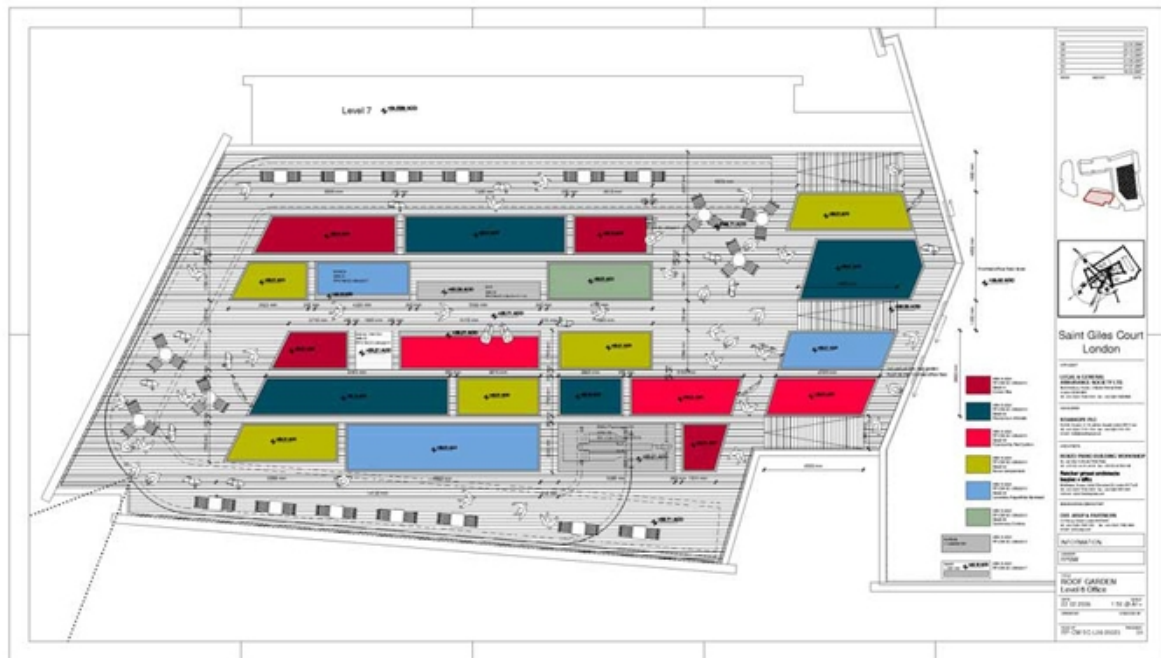
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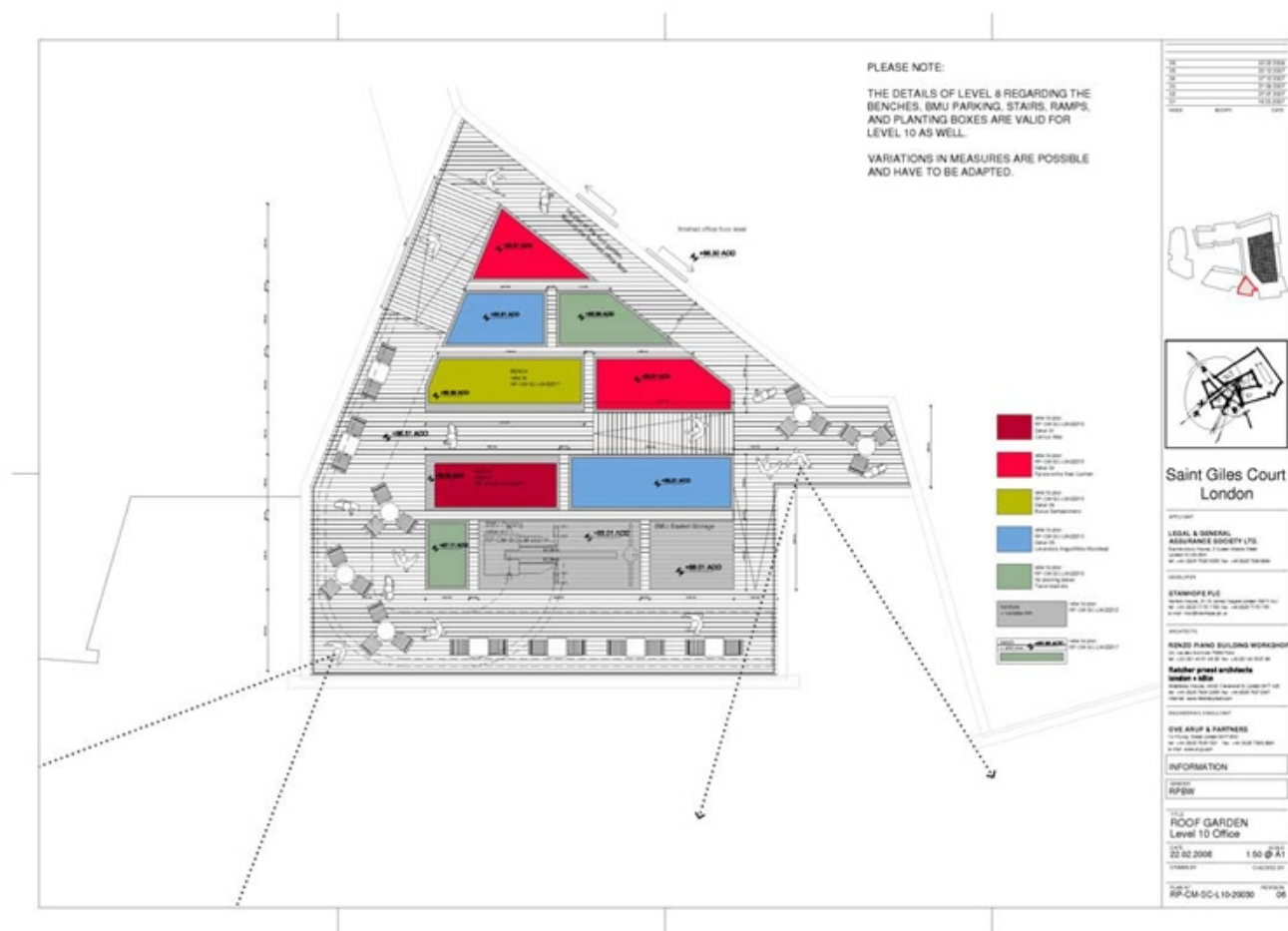
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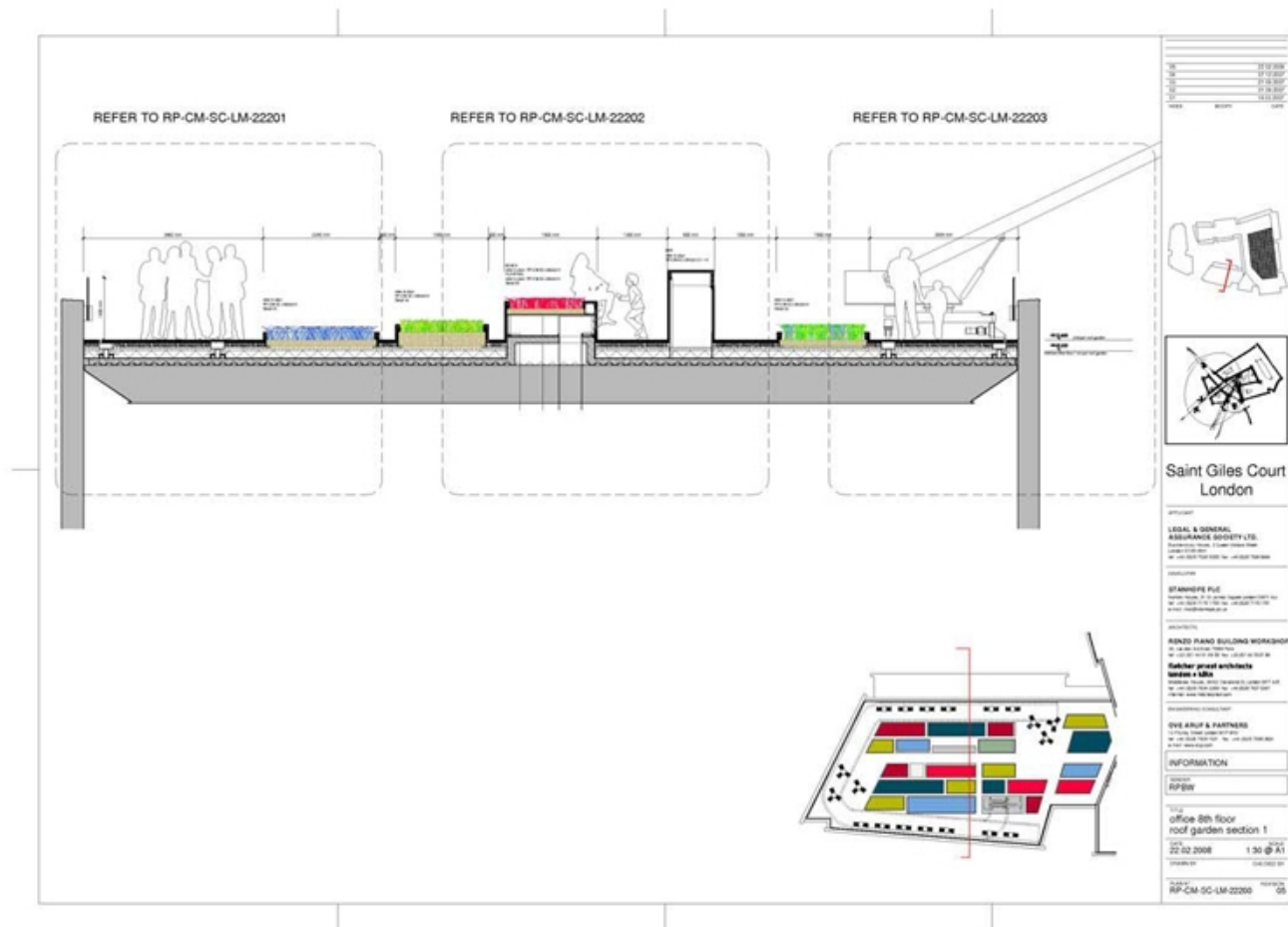
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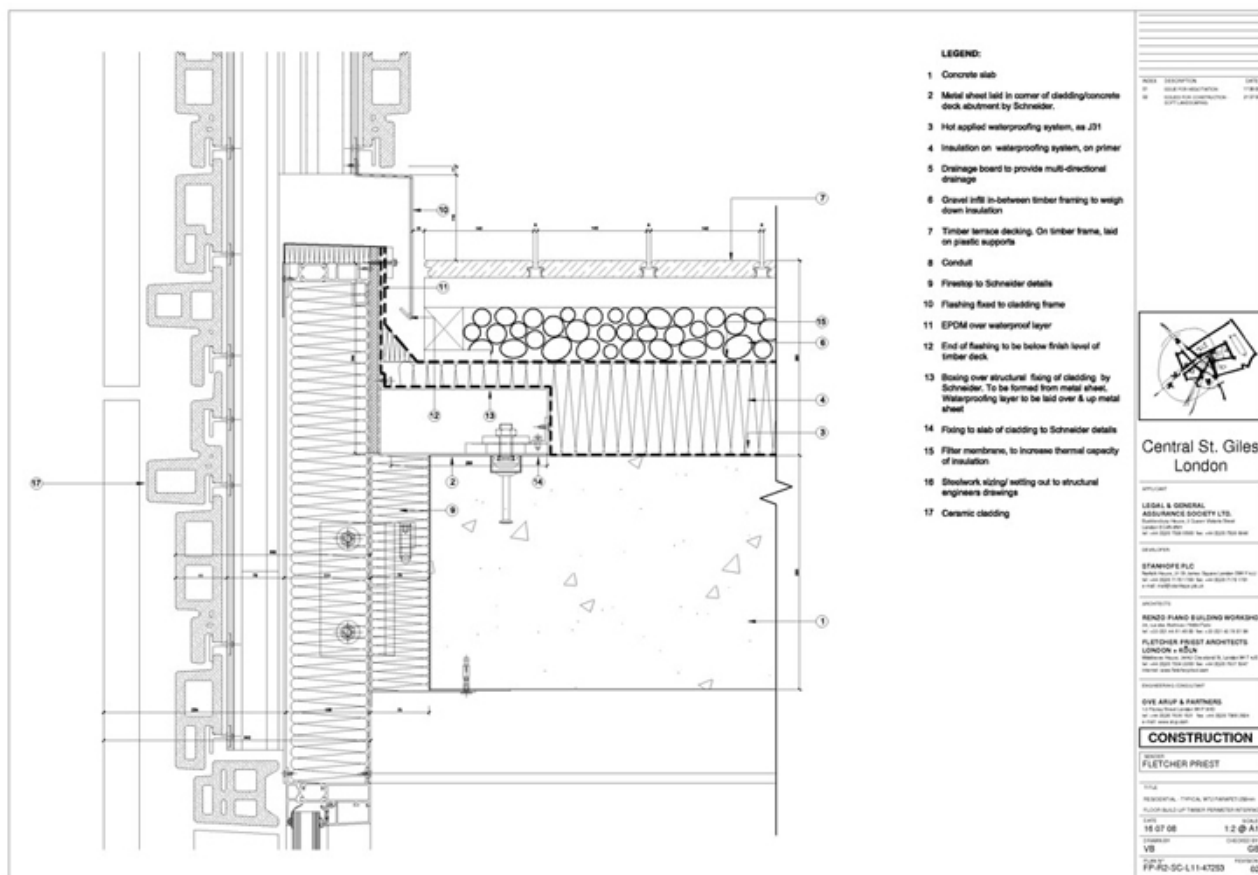
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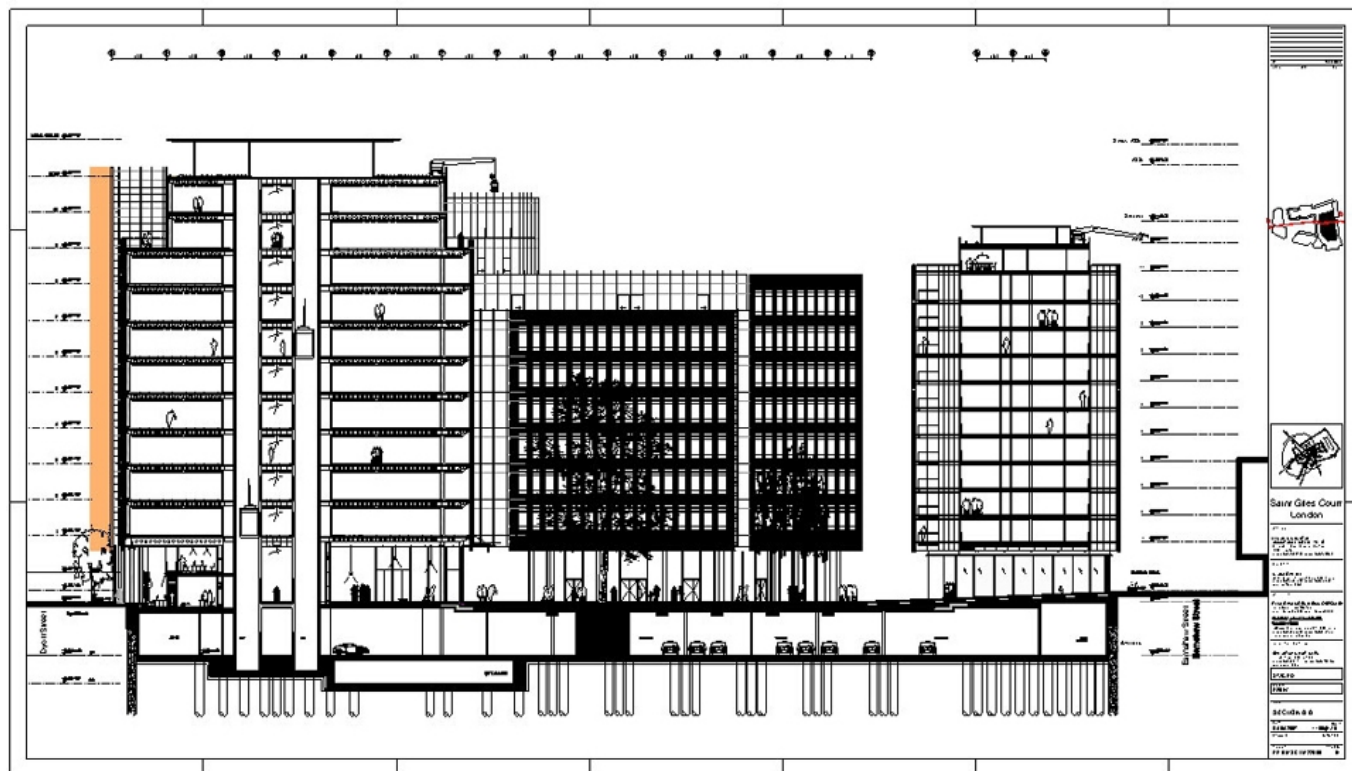
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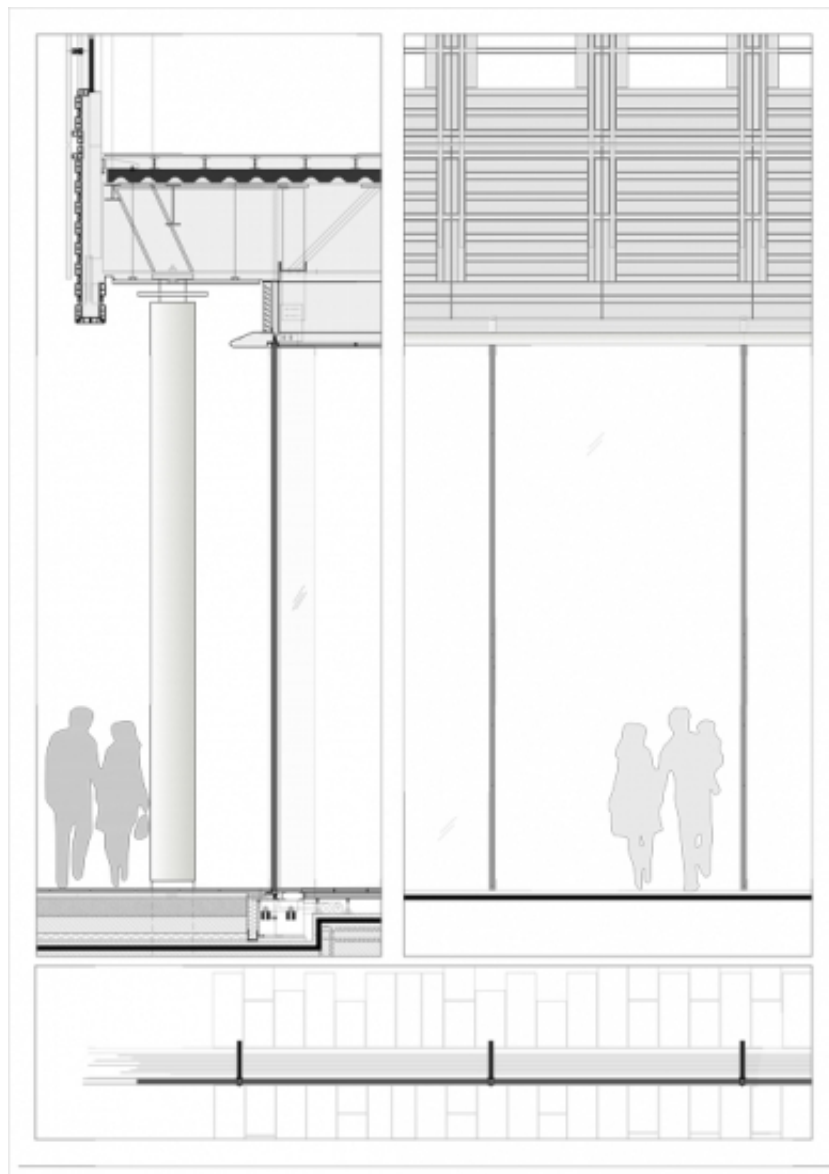
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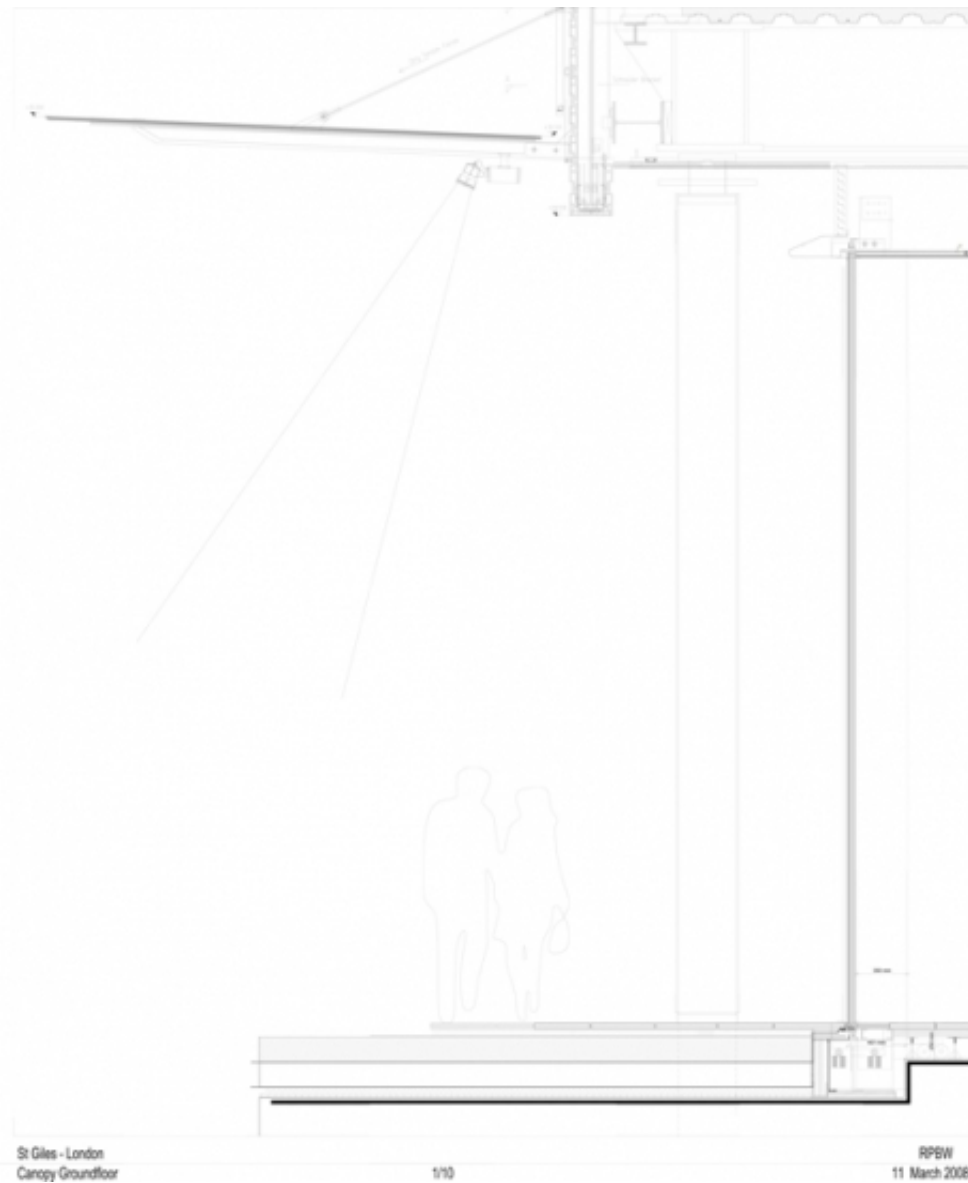
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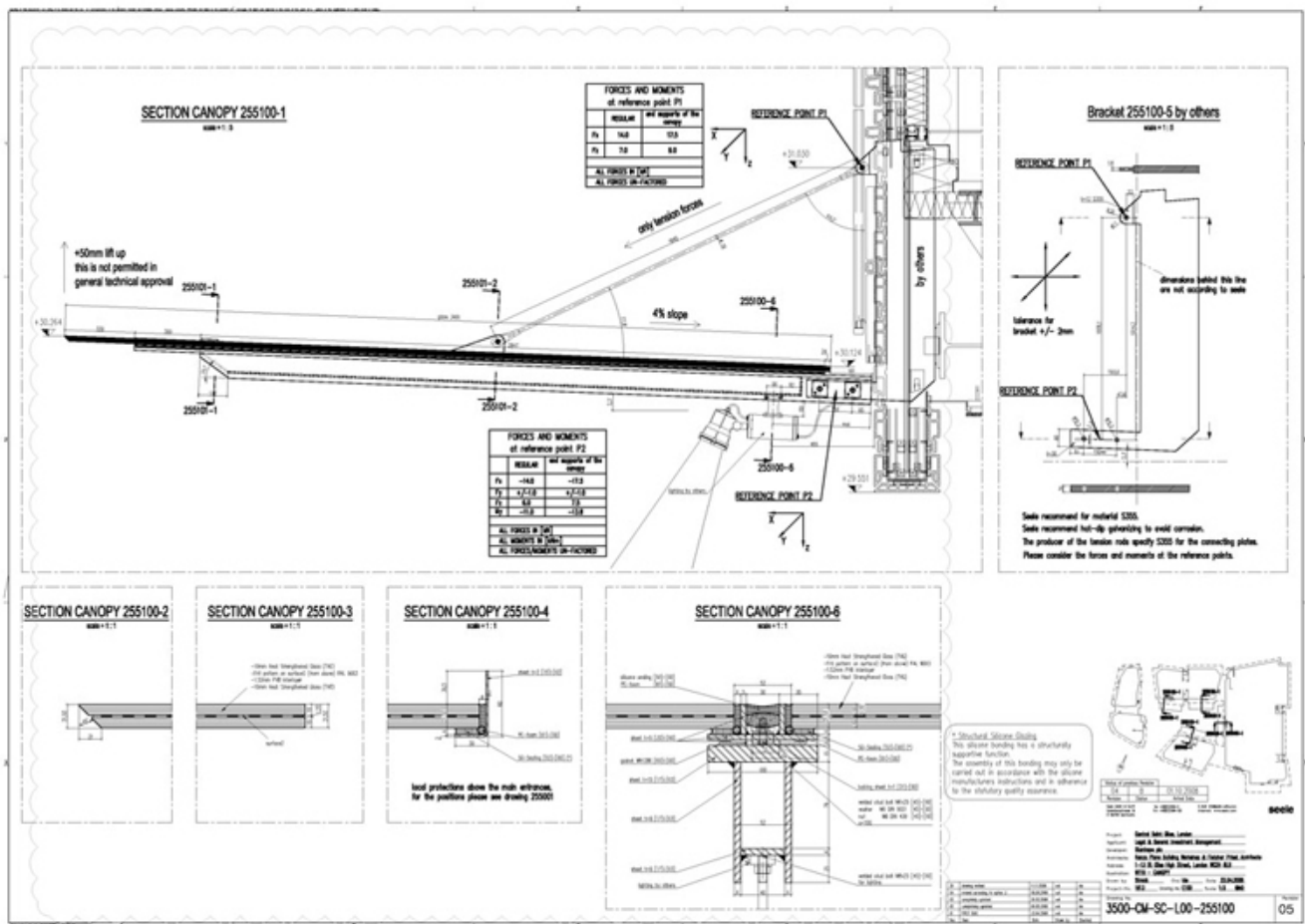
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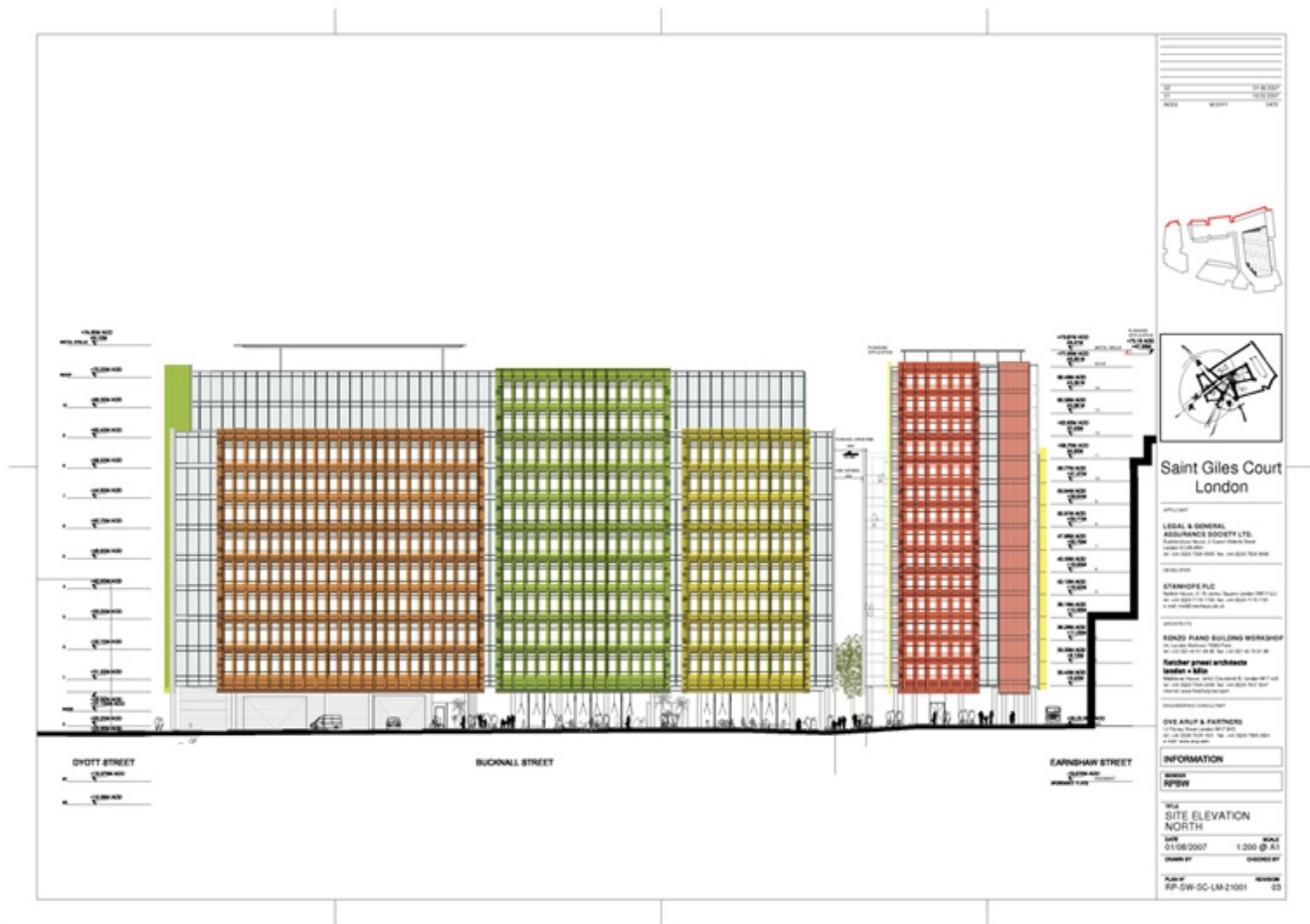
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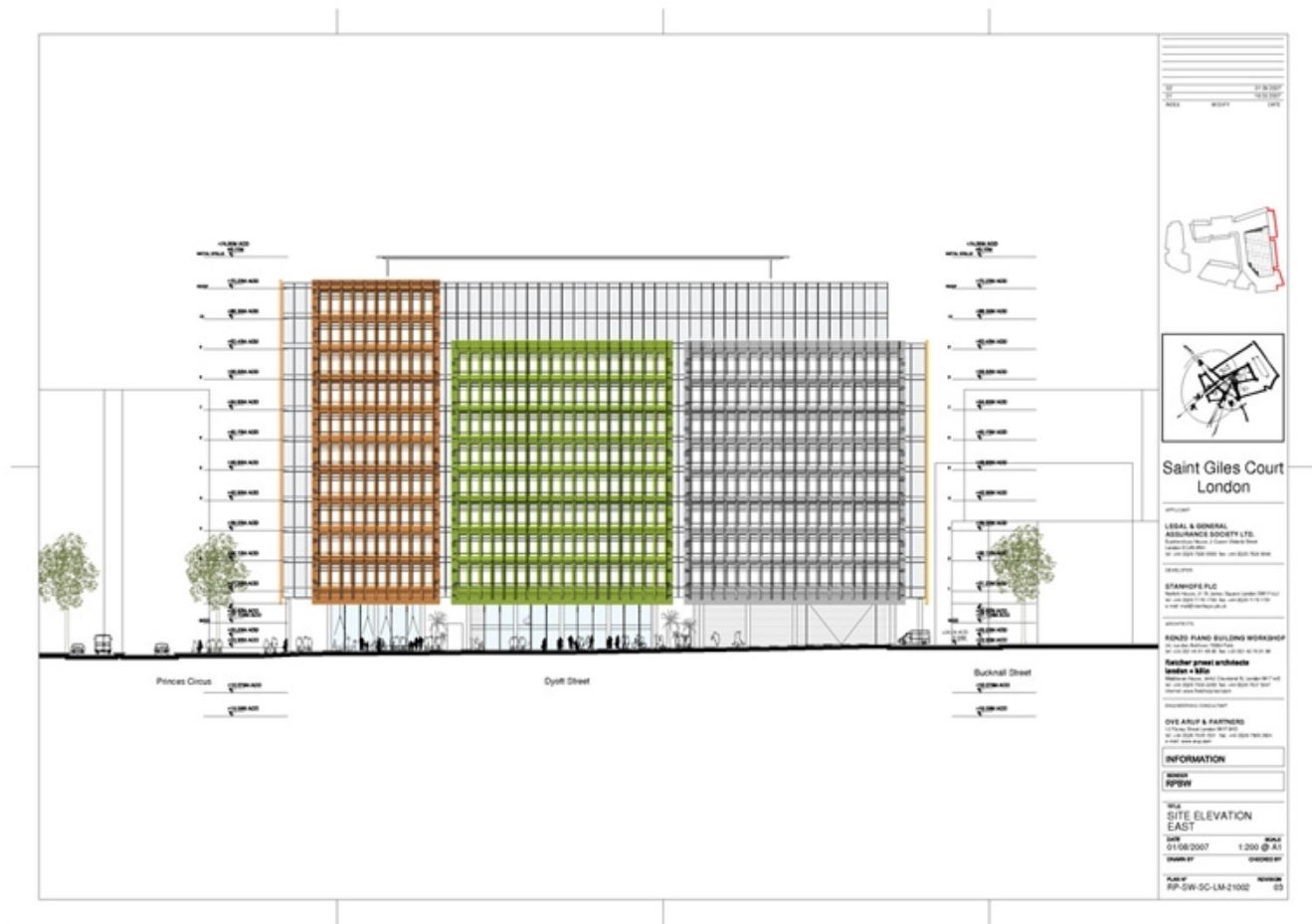
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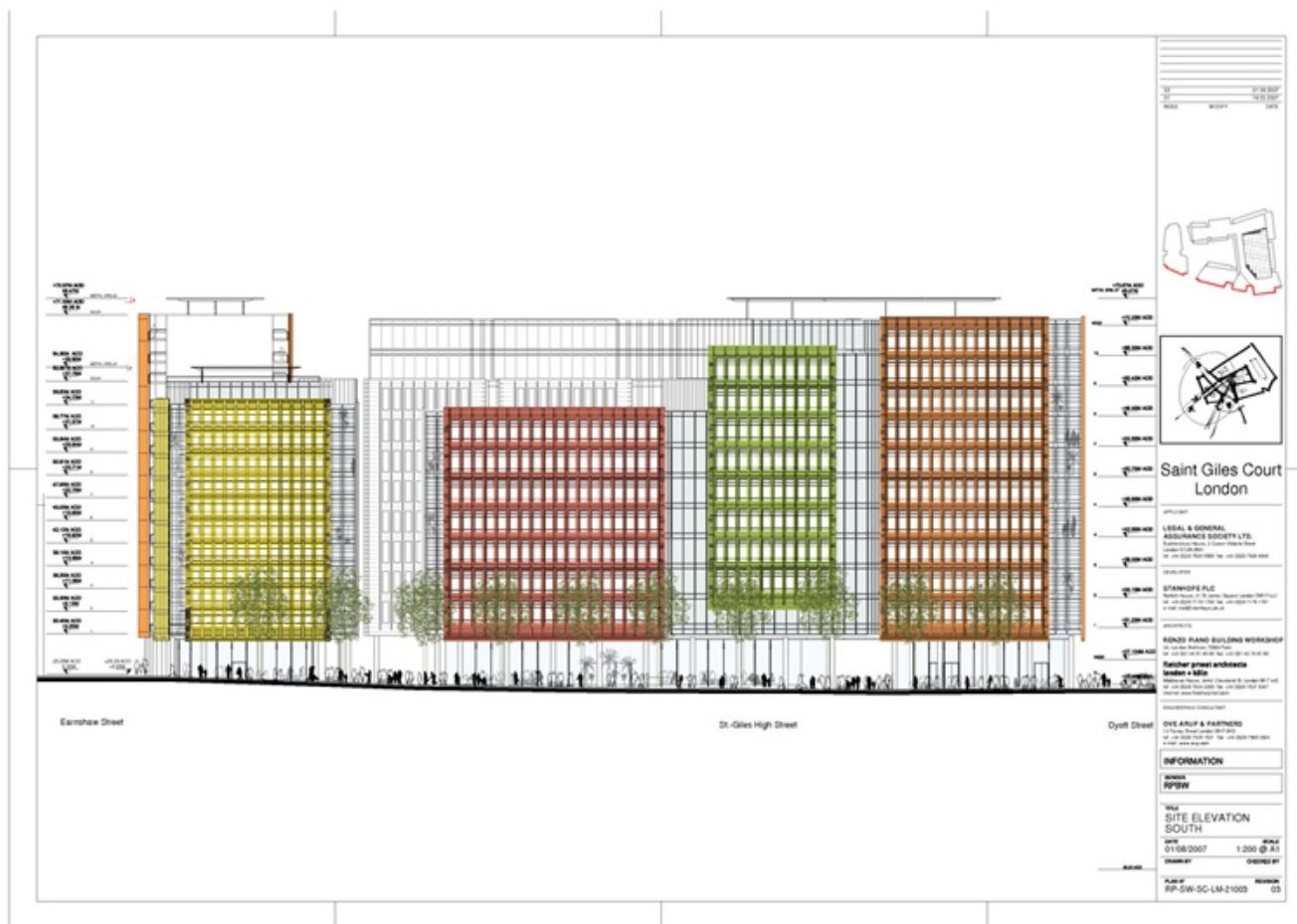
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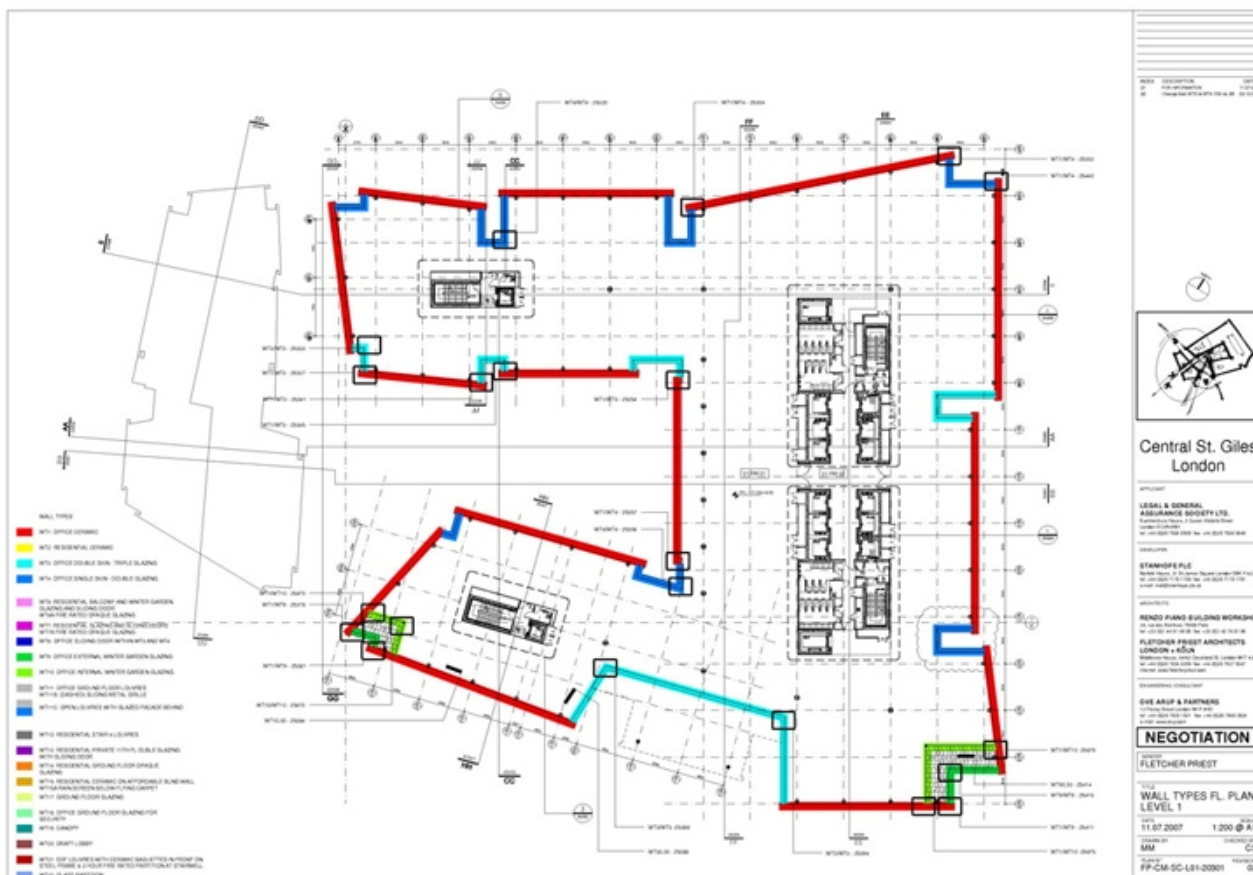
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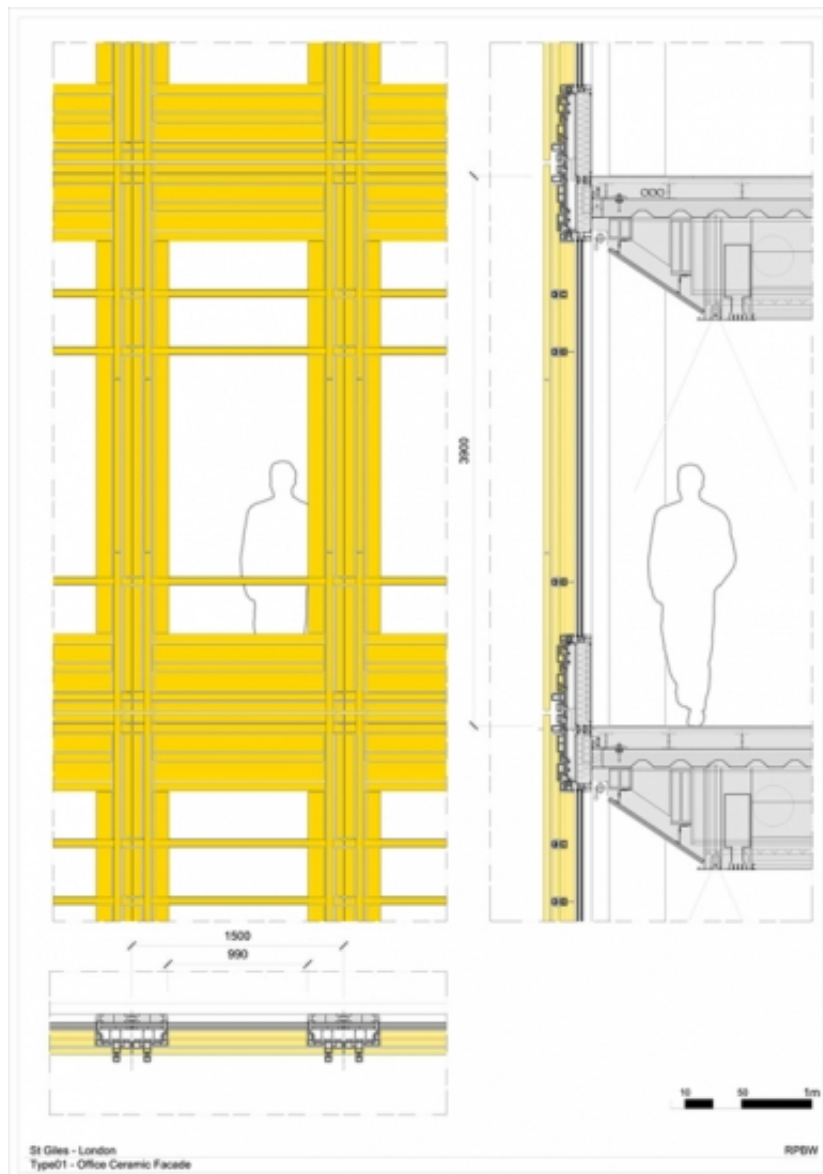
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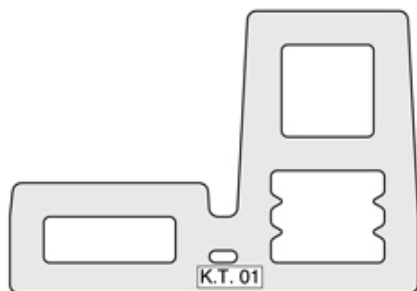


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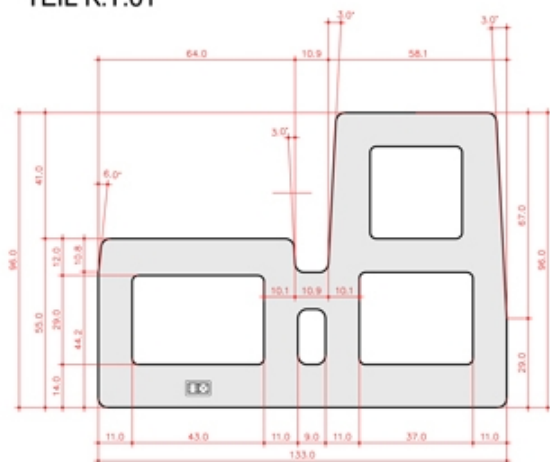
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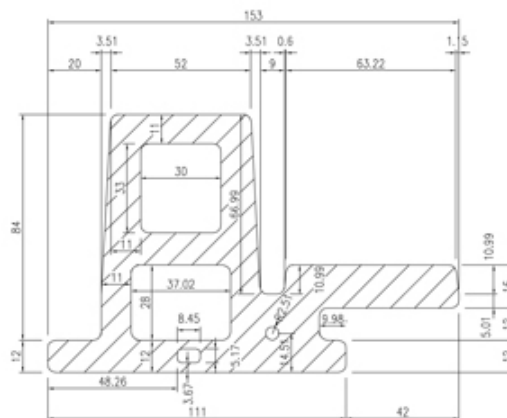
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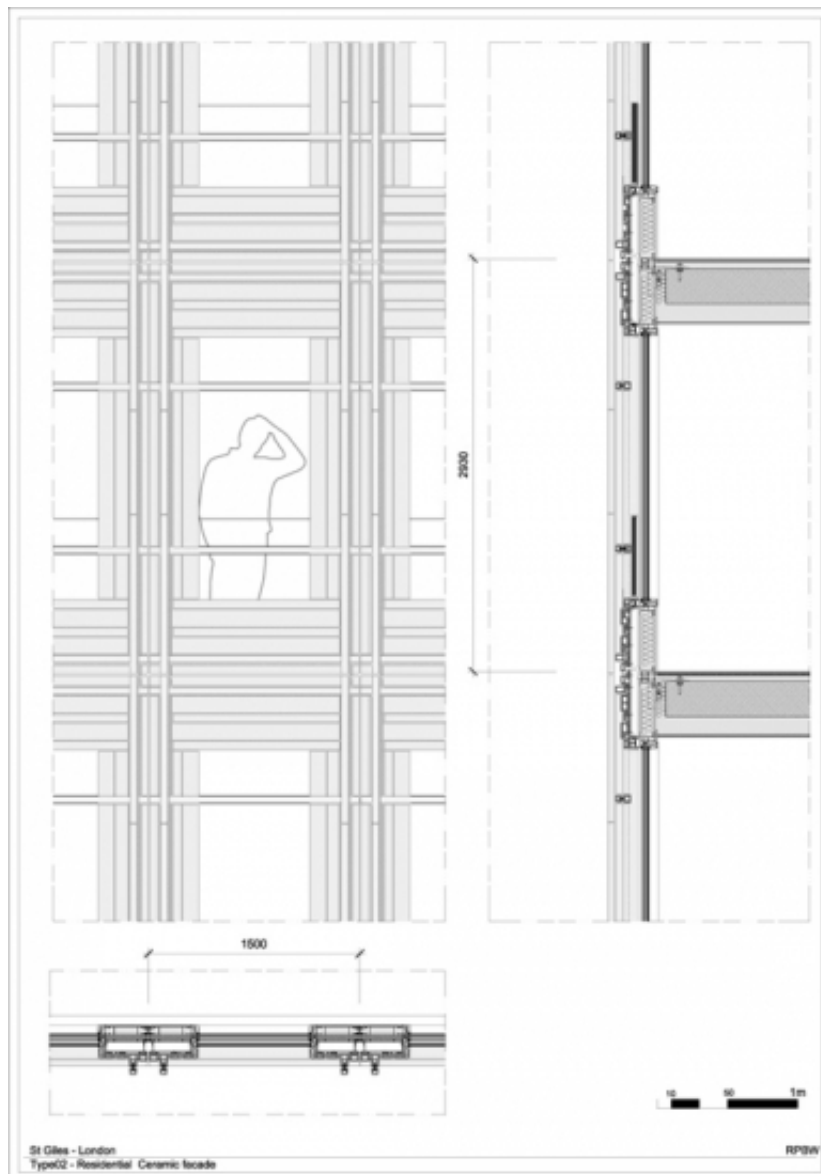
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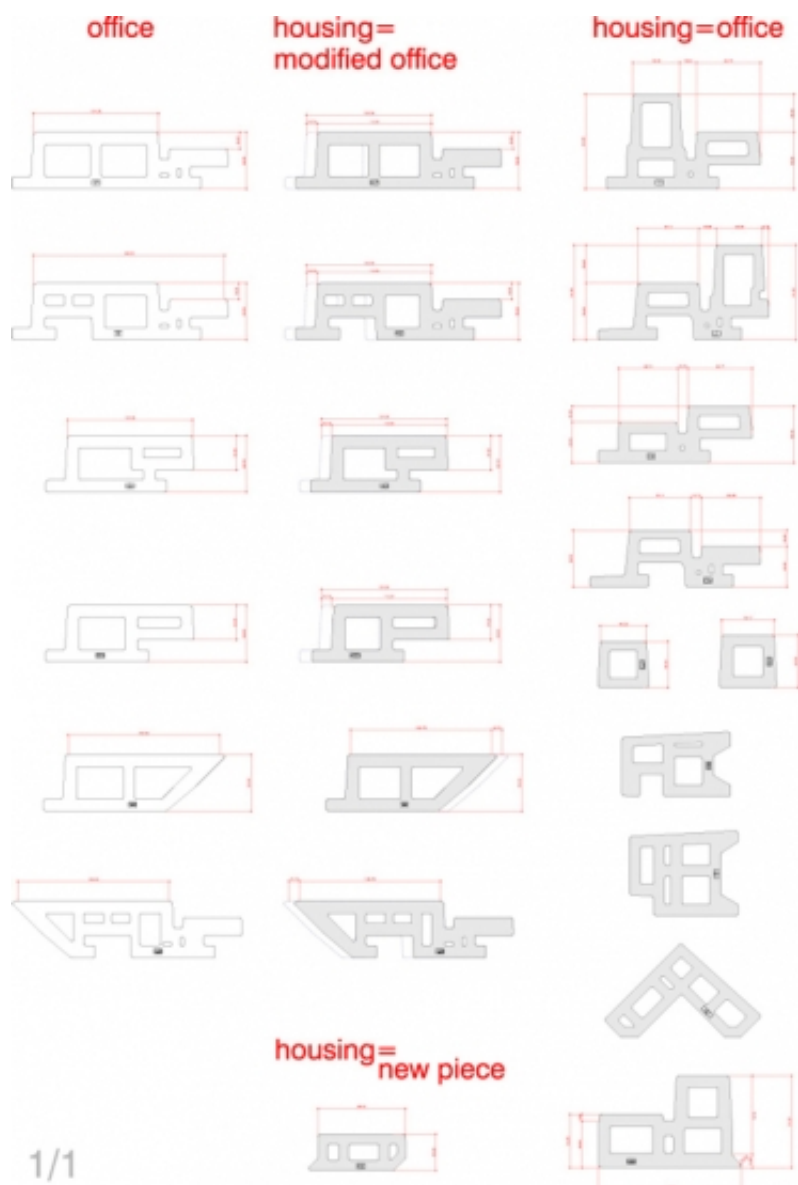
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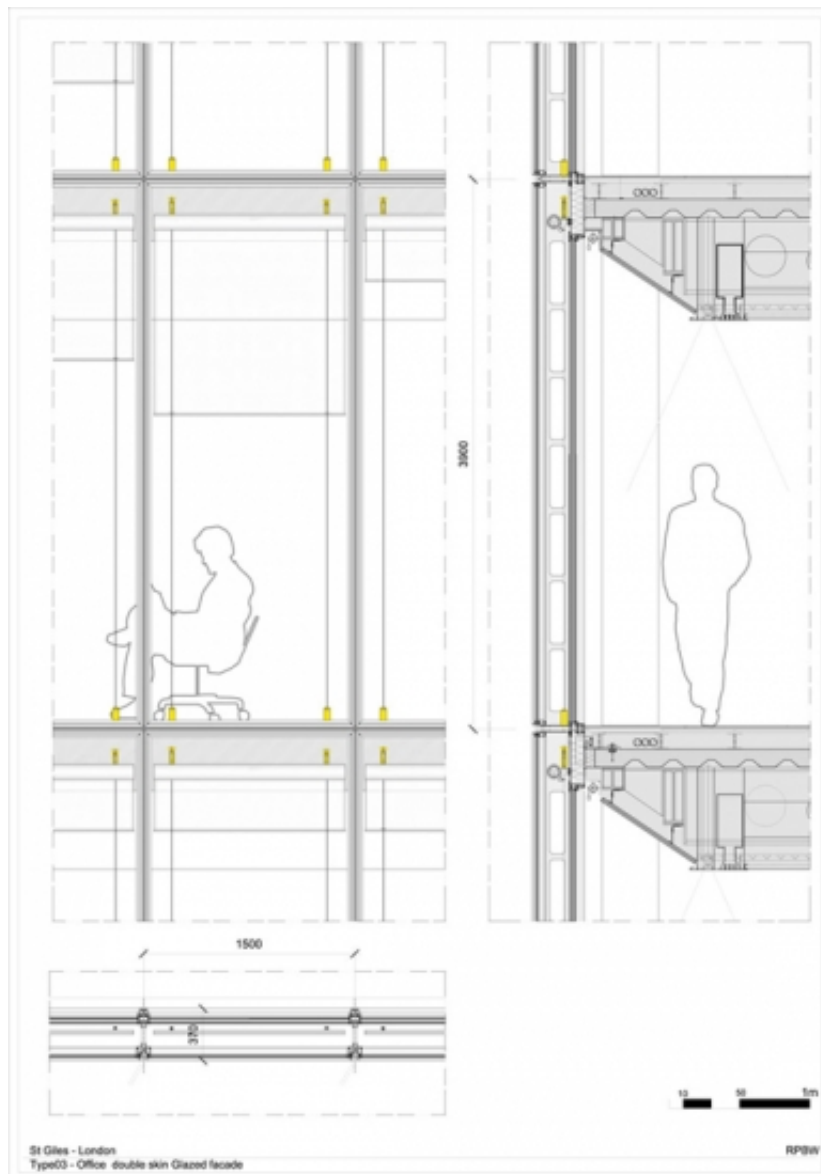
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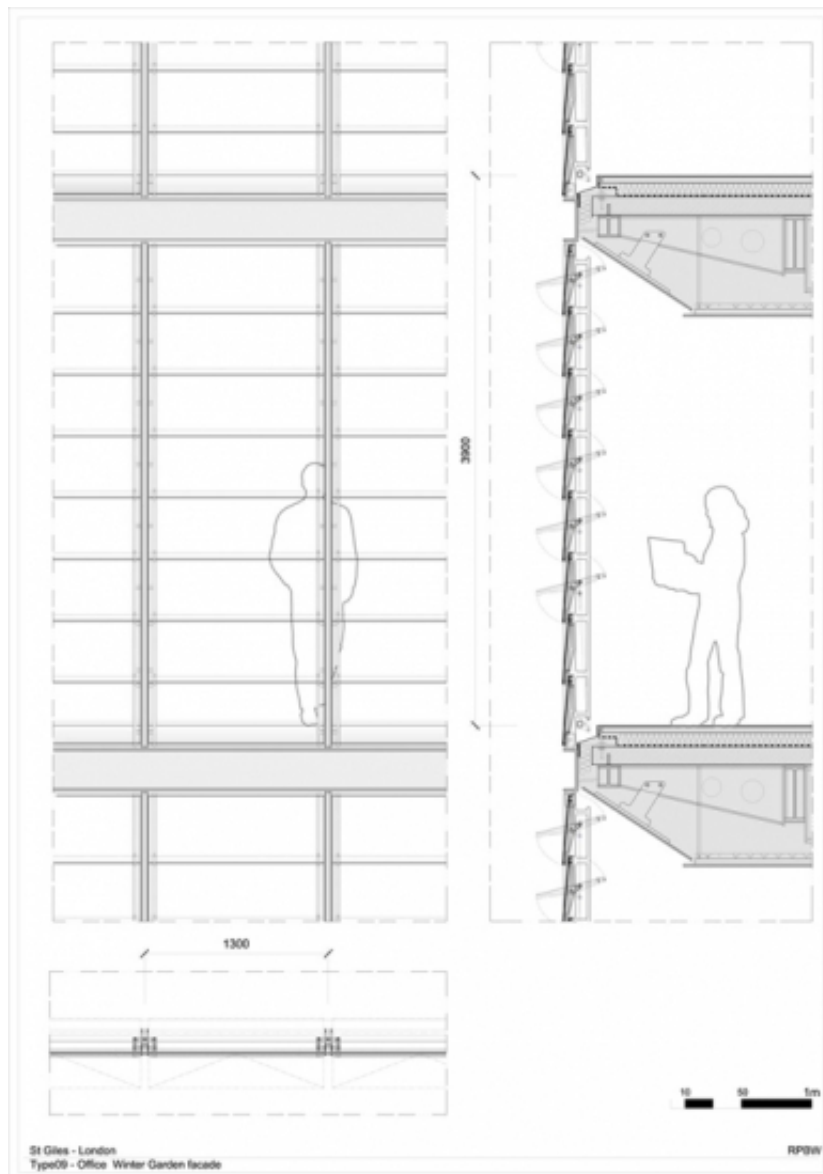
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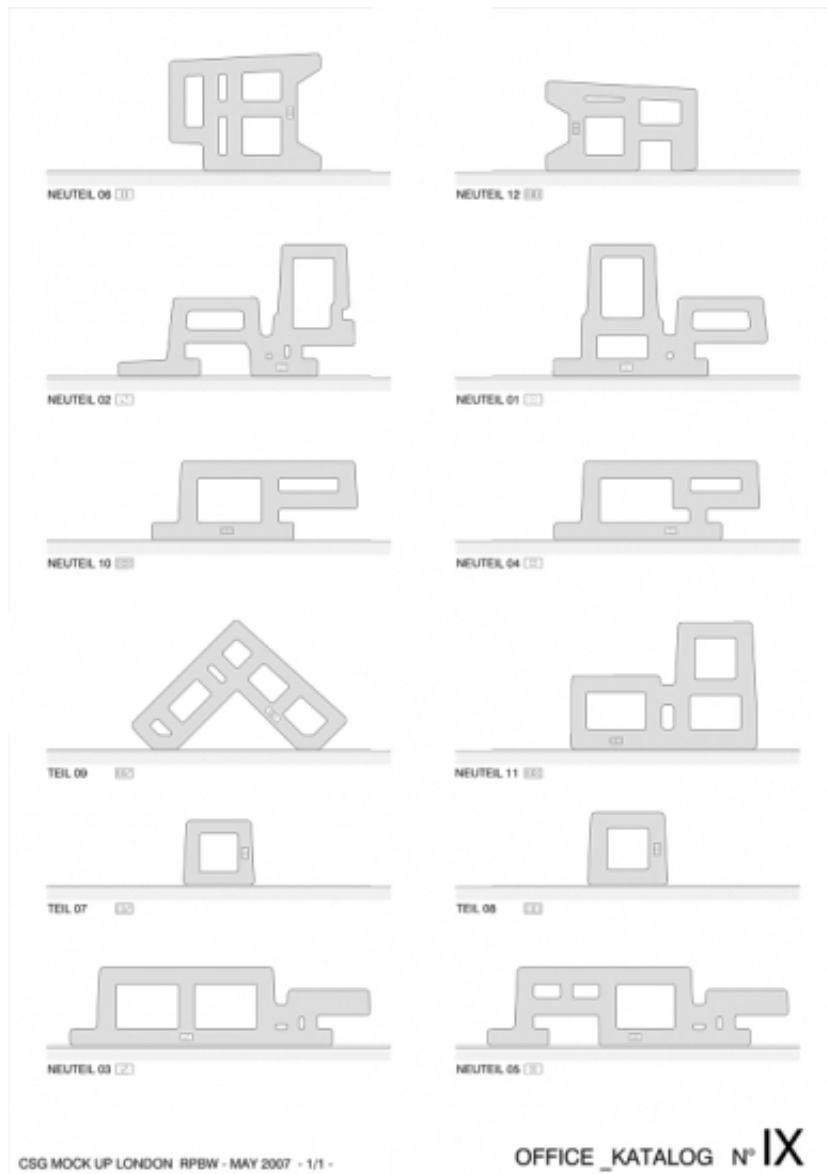
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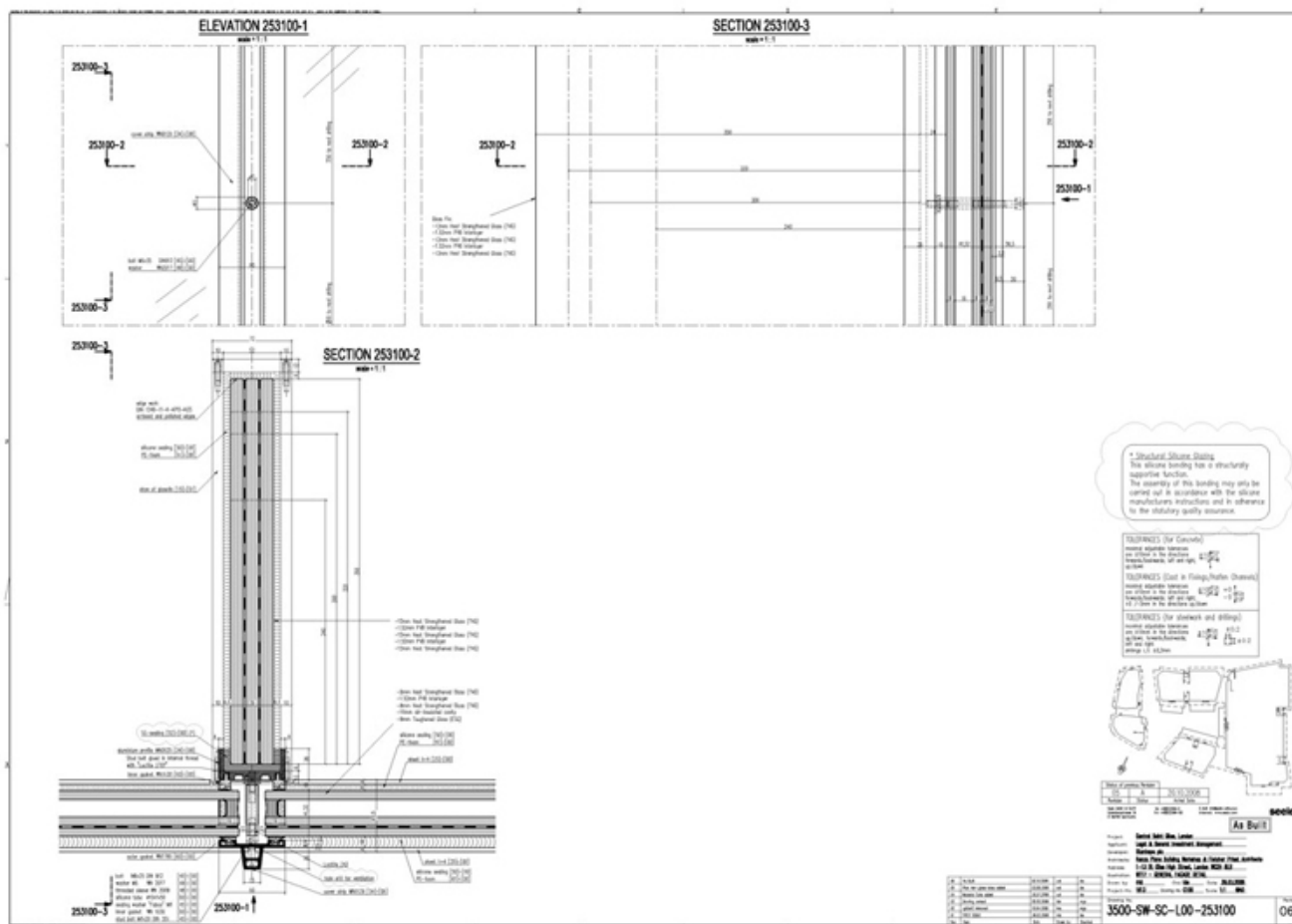
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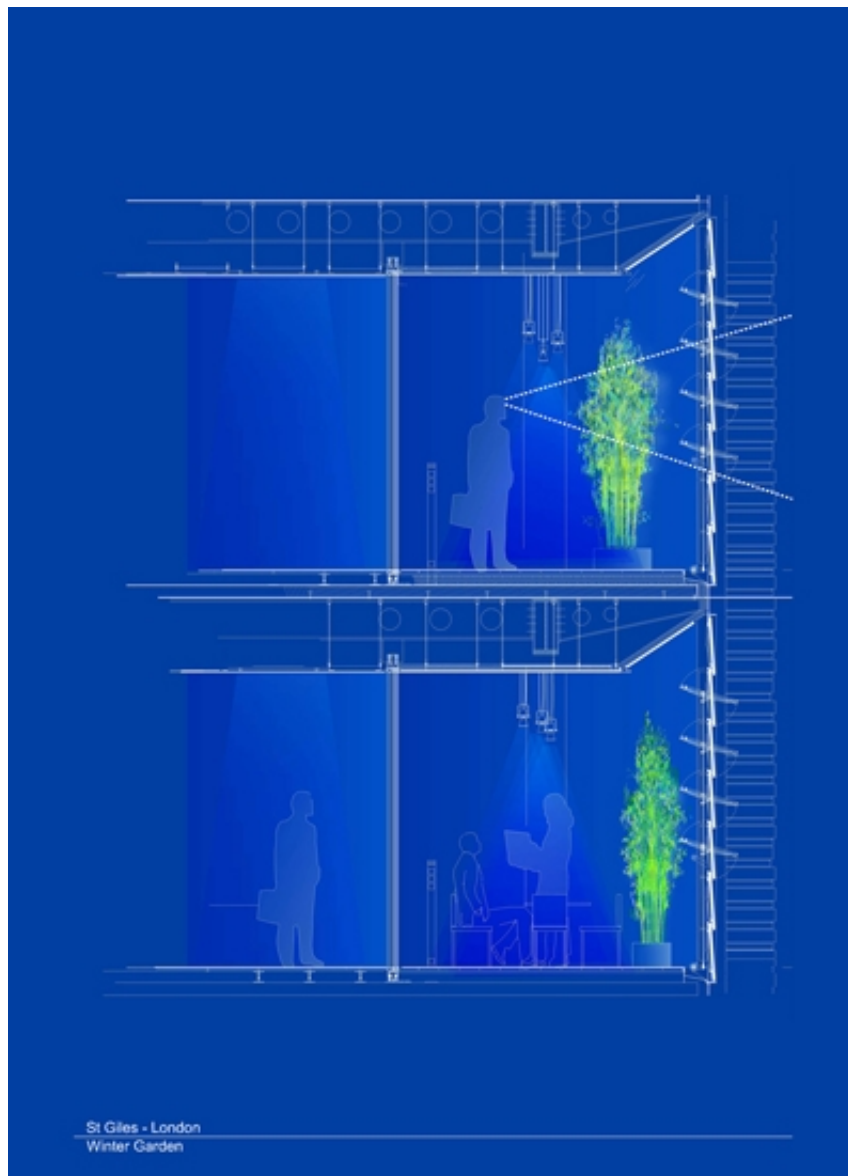
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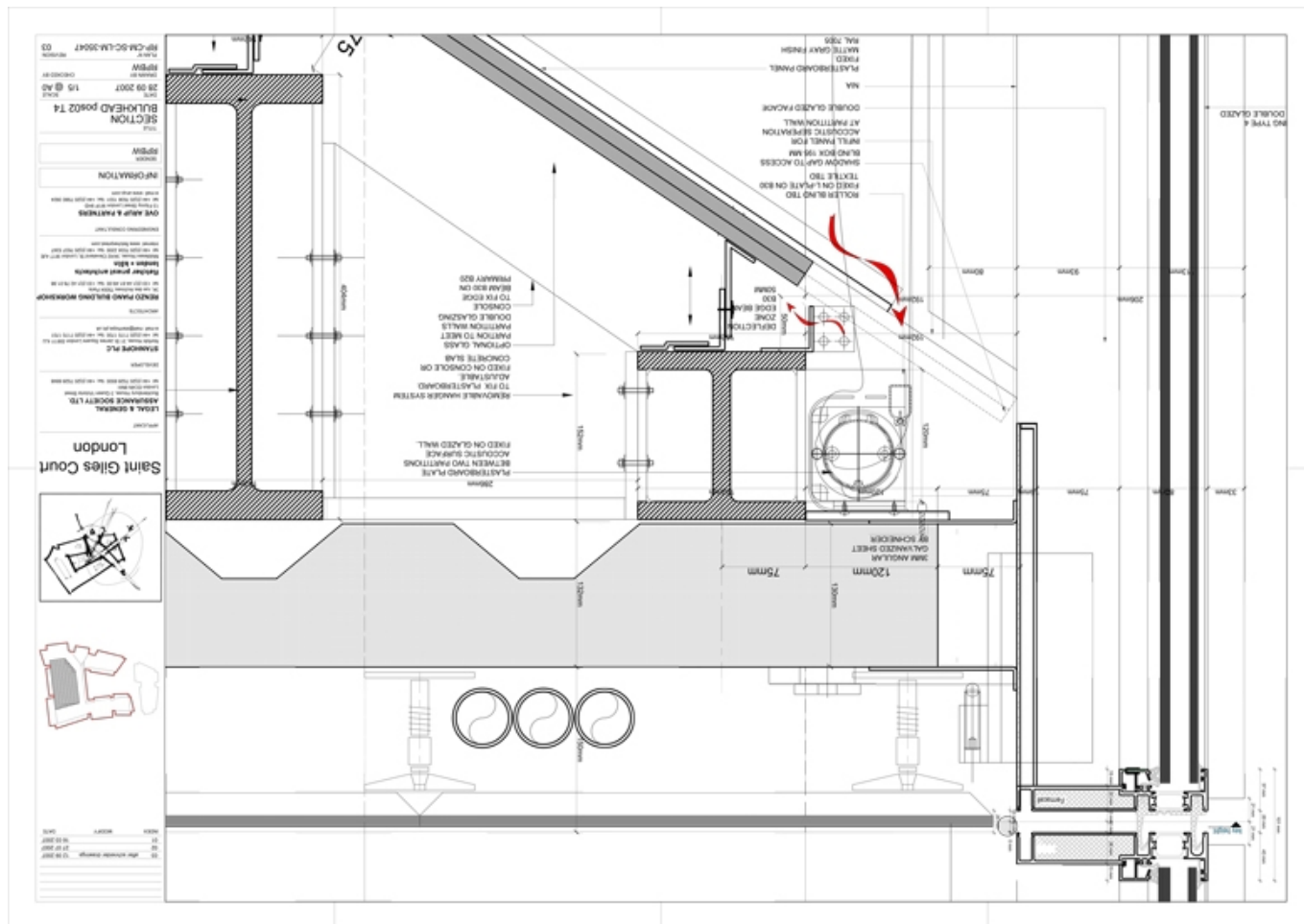
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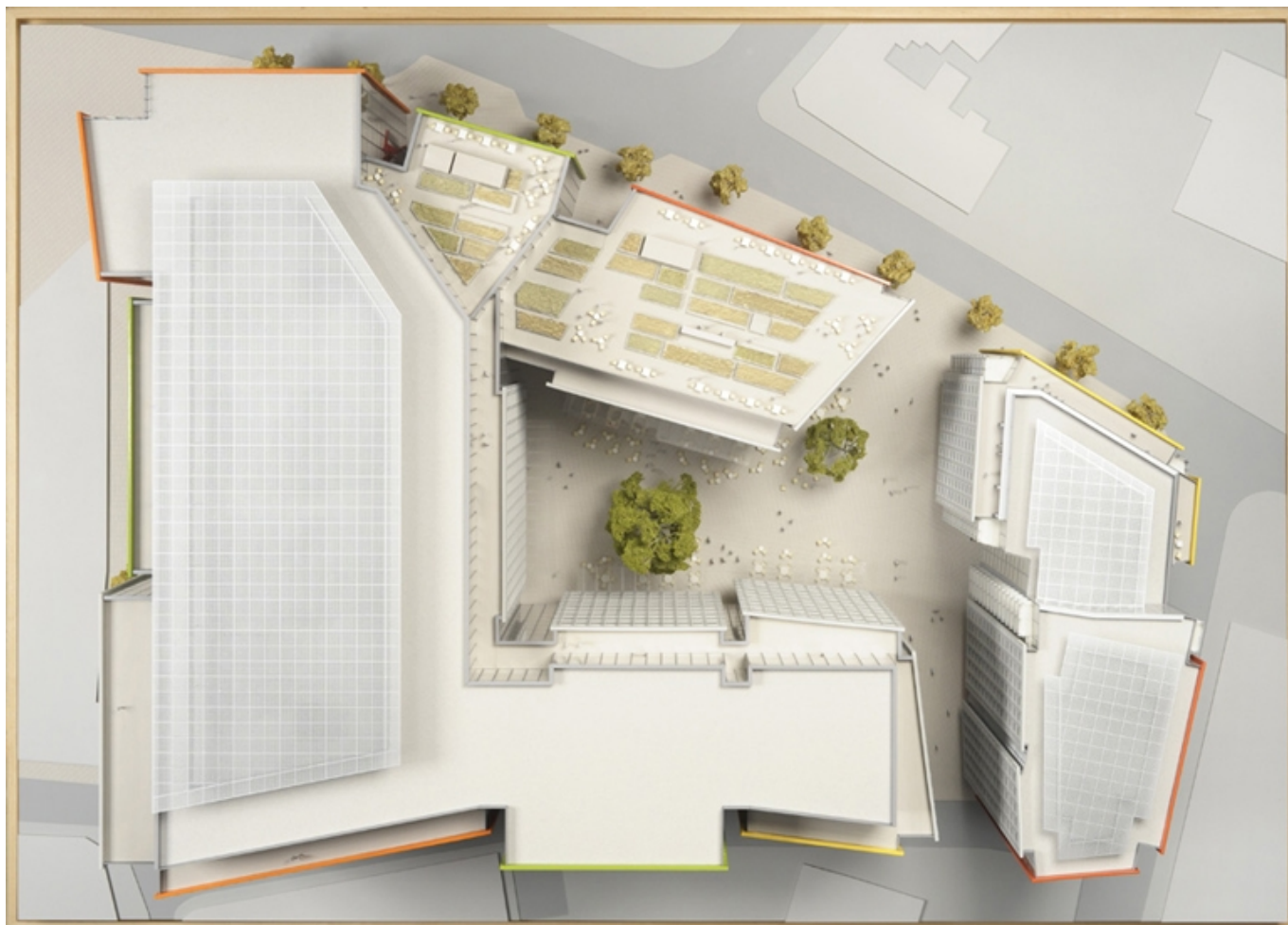


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Scale	1:10
Date	2007/09/28
Drawing number	RP-CM-SC-LM-35047
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Model Author	Goudin, Michel



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Title	South Elevation Bas Relief
Date	2006/11
Model Code	SGI_MD_041
Scale	1:100
Model Author	RPBW



Title	Façade Detailed Presentation Model
Date	2006/03/01
Model Code	SGI_MD_035
Scale	1:33
Model Author	RPBW



Title	Ceramic Profiles Samples
Date	2007/06/01
Model Code	SGI_MD_037
Scale	1:1
Model Author	RPBW

