

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON AQUATIC RESEARCH CENTER SITE STUDY + DESIGN VISIONS

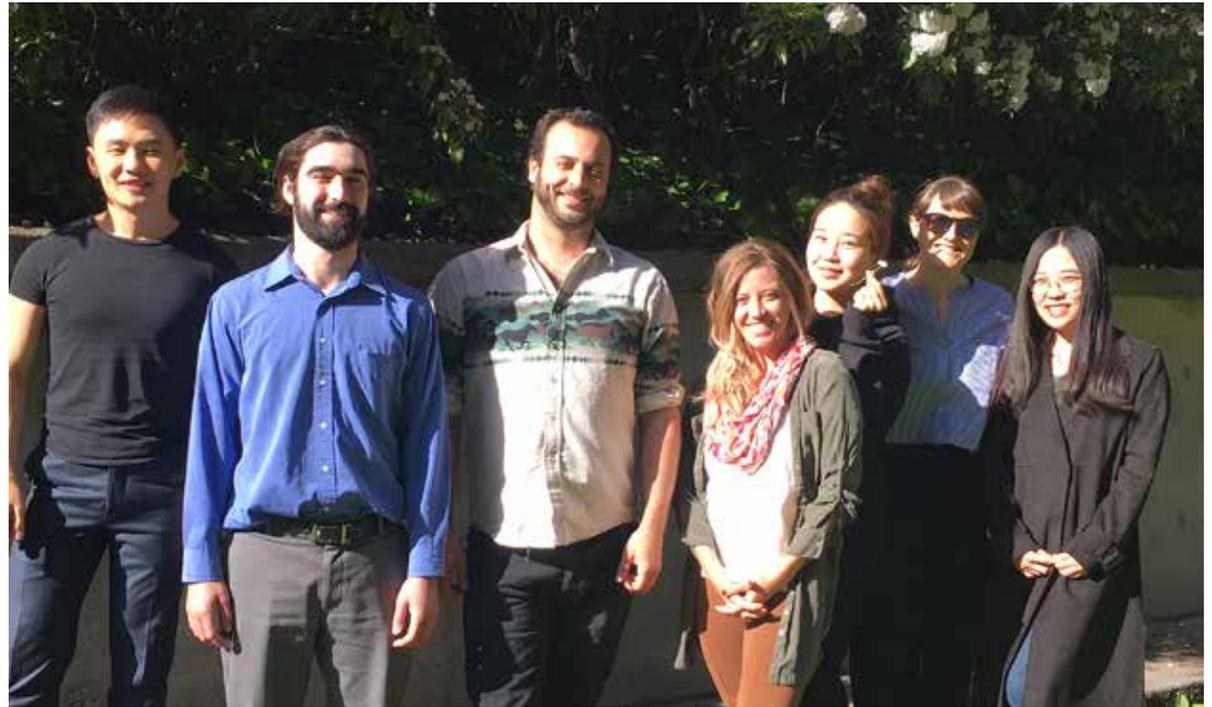
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The [University of Washington's Seattle] campus landscape is a living medium, growing and changing over time, but its materials and underlying meaning provide a continuity to the UW identity that is powerfully felt. The campus landscape is also the most accessible place for putting the values and lessons of the classroom into action: it is a working landscape where people learn, teach, observe, farm, garden, and conduct research, as well as a social landscape for meeting, gathering, play, and relaxation.

--Campus in Motion: UW's Campus Landscape Framework

FOREWORD

Every project needs a champion – someone with vision, persistence and determination. The UW Aquatic Research Center’s champion is Christian Grue, Professor Emeritus of the School of Aquatic and Fishery Sciences. As a former researcher who studied coho raised and released from UW’s salmon run, Chris recognized the absence and need for a research hatchery affiliated with UW. The need, however, goes beyond UW. Indeed, UW’s facility was the sole research hatchery within the State of Washington, despite the cultural and financial significance of salmon to Seattle and the Pacific NW and our reliance on hatcheries to sustain salmon populations. Additionally, Chris recognized that the number of feasible locations on campus for re-establishing a salmon run and hatchery were rapidly dwindling due to increasing demand for new buildings and open spaces at UW. In fact, SAFS will directly be affected when the development of the West Campus Green, identified in the *2018 UW Seattle Campus Master Plan*, forces the demolition of two SAFS buildings and relocation of faculty offices and labs to an as yet to be determined location. Acting on this sense of urgency, Chris approached the Department of Landscape Architecture with a proposal for the studio and worked with SAFS and potential stakeholders to raise sufficient funds to cover the cost of the studio. Chris has participated in every aspect of the studio course – recruiting salmon and hatchery experts to speak with the students, providing feedback and guidance as the students and I endeavored to understand the complexities of rearing salmon and aquatic research in a single quarter, overseeing the administration of funding for the course, and always bringing a contagious level of anticipation and excitement as our “client”.

Throughout the quarter, for what must have seemed like a countless number of times, Rebecca Barnes, Architect for the University; Kristine Kenney, Landscape Architect for the University; and Mark Johnson, Signal Architecture joined us in Gould Hall and at the two study sites. Their insightful comments brought an awareness of real-life challenges, illuminated exciting opportunities and potential solutions and heightened the students’ thinking and quality of their work. We are grateful for your generosity, thank you.

Many professionals and academics shared their time, knowledge, and expertise, by speaking with and reviewing the students’ work. Thank you to Julie Blakeslee, UW Capital Planning + Development; Carla Carson, Muckleshoot Indian Tribe; Darin Combs, Washington Dept. of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW); Danielle Devier, Natural Systems Design; David Graves, Seattle Parks and Recreation; Fred Hoyt, UW Botanic Gardens; Eric Kinne, WDFW; Tom Quinn, SAFS; Lara Rose, Walker Macy; Christian Runge, Mithun; Jim Seeb, SAFS; Lisa Seeb, SAFS; Jim Stoner, Hainline; Ken Warheit, WDFW; Eric Warner, Muckleshoot Indian Tribe; Jacques White, Long Live the Kings; and Jon Wittouck, SAFS.

The proposals are the work of the students as presented to the stakeholders on June 4, 2018.

This studio would not have been possible without the financial support of the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe, Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife, Puget Sound Anglers, and Northwest Marine Technology, Inc.



OVERVIEW

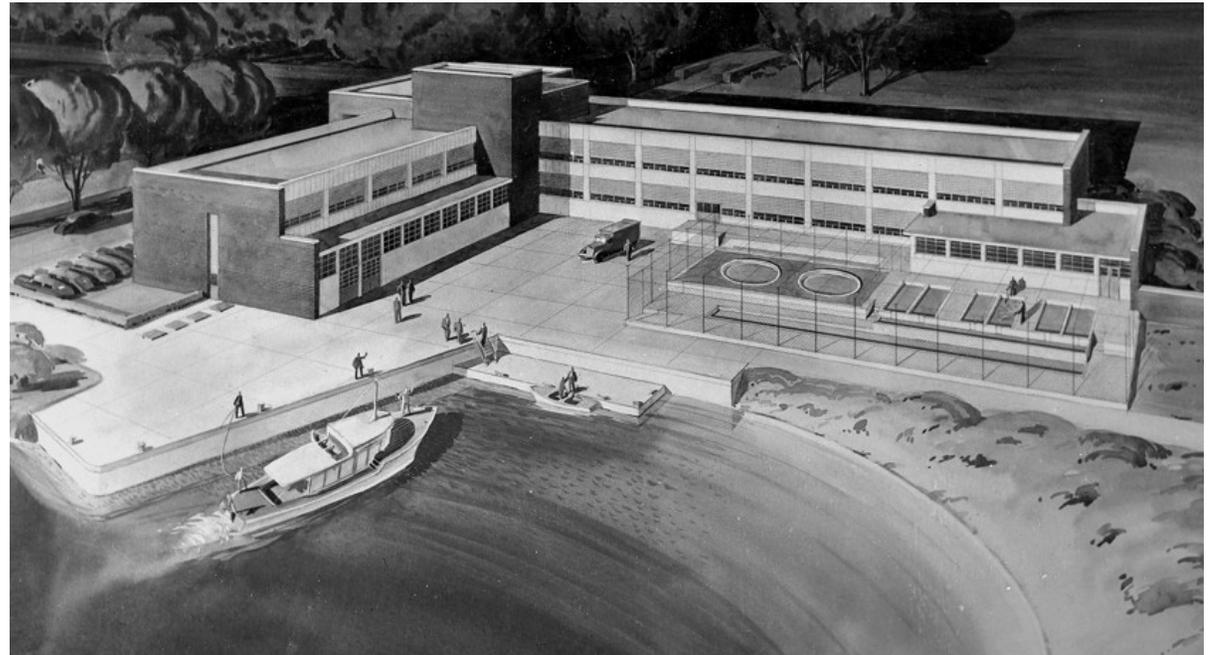
UW HATCHERY HISTORY

The UW School of Fisheries (now the School of Aquatic and Fishery Sciences), established in 1919, was the first academic fisheries program in the United States. The salmon run was started in 1949 to study the effect of radiation on Columbia River salmon. The hatchery was built in 1961. Historically, between 250,000 -400,000 coho and Chinook salmon were released with approximately 1% returning.

For over 60 years, the School of Aquatic and Fishery Sciences (SAFS) maintained a research salmon run and hatchery for Chinook and coho salmon on University of Washington's Seattle campus on the shoreline of Portage Bay. However, in 2010, SAFS faculty decided to discontinue rearing and releasing salmon due to new directions in faculty and fisheries research and decreasing funding. Now, almost a decade later, SAFS faculty are leading an effort to create an Aquatic Research Center on campus in cooperation with the Washington Dept. of Fish and Wildlife, Long Live the Kings, and the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe. The Aquatic Research Center will accommodate all types of aquatic research by providing flexible wet labs as well as reestablish a research run and hatchery facility for Chinook and coho salmon.

HATCHERIES IN WA STATE

Washington State has the largest hatchery complex nationally and internationally with 83 State (WDFW), 51 Tribal and 12 Federal (USFWS) hatcheries. The system is designed to compensate for human impacts to land use, and Tribal Treaty rights. Hatchery-born fish account for 75% of salmon caught in Puget Sound and 90% in the Columbia River, and contribute more than \$1 billion to our state's economy.



Rendering of the new Portage Bay Building and Hatchery, 1950.



UW Hatchery, ca. 2012.



UW Homing Pond, ca. 2012.

STAKEHOLDERS' VISION

Educational nexus tying together the fields of aquaculture, salmon and trout conservation, urban ecology, fishery management, fish health, pathology and aquatic therapeutants...

- Ken Warheit WDFW-MGL

STAKEHOLDERS

UW Aquatic Research Center stakeholders are:

- Muckleshoot Indian Tribe
- Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife
- Long Live the Kings
- University of Washington

A NEW SHARED VISION

The stakeholders have identified and ranked the priorities for the Center:

1) Research

- Salmon within Urban Environments
- Salmon in Lake Washington, Central and South Puget Sound Watersheds

2) Outreach and Education

- Undergraduate, Graduate and Certificate
- K-12 Education and Volunteer Programs
- Focal Point for Multicultural Exposure and Appreciation

3) Production (annual)

- 300,000 Chinook Salmon
- 100,000 Coho Salmon

CHALLENGES

- Campus development plans do not include an Aquatic Research Center or salmon hatchery
- Year-round access to cold water

OPPORTUNITIES

- Ensure SAFS aquatic research facilities
- Potential to integrate with UW Farm and other UW academic units/programs
- Connect with Puget Sound salmon management and stakeholders
- Serve as a focal point for research on freshwater ecosystems within an urban environment
- Connect the public to the research being conducted and our salmon heritage
- Serve as a focal point for educational outreach
- Provide flexibility in infrastructure and capability for research
- Opportunity to incorporate "State of the Art", "Green" hatchery and aquatic facility infrastructure
- Connect to UW Fishery legacy
- Catalyst for development of a "Hatchery Research Complex"



STUDIO GOALS + PROCESS

STUDIO GOALS

Over the course of the Spring 2018 quarter, students from the College of Built Environments explored how the strategic site selection, programming, and site development of a new Aquatic Research Center at UW might serve its primary function for research and learning while also activating campus life, enhancing connections to the natural world, and engaging off-campus collaborators. Students incorporated relevant goals and objectives from the *2018 University of Washington Seattle Campus Master Plan* and *Landscape in Motion: UW's Campus Landscape Framework* (2015) as they considered and evaluated potential locations for the facility.

As aspiring landscape and architecture designers, the students worked in teams to investigate landscape phenomena, relationships, processes and systems and develop designs visions which embody creativity and a sophisticated sense of space, process and form. The students were encouraged to develop strategies and craft places which focus on how the exterior components of the center accommodates research needs while fostering a vibrant campus and public life. The Aquatic Research Center must function as a hub for aquatic research but should also be experienced as a place of advocacy for our connection to the natural world in general and Pacific NW salmon in particular.

The student teams were tasked with

- developing a vision and program for the center,
- identifying and assessing appropriate campus sites, and
- developing concept designs which consider both the campus' current context and UW's future campus development plans.

SEMINARS + FIELD TRIPS

Through a series of seminars and field trips, the students heard directly from the stakeholders about their goals and priorities for the center, toured the former hatchery site on campus and the WDFW Issaquah Hatchery, and reviewed current needs and future plans for the Seattle campus with the Architect and Landscape Architect for the University. The students also heard from experts about Pacific NW salmon, natural design for restoration of salmon streams, environmental education and interpretative centers, and public space projects on Portage Bay.

Seminar 1: Salmon 101

Tom Quinn, School of Aquatic + Fishery Sciences (SAFS)

Seminar 2: Hearing from the Stakeholders

Chris Grue, SAFS

Ken Warheit, Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW)

Eric Warner, Muckleshoot Indian Tribe

Jacques White, Long Live the Kings

Seminar 3: UW Campus Planning + Public Realm

Rebecca Barnes, Architect for the University

Seminar 4: Incorporating Environmental Education in Design

Mark Johnson, Signal Architecture

Lara Rose, Walker Macy

David Graves, Seattle Parks + Recreation

Seminar 5: Natural Systems Design for Restoring Salmon Streams

Danielle Devier, Natural Systems Design

Field Trip 1: WDFW Issaquah Hatchery

Darin Combs, WDFW

Field Trip 2: UW Former Hatchery

Jon Wittouck, SAFS and Former Hatchery Manager

Field Trip 3: East Campus, UBNA Area

Kristine Kenney, Landscape Architect for the University

Hatchery Case Studies

Oregon Hatchery Research Center

UC Davis Bodega Marine Labs

Yakima Nation Cle Elum Hatchery



Field trip to Issaquah Hatchery.

MISSION STATEMENT

written by Nina Mross

To be a hub and model of innovative urban aquatic research and hatchery science that catalyzes outreach, education and interdisciplinary collaboration, drives sustainable hatchery production, enhances the lives and outcomes of people and wildlife, and celebrates the past, present, and future of the Puget Sound.

PROGRAM

The proposed program incorporates elements to meet the stakeholders' goals for the project: research, outreach and production as well as elements related to creating a vibrant campus. The program varies slightly between the proposals based on the site's location and qualities.

Square footage for the program elements is based on the floor plan of the former hatchery and discussions with Jon Wittouck, former hatchery manager, and Chris Grue. In terms of interior spaces, the proposed program and square footage matches the former hatchery except for the lab spaces and outreach spaces. Rather than individual small wet labs, the proposed program includes a single large flexible research space that can be subdivided as needed. Additionally, the designs incorporate a meeting room and interpretation areas for visitors to the Center.

Similarly, the exterior program elements are based on the former hatchery except the proposed designs also include a mechanical crowder, spawning channels, and interpretation areas for visitors. All raceways and channels are assumed to be flexible by including removable gates and separation panels.

Additionally, the proposed designs incorporate optional program spaces such as relocated SAFS offices, cafes, and space for program that would dovetail well with aquatic research such as aquaponics. The two proposals for the Union Bay Natural Area include an auditorium rather than a meeting room as the Center for Urban Horticulture (CUH) suggested sharing facilities and CUH already has a meeting room.

PROGRAM COMPARISON

Former Hatchery (Interior)

Total square footage = 6,700 sf

- Research hatchery room – 3000 sf
- Lab 1 + 2 (Wet labs) – 2 x 350 sf
- Lab 3 – 750 sf
- Other labs – 1,000 sf
- Incubation room – 450 sf
- Office – 150 sf
- Storage – 350 sf
- Bathrooms – 300 sf

Former Hatchery (Exterior)

Total square footage approx. = 40,000 sf

- Homing pond + viewing area
- Fish ladder
- Pump house
- Rectangular raceways (4) (netted + fenced)
- Round tanks (2) (netted + fenced)
- Large rectangular raceway (1) (netted + fenced)
- Loading dock
- Parking spaces
- Trails/walkways

Proposed (Interior)

Total square footage = 8,000 sf (minimum)

- Research hatchery room – 3000 sf
- Flexible wet lab room – 3000 sf
- Incubation room – 450 sf
- Office – 150 sf
- Storage – 350 sf
- Meeting room – 500 sf OR Auditorium*
- Interpretative elements and spaces – 300 sf
- Bathrooms – 300 sf

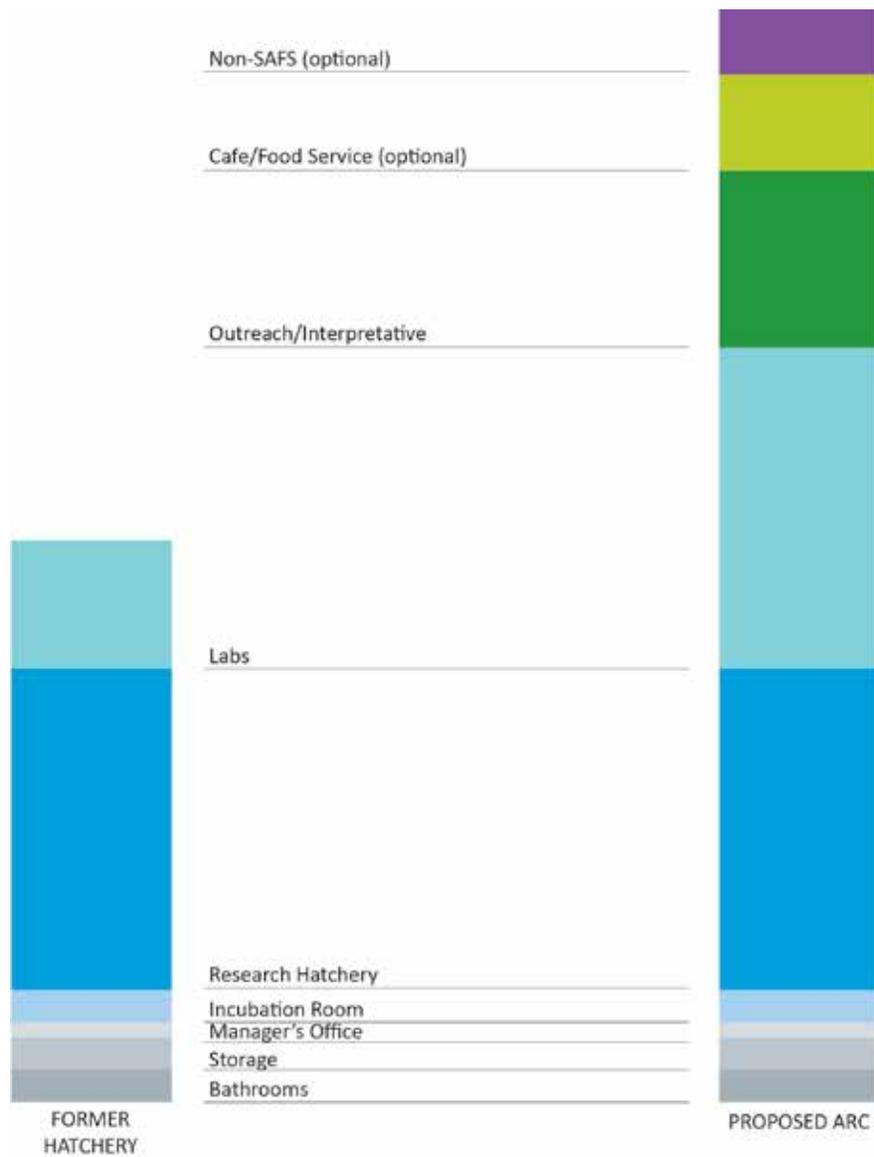
Proposed (Exterior)

Total square footage: varies

- Homing pond + viewing area (partial/temporary cover)
- Fish ladder
- Raceways + tanks (fully netted + fenced when in use)
- Spawning channels (optional) (fully netted + fenced when in use)
- Pump house
- Sedimentation pond (truck access required)
- Loading dock
- Interpretative elements and spaces
- Trails/walkways
- Waterfront trail

Proposed Optional (Interior + Exterior)

- SAFS offices to replace in part or whole SAFS offices currently located in the Fisheries Teaching Bldg and Marine Sciences Bldg (Both buildings will be demolished to accommodate the West Campus Green.)
- Offices, labs or classrooms for non-SAFS UW departments
- Spaces (interior and exterior) for use by non-UW organizations or partners
- Restaurant/café/other food service



Program Comparison Diagram: Former Hatchery vs Proposed Aquatic Research Center (ARC)

The proposed program increases flexible lab space, outreach/interpretative space and incorporates optional program based on site location and qualities.

SITE SELECTION

Seven sites were identified and assessed based on the Site Assessment Criteria, see map on next page for site locations. A chart of Strengths/Opportunities and Weaknesses/Issues for each site is on the following two pages.

Of the 7 sites, only 2 were assessed as reasonable sites for a new Aquatic Research Center - the site of the former hatchery in South Campus and Development Site E86 (as identified in the *2018 UW Seattle Campus Master Plan*) in the Union Bay Natural Area adjacent to the UW Botanic Gardens Center for Urban Horticulture.

SITE ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

Program + Stakeholder Wants

- Stakeholder Priorities: 1: Research 2: Outreach 3: Production
- Fish Access to Site
- Urban Ecosystem Research Opportunity
- Ability to Connect with Other UW Programs

Narrative + Experience

- Connection to the Salmon Story
- Site Histories
- Human Experience
- Positive Contribution (Multiple Scales)

Site Context

- Proximity To Safs / Labs
- Multi-Modal and Pedestrian Access
- Proximity of Amenities
- Visibility / Foot Traffic
- Compatibility of Adjacent Uses

Site + Infrastructure

- Cold Water Access
- Utilities
- Zoning + Permitting
- Environmental Impact
- Construction Feasibility

Planning + Development

- Development Feasibility
- Campus Master Plan / Campus Landscape Framework Compatibility
- Coupling Opportunities
- Operations + Maintenance Impacts

POTENTIAL CAMPUS SITES

West Campus

Development Site W36
Development Site W33

South Campus

Former Hatchery Site
Glade Site

East Campus

Development Site E58
UBNA Ravenna Creek Site
Development Site E86

SELECTED STUDY SITES

South Campus

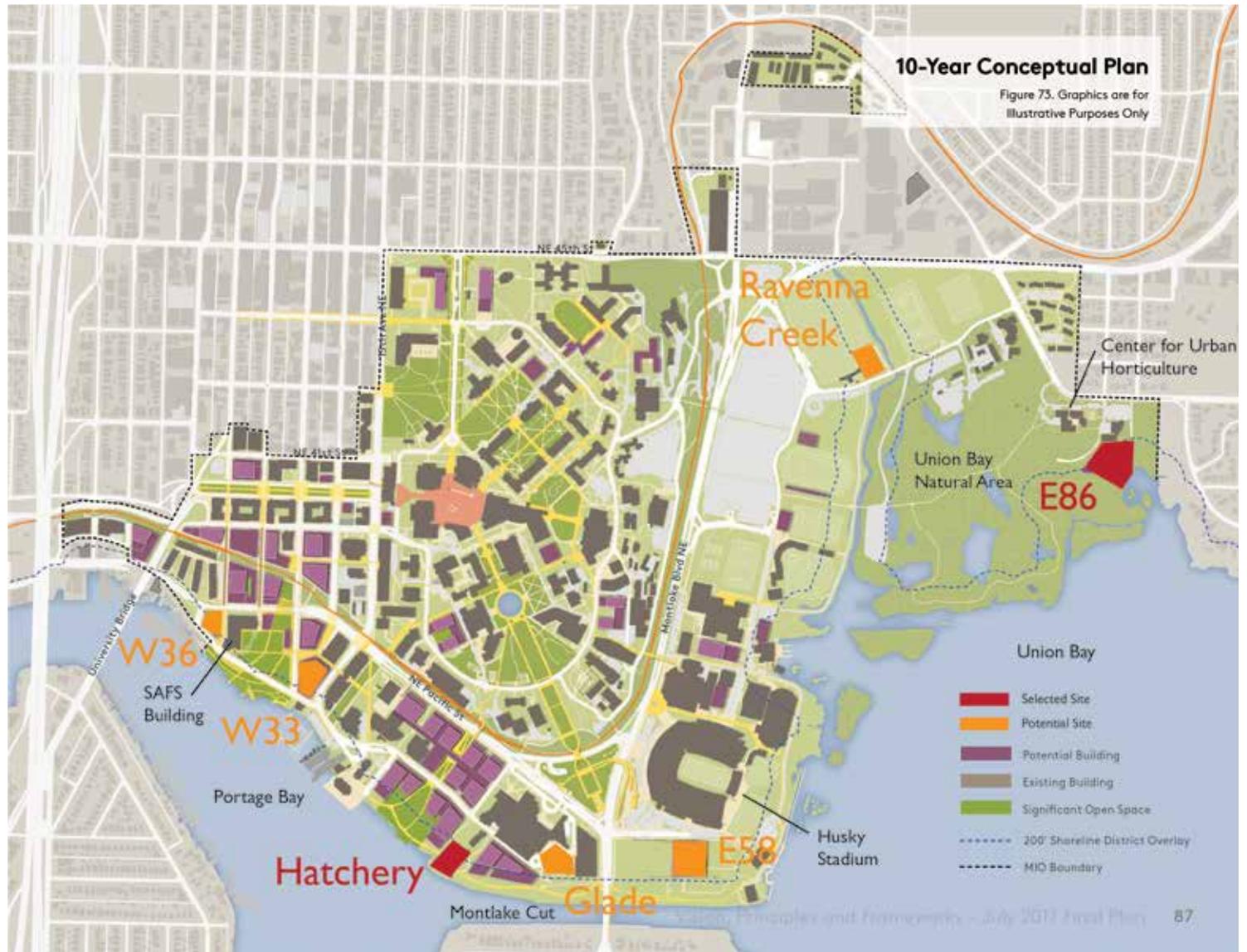
Former Hatchery Site

East Campus

Development Site E86

Map of Potential and Selected Sites

A total of 7 sites were identified and assessed as potential sites. Based on the site assessment, 2 sites were selected for design study.



Underlaid Map: 2018 University of Washington Seattle Campus Master Plan, p.87.

	Strengths + Opportunities	Weaknesses + Issues
WEST CAMPUS		
Development Site W36	<p>Water + fish access to Portage Bay provides access to deep, cold water. Able to function as an urban hatchery pilot project. Adjacent to SAFS offices. Convenient access via car, bus, public transit, bicycle or pedestrian. Adjacent to Portage Bay Park. Close proximity to UW farms for fish waste re-use. Compatible with Campus Master Plan (CMP) and Campus Landscape Framework (CLF).</p>	<p>Getting fish ladder under Boat Street would be very difficult due to underground utilities in right-of-way. UW access to water limited to narrow easement which is adjacent to a marina and parking lot. Site is small limiting exterior fish rearing and research elements. UW is required to maintain public parking on site due to Street Vacation Public Benefit from vacation of 15th Ave NE. redevelopment (construction projects) over the next 10-30 years.</p>
Development Site W33	<p>Water + fish access to Portage Bay provides access to deep, cold water. Able to function as an urban hatchery pilot project. Sufficient size to accommodate all desired program. Program activator for West Campus Green. Close proximity to SAFS offices. Convenient access via car, bus, public transit, bicycle or pedestrian. Close proximity to UW farms for fish waste reuse.</p>	<p>Getting fish ladder under Boat Street would be very difficult due to underground utilities in right-of-way. UW intends to develop this site in conjunction with a non-UW partner which would make the project more complex and could significantly impact the project viability and schedule. redevelopment (construction projects) over the next 10-30 years.</p>
SOUTH CAMPUS		
Former Hatchery Site	<p>On shoreline, adjacent to deep/cold water. Proven history of successful salmon release and return site. Able to function as an urban hatchery pilot project. Allows for study of modifying and reusing existing hatchery infrastructure for research purposes. Connection to waterfront trail provides increased outreach opportunities. Sufficient size to accommodate all desired program. Historical connection of site to SAFS. Historical use of site as former hatchery. Site already known as fish rearing facility. Adjacent to new green space and pedestrian/view corridor from Pacific Place to Portage Bay. Some existing infrastructure could be re-used. Existing water rights intake pipe could be used. Little to no modifications required in water for fish or water access. Use is allowed within 200-ft setback due to current use of site. Compatible with CMP + CLF. Brick portion of Portage Bay Building identified in CMP to remain. Sufficient building space to accommodate some relocated SAFS offices.</p>	<p>Project would need to be phased or completed after demolition of portions of existing Portage Bay Building. Not adjacent to SAFS buildings. Site is within area expecting significant redevelopment (construction projects) over the next 10-30 years.</p>
Glade by UW Medical Center	<p>On shoreline, adjacent to deep/cold water. Water + fish access is Portage Bay. Connection to waterfront trail provides increased outreach opportunities. Able to function as an urban hatchery pilot project. Sufficient size to accommodate all desired program.</p>	<p>Less convenient access by SAFS faculty + staff. Difficult access by car and bus. Current use as Glade is not intended to change and would be negatively impacted by development of ARC. Not compatible with CMP or CLF.</p>

	Strengths + Opportunities	Weaknesses + Issues
EAST CAMPUS		
Development Site E58	<p>Near shoreline, adjacent to deep/cold water. Water + fish access is Montlake Cut. Connection to proposed waterfront trail and proximity to athletic facilities provides increased outreach opportunities. Fantastic views. Able to function as an urban hatchery pilot project. Convenient access by public transit, car, bus, bicycle and pedestrians with existing parking. Sufficient size to accommodate all desired program.</p>	<p>Highly sought-after site for hotel or other revenue-generating development. Access during sporting and other events would be difficult. Not near SAFS building. Not compatible with CMP or CLF.</p>
UBNA Ravenna Creek Site	<p>Able to function as an urban hatchery pilot project. Adjacent to slough (formerly Ravenna Creek) and Union Bay Natural Area. Sufficient size to accommodate all desired program. Close proximity to UW Farms for fish waste reuse. Convenient access by public transit, car, bus, bicycle and pedestrians with existing parking. Compatible with CMP + CLF.</p>	<p>Far from shoreline and access to deep/cold water. Fish access would be challenging. Site is entirely within 200-ft shoreline setback. Current use as Driving Range is not compatible with ARC.</p>
Development Site E86	<p>Able to function as an urban hatchery pilot project. On shoreline of Union Bay. Historical use of site by Salish tribes. Program is highly compatible with Union Bay Natural Area (UBNA) vision, research of Center for Urban Horticulture (CUH) and Yesler Swamp Natural Area. Adjacency to residential community encourages outreach potential. Close proximity to UW Farms for fish waster reuse. Beautiful, unique site. Convenient access by public transit, car, bus, bicycle and pedestrians with existing parking. Sufficient size to accommodate all desired program. Potential to share space and program/outreach with CUH including meeting room and auditorium. ARC could help protect and enhance UBNA. Compatible for use of Green Stormwater Infrastructure and Green technologies. Compatible with CMP and CLF. Including introduction of academic programming in East Campus.</p>	<p>Not adjacent to deep (cold) water. Site development is limited due to 200-ft shoreline setback and Conservancy Preservation designation. High occurrence of fish predators in Union Bay and UBNA. Returning fish access to site would be challenging. Not near SAFS building.</p>

DESIGN VISIONS

FORMER HATCHERY SITE

Site Description + Assessment

Team 1: Homing by Adam Carreau + Weicheng Li

Team 2: Confluence by Sophie Krause + Elijah Vantreese

UNION BAY NATURAL AREA SITE

Site Description + Assessment

Team 3: Immersion by Nina Mross

Team 4: Motion of Nature by Jingjing Bu + Jiyoun Park

FORMER HATCHERY SITE: DESCRIPTION AND ASSESSMENT



Aerial view of south and east campus looking north. Nearby landmarks and their distance to the existing hatchery site is noted. Small fish icons represent the path of juvenile salmon heading out to the ocean, and large fish icons represent the deep water path of returning adults.

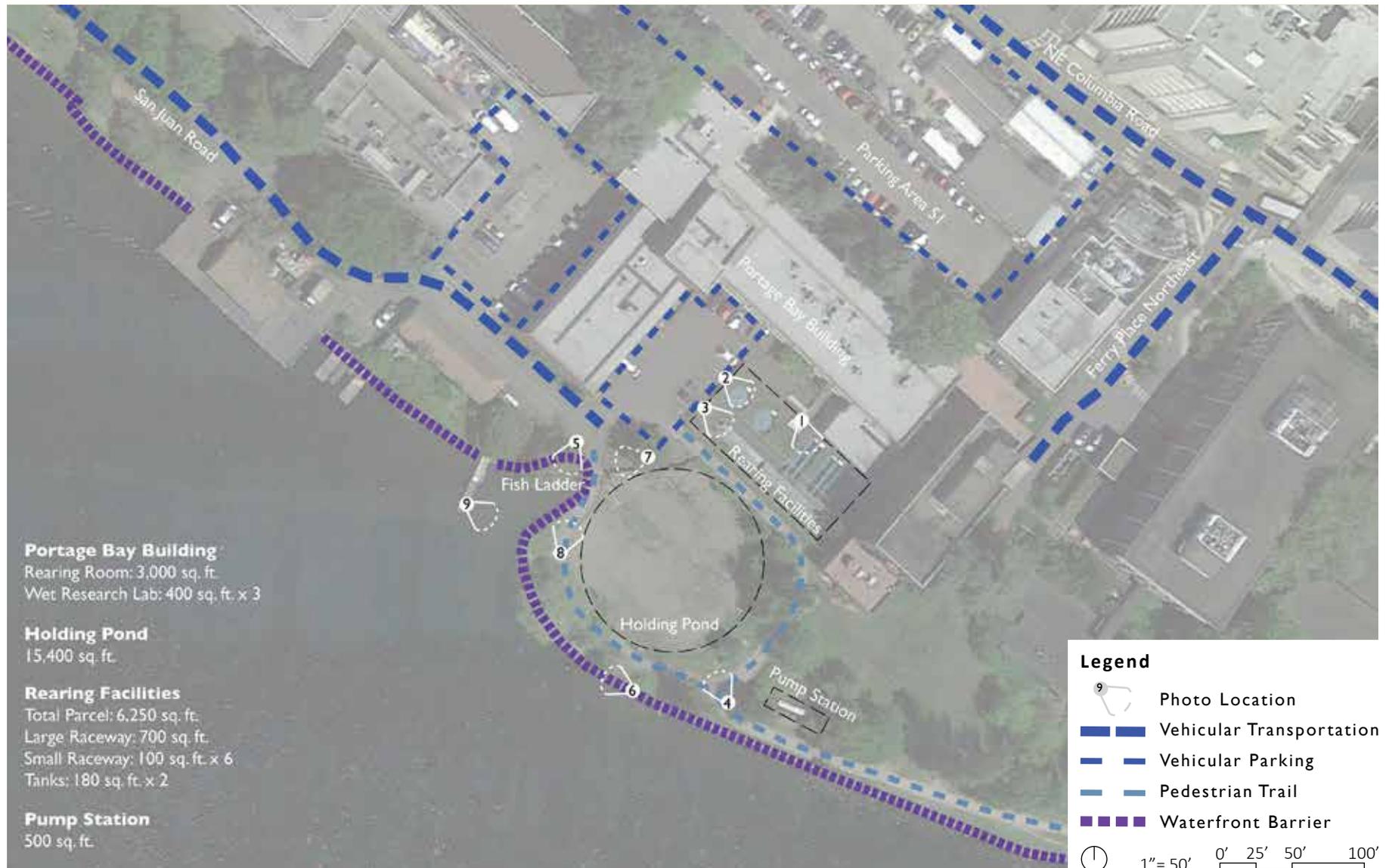
EXISTING SITE CONDITIONS

The plan illustrates significant buildings, facility and transportation connections. The opaque masses are buildings indicated by the 2018 UW Seattle Campus Master Plan.



EXISTING SITE CONDITIONS

The image below indicates the various transportation systems present along the site. Photo locations and square footages of facilities are included.



SITE PHOTOS

These photos show the current condition of the existing hatchery.



Figure 1. Rearing Channels



Figure 2. Rearing Pools



Figure 3. Raceway



Figure 4. Homing Pond

SITE PHOTOS

These photos show the adjacent site context.



Figure 5. Fish Ladder Connecting to Portage Bay



Figure 6. Seawall



Figure 7. Fish Ladder



Figure 8. Path from the homing pond



Figure 9. Opening for the fish ladder from Portage Bay

SITE MATERIALS

The images of the site materials are ordered from hard to soft.

Hard



Soft



TEAM I: HOMING

BY ADAM CARREAU + WEICHENG LI

DESCRIPTION

Our design was driven by the idea of natal homing; a characteristic in which adult animals return to their place of birth to reproduce. The Portage Bay site was the birthplace of the Aquatic Research Center in the early 60's so it is fitting that the center should return to that portion of campus. Furthermore, stretching this idea allowed us to envision a center that would preserve the existing building and the site materials, while maximizing the building square footage on its current footprint. The additional square footage gained by extending the building four stories upward, will allow 90% of the SAFs faculty and student spaces to be relocated to this building. We believe incorporating phasing will allow for immediate implementation, while enhancing connections to the facilities and waterfront for all. The introduction of state of the art flexible indoor research rooms, raceways and crowding mechanisms will provide the researches with the necessary equipment to enhance aquatic species rearing techniques while lending an abundance of space for research and community outreach. The envisioned homing pond structure creates an ideal environment for retuning salmon and smolts soon to depart on their journey to the ocean, while being a flexible space, allowing for community outreach programs and activities, to enhance student and faculty life on campus.

GOALS

- Project phasing for immediate implementation
- Preserve existing building and site materials
- Maximize building square footage on current footprint
- Enhance connections between the facility and visitors
- Enhance connections to the waterfront
- Increase amenity space for public and UW users



DESIGN INSPIRATION

Our inspiration was drawn from the salmon's natal homing ability. Much like salmon returning to their stream of origin, we felt the ARC should return home to its original location on campus.

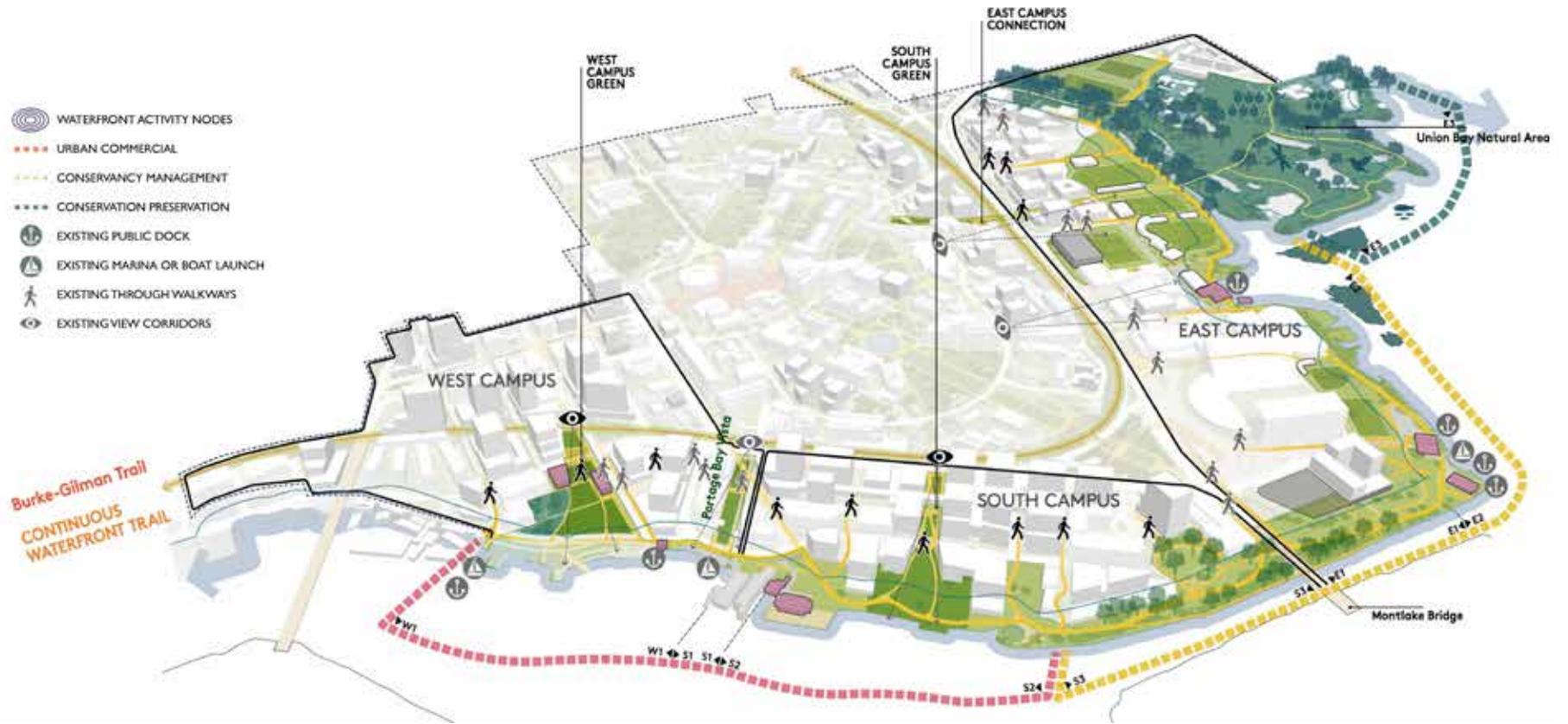


**“People tend to gravitate towards the homing pond which resulted in unintentional outreach.”
-Jon Wittouck**

**“I always enjoyed going to the homing pond and watching the salmon. It feels like we are missing something from campus now.”
-Iain Robertson**

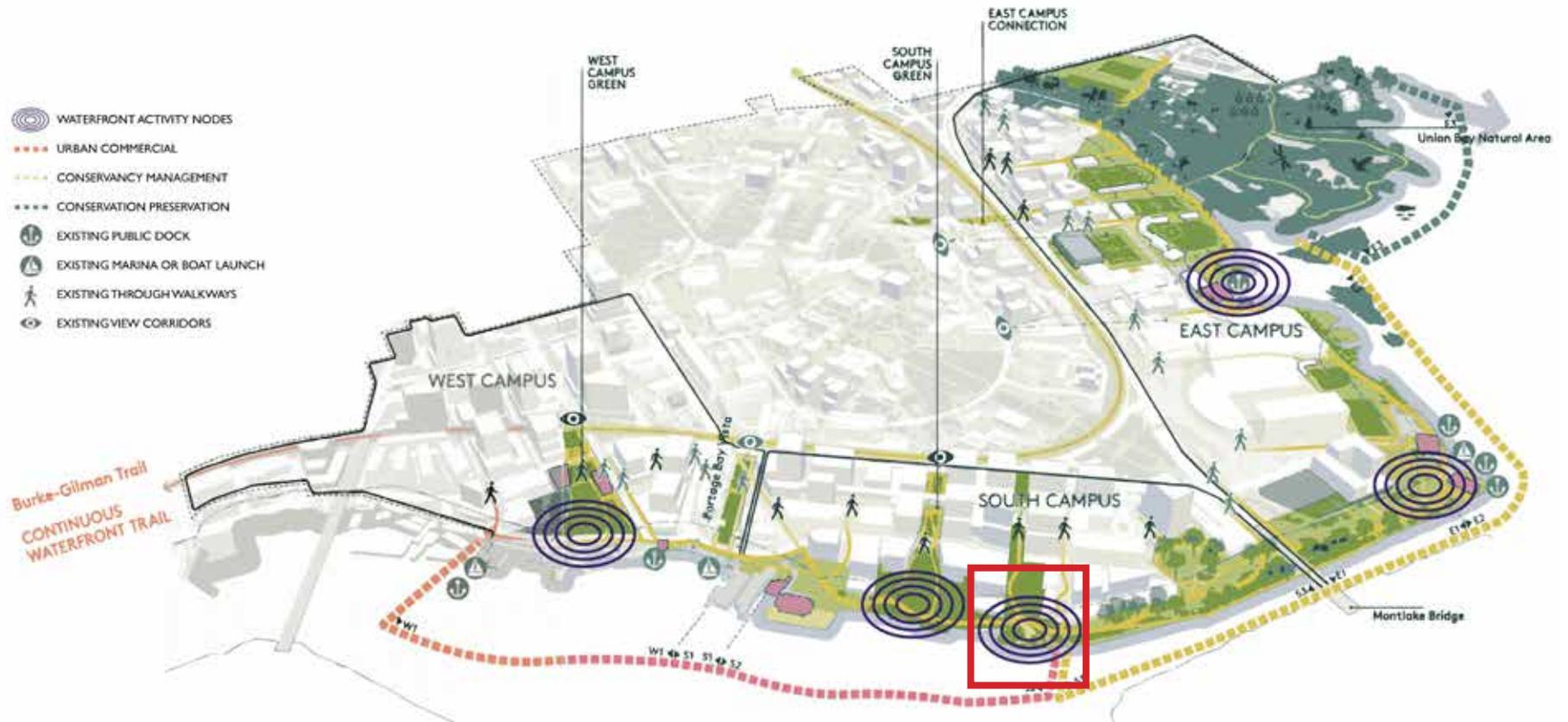
SHORELINE CONNECTIONS

From the 2018 UW Seattle Campus Master Plan



PROPOSED ACTIVITY NODES

Along the waterfront trail, the 2018 UW Seattle Campus Master Plan proposes a series of activity nodes. The former hatchery site is one of these nodes.



CITY DESTINATIONS

The ARC could become a destination for students and faculty as well as a tourist destination, much like the Ballard Locks or Pike Place Market.

Ballard Locks



Portage Bay Park



UW Campus



Union Bay Natural Area



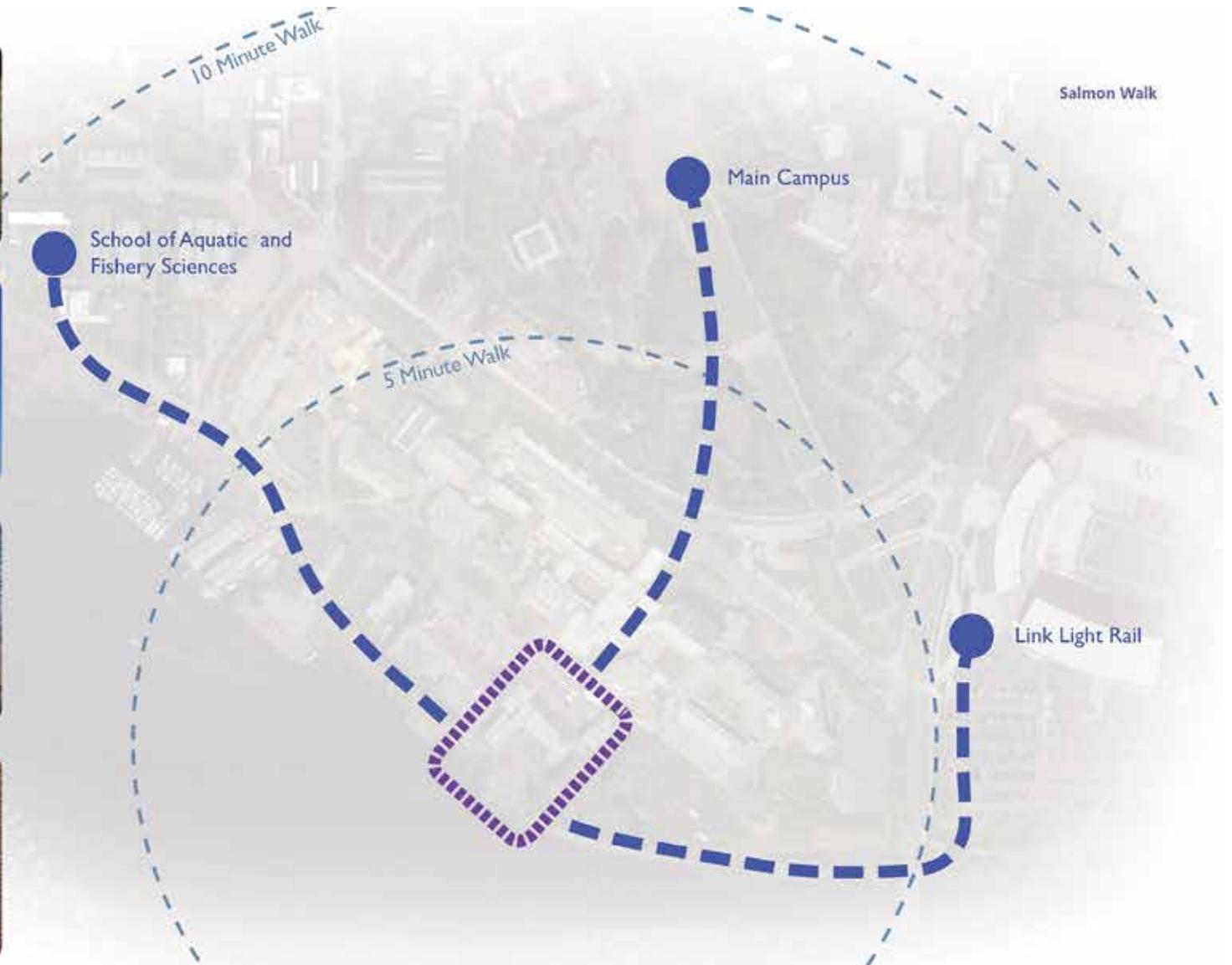
Light Link Rail

Pike Place Market



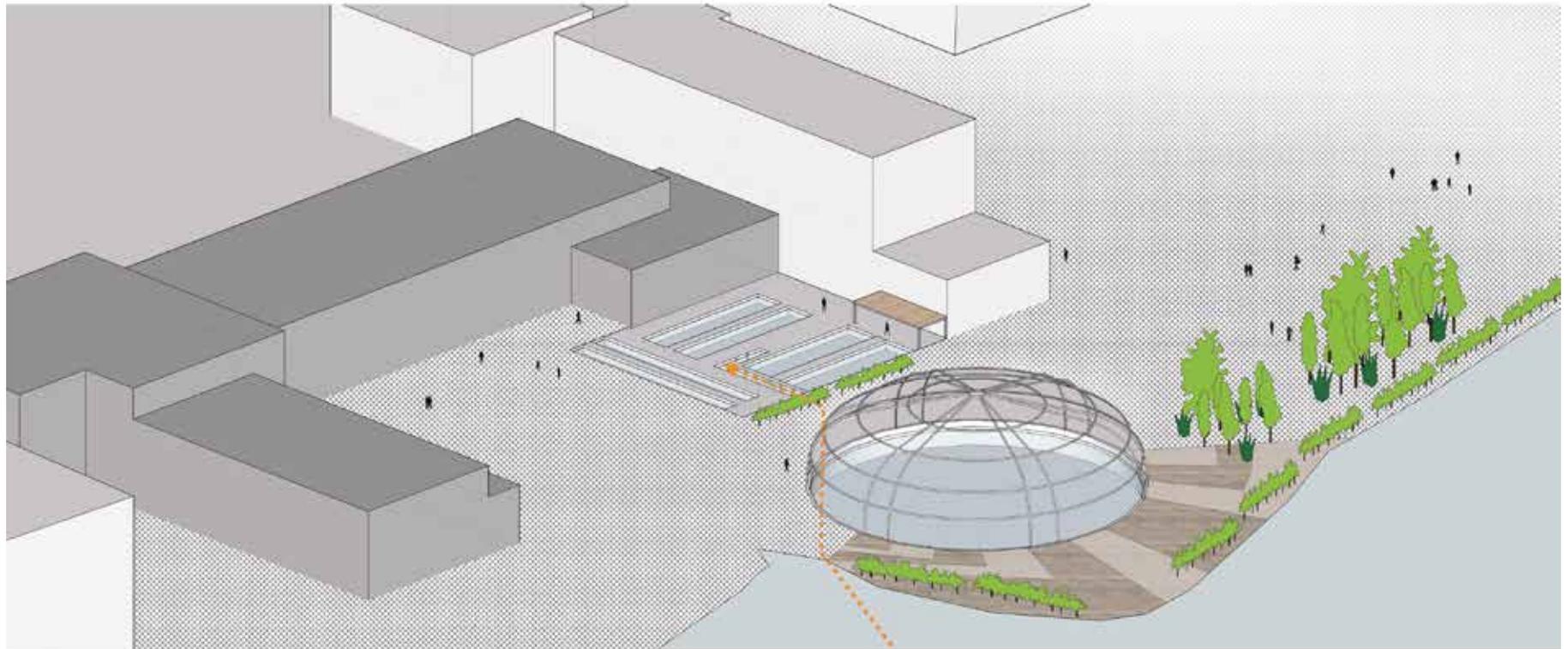
INTERPRETATION TRAILS

We envisioned interpretive elements along the waterfront trail and into main campus, illustrating SAFS history, the salmon life cycle, the altered hydrology along the shipping canal, and First Nations' histories.



PHASE I

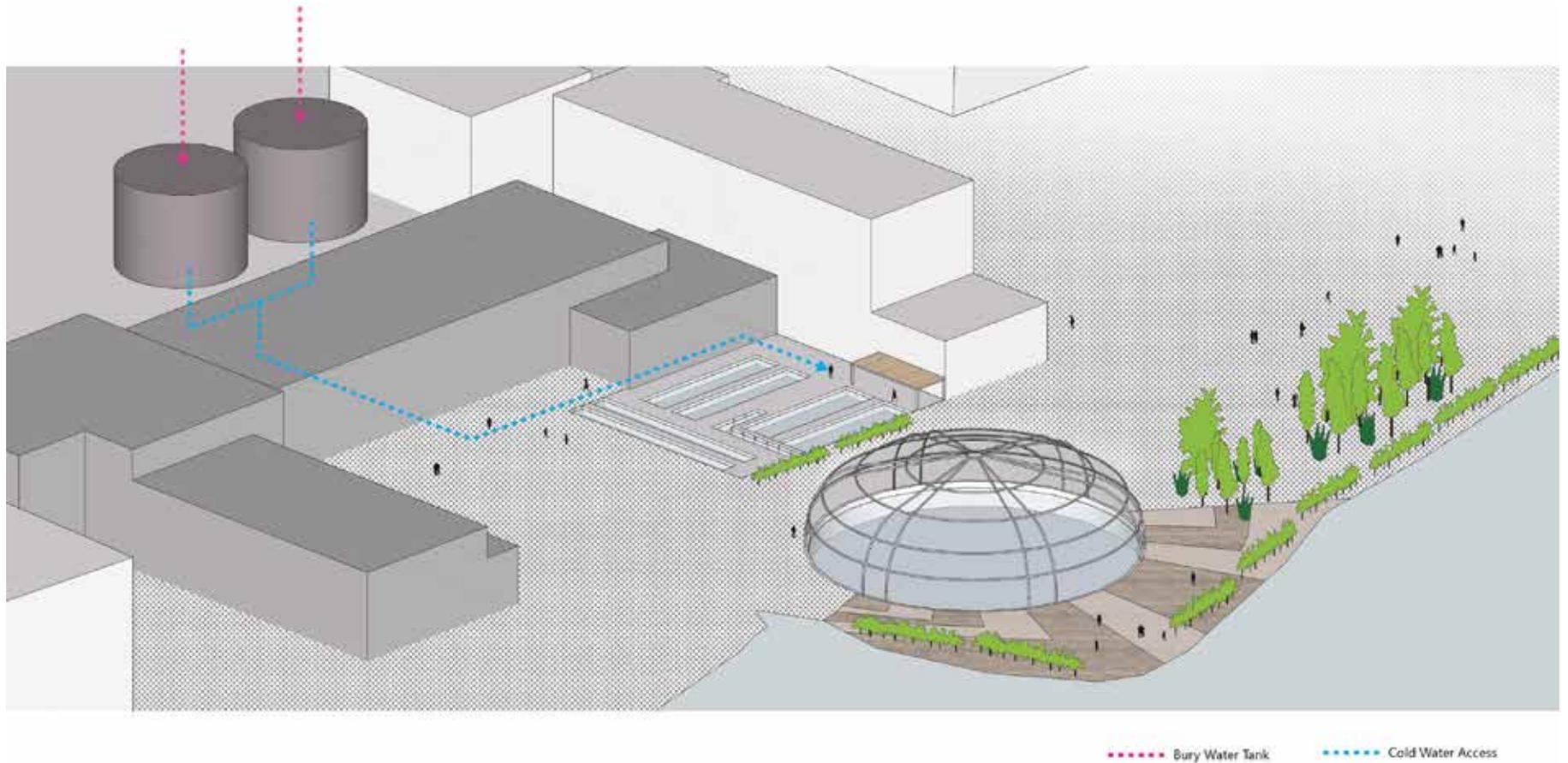
Phase 1 is focused on repairing and reinstalling the facilities so that the salmon run can start again as soon as possible. At the same time, the waterfront deck and homing pond are built up.



Existing (Concrete) Existing (Brick) Fish Come Back

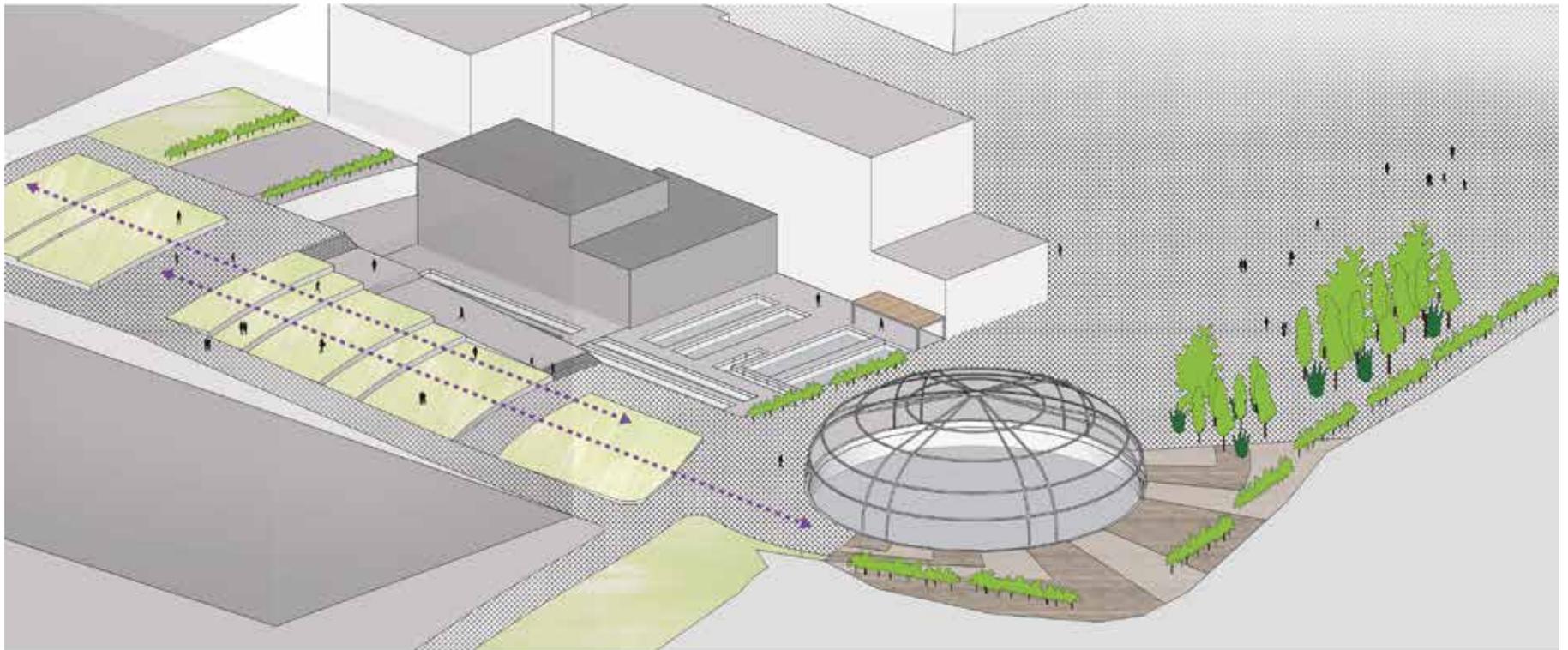
PHASE 2

Phase 2 is about installing cold water storage and getting cold water to facilities whenever needed for research and habitat.



PHASE 3

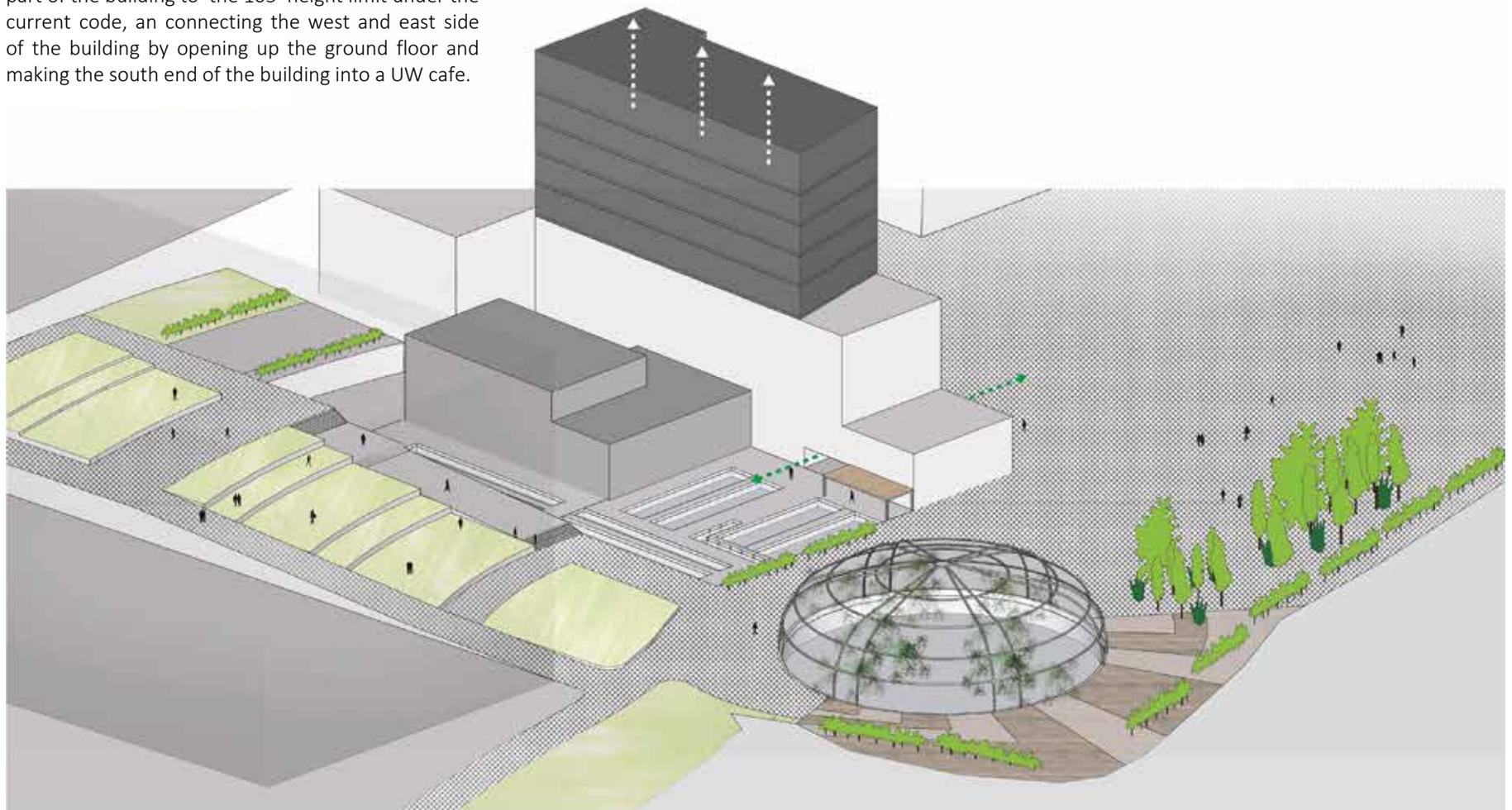
Phase 3 will connect the south campus with the central campus, following the goals of the *2018 UW Seattle Campus Master Plan*. The landscape is shaped as a human ladder, matching the fish ladder theme.



----- Connect with Center Campus

PHASE 4

Phase 4 maximizes on-site square footage by raising part of the building to the 105' height limit under the current code, and connecting the west and east side of the building by opening up the ground floor and making the south end of the building into a UW cafe.



----- Maximize Square Footage - - - - - Connect West-East

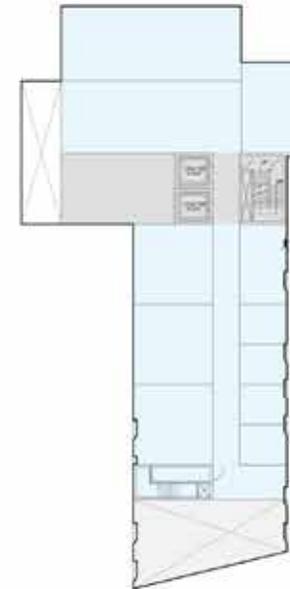
SITE PLAN

Adapted from the 2018 UW Seattle Campus Master Plan.

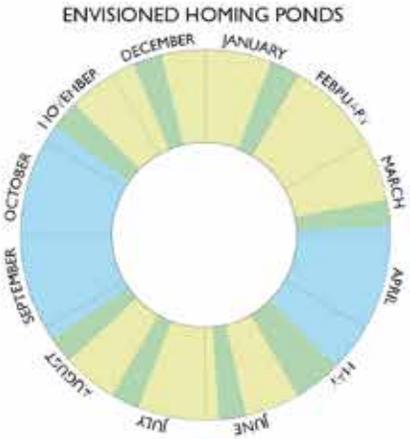


BUILDING FLOOR PLANS

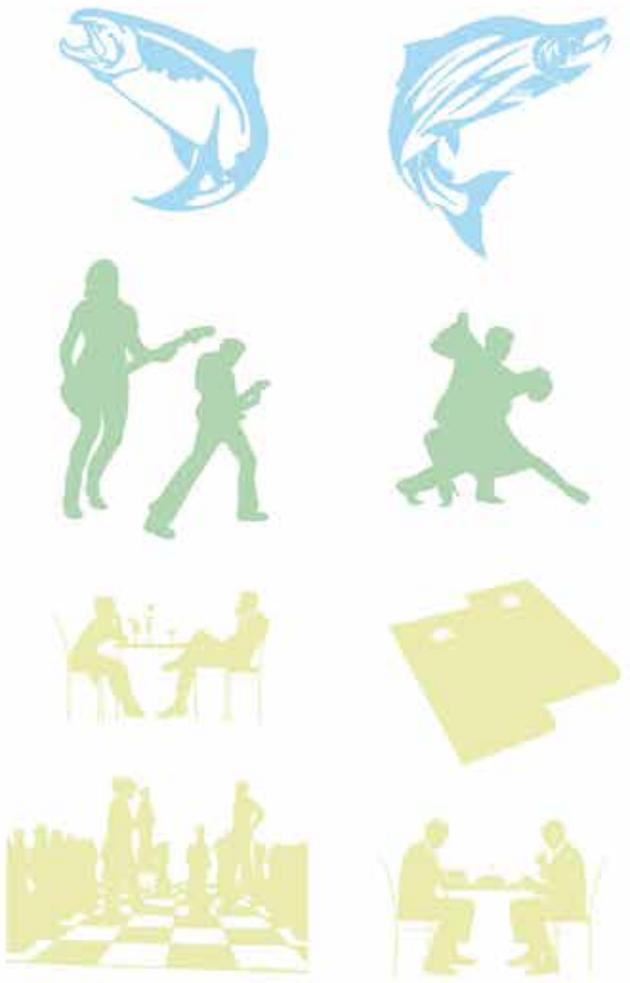
Ground Floor; Floors 2-4; Floors 5-8



HOMING POND SEASONAL USAGE



- FISH REARING AND SPAWNING
- EVENING EVENT SPACE
- COMMUNITY AMENITY



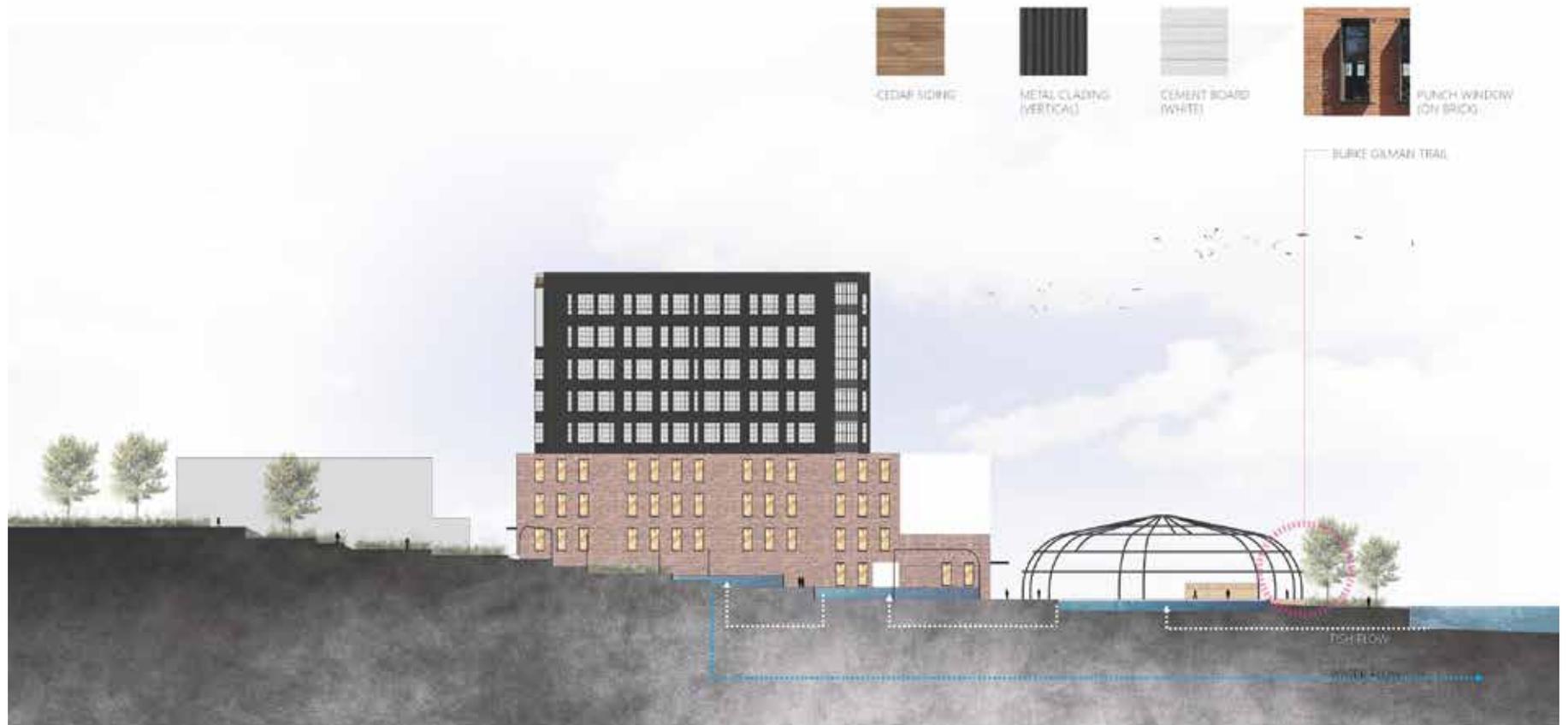
SITE SECTION

Through building looking east.



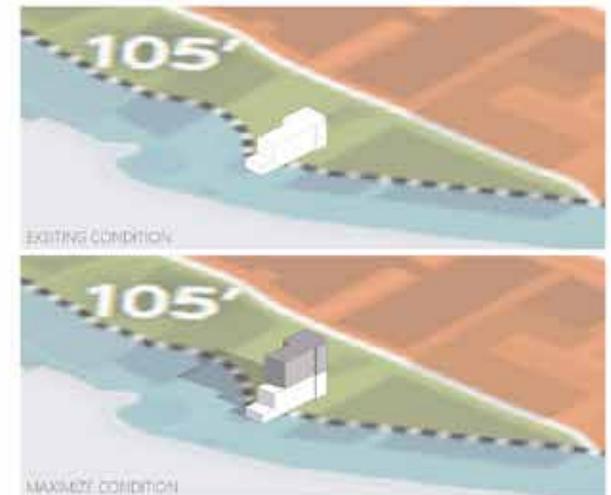
SITE SECTION

Through South Campus Green looking east.



BUILDING CODE + VOLUME ANALYSIS

The Fishery Teaching and Research Building and the Marine Studies Building will be demolished when the West Campus Green is built, resulting in the loss of about 35,800 sf for SAFS. By maximizing building square footage (approximately 32,500 sf) with the proposed Portage Bay Building renovation the ARC, could replace up to 91% of the square footage.



– Lost Square Footage:
 ① Fisheries Teaching and Research Building: 24,141 SF
 ② Marine Studies Building: 11,627 SF
 ③ Fishery Science Building: 25,200 SF
 Portage Bay Building: 8,330 SF
 Total: 69,298 SF

- Gained Square Footage: 6,500 Sq. Ft. Per Floor
 - Gained Floor: 5
 - Gained Total Square Footage: 32,500 Sq.Ft.
 (46.9% of Lost Square Footage)



Trees



Cercis canadensis
Eastern Redbud



Fraxinus oxycarpa 'Raywood'
Raywood Ash

Shrubs & Perennials



Lavandula intermedia 'Grosso'
Fat Bud French Lavender



Delphinium menziesii
Merzies' Larkspur



Eriophyllum lanatum
Oregon Sunshine



Lupinus latifolius
Broadleaf Lupine

Biofiltration



Cornus amomum
Common Carnas



Carex obnupta
Slough Sedge

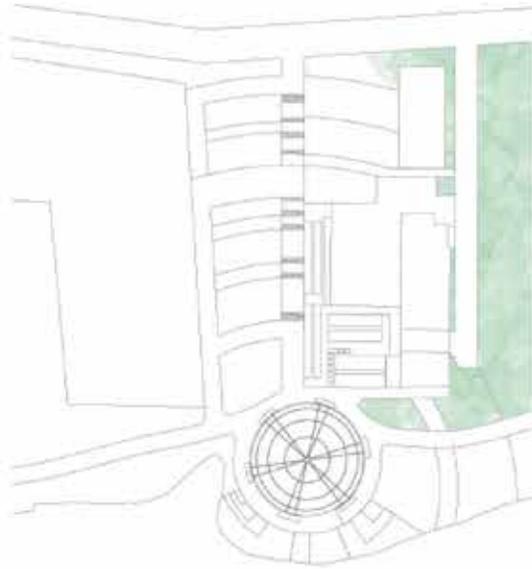


Carex stipata
Awifruit Sedge



Rubus spectabilis
Salmonberry

FORESTED PLANTING PLAN



Trees



Acer aceratum
Vine Maple



Chamaecyparis nootkatensis
Alaska Cedar



Cornus Eddie's White Wonder
Eddie's W.W. Dogwood



Populus tremuloides
Quaking Aspen

Shrubs & Perennials



Cornus stolonifera
Redosier Dogwood



Holodiscus discolor
Oceanspray



Pinus mugo
Mugo Pine



Ribes sanguineum
Flowering Currant

Biofiltration



Gynocarpium dryopteris
Oak Fern



Lamprocapnos spectabilis
Bleeding Heart



Polemonium foliosissimum
Jacob's Ladder

WATERFRONT PLANTING PLAN



Trees



Acer cernatum
Vine Maple



Acer truncatum
Bigleaf Maple



Alnus rubra
Red Alder



Salix lucida
Pacific Willow

Shrubs



Cornus stolonifera
Redosier Dogwood



Philadelphus lewisii
Mock Orange



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Pacific Ninebark



Rubus spectabilis
Salmonberry

Perennials



Aquilegia formosa
Western Columbine



Aster subspicatus
Douglas Aster



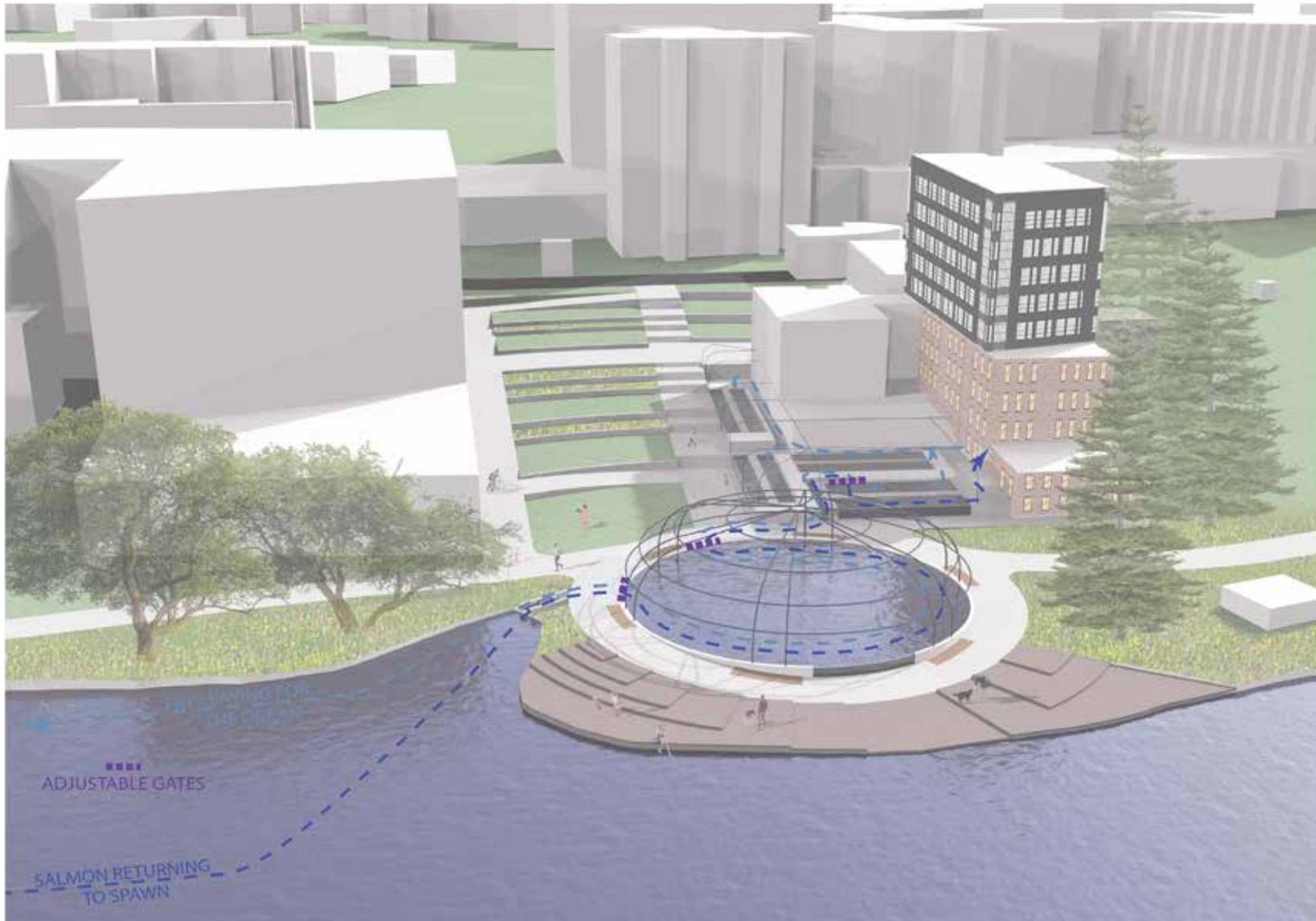
Iris tenax
Oregon Iris



Viola glabella
Stream Violet

SALMON FLOW DIAGRAM

This image shows the areas that support salmon production, as well as the massing of the new building in conjunction with redevelopment of the area included in the *2018 UW Seattle Campus Master Plan*.



CHARACTER RENDERING

View looking east at renovated building and café.



VIEW FROM CENTRAL AXIS

This image depicts the ARC as you descend the central axis. Glass walls on the rearing channels allow visitors an underwater look at the developing aquatic species.



WATERFRONT DECK VIGNETTE

This image illustrates the black locust deck adjacent to the waterfront trail. The topography has been lowered in order to connect visitors to the waterfront and to create a transparent window into the homing pond.



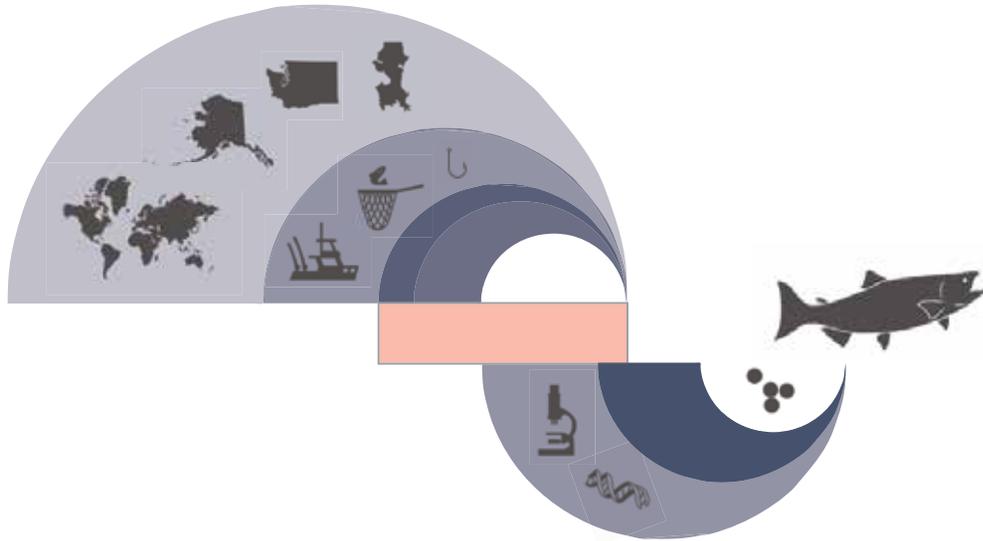
VIEW FROM THE 2F BALCONY

This image depicts the ARC and the waterfront trail from the deck above the cafe, looking southwest.



TEAM 2: CONFLUENCE

BY ELIJAH VANTREESE + SOPHIE KRAUSE



A CONFLUENCE OF RESEARCH AND COMMUNITY SPACE ON SOUTH CAMPUS

In looking at ways to reimagine UW's existing salmon homing site, we came upon the concept of looking at the proposal as a form of confluence - defined both ecologically as the junction of two rivers, and conceptually as the process of merging. Our intentions were to create a site that could merge aquatic research practices with publicly accessible and community oriented landscape.

Within our mission of developing, testing, and demonstrating innovative aquatic research practices, we wanted to cultivate responsibly. Not just aquatic urban practices, but also the next generation of aquatic practitioners. Our primary goal for the site was to become embedded in the landscape. Balancing the stakeholders goals of research, education, and outreach with our personal goals of: incorporating green infrastructure and passive geothermal cooling

into the inner workings of the site's operations, preserving precious open space in a rapidly developing campus, and creating a research facility that felt like a public landscape, we started by dropping the footprint of the SAFS building below ground.

Looking to precedents such as the Fisher Pavilion in the Seattle City Center, the idea of a garden solarium structure capable of denoting publicly viewable private space, and the aesthetic of the Mammoth Hot Springs of Yellowstone Park's step like topography - we worked to design a space that felt ecologically hybridized. With a green stormwater corridor, pedestrian plaza area, research solarium, green roof viewing platform, and waterfront deck area, we imagine a research landscape that feels like a community hotspot.

By incorporating partitionable research space, our goal was to allow for aquatic research practices throughout the year, salmon oriented or not. We increased the SAFS flexible research space to 21,000 sq. ft., complete with programmable conference rooms and outreach classrooms, in an effort to bring back the legacy SAFS has held on campus for the past 60 years.

In a world where hatcheries and other aquatic fishery practices are in trouble, and homing in an urban world has become a gauntlet for all of Puget Sound's species, we envision this proposal as a way for aquatic research practices to merge with publicly accessible and community-oriented education. A confluence of research and community space on South Campus at the University of Washington.

HATCHERIES TODAY: HOMING IN AN URBAN WORLD

HOMING IN AN URBAN WORLD

In 2012, Washington allocated over \$56.7 million in capital funds for statewide hatchery improvements. Research is required to inform policy, develop hatchery reform measures, and implement best management practices.

HATCHERY STATISTICS

- 75% of salmon caught in Puget Sound and 90% of salmon caught in the Columbia River originate from hatcheries
- WA Department of Fish and Wildlife now operates 83 hatchery facilities contributing over \$1 billion to the State's economy
- Concerns about physical barriers and interbreeding have led to reviews estimating that facility renovations now exceed \$150 million

LONG LIVE THE SALMON

"Salmon are the canary for the health of our collective waters, and a symbol of our ongoing connection to the environment and each other."

Our Vision: A sustainable Northwest with a growing human population, a thriving economy, and strong, flourishing salmon runs.

- Long Live the Kings



Figure 1. Mossyrock, one of the 1,166 dams in WA

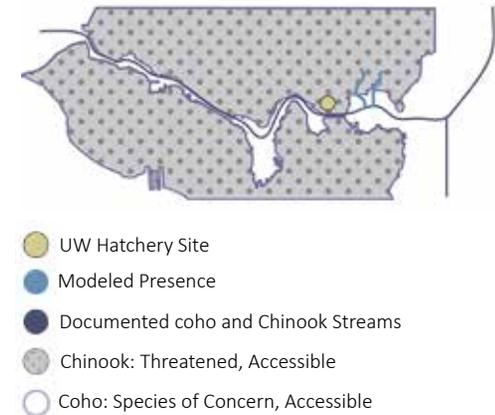


Figure 2. Salmon Scape Map Data



Figure 3. Conceptual Diagram: Softening the Urban Gauntlet

- UW Hatchery Site
- Post 1916 Land Mass
- Pre-Colonization Coastline
- Urban Infrastructure

ENGINEERING A NEW SHIP CANAL AND URBAN WATERFRONT

Adapted from the Burke Museum Waterlines project, this graphic shows how much Seattle has engineered its waterfront through infrastructure development during the past century. The Hiram M. Chittenden Locks, or Ballard Locks, in addition to the Fremont and Montlake Cuts, represent urban infrastructure salmon must now learn to navigate.

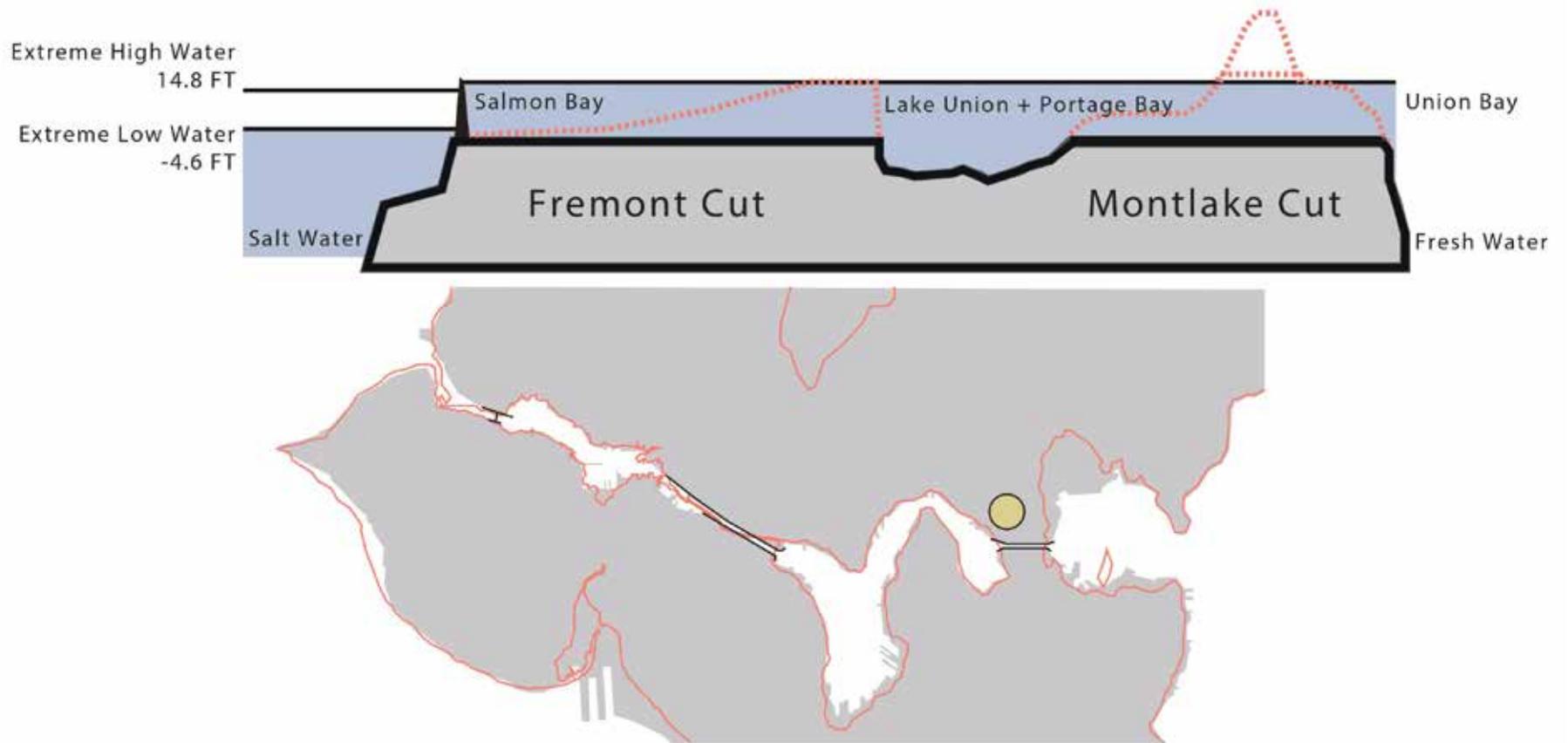


Figure 1. Pre and Post Ship Canal Construction

OUR MISSION + VISION

OUR MISSION

To develop, test, and demonstrate innovative aquatic research and hatchery designs capable of transitioning our urban aquatic operations of today, to the productively viable, ecologically hybridized, and culturally sustaining operations of tomorrow.

OUR VISION

To cultivate responsibly - from aquatic urban practices to the next generation of aquatic practitioners - while working to improve existing hatchery facilities and aquatic research practices throughout Puget Sound.

RESEARCHING

Goal 1: Researching the environmental, economic, and cultural intersections between aquaculture operations and urban waterfronts, in ways that encourage the development of forward thinking applications and methodologies.

SHOWCASING

Goal 2: Showcasing the effect of these evolving best management practices, and the productive potential of urban aquaculture systems as they relate to public education, outreach, and sentiment.

ADVANCING

Goal 3: Advancing the shared efforts of all involved parties, which collectively all want and work for a complicated yet simple concept - more healthy salmon in increasingly healthy watersheds.

IMPLEMENTING

Goal 4: Implementing measurable research findings, in ways which work to creatively reform and redefine our aquatic research facilities, in an effort to structure a more cohesive platform between production and conservation.

INVESTIGATING

Goal 5: Investigating today's relationship with our urban aquaculture operations, in ways that responsibly work to meet tomorrow's demands.

HONORING THE SAFS LEGACY

1913: US Bureau of Fisheries notes to the American Fisheries Society that there is no higher education institution in the US which offers training in fisheries-related subjects.

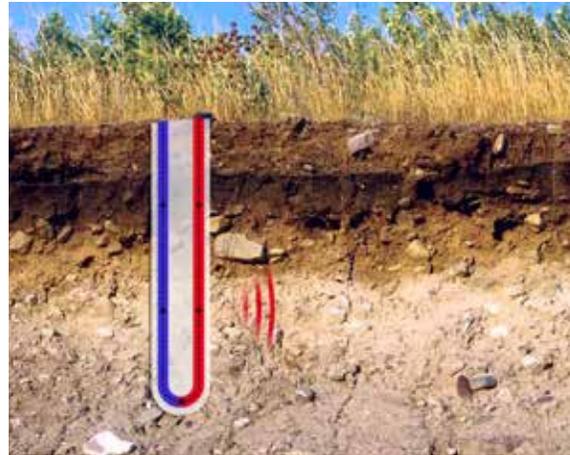
1915: The UW College of Fisheries was born, the first Fisheries College in the US. Its academic focus was on fishery products and cannery management.

1958: Fisheries Research Institute (FRI) moves to the newly established College of Fisheries. FRI was formed as a result of growing concern over dwindling Alaskan salmon resources. FRI researchers set up field study sites studying the biology of salmon in Bristol Bay, expanding their scope of research.

2000-2015: SAFS's foci evolved from seafood technology and processing methods to environmental studies, fish propagation, and aquaculture. Conservation and restoration of ecosystems and studies of the effects of environmental change on fisheries was added as well, leading to the name change to SAFS in 2000.

OUR GOALS FOR THE SITE: EMBEDDED IN THE LANDSCAPE

RESEARCH
EDUCATION
OUTREACH
COMMUNITY AREA
OPEN SPACE
PASSIVE ENERGY USE
GEOTHERMAL COOLING
GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE



Passive Energy Use and Geothermal Cooling



Preserving Open Space in a Developing Campus



Green Infrastructure (Xeroflor Canada Inc.)



Preserving Public Space

- Proposed S52 and S53 buildings adjacent to site
- Historic Portage Bay Building
- Waterfront Trail
- Connective Corridor

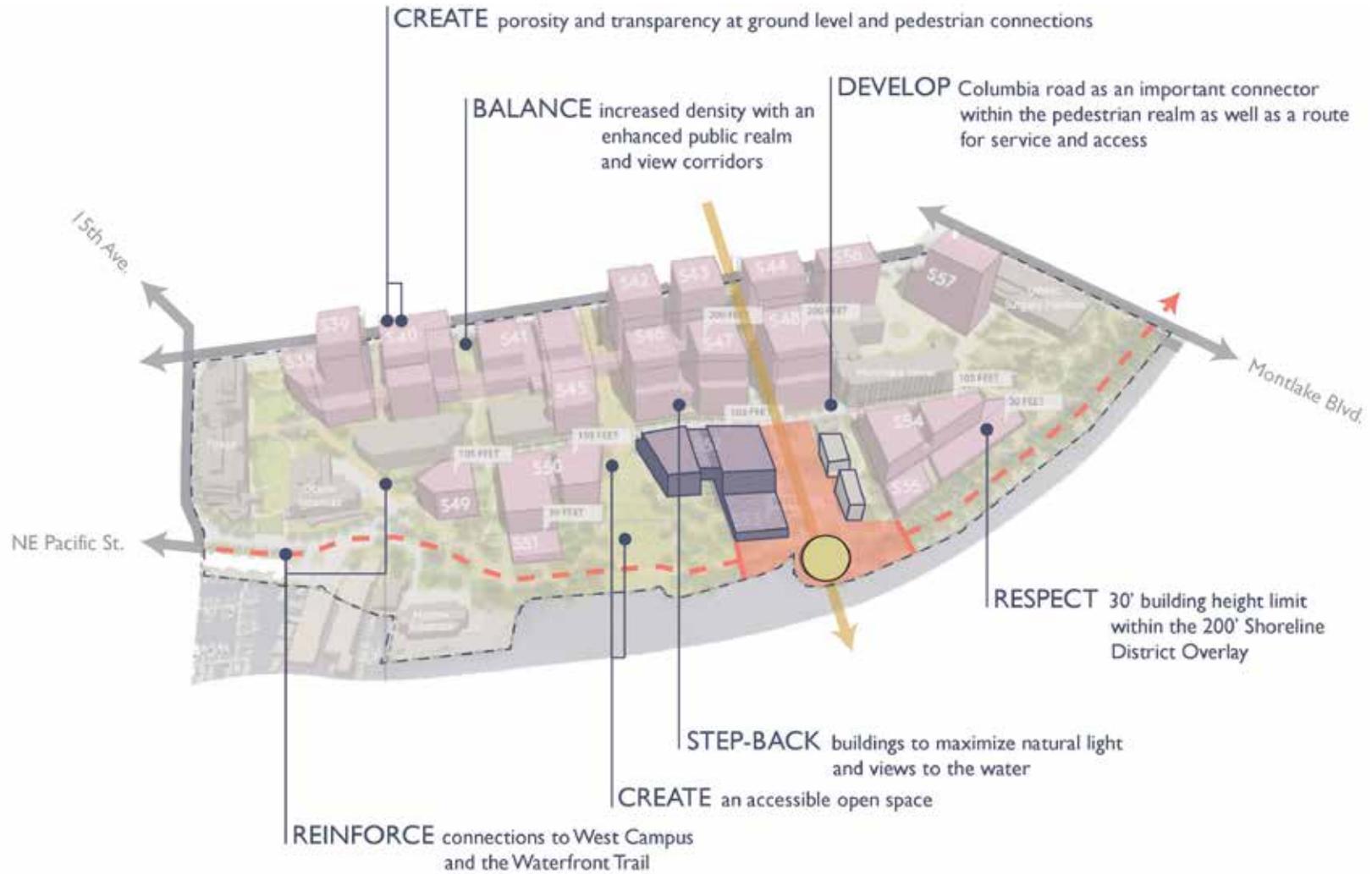
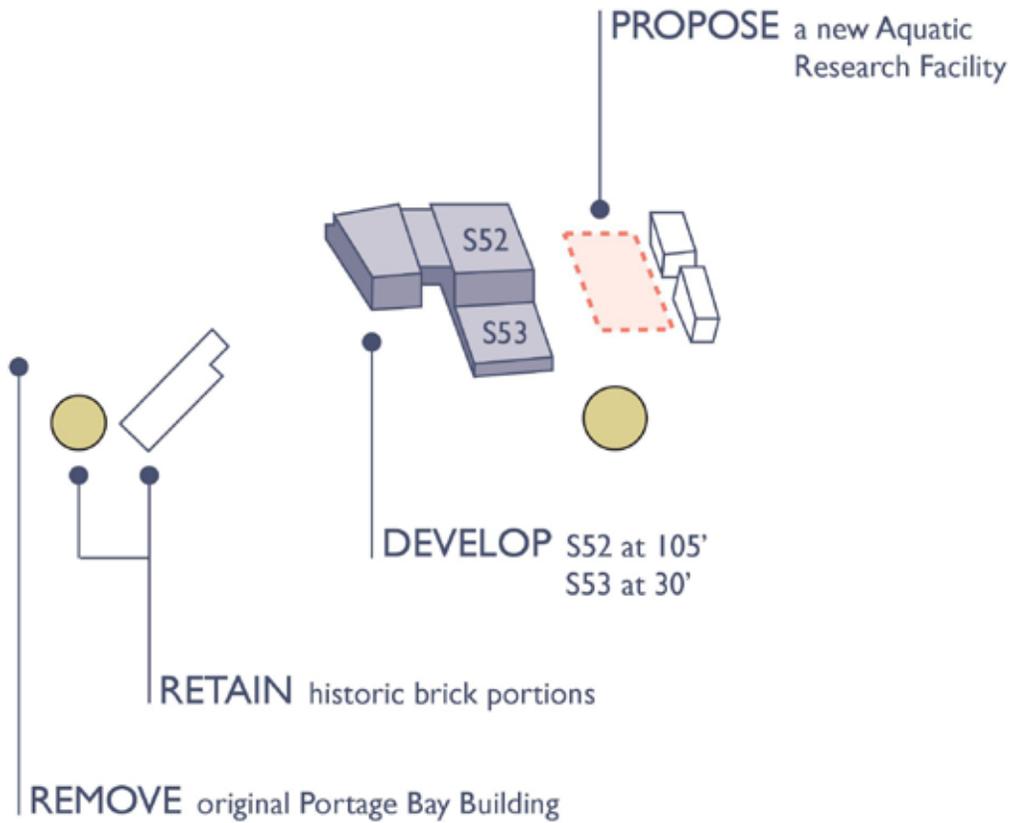


Figure 1. Developing within the 2018 UW Seattle Campus Master Plan for Zone L



Existing SAFS Site and Hatchery Facility

AREA IN TRANSITION

As the 2018 UW Seattle Campus Master Plan unfolds, the original Portage Bay Building is scheduled to be removed, with its historic brick portions set to be retained. Buildings directly adjacent to the site are scheduled to be zoned at 105' outside of the shoreline setback, and 30' within.

PRECEDENTS AND CONCEPTS



Figure 1. Fisher Pavilion Building in Seattle City Center

FISHER PAVILION

The Fisher Pavilion in the Seattle City Center is a prominent example of how landscape architects and building architects can work together to maximize programmatic elements within increasingly precious open space in our downtown city centers.



Figure 2. Garden Solarium

GARDEN SOLARIUM

As a research facility, it is important to denote privately and publicly accessible space. A solarium provides private research to be publicly viewed, helping facilitate the SAFS mission for outreach and education.



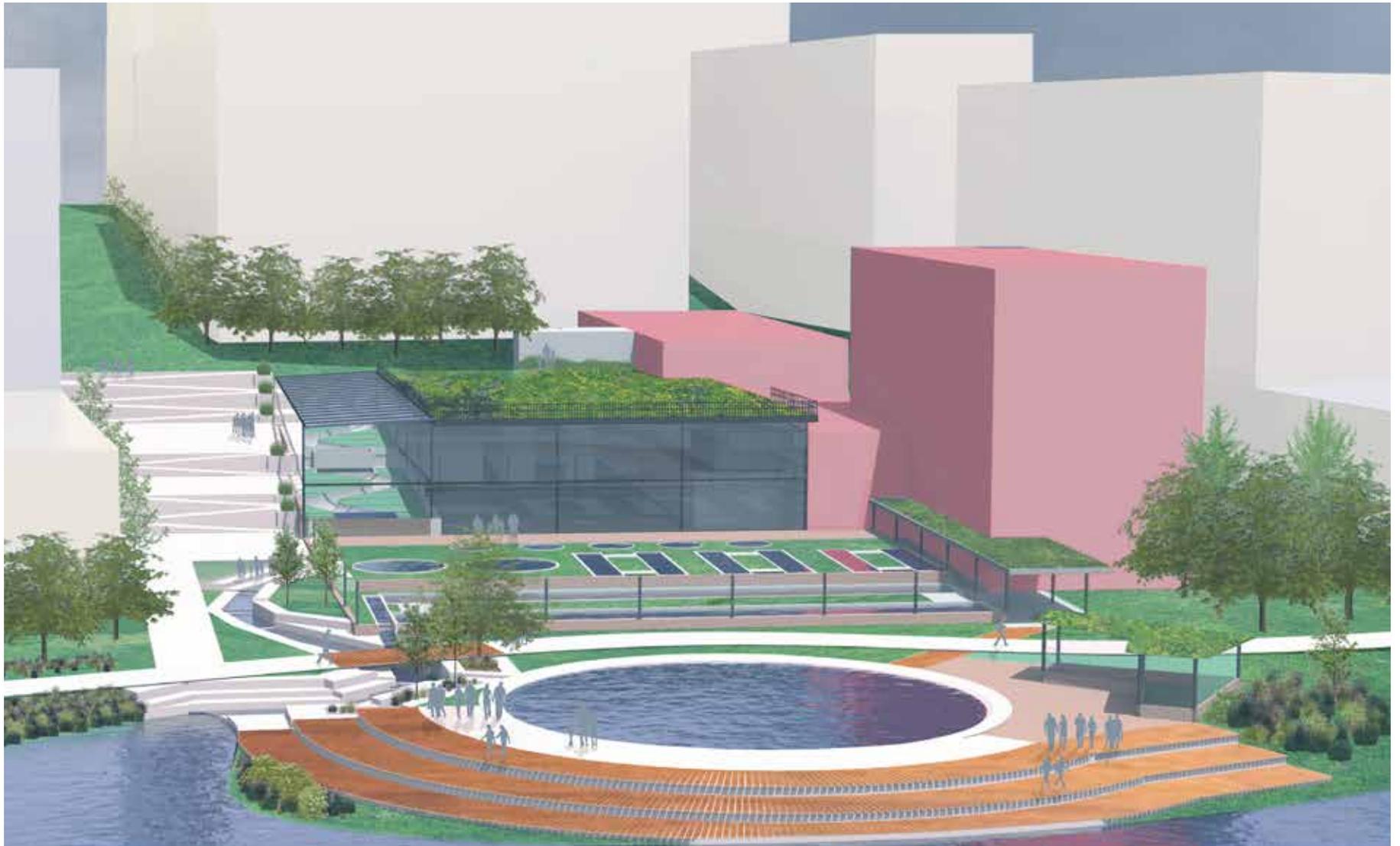
Figure 3. Mammoth Hot Springs in Yellowstone Nat. Park

MAMMOTH HOT SPRINGS

In an effort to create a publicly accessible and naturally hybridized outflow portion of the site's fishway, we looked to the topography of the Mammoth Hot Springs in Yellowstone National Park.

EXPERIENCING THE SITE

Bird's Eye View



DIAGRAMMATIC SECTION

EMBEDDING RESEARCH INTO THE LANDSCAPE

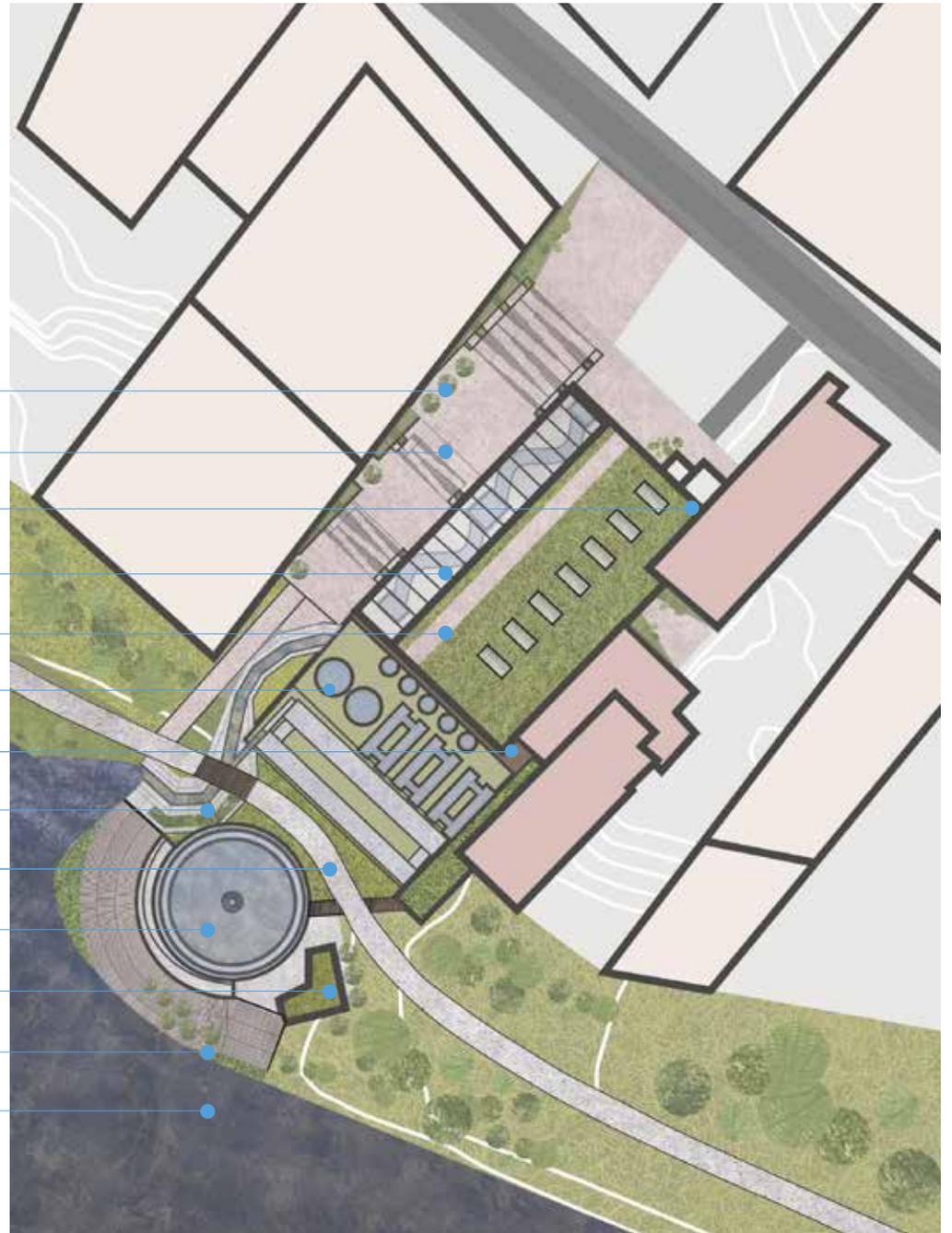
By dropping the footprint for the SAFS new Aquatic Research Facility into the landscape itself, this proposal works to preserve precious open space in a rapidly developing campus. As building heights are zoned to increase, this improved site for SAFS represents not only a research facility, but a confluence for community public space in the South Campus Area.



SITE

- Proposed adjacent developments
- Historic Portage Bay Buildings
- Columbia Road
- Native Planting Areas

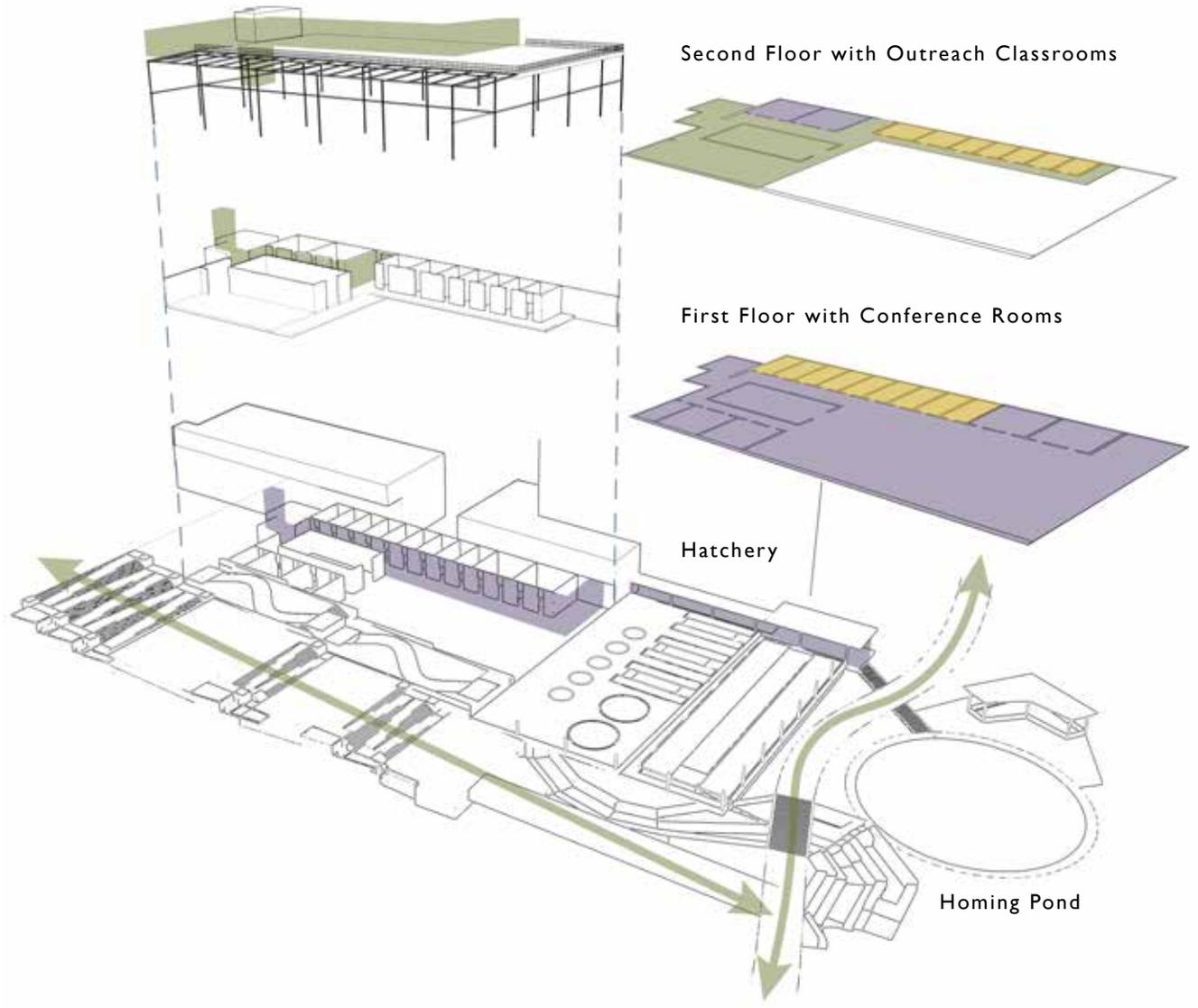
- Green Stormwater Corridor
- Pedestrian Plaza
- Freight Elevator + Water Storage
- Research Solarium + Artificial Stream
- Green Roof + Viewing Platform
- Retrofitted Hatchery Equipment
- Processing Corridor
- Fishway + Ladder Access
- Waterfront + Utility Trail
- Homing Pond
- Re-Circulating Pump House
- Waterfont Deck
- Montlake Cut



21,000 SQ. FT. OF FLEXIBLE RESEARCH SPACE

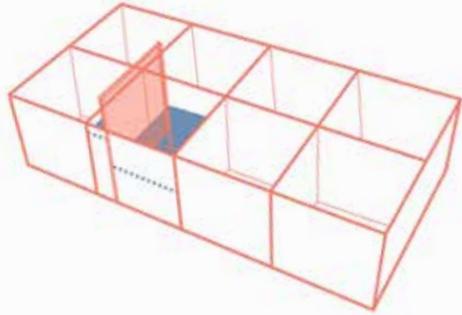
Green Roof + Viewing Platform

- Public Access
- SAFS Programming
- Additional Office Space



PARTIONABLE RESEARCH

- Privately Accessible Research
- Publicly Accessible Research



Research Solarium + Artificial Stream

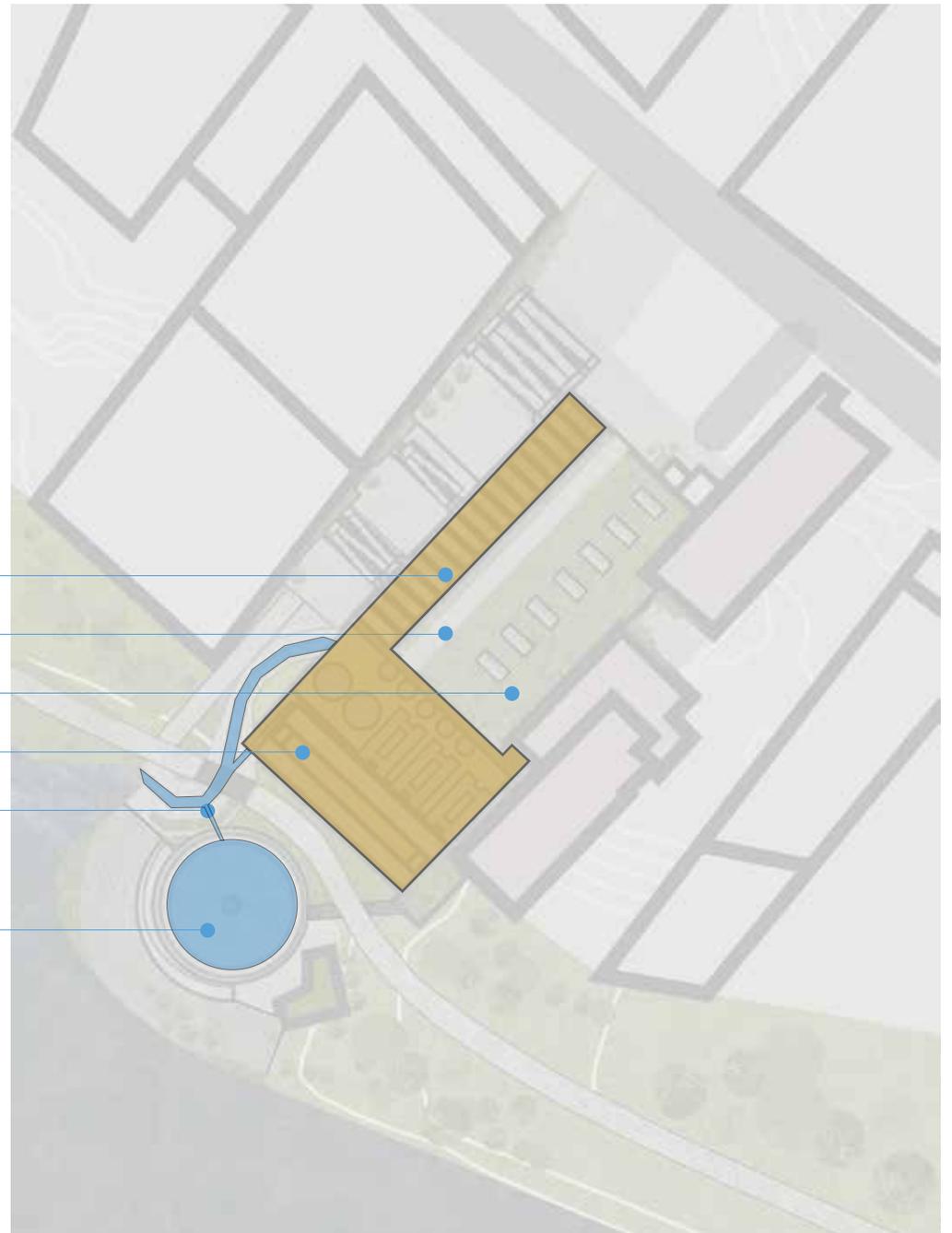
Green Roof + Viewing Platform

Incubation Rooms + Food Storage

Retrofitted Raceway

Fishway + Ladder Access

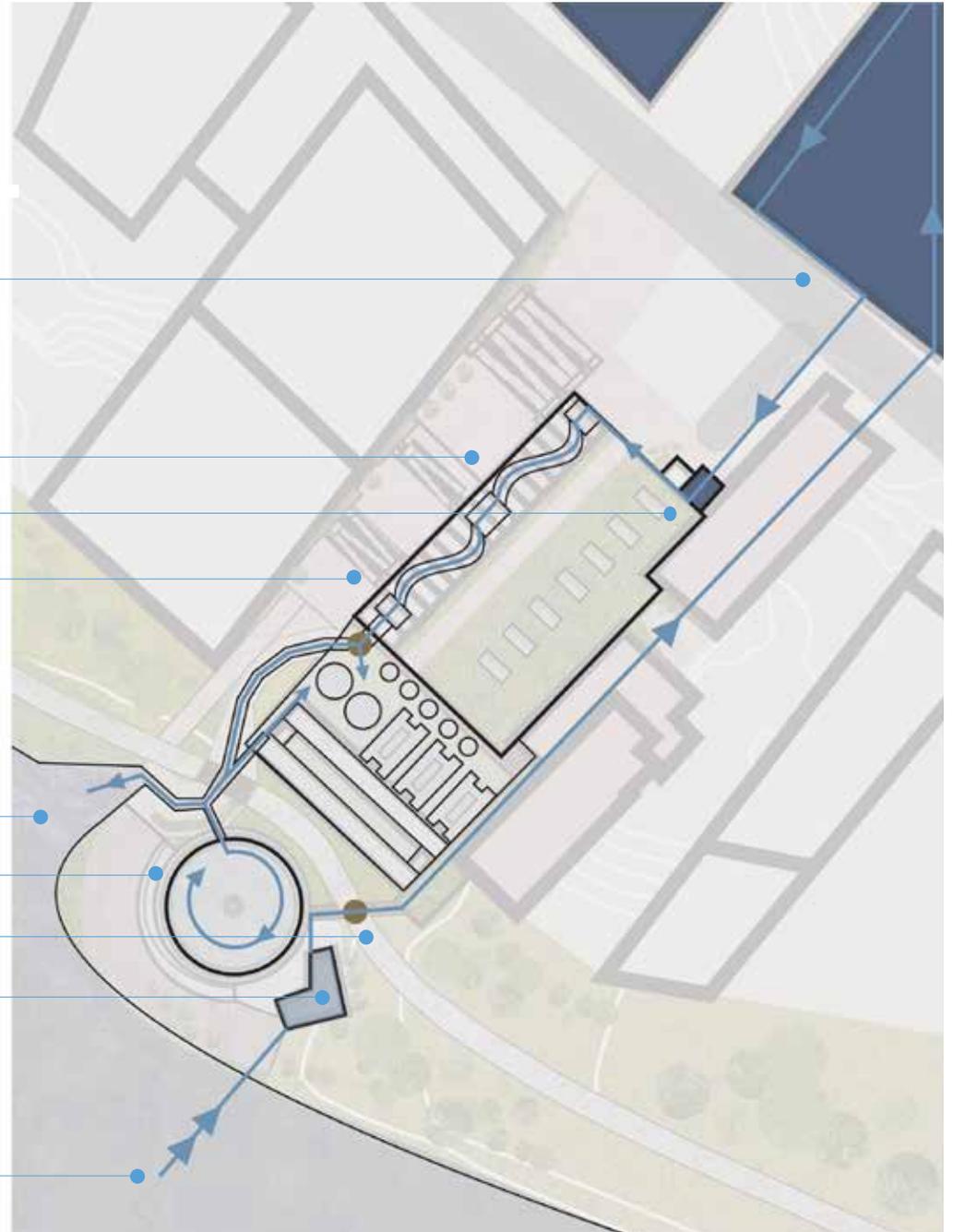
Homing Pond



HYDROGRAPH

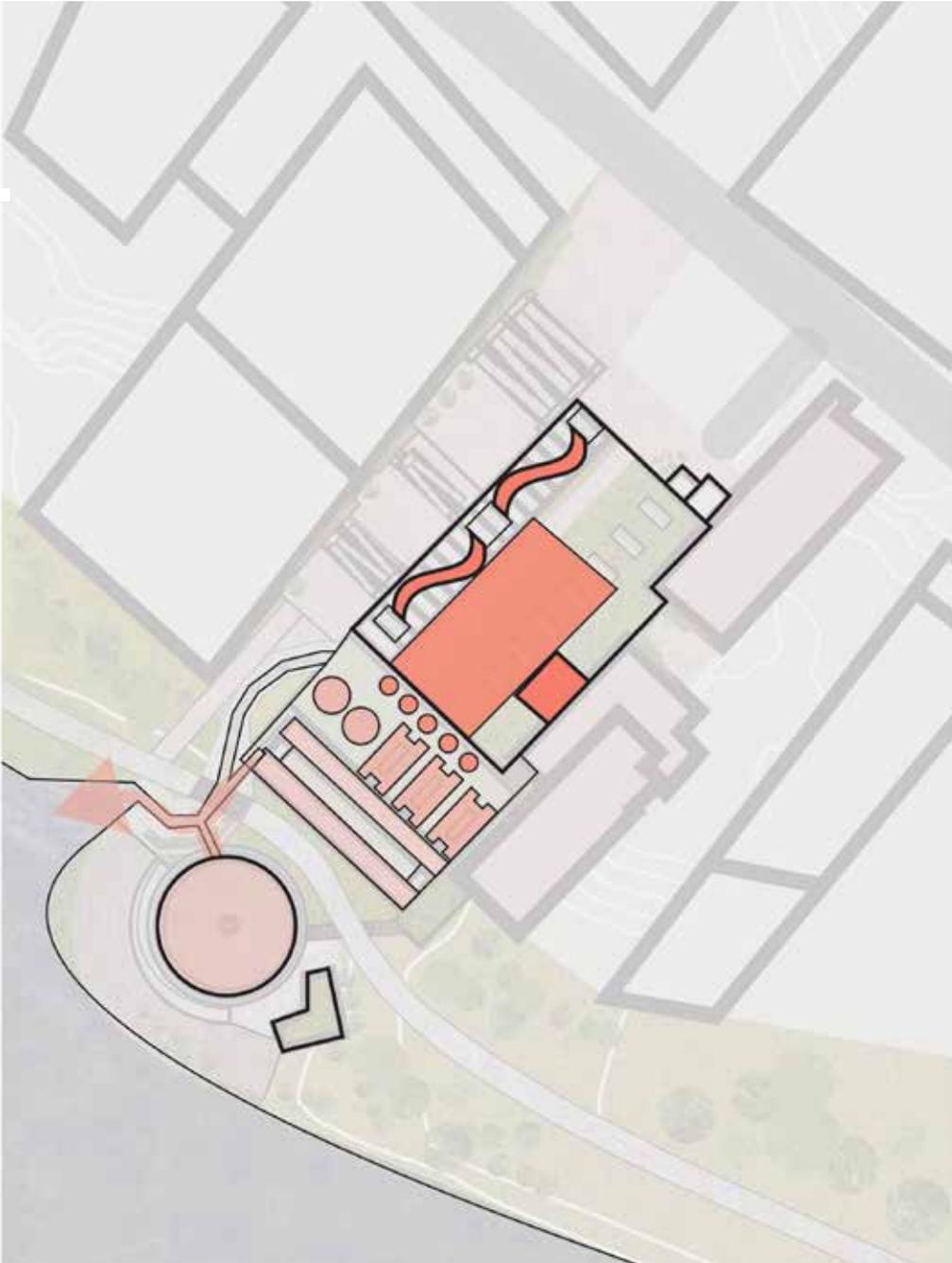
- Chilling
- Water Route
- Clarifying Area
- Direction of Flow

- Underground Geothermal Chilling
- Water Sent through Artificial Stream
- Chilled Water Storage
- Underground Clarification Treatment
- Water Passes through Hatchery Equipment
- Water Exiting through Fishway and Ladders
- Water Circulating through Homing Pond
- Underground Clarification Treatment
- Re-circulating through Pump House
- Sourcing Water from Lake Washington



SALMON MOVEMENT

- Incubating + Rearing
- Smolts
- Juveniles
- Imprinting + Returning



ACCESS

- Truck and Utility Access
- Utility Passageway
- Entrance
- Exterior Pedestrian Pathways
- Interior Pedestrian Pathways

Utility Entrance from Columbia Service Road

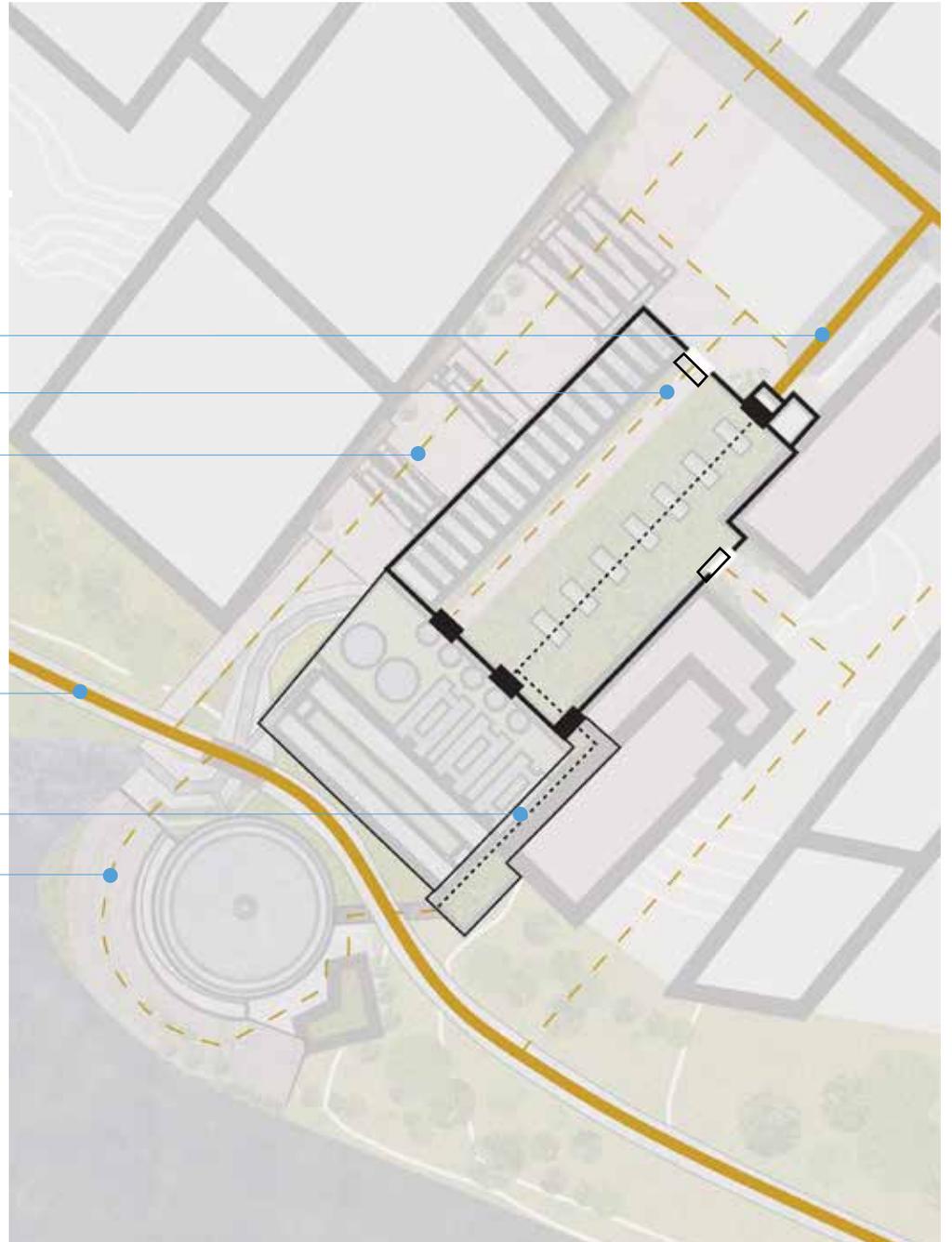
At-Grade Roof Entrance

Connective Corridor to Campus

Waterfront Trail

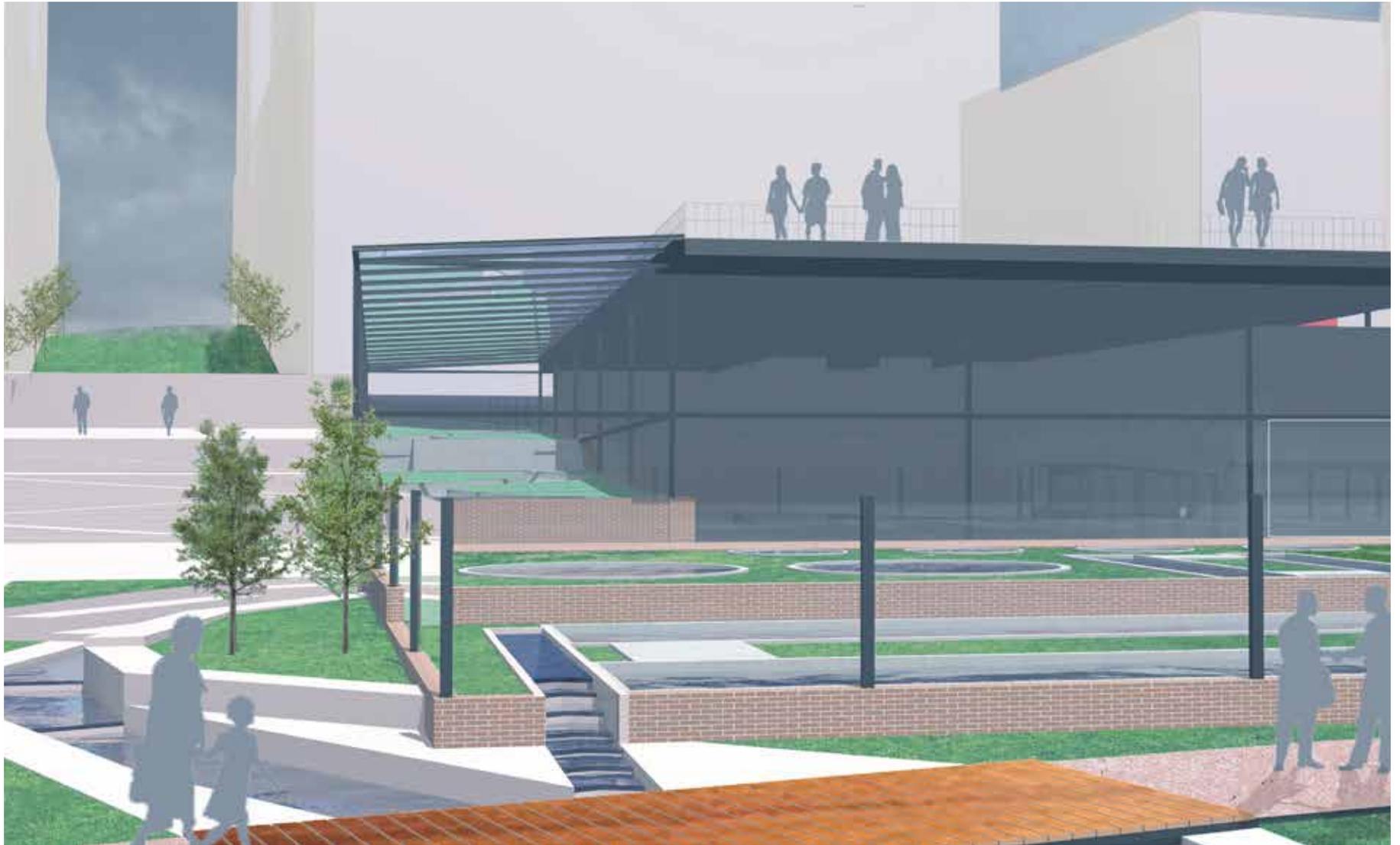
Processing Corridor

Waterfront Decking



EXPERIENCING THE SITE

Walking over the fishway.



EXPERIENCING THE SITE

View looking south from the green roof.



EXPERIENCING THE SITE

View while walking east on the waterfront trail.

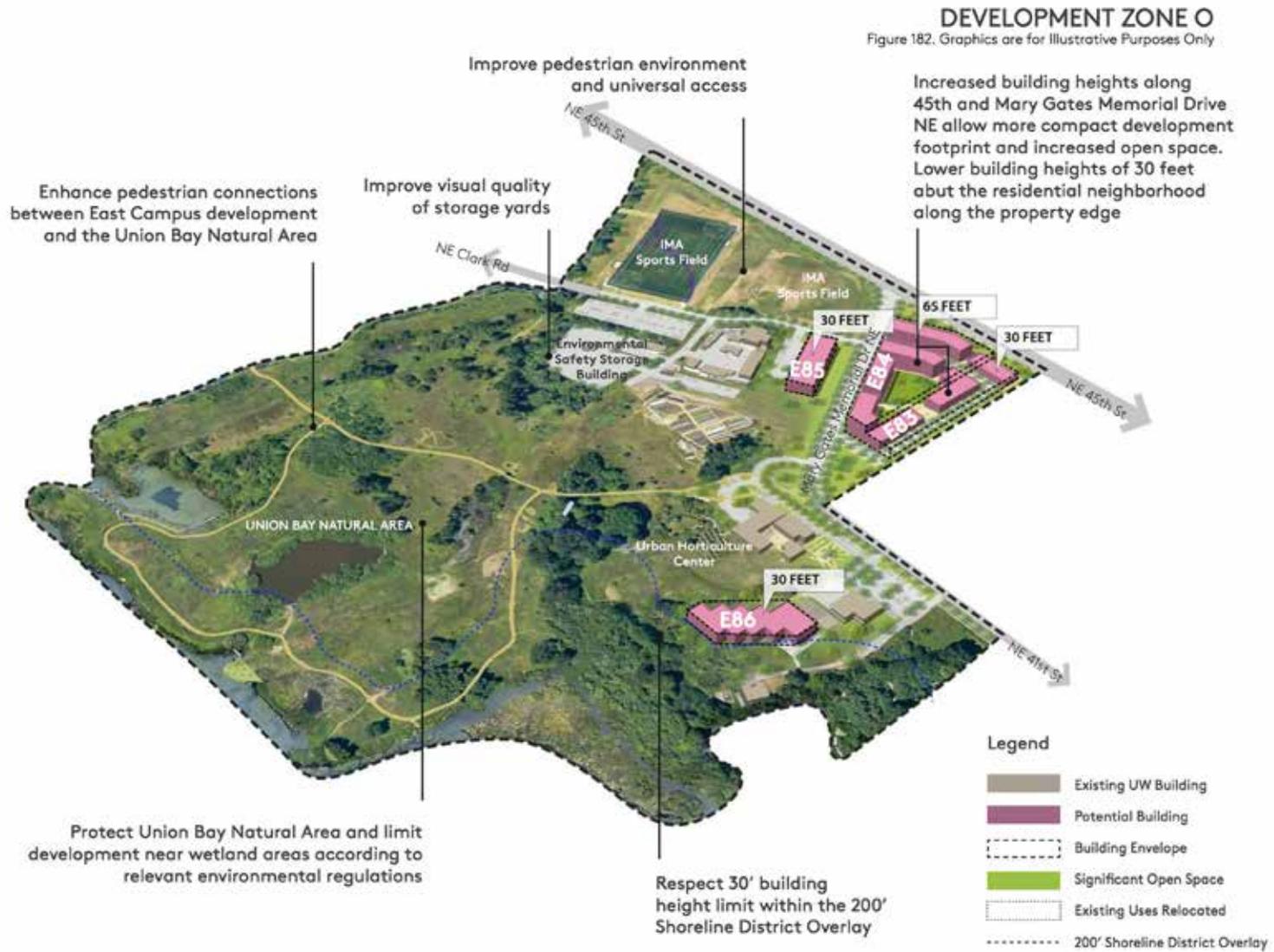


UNION BAY NATURAL AREA SITE: DESCRIPTION AND ASSESSMENT



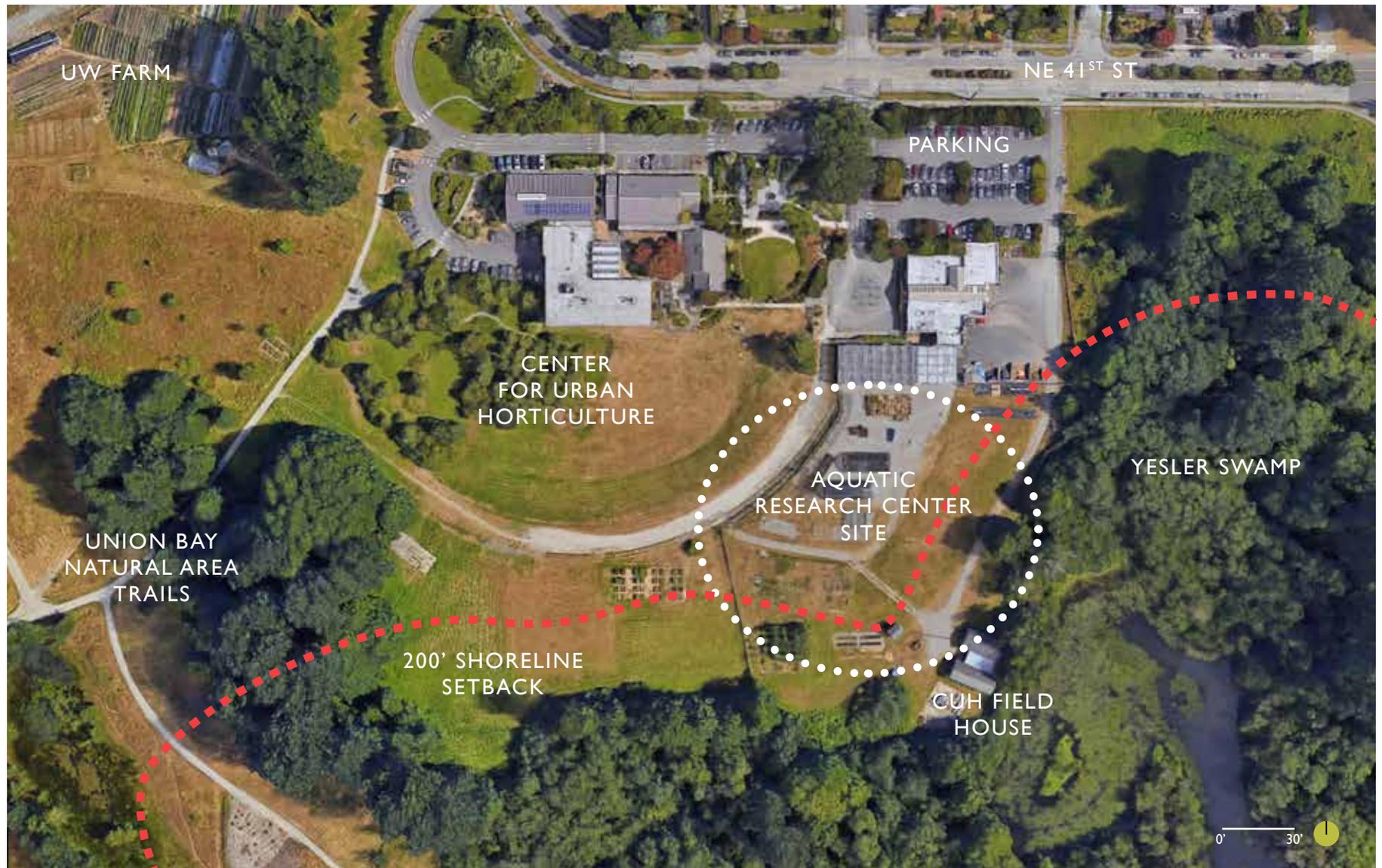
CAMPUS MASTER PLAN ASSESMENT

Development goals and site restrictions identified in the 2018 UW Seattle Campus Master Plan.



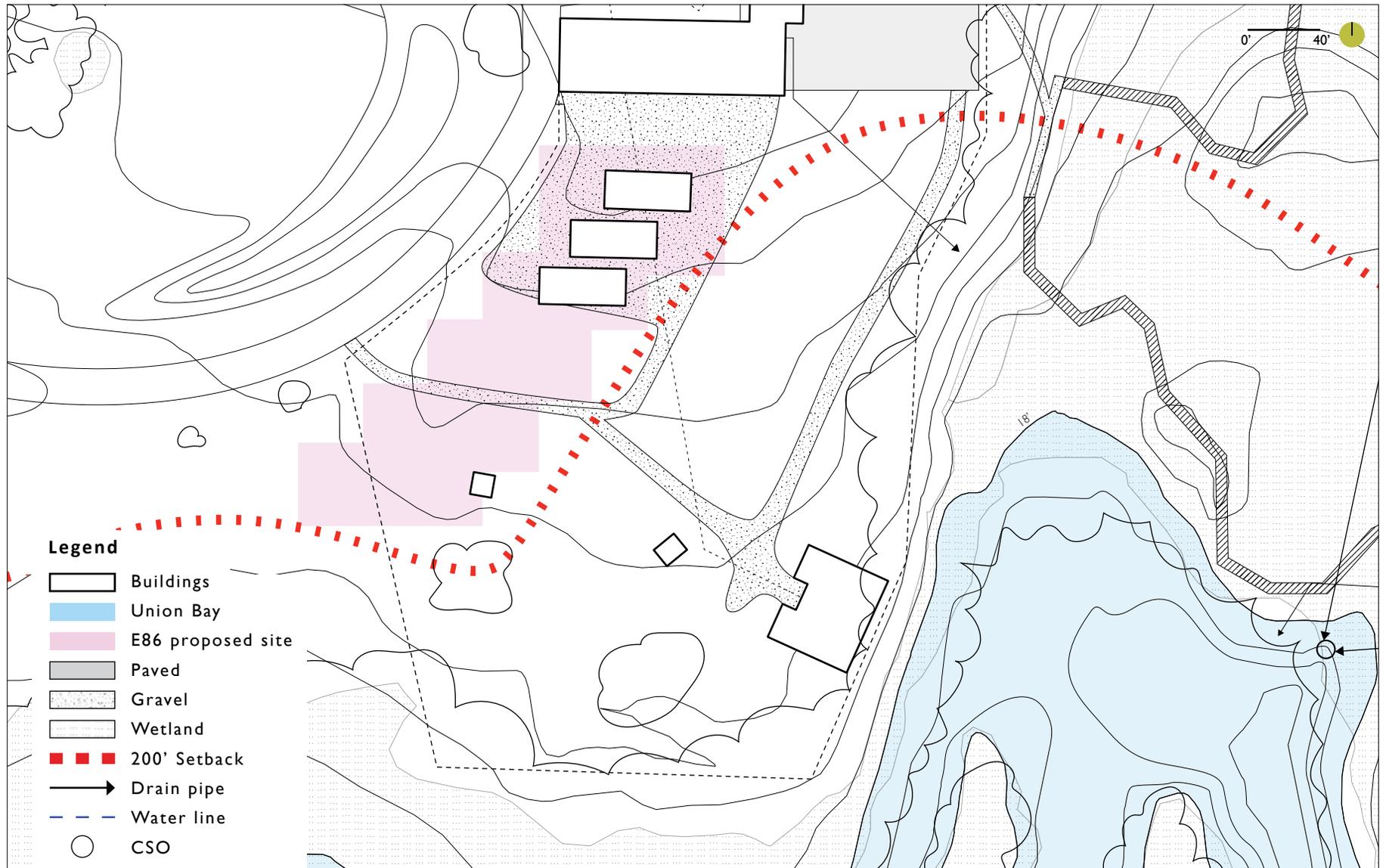
AERIAL VIEW

Google Earth aerial showing the existing site features and conditions. The E86/ARC site is embedded in a thriving academic and environmental ecology.



EXISTING SITE CONDITIONS

The E86 site is supported by existing infrastructure, but constrained by a 200' shoreline setback.



SITE PHOTOS: E86 SITE

Images from in and around the E86 site.



Figure 1. View of the site from the Center for Urban Horticulture deck, looking east.



Figure 2. On the east side of the site, looking south along the service road towards the Field House.



Figure 3. View from the main path, looking northeast towards the Douglas Research Conservatory.



Figure 4. View from the main path, across from the Aquatic Research Center site, over the event lawn towards Merrill Hall at the Center for Urban Horticulture.



Figure 5. The McVay Courtyard in the Center for Urban Horticulture.



Figure 6. A boardwalk trail in Yesler Swamp, down the slope to the east of the Aquatic Research Center site.

SITE PHOTOS: UBNA

The neighboring Union Bay Natural Area (UBNA) is a unique and beautiful place. As E86 is the only development site here, this is a great opportunity for SAFS to claim it.



Figure 1. Looking northeast towards the E86/ARC site, across the water from an UBNA trail.



Figure 2. Looking west towards Husky Stadium. This could be a walking commute from the Link Light Rail station! (Photo by UW Botanic Gardens)



Figure 3. UBNA is a rich bird habitat. Here, a redwing blackbird perches on a cattail. (Photo by UW Botanic Gardens)



Figure 4. Summer wildflowers. (Photo by UW Botanic Gardens)



Figure 5. View southeast from a UBNA trail, looking across Lake Washington to the 520 bridge.



Figure 6. Ecological restoration research being conducted at UBNA by UW faculty and students.

SITE MATERIALS

The site is characterized by thin, hard grids embedded in the thick organic layers of the ground, farm, gardens, and wetland.



Figure 1. Center for Urban Horticulture trellis wall



Figure 2. UBNA remnant apple tree in bloom



Figure 3. UW Farm shed wall



Figure 4. Yesler Swamp detail



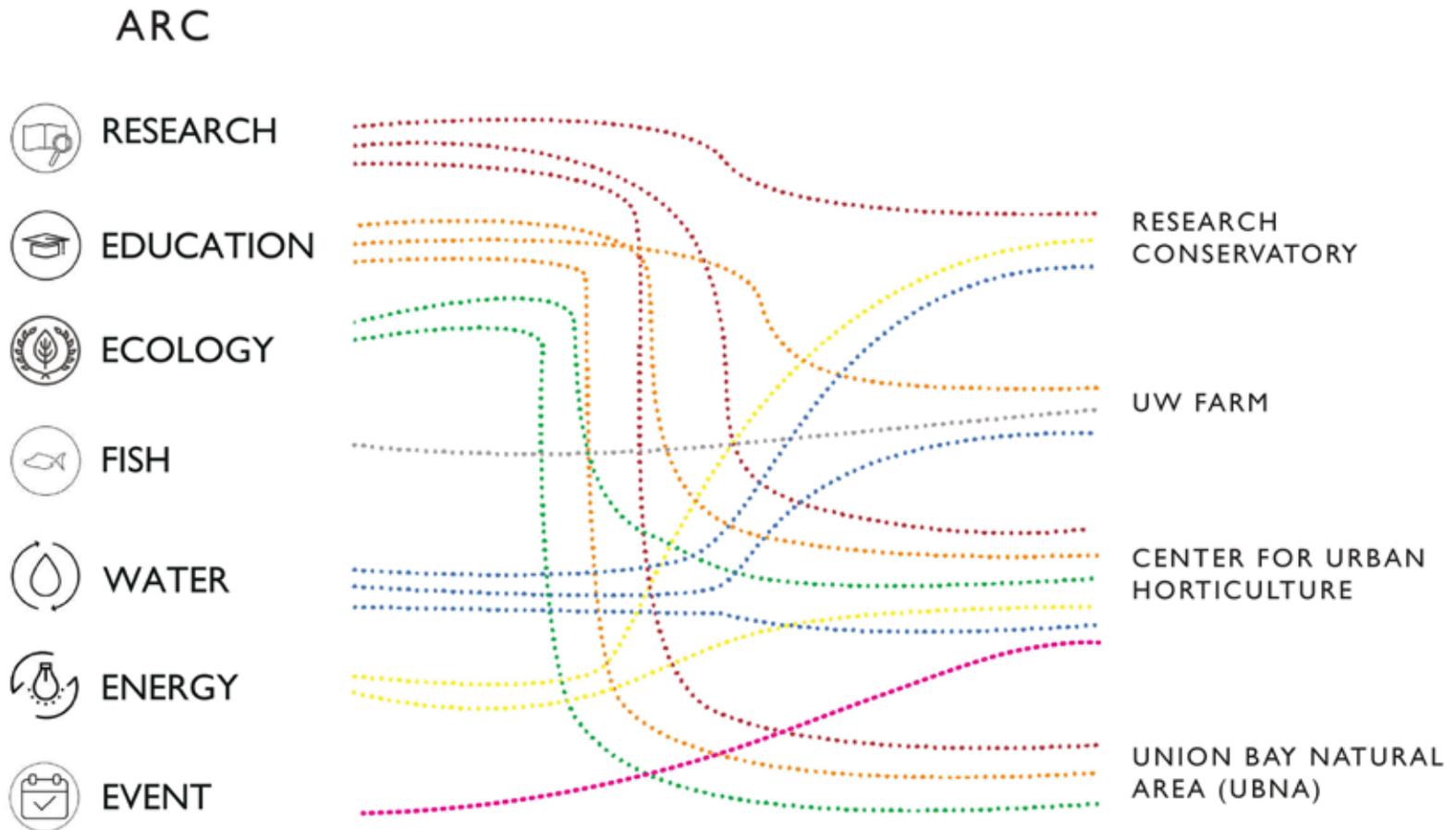
Figure 5. Research greenhouses and gravel



Figure 6. Nursery ground condition

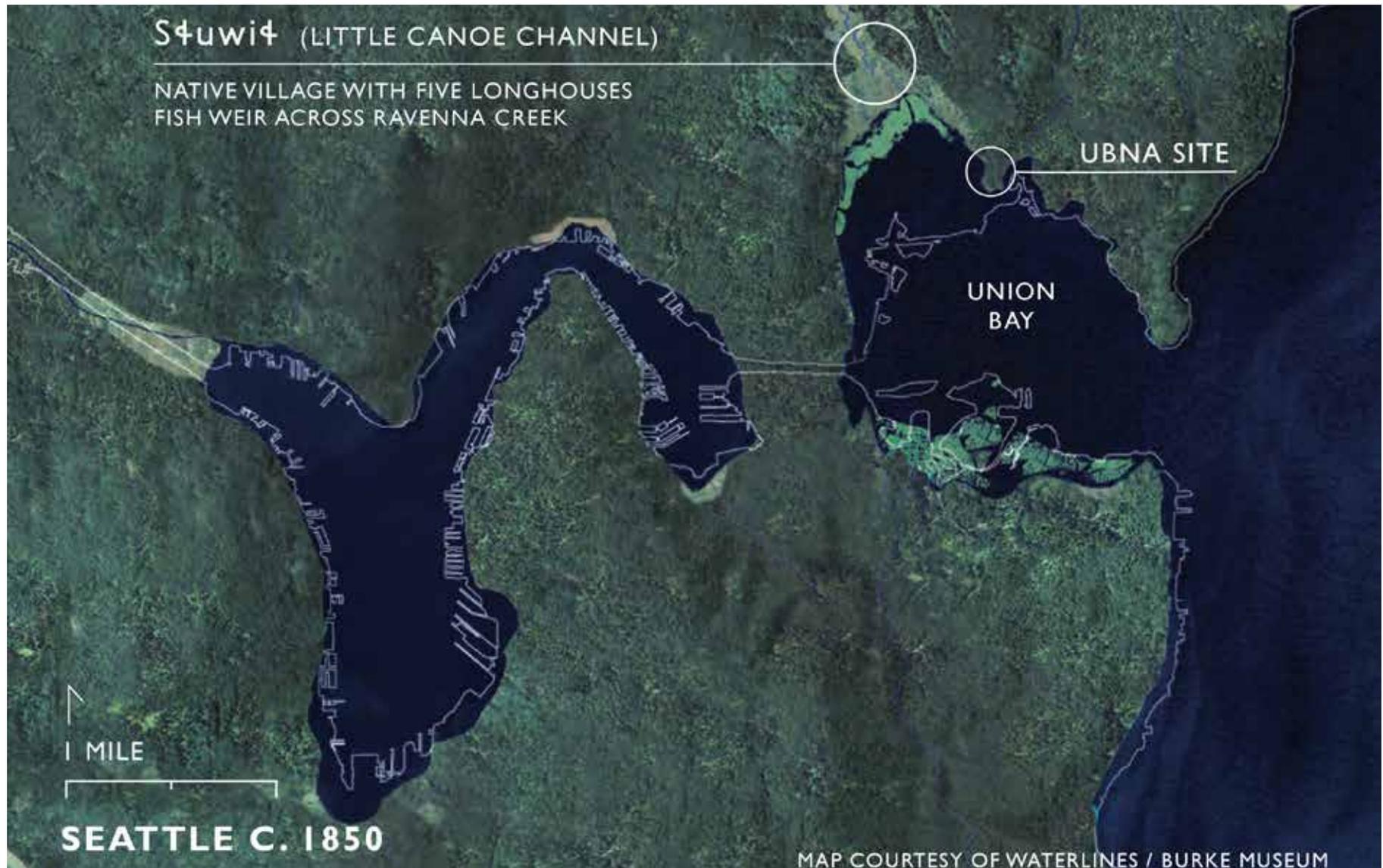
PROGRAM OVERLAPS

The new Aquatic Research Center can tie into the existing site functions, form new relationships, and catalyze new program opportunities.



SITE HISTORY: PRE-1850

Before European contact, the site sat on the edge of what we now call Union Bay, inhabited and used by native peoples. Nearby, a year-round village and fish weir existed on Ravenna Creek. This map also shows the historic and current lakeshore. The Washington Ship Canal, built in 1916, lowered the lake level by 9 feet, exposing what we now call the Union Bay Natural Area.



SITE HISTORY: 20th CENTURY

1916: Washington Ship Canal (at the Ballard Locks) is cut, lowering the Lake Washington water level by 9 feet.

1926: Union Bay Natural Area was used as a landfill

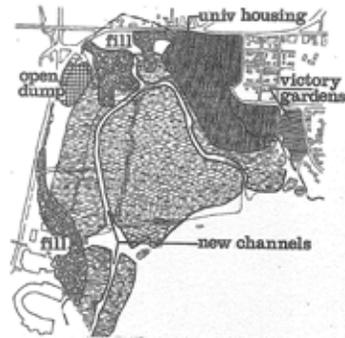
1949: A housing development was built on the east side, the current Aquatic Research Center site

1962: The west side began to be developed as part of UW campus

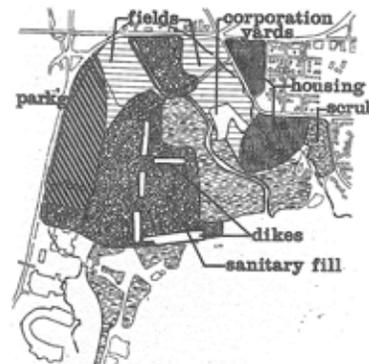
1974: Restoration efforts started on the landfill



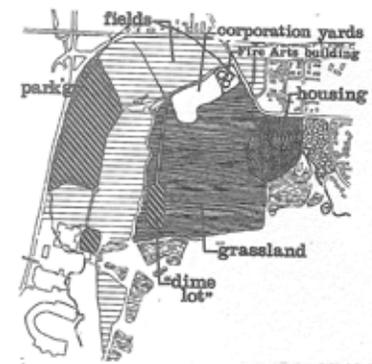
1926



1949



1962



1974

OPPORTUNITIES FROM HISTORY

Historical aspects of the site provide rich opportunities for future development.



Ecological Aspect

Landfill -> Restoration

High opportunity for utilizing stormwater management techniques and other sustainable energy saving systems

Educational Aspect

Restoration process

Education and research

Native American

Connection with Little Canoe Channel village

Collaboration with the Muckleshoot Tribe

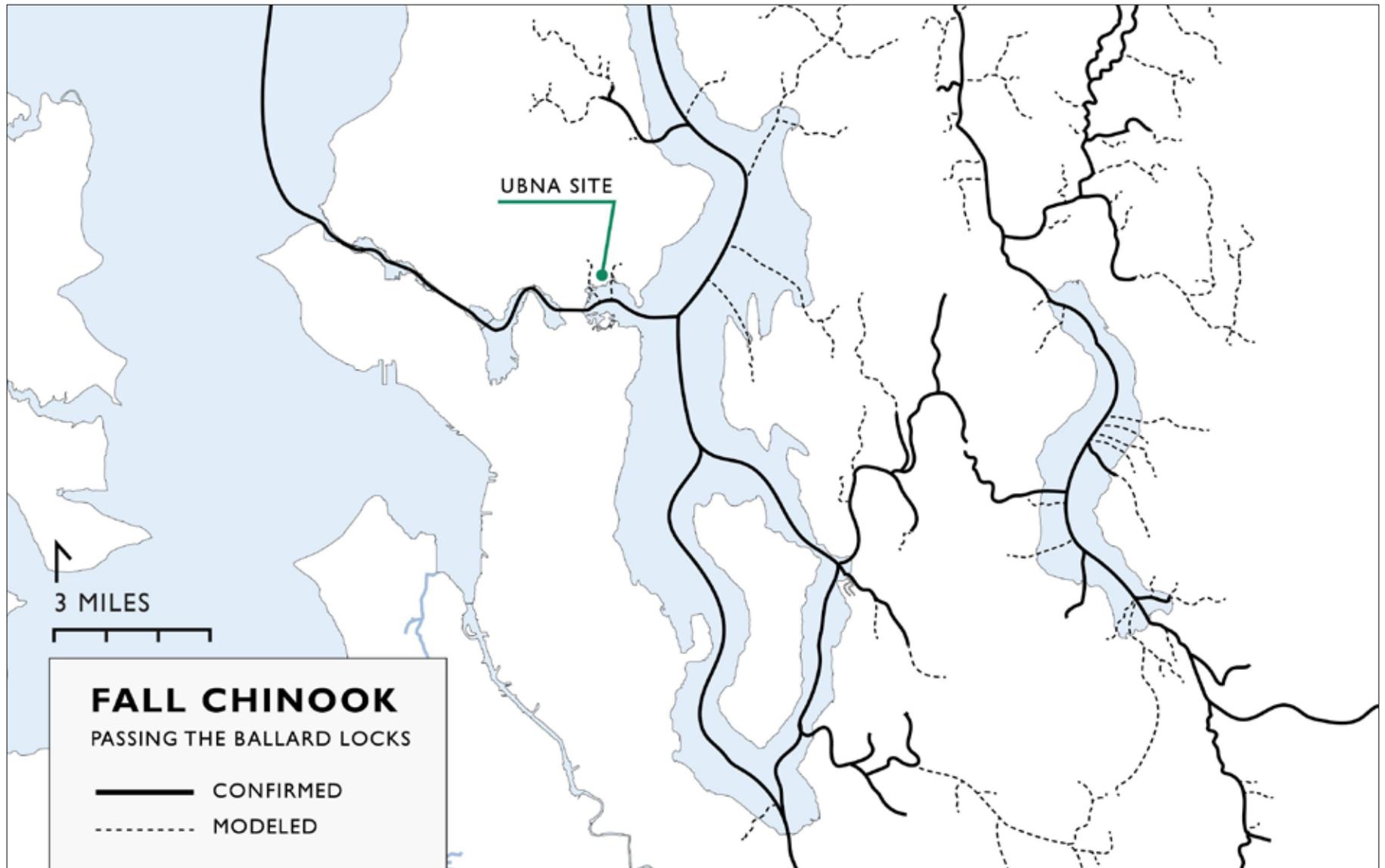
Housing Development

Site has already been compacted and disturbed, so there is space for further restoration

SALMON CONTEXT MAP

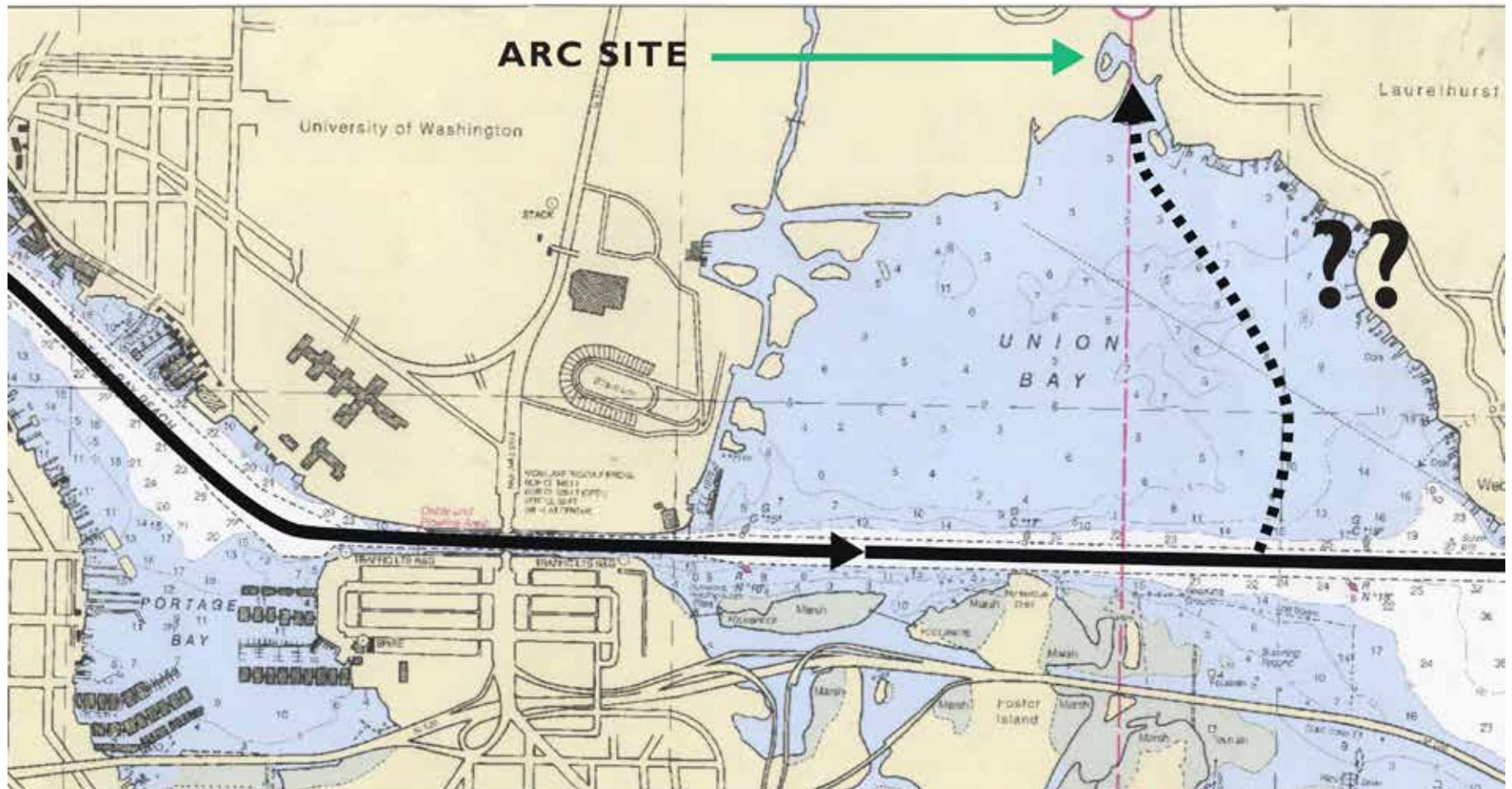
Fall Chinook runs that return home through the Ballard Locks. Historic runs existed near the UBNA site.

(Adapted from WDFW Salmonscape)



ADULT RETURN 'COLD PATH'

Adult salmon need cold water as they swim home. They currently use the deep water of the ship channel to pass through Union Bay. How will the higher temperatures and shallow water be overcome?



Adapted from NOAA depth map.

This challenge also provides opportunities for engineers and SAFS researchers to innovate. Water temperatures are rising everywhere in salmonid habitats, especially in urban areas. Can UW lead on this issue?

KEY OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES

OPPORTUNITIES

- Beautiful, Unique Site
- Campus Master Plan Compatible
- Compatible with UW Botanic Gardens and UBNA Vision
- Site Function Overlaps: Fish Waste, Ecological Research, Education, Public Outreach, etc.
- Urban Aquatic Ecosystem
- Easy Access by Car, Bus, Foot, Bike, etc.
- Easy Parking!
- Outreach and Education
- “Green” Technology Possibilities
- Secure UBNA for SAFS, Enhance UBNA as Urban Eco-Zone
- UW Water Rights Can Be Transferred to the Site

CHALLENGES

- Shoreline / Conservancy Preservation Permitting
- Across Campus from SAFS Buildings
- Adult Return Cold Path

TEAM 3: IMMERSION

BY NINA MROSS

DESIGN VISION

To be immersive and permeable in experience and performance. To be regenerative and adaptable, to be a good neighbor. To do no harm, to thicken and re-grow. To be useful and inspiring, to be a great experience. To connect and catalyze interactions between the people, wildlife, land, water, plants, foods, and processes of the Puget Lowlands.

KEY WORDS:

- Immerse
- Innovate
- Catalyze
- Connect



DESCRIPTION

The Aquatic Research Center (ARC) at Union Bay Natural Area (UBNA) is an immersive new building and landscape complex that ties deeply into the existing site program and infrastructure while providing new opportunities and much-needed space for SAFS and stakeholder needs and visions.

The ARC fans out from the natural axis created by the shoreline and ties in to the existing circulation and use patterns on the site. A cluster of two buildings and a pavilion are connected by a central plaza, which leads directly to the public homing pond and the fishway landscape beyond. The larger building holds 8,500ft² of flexible interior lab space, as well as storage, offices, and restrooms on the first floor, and space for an aquaponics lab as well as the lab manager's office and overlook deck on the second floor.

The smaller building holds an indigenous-run café and an auditorium to be shared with the Center for Urban Horticulture (CUH). The Smokehouse Pavilion is a place for First Foods and traditional salmon

processing techniques, as well as outdoor events of all kinds. The CUH Field House is converted into a pump house and public education and interpretation building, and a new boardwalk connects across from the UBNA trails to the Yesler Swamp trails.

The landscape is used as public space and research space, as areas of prairie, forest edge, upland edge, and streambank plantings are created and maintained by plants grown on-site by CUH. The entire landscape has opportunities for informal play, and visitors are invited to interact with the land, plants, and interpretive features. Signage, wayfinding, and art integrated into the landscape guide visitors and contribute to learning about aquatic ecosystems, watershed health, Northwest and salmon related culture, and stakeholder goals and activities. In particular, artisan-made sculptures inspired by indigenous fish traps and fish baskets are used throughout the landscape for play, seating, and interpretation.

Unlike a traditional hatchery, ARC will be active throughout the year. A conventional homing pond is only used in spring for juvenile fish release, and in fall for returning adult fish. Here, the pond is used for stormwater detention in the rainy winter, and is the site of art installations as part of the Seattle Design Festival in the summer, after it's emptied and cleaned.

Through these interventions, the new ARC meets and exceeds the needs of the stakeholders and the community, with flexible research infrastructure, activated, vibrant public space, new collaborative and inter-disciplinary programming, and a deep connection to the salmon culture of the region.

CASE STUDY: Center For Urban Horticulture (CUH)

VARIOUS DESIGNERS, 1984- PRESENT

The existing buildings, garden, and public space at the CUH, next to the proposed Aquatic Research Center site.

- Most important case study
- Greenhouse typology
- Small buildings around a central courtyard

Forms and screens at CUH (author photos)



CASE STUDY: Regen Village

EFFEKT ARCHITECTS, CONCEPT, 2016

A concept design for a closed-loop village relying on solar and aquaponics.

- Greenhouse typology
- Small building clusters create public space
- Aquaponics integrated into system

Render Views (effekt.dk)



CASE STUDY: Portland Japanese Garden

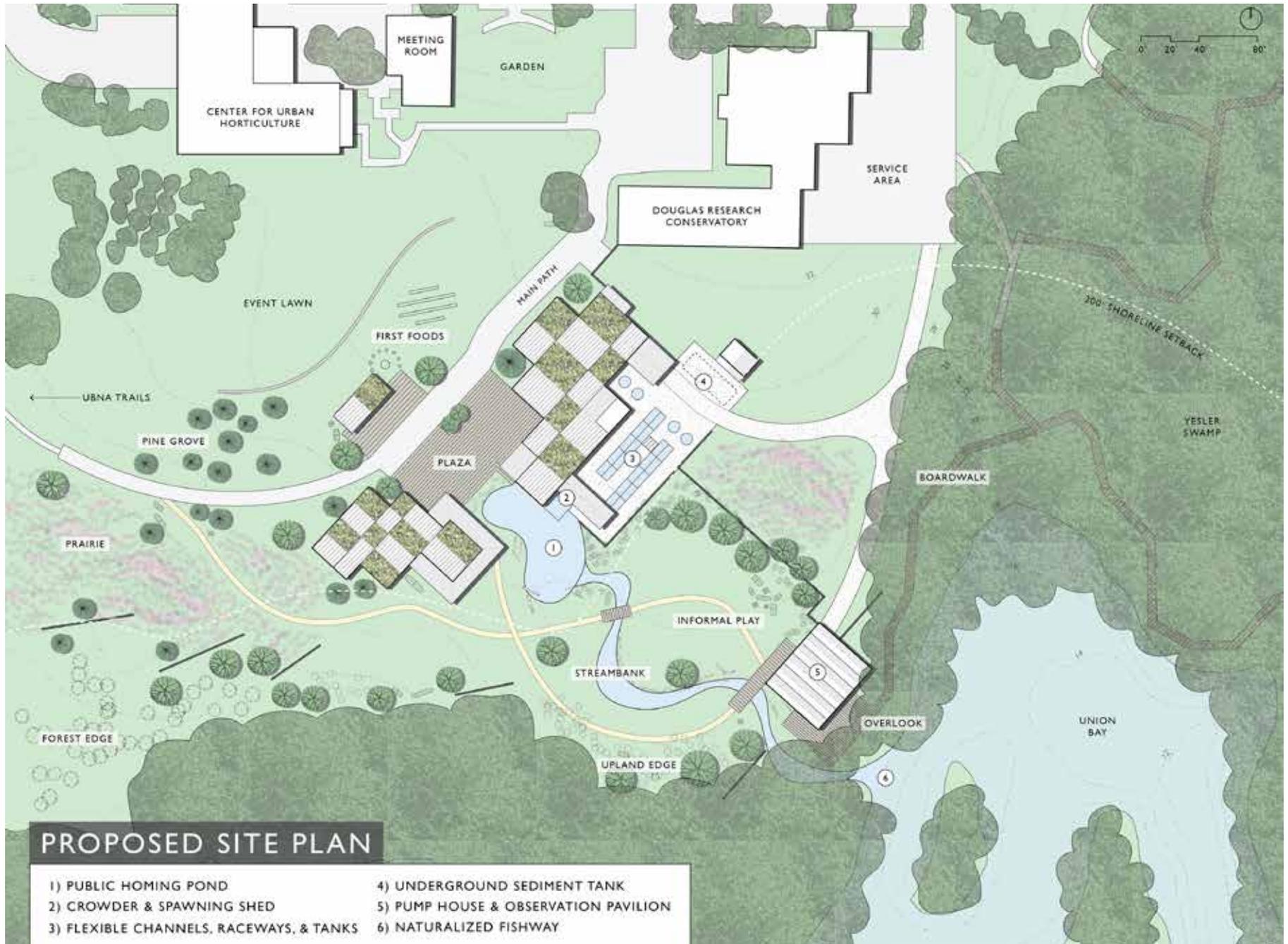
KENGO KUMA AND ASSOCIATES, 2017

A central plaza and new buildings for the Portland Japanese Garden.

- Interpretation and outreach project added to existing public garden
- Small buildings around a central plaza



Culture Village Plaza (architecturalrecord.com)



PROPOSED SITE PLAN

- | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|
| 1) PUBLIC HOMING POND | 4) UNDERGROUND SEDIMENT TANK |
| 2) CROWDER & SPAWNING SHED | 5) PUMP HOUSE & OBSERVATION PAVILION |
| 3) FLEXIBLE CHANNELS, RACEWAYS, & TANKS | 6) NATURALIZED FISHWAY |

BIRD'S EYE VIEW LOOKING NORTH



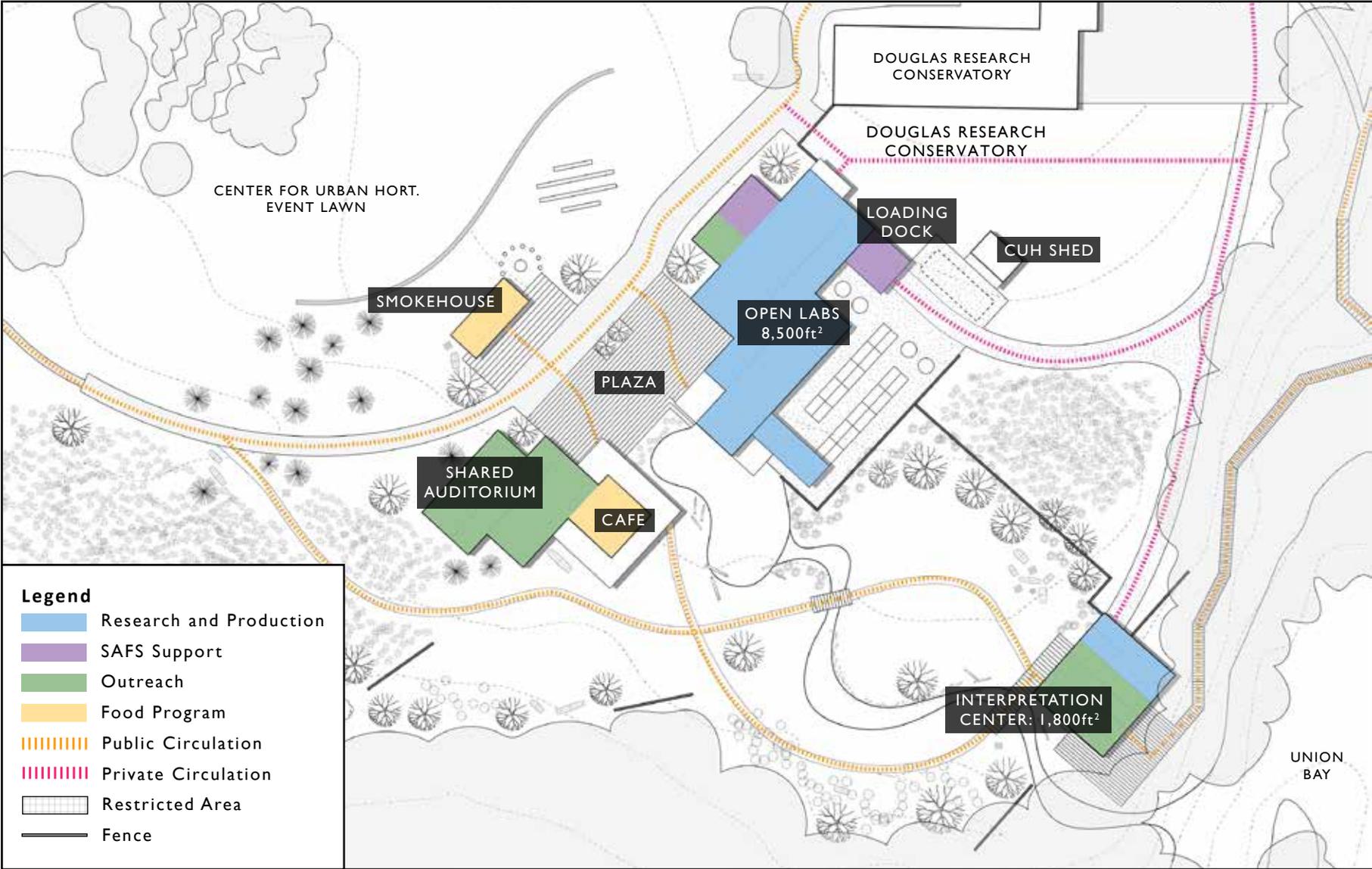
VIEW SOUTHEAST INTO THE PLAZA

Looking across the Aquatic Research Center entrance plaza to the homing pond, with Union Bay beyond.



SITE & 1ST FLOOR PLAN AND PROGRAM

The new buildings contain large flexible lab space, outdoor hatchery and lab facilities, and public outreach along with public food programs and outdoor public space.



2ND FLOOR PLAN AND PROGRAM

The small second floor holds an aquaponics lab and a hatchery observation deck.



FISH FLOW DIAGRAM

The salmonid homing mechanism, called 'natal philopatry,' drives the yearly cycle of renewal. The flexible ARC facilities accommodate various salmonid species' different timings and needs.

- Incoming Adults
- Outgoing Young Fish

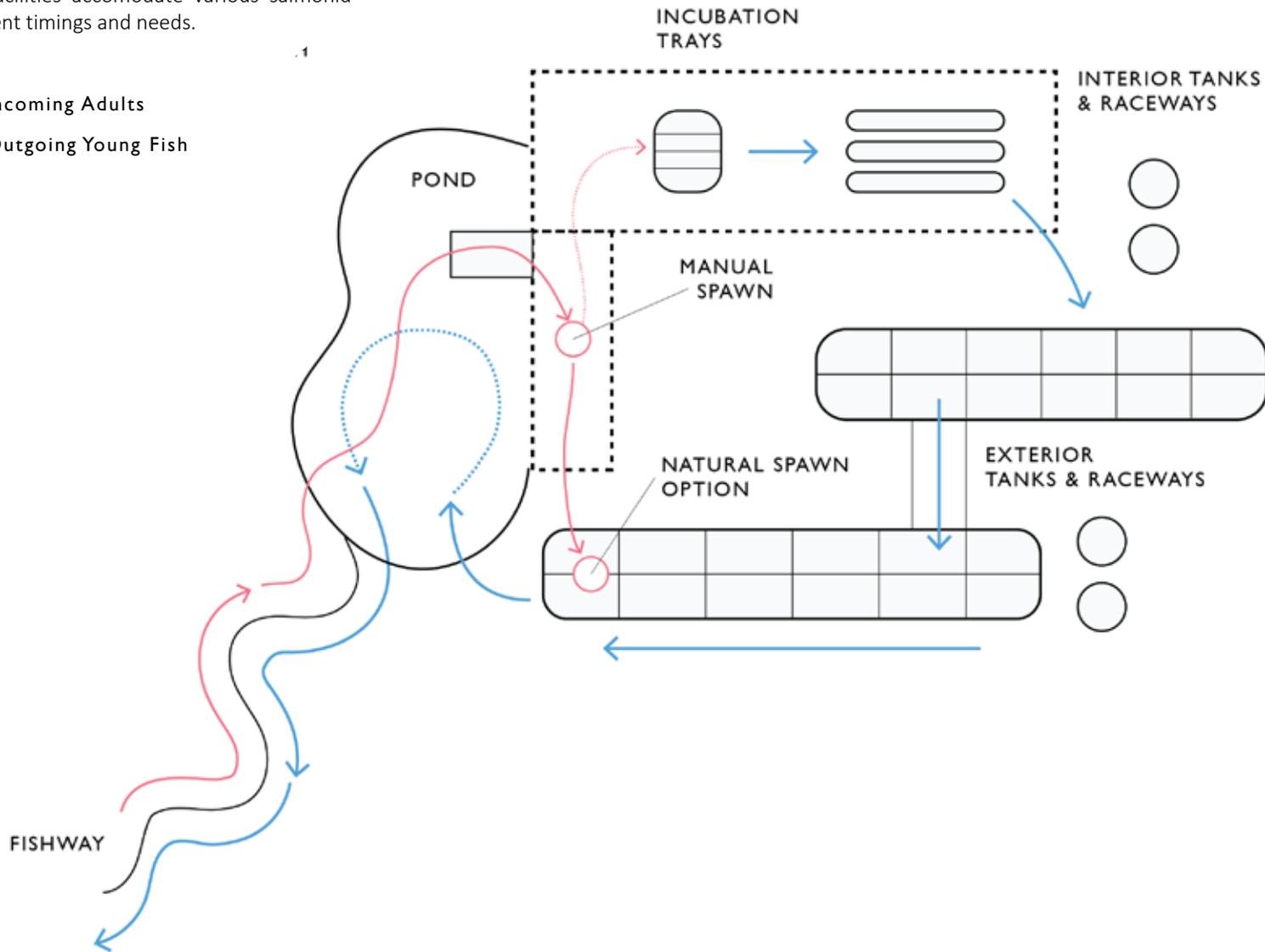
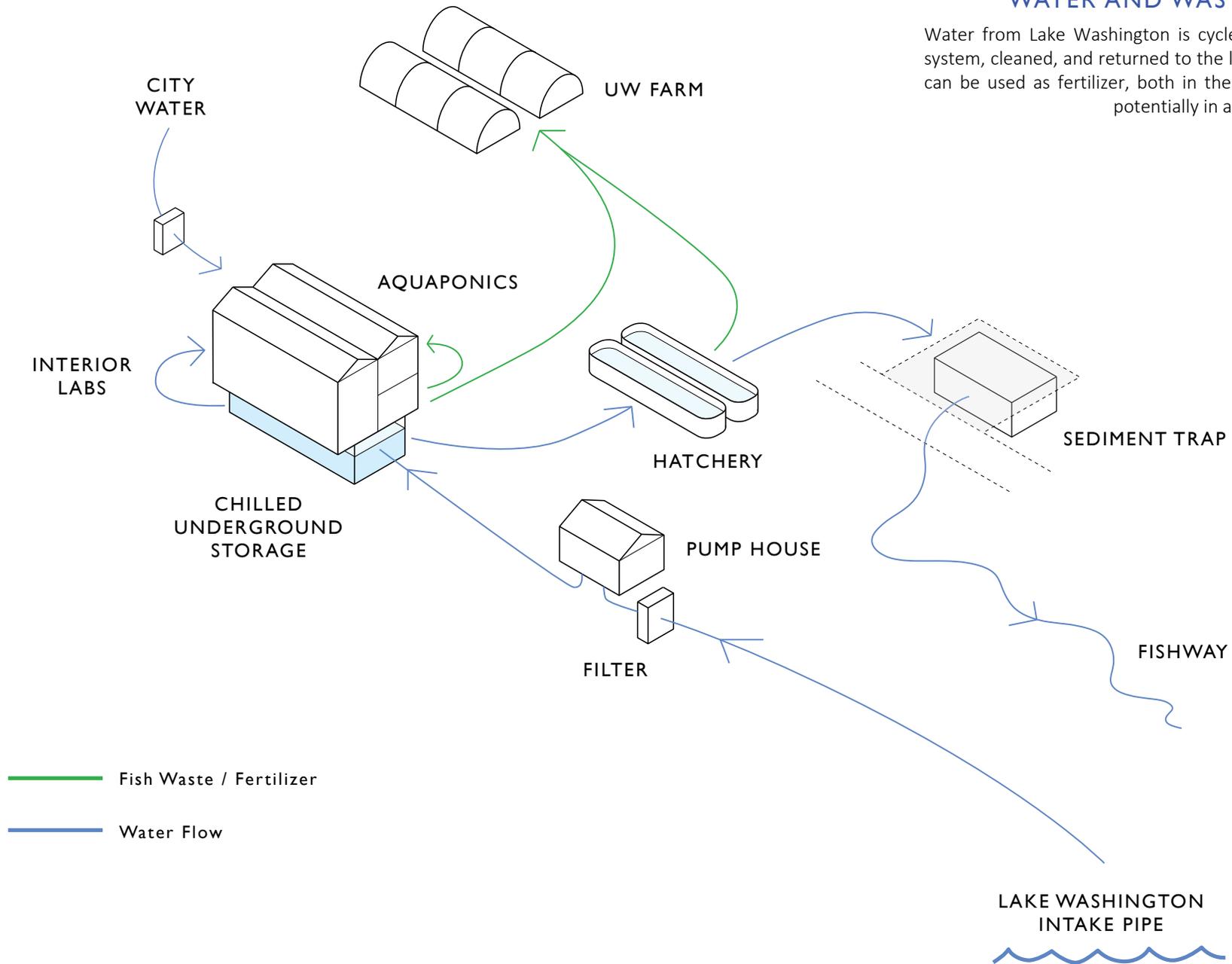


DIAGRAM NOT TO SCALE

WATER AND WASTE FLOWS

Water from Lake Washington is cycled through the system, cleaned, and returned to the lake. Fish waste can be used as fertilizer, both in the UW Farm and potentially in aquaponics labs.



BUILDING MATERIALS



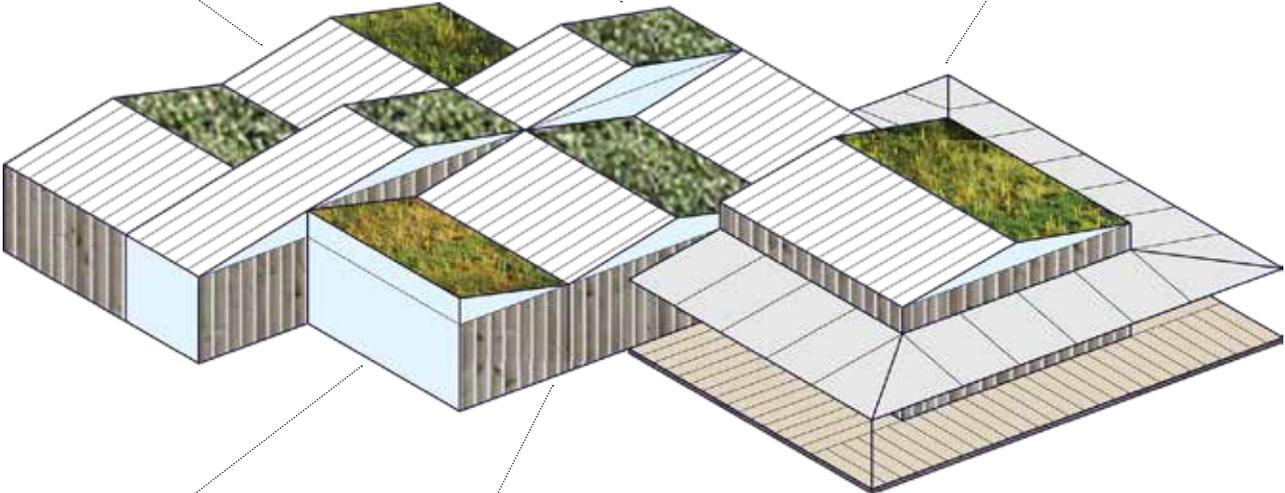
SOLAR POWER STRIPS



GREEN ROOF



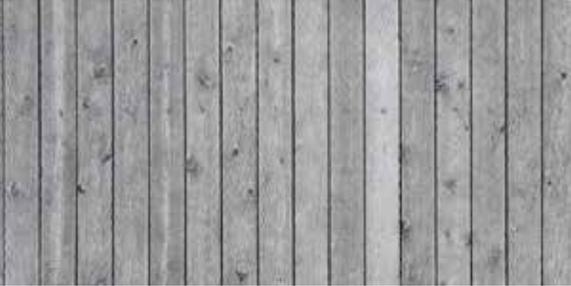
RECYCLED ALUMINUM ROOF



GREENHOUSE FACADE



CEDAR SLATS

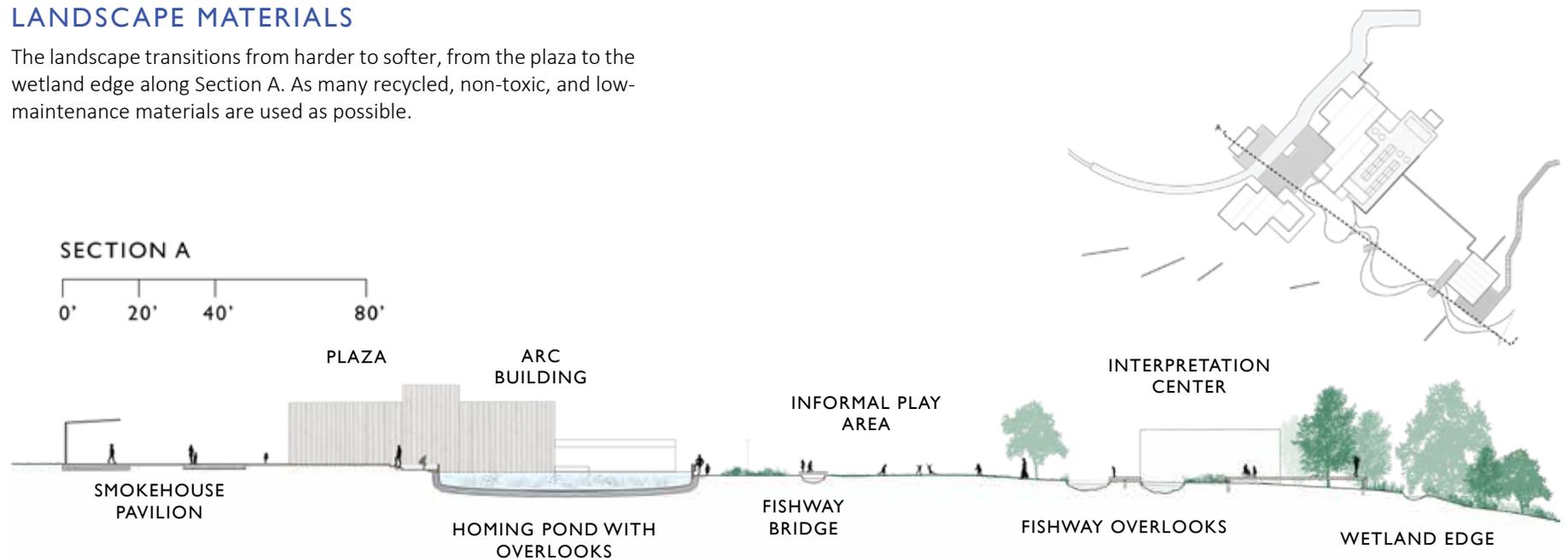


BLACK LOCUST DECKING



LANDSCAPE MATERIALS

The landscape transitions from harder to softer, from the plaza to the wetland edge along Section A. As many recycled, non-toxic, and low-maintenance materials are used as possible.



BLACK LOCUST DECKING



RECYCLED PORCELAIN MIX PATHWAYS



ECO-TURF



CONCRETE POND



ECO NIGHT LIGHTING



BOULDERS AND LOGS AROUND STREAM



PLANTING PALETTE

Planting zones subtly define the landscape areas and enhance site character.

FOREST EDGE



Alder



Willow



Poplar



Shore Pine

PRAIRIE



Camassia



Festuca



Western Buttercup



Garry Oak

FIRST FOODS



Salmonberry



Huckleberry



Thimbleberry



Acorns

UPLAND EDGE



Nootka Rose



Salal



Pearly Everlasting

STREAMBANK



Rush



Sedge



- 1) Cut-out panels by Lucy Galloway
- 2) Boardwalk and interpretation signs by Publik
- 3) Wayfinding sign by ASG Architects
- 4) Salmon sculptures by Paul Amey
- 5) Leaf sculptures by Peter M. Clark

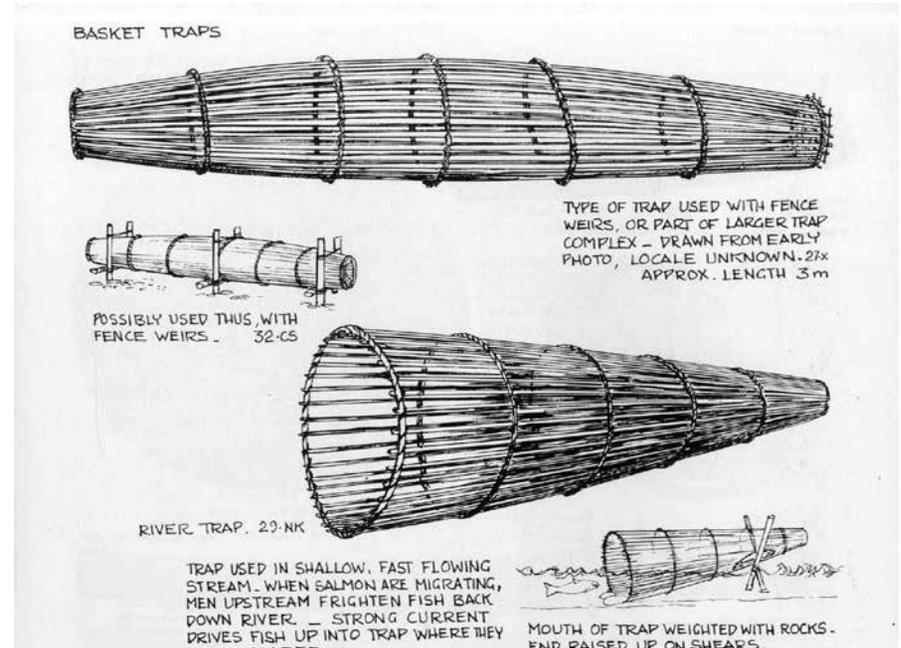
INTERPRETATION PRECEDENTS

Signage, wayfinding, and art integrated into the landscape guide visitors and contribute to learning and interpretation about aquatic ecosystems, watershed health, and stakeholder goals and activities.



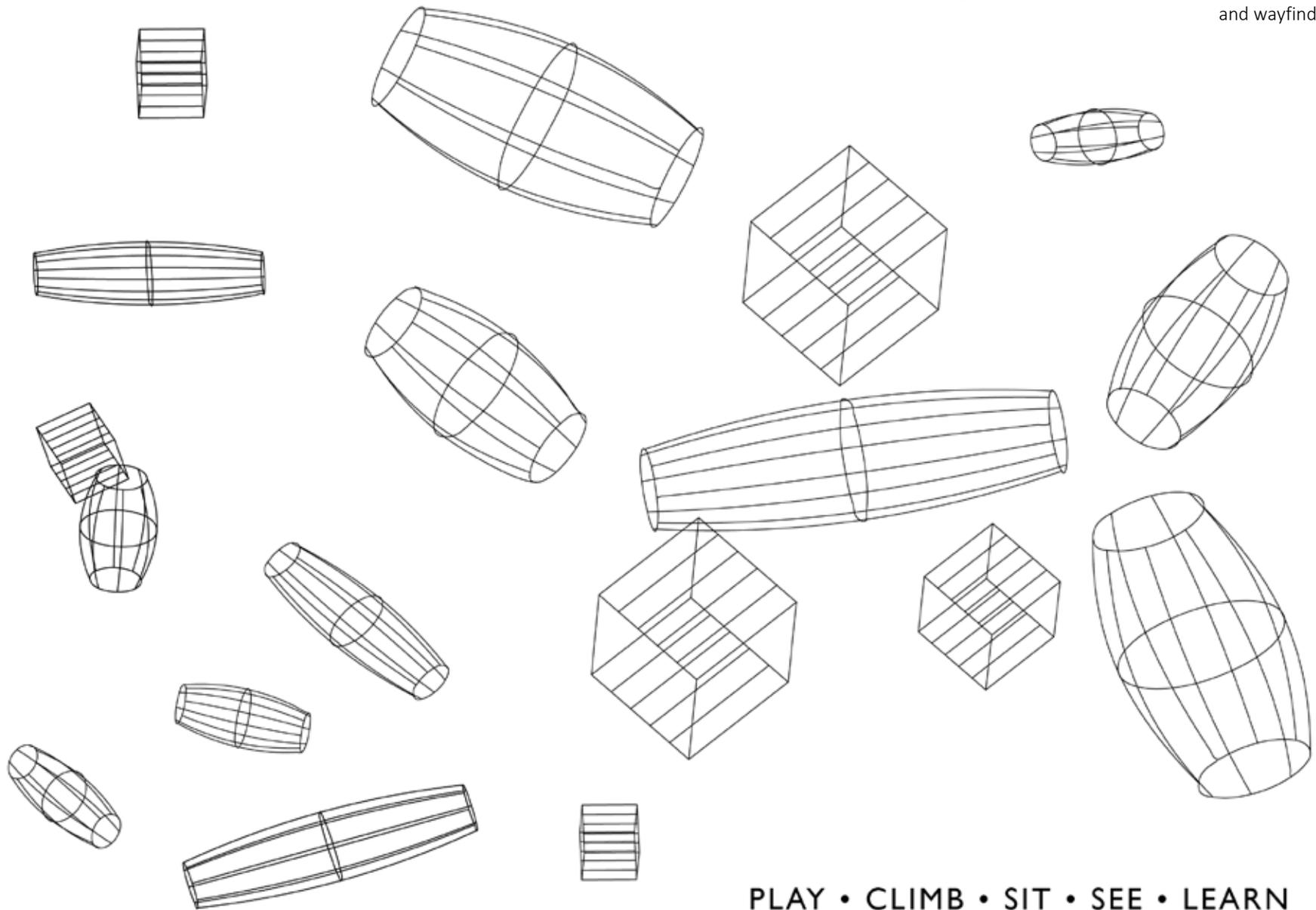
NATIVE FISH BASKETS

Traditional fish baskets and traps made by local native peoples provide inspiration and interpretation.



FISH TRAP BASKETS

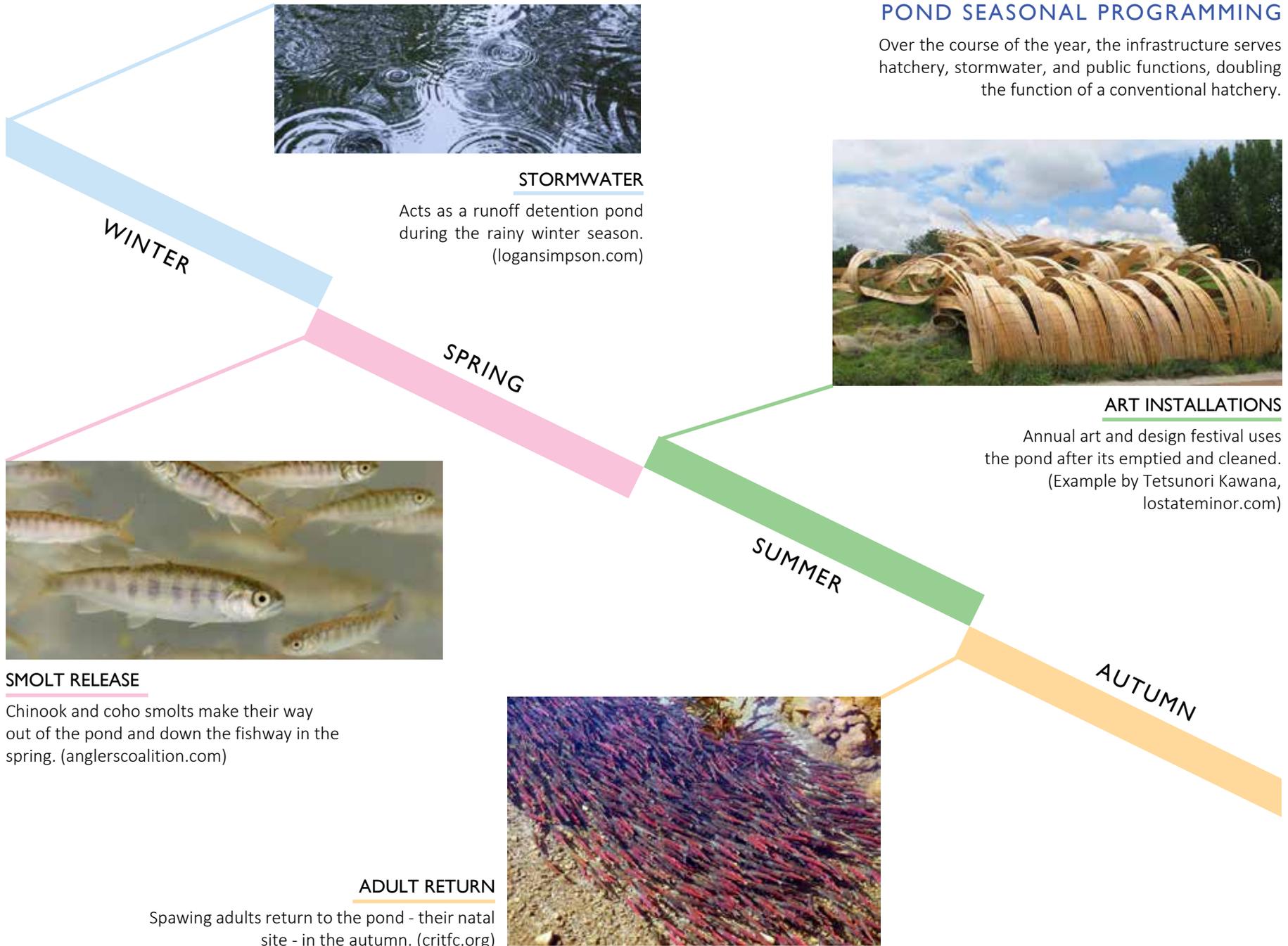
Artisan-made sculptures of fish traps are scattered throughout the landscape for play structures, seating, and wayfinding.



PLAY • CLIMB • SIT • SEE • LEARN

POND SEASONAL PROGRAMMING

Over the course of the year, the infrastructure serves hatchery, stormwater, and public functions, doubling the function of a conventional hatchery.



BIRD'S EYE VIEW LOOKING NORTH



TEAM 4: MOTION OF NATURE

BY JINGJING BU + JIYOUNG PARK

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

This proposal will explore locating an Aquatic Research Center in the Union Bay Natural Area. We developed the design concept in terms of story-telling lines focusing on three key points: Researching, Learning and Activating.

Three story-telling lines went through our proposal for the purpose of educating people, infrastructure including fish rearing and non-fish rearing period, as well as outreach to neighbors, including elders and children.

The name we gave our proposal is 'Motion of Nature,' in order to give a general sense of our proposal on the Union Bay Natural Area site. It is designed not only for the movement of salmon but also for the movement of nature's systems.

GOALS

- To conserve and protect salmon by creating a self-sustaining environment
- To demonstrate the impacts and importance of self-sustaining environments;
- To serve the community with educational knowledge through experience;
- To provide social gathering areas/activities for the community.
- Implement green stormwater infrastructure techniques and utilize native plant species;
- Provide knowledge and experience at educational facilities.

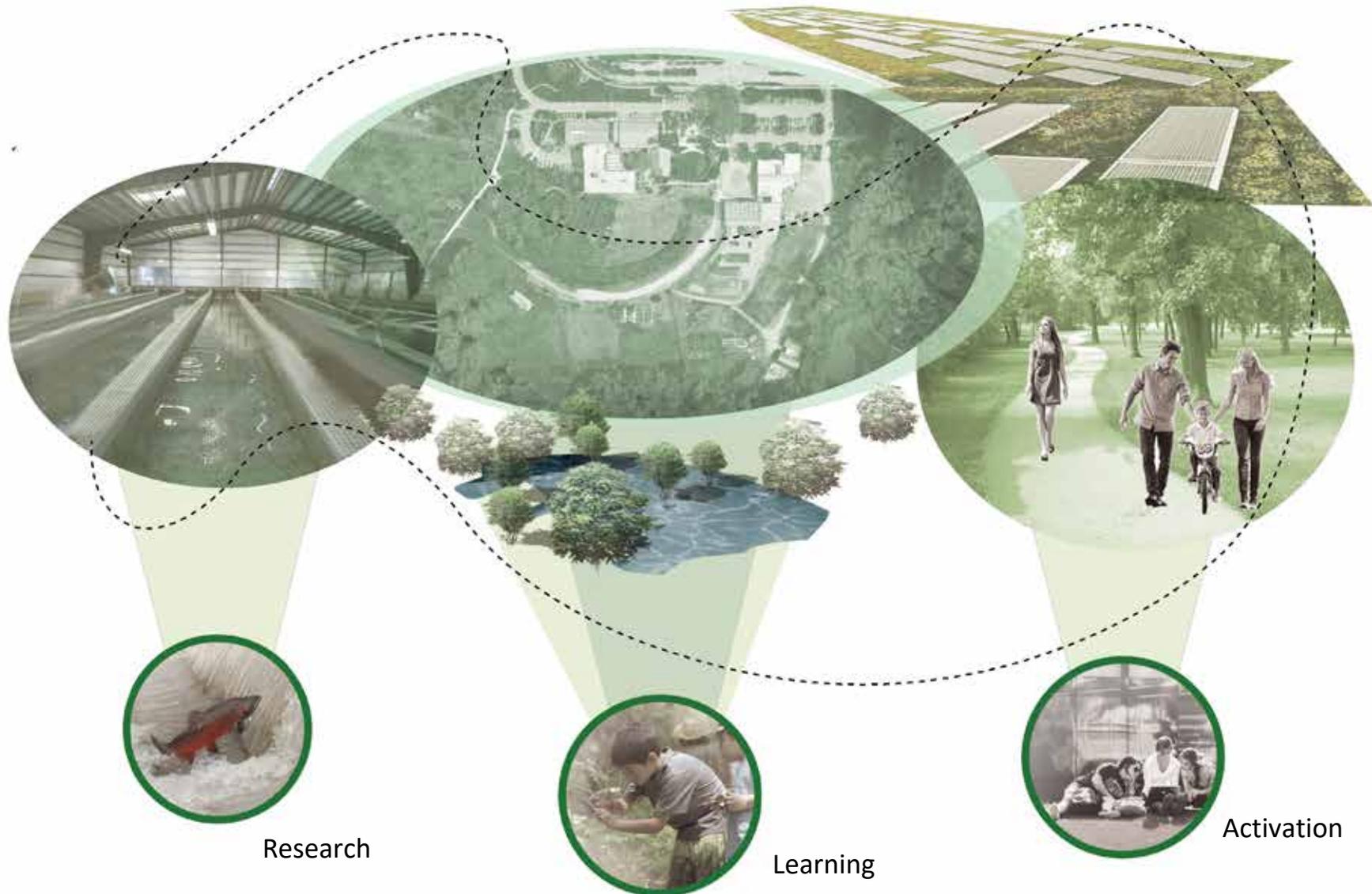
KEY WORDS

- RESEARCH
- EDUCATION
- ACTIVATION

CONCEPTUAL DIAGRAM

Three key points, three story-telling lines:

Three story lines in terms of educating people, infrastructure (fish rearing + non-fish rearing), and outreach to neighbors, including elders and children.



The UW's East Campus currently accommodates athletics and recreational activities with parking to support sporting events and campus commuters, along with the Union Bay Natural Area, UW Farm, and the Center for Urban Horticulture.

According to the *2018 UW Campus Master Plan*, East Campus will remain largely a restoration and conservation area, with added academic and athletic use where possible.

For the precedents studies, we are focusing on activation for education and research.



Figure 1. Aquatic Research Center



Figure 2. Horticultural Education



Figure 3. Hatchery Research



Figure 4. Water Re-use (example from the Bertschi School, Seattle)

EDUCATIONAL ACTIVATION

Precedent studies of educational, interpretive outreach and activation.



Figure 5. Fish and Game Clubs Encourage Future Generations



Figure 6. Salmon Art School



Figure 7. Homeschool Classes and Field Trips



Figure 8. Child-friendly Fish Ladder



Figure 9. Homing Pond Viewing Area



Figure 10. Community Education at the Auditorium

SITE PLAN

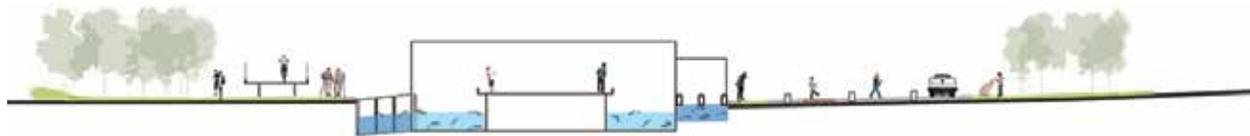
The plan shows exterior site context, new landscape features, and relevant research infrastructure.



FACILITY AND SITE SECTIONS



Section Showing Fish Ladder



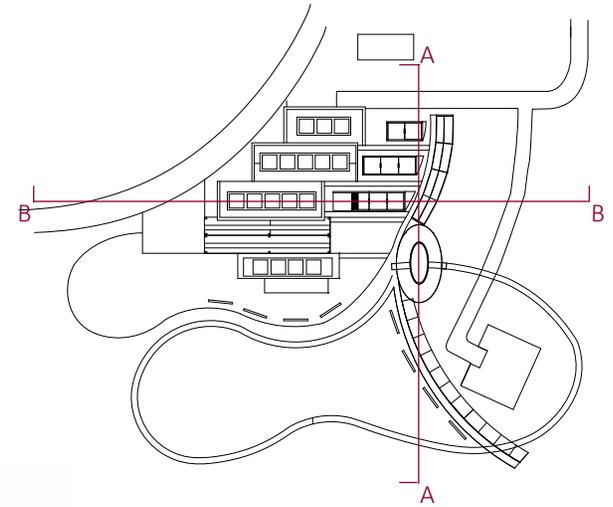
Fish Ladder Homing Pond Spawning Channels

Section A-A Showing Public Areas



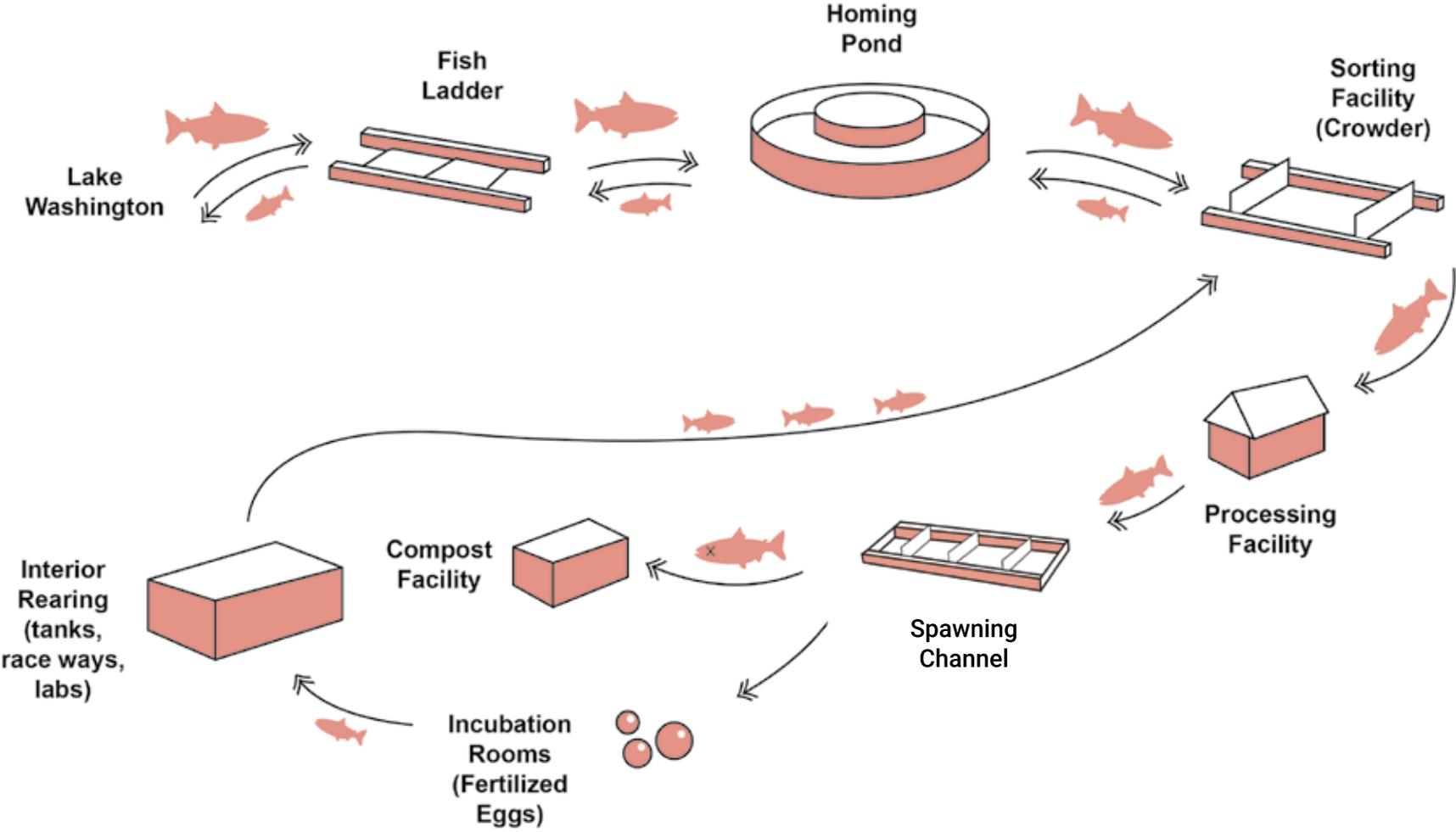
Greenroof Buildings with underground tank Incubation Room Raceways Spawning Channels

Section B-B Showing Research Facilities

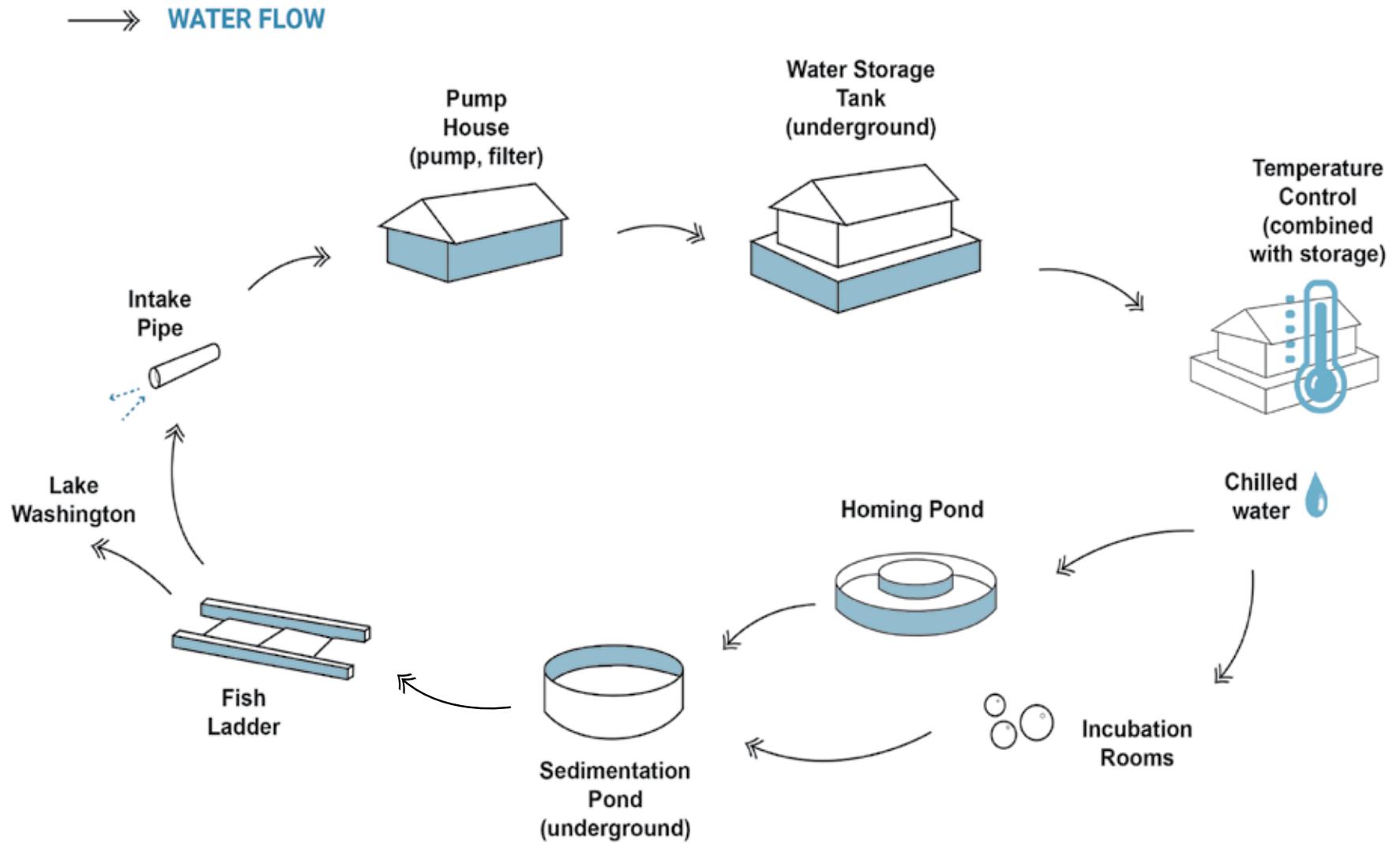


SALMON FLOW DIAGRAM

→ SALMON MOVEMENT



WATER SYSTEMS DIAGRAM



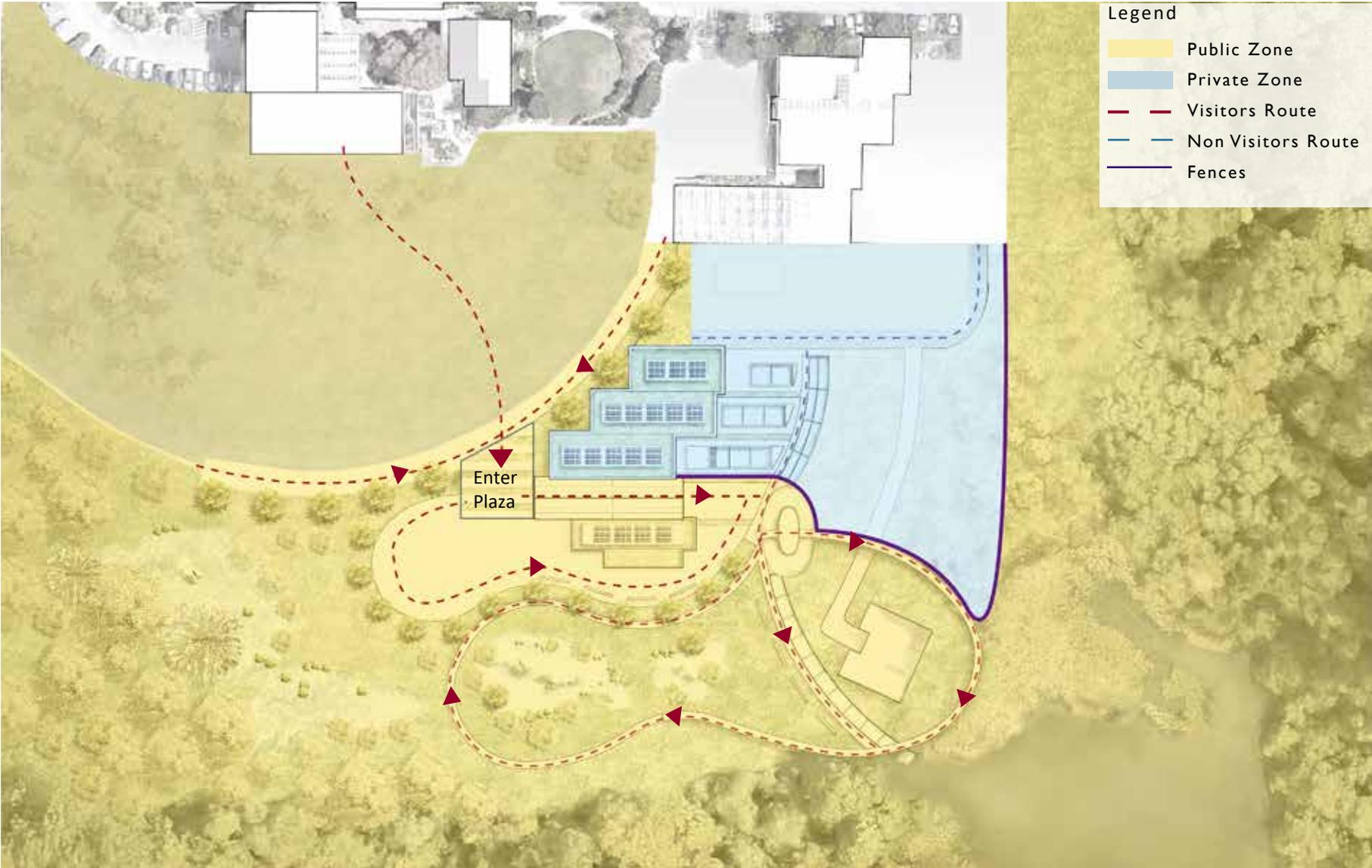
PROGRAM DIAGRAM

Production, support and outreach programs with restricted access.



CIRCULATION DIAGRAM

Public and private access and circulation routes.



SEASONAL PROGRAMMING DIAGRAM

Use and programming of the ARC throughout the year.



MATERIAL PALETTE

Paving materials, building materials, and facility materials.

PAVING MATERIAL

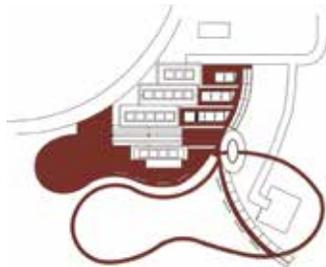
Ceramic fish on the path	Water permeable paving with gravel	Wooden bridge	Multiple linear pavement
			
Pavement detail	Granite hardscape paving	Wetland bridge	Linear pavement with gravel
			

BUILDING MATERIAL

Greenroof insulation layer	Green wall	Steel building facade	Greenroof waterproofing
			
Outreach-wooden and glass roof	Greenroof sedum substrate	Greenroof wooden-roof	Greenroof solar panel
			

FACILITY MATERIAL

Stainless steel handrail	Plastic homing pond	PVC pipe	Wooden seating wall
			
Bird protection netting	Fish ladder concrete	ADA industrial ramp	Concrete pedestrian besides fish ladder
			



PLANTING PALETTE

Green roof plants, native plants, raingarden plants and wetland plants.

GREENROOF PLANTS PALETTE



Bluestar amsonia Wild ceranium Black susan Foam flower; Tiarella



Texas sedge; Carex Texensis Wild ceranium Wild comlumbine; Aquilegia canadensis Blazing star



NATIVE PLANTS PALETTE



Acer circinatum Carex densa Mahonia nervosa Taxus brevifolia



Arctostaphylos columbiana Aruncus dioicus Blechnum spicant Arctostaphylos



RAINGARDEN PLANTS PALETTE



Bugleweed; Ajuge reptans Panicum virgatum switch grass Magnolia virginiana Moonglow



Texas sedge; Carex Texensis Wild ceranium Wild comlumbine; Aquilegia canadensis Black lave elderberry



WETLAND PLANTS PALETTE



Milfoil Duckweed Bladderwort Cordgrass



Yellow water lily Cattails Willows Elodea



GREEN STORMWATER INFRASTRUCTURE

Green stormwater infrastructure (GSI) is a set of distributed stormwater management practices that mimic natural systems.

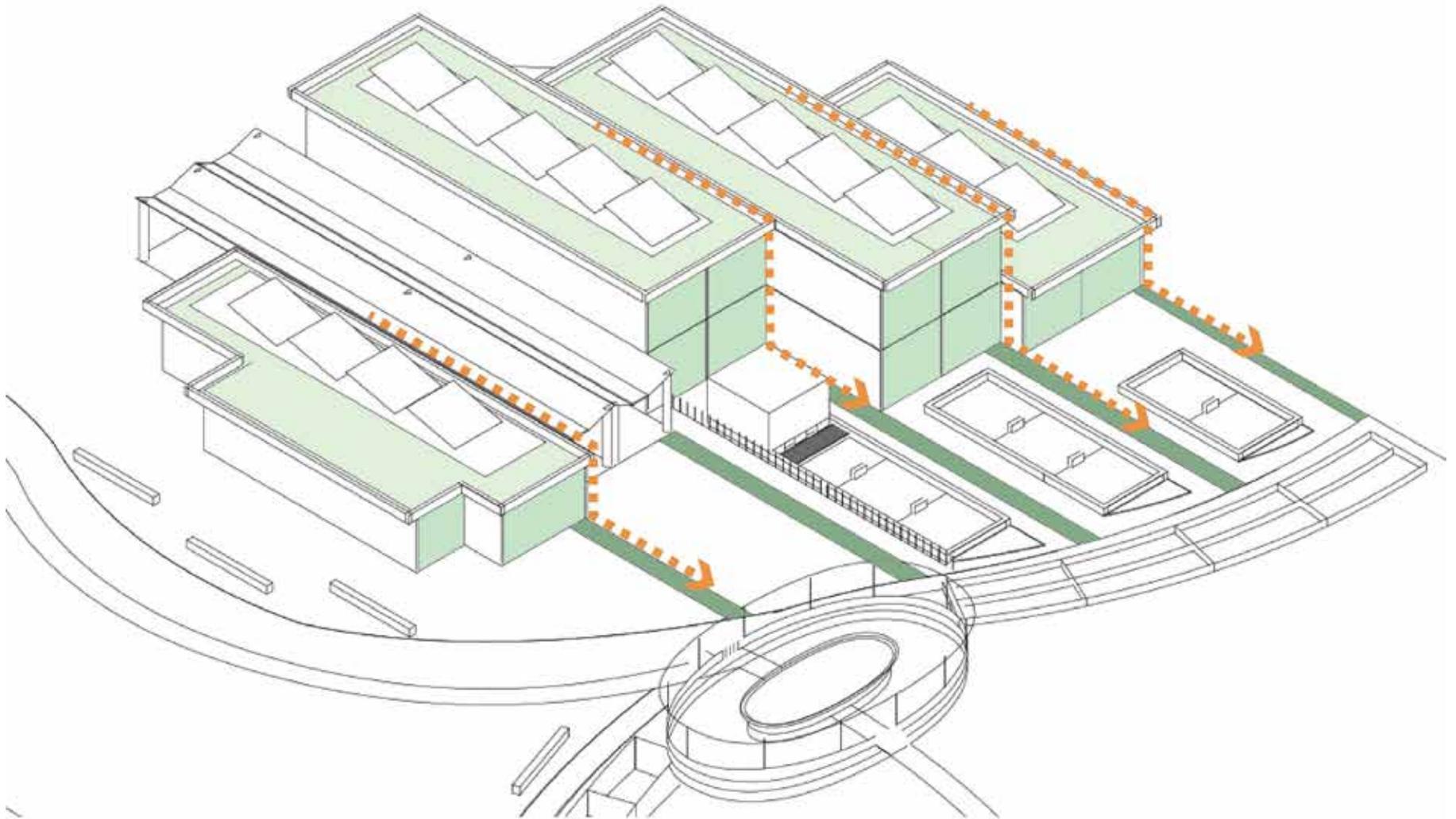
GSI is used across multiple scales and site contexts - including residential, commercial, and in the public right-of-way - and delivers multiple community benefits in addition to stormwater management.

Graphic by the Philadelphia Water Department



GREENROOF WATERFLOW DIAGRAM

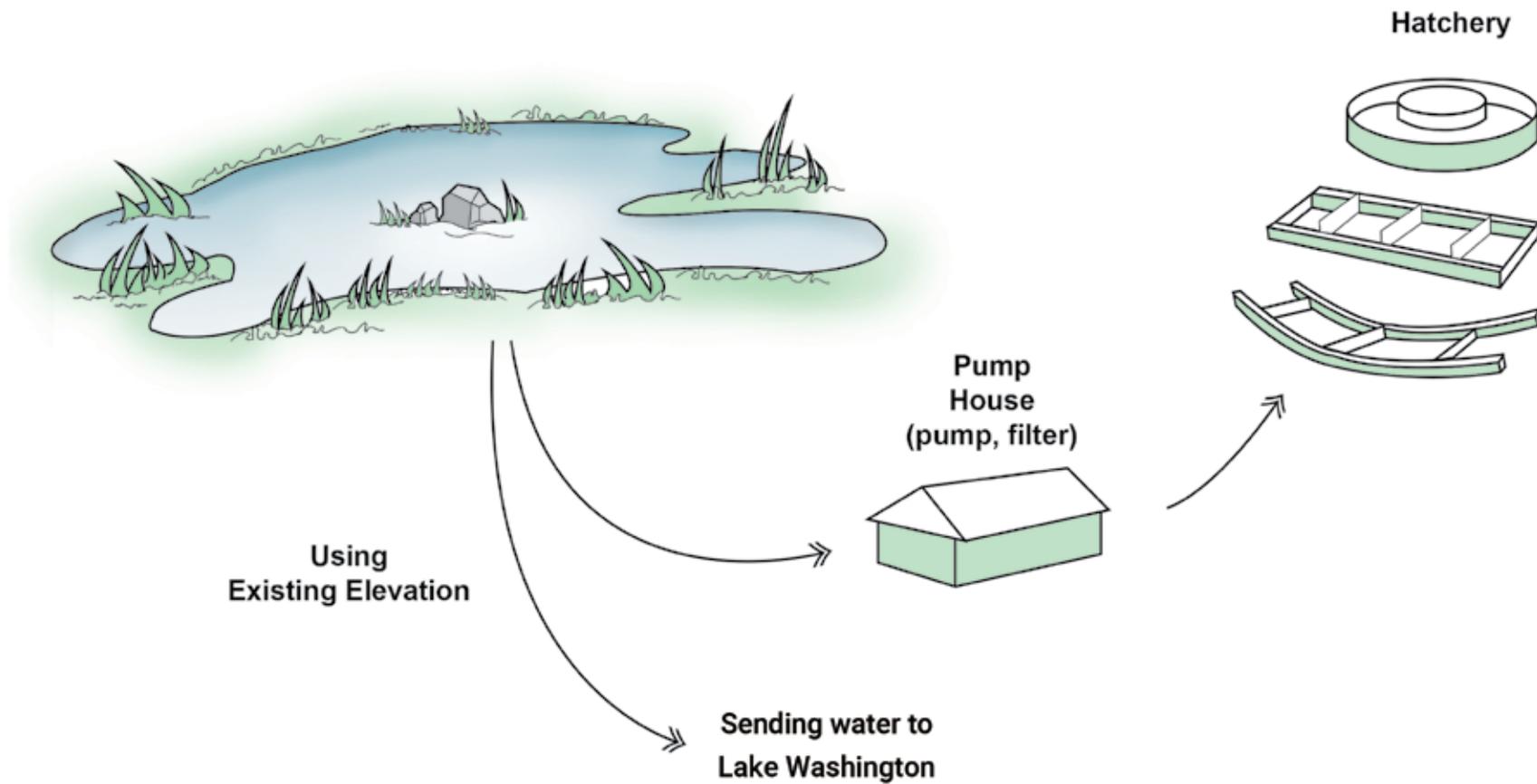
The stormwater can be purified through the green roofs, green walls, and linear planters.



WATER RE-USE + GSI DIAGRAM

Stormwater surface flows into the wetland where it is purified and then is either released back to Lake Washington or pumped for use in the facility.

→ WATER RE-USE PROCESS



BIRD'S EYE VIEW PERSPECTIVE

Perspective looking north, showing the new center's relationship to its context



PERSPECTIVE FROM THE ELEVATED BOARDWALK

Perspective looking from fish ladder to new aquatic center.



ENTRANCE PERSPECTIVE

Perspective looking from the main entrance to the new hatchery buildings with greenroof and solar panels



BIRD'S EYE PERSPECTIVE OF THE HATCHERY FACILITIES

Perspective showing a close up view of the hatchery facilities and green roofs as well as green walls



RESOURCES

Stakeholder Information Sheets

Salmon Fact Sheets

Campus Planning Reports

Hatchery Case Studies

Project Case Studies

Course Assignments

LONG LIVE THE KINGS

Location: Seattle, WA

Year Founded: 1986

Website: www.lltk.org

Mission: Restore wild salmon and support sustainable fishing in the PNW

MISSION

“Our mission is to restore wild salmon and steelhead and support sustainable fishing in the Pacific Northwest. Since our founding in 1986, we have combined innovative field work, pioneering science, broad partnerships, and sophisticated new management tools to help decision-makers advance salmon recovery while balancing the needs of fish and people.”

HISTORY OF ORGANIZATION

LLTK was founded in 1986 by a group of salmon enthusiasts who were concerned with the decline of wild salmon. The founders were intrigued with the idea of rebuilding and sustaining wild salmon populations in the near term by means of artificial propagation.

LLTK’s first project was to transform a traditional hatchery on the Wishkah River into a workshop for innovative fish-rearing strategies targeting wild fish recovery. These rearing strategies mimicked nature, increased the population size through hatchery-reared fish supplementation and a restored habitat for all.

LLTK’s founder, Jim Youngren, built Glenwood Springs Hatchery on Orcas Island in 1978. By utilizing springs on the island, he was able to develop rearing ponds. A Chinook salmon run was later installed due to the

island’s geographic isolation from wild spawning salmon. LLTK staff assumed operation in 1986, and the program continues supporting sport and commercial fishers from Washington to Alaska.

CURRENT FOCUS + WORK

LLTK has developed programs with a series of partnerships, combining on-the-ground field work with scientific innovation. Their focus on rebuilding populations, advancing science and retooling management, aims to help decision makers advance salmon recovery while balancing the needs of fish and people.

REBUILDING POPULATIONS

Hood Canal Steelhead Project

Project Overview

At the start of the project, the Hood Canal Steelhead population was at the brink of extinction. LLTK partnered with NOAA Fisheries and six other entities to test and assess innovative approaches to boost fish abundance. The approach centered around low-impact, time-limited hatchery interventions, and the study provided information about the efficacy of hatcheries as conservation tools throughout the Northwest.

The Problem

Washington’s state fish, the steelhead, has been on the decline in Puget Sound. This species is listed threatened under the Federal Endangered Species Act. One hundred years ago, steelhead populations in Puget Sound ranged from 350,000 to 800,000

annually. Today, there are roughly 13,000 annually, and fewer than 1,500 return to the Hood Canal. Traditional hatcheries have led to the decline of wild salmon by weakening the genetic fitness of these populations. LLTK has looked into artificial propagation utilizing new technologies as one tool for recovering wild populations.

The Solution

LLTK and partners developed the first-of-its-kind basin-wide study to assess the effects and effectiveness of hatchery supplementation using low-impact wild steelhead rearing techniques. Traditional hatcheries collect adult steelheads and spawn them artificially. The LLTK’s program collects eggs from redds (nests) of adults until after they spawn in the wild, allowing for natural selection to occur. After the eggs hatch, spawns are reared for two years at their natural growth rates. Some of the spawns are reared for four to five years and released as adults to make immediate contributions. The project is in year nine of sixteen and has doubled the steelhead population in the Hood Canal.

ADVANCING SCIENTIFIC UNDERSTANDING

Hood Canal Bridge Ecosystem Impact Assessment

Project Overview

LLTK and partners are seeking to pinpoint the cause of high steelhead mortality and to gauge the Hood Canal Bridge’s effect on water quality. As the assessment progresses the team will develop, test, refine, and carry out solutions to address adverse impacts of the bridge.



Figure 1. Hood Canal steelhead

The Problem

The Hood Canal Bridge carries State Route 105 across the Canal's northern outlet, connecting the Olympic and Kitsap Peninsulas. The floating bridge and its pontoons span 83% of the width of the Hood Canal and extend 15 feet underwater. Studies have shown that 65% of juvenile steelheads do not make it north to the Strait of Juan de Fuca, with evidence pointing to the bridge as a migration barrier. Furthermore, computer modeling suggests the bridge's pontoons may reduce circulation in and out of the canal by 12%.

The Solution

The team will identify how the pontoons affect migration, heighten fish densities, increase susceptibility to predation, and whether structural voids in the bridge are aggregating plankton and attracting salmon (see Figure 2). The team will pinpoint the causes of the problem in order to implement solutions.

RETOOLING MANAGEMENT

Salish Sea Marine Survival Project

Project Overview

Canadian and US researchers have teamed up to determine why juvenile Chinooks, cohos and steelheads are dying in the Salish Sea. This holistic study will uncover the physical, chemical and biological factors impacting salmon survival.

The Problem

Populations in the Salish Sea have declined up to 90%. Many factors are affecting the Salish Sea salmon populations such as changing water temperatures, reductions in food supply, marine mammal increase, contaminants and disease.

The Solution

Researchers are assessing young salmon and steelhead growth, health, and diet; monitoring marine conditions; tracking fish and marine mammal movements; and developing technologies to promote salmon recovery and sustainable fisheries. This study will provide results and tools for action that improves hatchery, harvest, and ecosystem management.

SOURCES:

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Figure 2. Juvenile chum salmon aggregating under the Hood Canal Bridge

MUCKLESHOOT INDIAN TRIBE

Location: Auburn, WA

Website: <http://www.muckleshoot.nsn.us/>

COLLECTIVE

Beginning

The Muckleshoot Tribe is a collection of peoples descended from the early inhabitants of the Duwamish and Upper Puyallup tribes. The name Muckleshoot came from the native name for the Reservation that was allocated for them in 1857. The people that make up the Muckleshoot Tribe have inhabited this area for thousands of years before the first white settlers came in the 1850's. The map on the right shows a comparison of the ancestral lands vs the current Reservation lands.

“The right of taking fish, at all usual and accustomed grounds and stations, is further secured to said Indians in common with all other citizens of the Territory, and of erecting temporary houses for the purpose of curing them, together with the privileges of hunting, gathering roots and berries, and pasturing their horses on open and unclaimed lands.”



TREATY RITES

The Muckleshoot Reservation was a part of the Western Washington Treaty of 1954. This treaty both recognized the Tribes as a sovereign government, but also gave the Muckleshoot fishing rights. These rights, along with the promised amount of lands were not honored by the European aliens that had come to Washington State.

After years of oppression and poverty, as well as great effort, the Muckleshoot peoples finally won the rights promised them in the Treaty of Point Elliott and Treaty of Medicine Creek. The ruling by Judge Boldt finally entitled the Muckleshoot's as well as other tribes the right to 50% of the fishing harvest.



MUCKLESHOOT ANCESTRAL LANDS

Showing the area that Muckleshoot ancestors hunted and lived before the Treaty of 1954.



- Reservation
- Ancestral lands

POST-RULING

Capitol gains

In the early 1990s, the Muckleshoot Tribe began investing monies from renewed access to fishing into bingo and casino gambling. Through continued success, the Tribe has been able to expand its holdings into other businesses. These holdings now include: Muckleshoot Seafood Products, the Muckleshoot Mini Mart, the Salish Tree Farm, the White River Amphitheater, the Salish Lodge, and Emerald Downs.



Figure 1. Muckleshoot Casino, opened April 1995

COMMUNITY INVESTMENT

Elders in the community, confronted with both fiscal success and responsibility, have made great effort to reinvest the new found wealth back into the community. The Muckleshoot Tribe not only invested money into the housing and educational programs for the Tribe, but has also donated to nearby communities.

The Tribe donates millions of dollars to hundreds of non-profits in the community. These programs include, but are not limited to, Learning Seed and Pediatric Interim Care. This makes the Muckleshoot Tribe the second largest employer in south King County.

Much of this money also goes into salmon restoration and protecting the fishing rights of the Tribe. The UW Aquatic Research Center would be one of many programs where the Muckleshoot Tribe is a significant financial partner.



IMPORTANCE OF CHINOOK

Many of the Native Peoples in the Duwamish and Columbia River valleys share in a sacred rite and ceremony. This shared ceremony happens when the salmon run begins. After allowing the run to go upstream unmolested, one chosen fisherman is allowed to ceremonially kill one salmon. This salmon is then shared with the entire tribe. The bones of the salmon are then returned to the water, and it is believed that it makes its way upstream to finish its life. Salmon are seen as sacred, and respecting the cycle so that it occurs for future generations is a deep rooted part of the Muckleshoot Tribe's values and traditions.

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SCHOOL OF AQUATIC AND FISHERY

Location: Seattle, WA

Year Founded: 1919 (Centennial in 2019!)

Website: fish.uw.edu

Mission: Protect our world's aquatic systems through high caliber teaching, research and partnerships.

Students: 120+ Undergraduate and 50+ Graduate

Degrees Offered:

- Doctor of Philosophy in Aquatic and Fishery Sciences
- Master of Science in Aquatic and Fishery Sciences
- Bachelor of Science in Aquatic and Fishery Sciences
- Minor in Aquatic and Fishery Sciences

MISSION

"The School of Aquatic and Fishery Sciences (SAFS) is dedicated to sustaining healthy marine and freshwater environments. Our faculty conduct innovative research from the organism to the ecosystem scale and are recognized leaders in aquatic biology, sustainable fisheries management, aquatic resource conservation, and resource management. We study natural systems and species and present solutions to foster the sustainable use of aquatic resources."

HISTORY OF ORGANIZATION

SAFS was founded in 1919 as the College of Fisheries (COF), the first in the United States. The School was founded by John N. Cobb, who served as the first director. The School survived through the depression and WWII, and expanded in the 1960s to finally become SAFS as we know it today in 2018.

CURRENT FOCUS + WORK

"At the heart of our work, we examine human-induced effects on ecosystems, such as habitat change and restoration, climate change and effects of invasive species." - fish.uw.edu/about

The school began with a focus on seafood and food-related processing, which evolved over the years to include fish propagation and aquaculture, and more recently to environmental and conservation-related research and work.

Today the school is a national and global hub of fisheries and aquatic research and has several satellite field stations and outreach programs.

FACULTY

34 Core Faculty

12 Administrative Staff Members

22 Research Staff Members

6 Adjunct Faculty

70 Affiliate Faculty

FACILITIES

SAFS occupies four buildings on UW's South Campus. They include:

- Fisheries Science (FSH)
- Marine Studies Building (MSB)
- Fisheries Teaching and Research Building (FTR)
- Fisheries Center



Figure 1. SAFS (Blue) and Old Hatchery (Green) locations



Figure 2. Mural inside Fisheries Science building

The school has several research facilities including:

- SAFS Molecular Genetics Facility - inside MSB
- Washington Cooperative Fish and Wildlife Research Unit (WACFWRU)
- Alaska Salmon Program in Bristol Bay, Alaska. SAFS has six field stations in this area
- Big Beef Creek research station, on Hood Canal, Washington
- Shellfish research laboratory on Puget Sound at Manchester, Washington
- Research Collections:
 - The UW Fish Collection, part of the UW Burke Museum of Natural History and Culture, housed in FTR.
 - Fisheries Archive, housed in FSH

SAFS HATCHERY

The UW SAFS Hatchery was started in 1949 with Chinook and coho was added in 1959. Its early mission, soon after WWII, was testing the effects of radioactivity on salmonids' homing abilities. The hatchery was renovated in 2002 with a new design that better supported long term, multi-generational experiments planned by SAFS. However, the hatchery was closed in 2010 due to failing infrastructure, associated decline of faculty interest and support.

Chris Grue and graduate student Kerensa King used the hatchery salmon runs to study the effects of pesticides on coho reproduction in urban streams in Western Washington. Their study influenced researchers studying the causes of poor survival

rates of returning adult coho to review the effects of contaminants associated with highway runoff.

Like the old facility, a new Aquatic Research Facility should have the capacity for many different kinds of experimental research.

AQUATIC RESEARCH TODAY

Active aquatic research continues today even without the salmon run and hatchery. Faculty and visiting researchers are looking at issues related to climate change and global health.

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Figure 3. Former SAFS Hatchery on the Montlake Cut, c. 1961



Figure 4. Kids watch at the old hatchery, c. 1990s

WA DEPT. OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

HQ Location: Olympia, WA, six regional offices

Year Founded: 1890 (1st WA Fish Commissioner)

1994, today's WDFW was formed

Website: <https://wdfw.wa.gov>

Mission: Conservation of Washington's fish and wildlife resources and ecosystems.

Stats: 1,800 employees, \$215 million annual operating budget

MISSION

"To preserve, protect and perpetuate fish, wildlife and ecosystems while providing sustainable fish and wildlife recreational and commercial opportunities."

- Goal 1: Conserve and protect native fish and wildlife
- Goal 2: Provide sustainable fishing, hunting, and other wildlife-related recreational and commercial experiences
- Goal 3: Promote a healthy economy, protect community character, maintain an overall high quality of life, and deliver high-quality customer service
- Goal 4: Build an effective and efficient organization by supporting our workforce, improving business processes, and investing in technology"

HISTORY OF ORGANIZATION

March 1890 - The first Fish Commissioner, James Crawford, was appointed by Governor Elisha Ferry

1891 - State Legislature appropriated funds for a salmon hatchery.

1895 - The first salmon hatchery was built and dedicated in 1895 on the Kalama River.

1915 - Legislature passed a new Game and Game-Fish Code that provided for a Chief Game Warden and a Fish Commissioner both managed under Chief Game Warden L. H. Darwin, Department of Fish and Game.

1921 - Legislature abolished the Fish Commission and replaced it with a Department of Fisheries with a Division of Fisheries and a Division of Game and Game Fish.

1932 - An initiative separated food fish and game fish and created a Department of Fisheries (for food fish) and a Department of Game (for game fish) under a six member Commission.

1987 - Legislature changed the Department of Game, with a Commission-appointed director, to the Department of Wildlife with a director appointed by the Governor.

1994 - Legislature merged Department of Wildlife and Department of Fisheries, creating Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW). WDFW has a 9-member Commission and the WDFW Director is appointed by the Commission."

CURRENT FOCUS + WORK

"The Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW) is dedicated to preserving, protecting and perpetuating the State's fish and wildlife resources.



Figure 1. WDFW Logo



Figure 2. WDFW Regions Map.

The department operates under a dual mandate from the Washington Legislature to:

- Protect and enhance fish and wildlife and their habitats.
- Provide sustainable, fish- and wildlife-related recreational and commercial opportunities.”

These mandates often conflict. How can you preserve and enhance ecosystems while also supporting access and extraction?

DEPARTMENTS

- Conservation
- Fishing
- Hunting
- Enforcement
- Wildlife Viewing
- Licencing and Permits
- Living with Wildlife Education

HATCHERIES

Sustainable fisheries, wild stock conservation.

For more than a century, WDFW hatcheries have produced fish for harvest. Today, hatcheries provide the foundation for the State’s vastly popular recreational fisheries and the thousands of jobs that depend on them.

In recent years, hatcheries have taken on an additional new role. They are becoming an essential tool in the conservation of native salmon stocks. Indeed, as far back as 1977, long before any fish species was listed under the Endangered Species Act, a WDFW

hatchery was being used to stave off extinction for a spring Chinook stock. Presently, about a third of the State’s hatcheries are used in some capacity for wild stock conservation work.

To ensure hatcheries can carry out the dual role of wild stock conservation and sustainable fisheries in an environmentally sound manner, WDFW has joined with tribal, federal and private scientists to examine hatchery operations and determine what structural and operational changes are necessary. The goal of this unprecedented collaborative effort, launched in 2000 and facilitated by the non-profit conservation group Long Live the Kings, is to ensure the best available science is developed and applied in the years ahead as hatcheries fulfill their new dual role.

WDFW has 83 hatcheries in the state, which are actively involved in hatchery reform.

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Figure 3. Cowlitz Hatchery



Figure 4. WDFW canine officer watching over a river.

FACT SHEET:

BASIC FACTS ABOUT PACIFIC NW SALMON

WHAT IS A SALMON

Salmon is the common name for several species of ray-finned fish in the family Salmonidae. Other fish in the same family include trout, char, grayling and whitefish. Salmon are native to tributaries of the North Atlantic (genus *Salmo*) and Pacific Ocean (genus *Oncorhynchus*). Many species of salmon have been introduced into non-native environments such as the Great Lakes of North America and Patagonia in South America. Salmon are intensively farmed in many parts of the world.

PACIFIC NW SALMON + RELATED FISH

- Pink: *Oncorhynchus gorbuscha*
- Sockeye: *Oncorhynchus nerka*
- Coho: *Oncorhynchus kisutch*
- Chum: *Oncorhynchus keta*
- Chinook: *Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*
- Steelhead: *Oncorhynchus mykiss* (formerly *Salmo gairdneri*)
- Cutthroat: *Salmo clarki clarki*

LIFECYCLE

Salmon are native to the world's two biggest oceans and the rivers draining into them. The Atlantic Ocean has only one species, the Atlantic salmon, while in the Pacific Ocean there are several species including pink, chum, sockeye, coho, Chinook and amago.

Salmon spend their juvenile phase in rivers before migrating to sea to grow and mature. To complete their life cycle they return to their river of origin to spawn. The salmon who adopt this life cycle are called anadromous. The cycle begins in freshwater, when a redd, or a female's nest of eggs, is fertilized. These eggs remain in the gravel throughout the winter, and the embryos develop. In the spring, the eggs hatch and alevins emerge.

Adults return to their natal streams to spawn. Eggs are laid in deeper water with larger gravel, and need cool water and good water flow (to supply oxygen) to the developing embryos. Mortality of salmon in the early life stages is high due to natural predation and human-induced changes in habitat, such as siltation, high temperatures, low oxygen, loss of stream cover, and reductions in river flow. Estuaries and their associated wetlands provide vital nursery areas for the salmon prior to their departure to the open ocean. Wetlands help buffer the estuary from silt and pollutants, and provide important feeding and hiding areas.

FARMED SALMON

Salmon aquaculture is a major contributor to the world production of farmed finfish, representing about US\$10 billion annually. Other commonly cultured fish species include: tilapia, catfish, sea bass, carp and bream. Salmon farming is significant in Chile, Norway, Scotland, Canada and the Faroe Islands; it is the source for most salmon consumed in the United States and Europe.

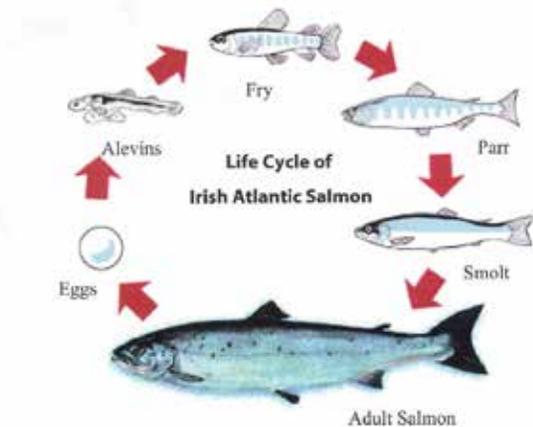


Figure 1. Salmon Life Cycle



Figure 2. Pacific salmon leaping at Willamette Falls, Oregon

Salmon are carnivorous. They are fed a meal produced from catching other wild fish and other marine organisms. Salmon farming leads to a high demand for wild forage fish. Salmon require large nutritional intakes of protein, and farmed salmon consume more fish than they generate as a final product. To produce one pound of farmed salmon, products from several pounds of wild fish are fed to them. As the salmon farming industry expands, it requires more wild forage fish for feed, at a time when 75% of the world's monitored fisheries are already near to or have exceeded their maximum sustainable yield. The industrial-scale extraction of wild forage fish for salmon farming affects the survivability of the wild predator fish which rely on them for food.

Work continues on substituting vegetable proteins for animal proteins in the salmon diet. This substitution results in lower levels of the highly valued omega-3 fatty acid content in the farmed product.

MANAGEMENT

The population of wild salmon declined markedly in recent decades, especially wild salmon in the Snake and Columbia River systems in northwestern United States.

Salmon population levels are of concern in some parts of the Pacific. Alaska fishery stocks are still abundant, and catches have been on the rise in recent decades, after the State initiated limitations in 1972. Some of the most important Alaskan salmon sustainable wild

fisheries are located near the Kenai River, Copper River, and in Bristol Bay. Fish farming of Pacific salmon is outlawed in the United States Exclusive Economic Zone, however, there is a substantial network of publicly funded hatcheries, and the State of Alaska's fisheries management system is viewed as a leader in the management of wild fish stocks. In Canada, returning Skeena River wild salmon support commercial, subsistence and recreational fisheries, as well as the area's diverse wildlife on the coast and around communities hundreds of miles inland in the watershed. The status of wild salmon in Washington is mixed. Of 435 wild stocks of salmon and steelhead, only 187 of them were classified as healthy; 113 had an unknown status, one was extinct, 12 were in critical condition and 122 were experiencing depressed populations. The commercial salmon fisheries in California have been either severely curtailed or closed completely in recent years, due to critically low returns on the Klamath and or Sacramento rivers, causing millions of dollars in losses to commercial fishermen. Both Atlantic and Pacific salmon are popular sportfish.

Salmon populations have been established in the Great Lakes. Coho stocks were planted by the state of Michigan in the late 1960s to control the growing population of non-native alewife. Now Chinook (king), Atlantic, and coho (silver) salmon are annually stocked in all of the Great Lakes by most bordering states and provinces. These populations are not self-sustaining and do not provide much in the way of a commercial fishery, but have led to the development of a thriving sport fishery.

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FACT SHEET:

SIGNIFICANCE OF SALMON IN THE PACIFIC NW

IMPORTANCE OF SALMON FOR SALISH TRIBES

Salish tribes

Salmon have long been a popular symbol of the Pacific Northwest. While the Pacific Northwest region provides great habitat for salmon, the Columbia Basin salmon play a vital part in the environment of the region. They help return ocean nutrients to the rivers and streams where they were born, nourishing natural life and ecosystems with their bodies.

For thousands of years, salmon also helped structure the lives of tribes and bands of the Pacific Northwest in many ways. Salmon is deeply interconnected with Salish Tribes in terms of culture, inter-tribal relationships, fishing technologies, religions, and especially economies. From ancient exchange routes to modern commercial fishing, salmon have been a huge portion of the economy in the region. Salmon are a fundamental part of Tribal religion, culture, and physical sustenance, such as:

- Salmon is a cultural and spiritual identity for Salish Tribes
- Salmon was the basis for economic trade
- Fishing is still the preferred livelihood for many Tribal members
- Salish Tribes consider salmon populations an indicator of water degradation
- Salmon has and continues to be a primary food source providing essential aspects for nutritional health

IMPORTANCE OF SALMON FOR SEATTLE

Historic and present culture

Seattle has been known for its large salmon populations. However, since the late 19th century, the number of fish in the region has declined drastically. Currently, six of eight Pacific Northwest “salmonid” species subtypes are listed as “threatened” or “endangered” under the Federal Endangered Species Act. These changes are due in large part to human overfishing, as well as environmental degradation, climate change, and habitat loss in the last century.

In the 1890s and 1900s, regulations were set in an attempt to preserve salmon populations, but were largely unsuccessful. Hatcheries were established to raise fish in captivity and keep populations high with varying success. As salmon populations continue to decline, fewer and fewer are available to be commercially and privately fished each year.

Recently, new genetic tools have allowed scientists to understand the diversity within wild salmon populations which is impossible to replicate in hatcheries. Preserving existing wild populations and restoring naturally spawning populations, can enhance the ability of salmon populations to adjust to changing environmental conditions.

Economy

Back in the early 1900s, hundreds of thousands of naturally spawning salmon and steelhead could be found in Puget Sound each year. Today there are only



Figure 1. Historical condition of the mouth of the Duwamish River



Figure 2. The man-made “Harbor Island” sits where the estuary once was

tens of thousands. This is an alarming change, for our environment and local economy. The declining population of salmon is a complex issue being studied by local groups. According to the Marine Survival Project, a group of more than 60 organizations are working to discover why salmon are disappearing from Puget Sound north to Canadian waters. The initial decline in that area can be traced to overfishing and the loss of freshwater and shallow marine habitat.

In Washington, fishing is big business, though it has seen a steep decline over time. Commercial fisheries in Washington generate an average of \$1.6 billion annually, according to a 2010 Washington Department of Fish & Wildlife report. Commercial and recreational fisheries directly and indirectly supported an estimated 16,374 jobs in 2006, according to a major study conducted that year by the WDFW (Washington Department of Fish & Wildlife).

A report by the Institute for Fisheries Resources, a research affiliate of the Pacific Coast Federation of Fishermen's Associations, shows a post-development loss of more than \$13 billion in commercial salmon harvest in the Columbia Basin.

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Species	Evolutionarily Significant Unit	Administrative Status	Historic	Current
Coho	So. Oregon/No. California	Threatened-1997	NA	10,000
	Oregon Coast	Threatened-1998	1 million	39,000
Chinook	Snake River (fall & spring)	Threatened-1992	1.5 million	10,320
	Puget Sound	Threatened-1999	690,000	71,000 ^a
	Lower Columbia	Threatened-1999	NA	40,000 ^a
	Upper Willamette	Threatened-1999	NA	4,000
Chum	Upper Columbia	Endangered-1999	NA	5,000 ^a
	Hood Canal & Columbia River	Threatened-1999	500,000	1,500-4,000
Sockeye	Snake River	Endangered-1991	NA	<600
	Ozette Lake	Threatened-1999	2,000-20,000	600

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NA indicates that population estimates are unknown.

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FACT SHEET: THREATS AND RECOVERY EFFORTS

A TIMELINE OF DECLINE

The question of whether wild salmon will continue to exist in western North America is not a new one. Throughout the last century and a half, “the decline of wild stocks [has been] caused by a combination of factors, including unfavorable ocean or climatic conditions; excessive commercial, recreational, and subsistence fishing; various farming and ranching practices; dams built for electricity generation, flood control, irrigation, and many other purposes; water diversions for agricultural, municipal, or commercial requirements; pollutants of many types; hatchery production used to supplement diminished runs or produce salmon for the retail market; degraded spawning and rearing habitat; predation by marine mammals, birds, and other fish species; competition, especially with exotic fish species; diseases and parasites; and many others (Augerot 2005).”

7 KEY TIMELINE EVENTS

- Before 1850, First Nation peoples in the Pacific Northwest relied on salmon as an integral backbone to their industries, civilizations, and cultures
- After the development of salmon canning technologies, the market potential for salmon increased, and large incoming European companies began taking over fishing areas in the Northwest
- Populations quickly declined, while regulations implemented in the early 1900s were largely

unsuccessful

- Hatcheries and hatchery technologies were established shortly thereafter to help keep population levels up, with varying levels of success
- The first salmon species was added to the Endangered Species Act in 1991, with many species following suit
- By 1999, salmon in Washington, California, Oregon, and Idaho were already extinct in as much as 40% of their former spawning areas
- The Pacific Coastal Salmon Recovery Fund (PCSRF) was established by Congress in 2000 to reverse the declines of Pacific salmon

TODAY'S BIG DEBATE

Scientifically, opinions are diverse as to whether or not wild salmon runs can be restored. Some argue that this is technically feasible, and even possible without significant disruptions to how individuals and society relate with salmon on cultural, economical, and ecological levels. Others remain skeptical about the viability of wild salmon, and propose that if we are to even maintain salmon as a species, there must be extensive technocratic intervention, predominantly from spawning channels and hatcheries. The one unifying principle is that since humans became inextricably linked to the livelihood and evolution of this species, our current relationship with salmon is essentially one giant experiment. Both the threat and recovery of salmon now lies in our hands.



Figure 1. Habitat Loss is one of the largest threats to salmon



Figure 2. The intersection between hydropower and salmon

RECOVERY FOR WHOM?

Entangled Efforts Between Stakeholders

- Federal Law
- Tribal Treaty Rights
- Local Fishing Communities
- Industrial Economics
- Recreation and Sport
- Pacific Northwest Ecosystems
- Tourism and Symbolic Significance

Salmon Recovery Partners

Federal and state agencies, Indian tribes, local governments and watershed organizations, environmental groups, and volunteers are all involved in today's salmon recovery plans. Participating within each evolutionary significant unit and distinct population segment, this spectrum of stakeholders are working to actively develop recovery plan monitoring programs, or to modify existing monitoring. The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) Northwest Region RME Guidance for ESA listed Pacific Northwest Salmon and Steelhead lists the following as threats to salmon at large: loss of habitat, hydro-power production, over-utilization for commercial, recreational, scientific, or educational purposes, disease and predation, inadequacy of regulatory actions, hatchery production, and natural causes.

VARYING DEGREES OF SUCCESS

Just this year NOAA Fisheries will weigh whether Chinook salmon in the Upper Klamath and Trinity Rivers need federal protection under the Endangered Species Act, as sought in a petition from the Karuk Tribe and Salmon River Restoration Council. NOAA Fisheries now has one year from the date of the petition to conduct a status review for the fish and determine whether it should be listed as threatened or endangered. The status review evaluation will include an analysis of the best available scientific and commercial information about the population's abundance, productivity, distribution, life history, and threats. Organizations such as the PCSRF can then use these findings to continue and legitimize their work. In the words of PCSRF, "Pacific salmon and steelhead are much more than essential elements of a healthy Pacific Coast ecosystem; they are cultural icons woven into the fabric of local communities and economies. Salmon runs tie the region's people to the landscape, but pressures from a changing environment and human activities have compromised the strength of these runs. [...] The program is essential to preventing the extinction of the 28 listed salmon and steelhead species on the West Coast and, in many cases, has stabilized the populations and contributed to their recovery course."

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2018 UW SEATTLE CAMPUS

MISSION

The primary mission of the University of Washington is the preservation, advancement, and dissemination of knowledge. The University preserves knowledge through its libraries and collections, its courses, and the scholarship of its faculty. It advances new knowledge through many forms of research, inquiry and discussion; and disseminates it through the classroom and the laboratory, scholarly exchanges, creative practice, international education, and public service. As one of the nation's most highly respected teaching and research institutions, the University is committed to maintaining an environment for objectivity and imaginative inquiry and for the original scholarship and research that ensure the production of new knowledge in the free exchange of facts, theories, and ideas.

The University fosters an environment in which its students can develop and exercise mature and independent judgment and an appreciation of the range and diversity of human achievement.

PURPOSE AND PROCESS

The University of Washington's long-term vision for the Seattle campus informs its 10-year conceptual plan for campus growth that balances the preservation of historic campus assets with intensive investment. Individual sector plans including the West Campus Development Framework, South Campus Study Phase II, East Campus Planning Study, and the Campus Landscape Framework are prior planning reports foundational to this CMP.

This CMP conserves and enhances the open space

of the campus and guides future development. It describes characteristics and built environment components of the campus physical environment which shall guide future design and decisions that impact the campus, the environment, and surrounding communities. The scope of the CMP includes defining future open spaces, circulation patterns, building sites, and campus physical capacity along with planned growth. Impacts on the campus and the primary and secondary impact zones of surrounding communities are analyzed through the EIS process.

Both the City and the University recognize the need for coordinated planning that allows the University to continue to pursue its instruction, research, and service goals.

At the same time, the CMP planning process is intended to foresee, assess, and outline mitigation measures for the potential direct, indirect, and cumulative impacts of long-term development. This maximizes positive effects and minimizes adverse impacts upon the city and campus environments, particularly to communities surrounding the University, and promotes the health and vitality of residential, business, and academic communities.

Community outreach has been a major part of the planning process. The University believes this CMP reflects the interests of the large and diverse communities it serves. To achieve this, the University facilitated and encouraged meaningful and ongoing community involvement throughout the planning process.



Figure 1. West Campus Green

GUIDING PRINCIPLES

Five overarching principles drive the *2018 UW Seattle Campus Master Plan*:

- **Flexible Framework:** Create a long lasting flexible framework to guide the development consistent with University of Washington's education, research, and political missions.
- **Learning Based Academic and Research Partnerships:** Catalyze academic partnerships with allied industries
- **Sustainable Development:** Embody UW's commitment to sustainable land use through preservation and utilization of existing property and the balance of development, open space, and public use.
- **Connectivity:** Better connect the University both internally and with its broader context.
- **Stewardship of Historical, Cultural, and Ecological**

MASTER PLAN



Figure 2. Existing Building Heights

Resources: Continue responsible and proactive stewardship of the the UW's campus assets though preservation of cultural, historic, and ecological resources through strategic development.

WEST CAMPUS

UW's West Campus accommodates student housing, academic, research and cultural programs within an urban setting. The long term goals for this portion of campus are: connections to the waterfront, flexible building footprints, increase development capacity, enhancing connections with the other portions of campus, pedestrian scale development, and active ground floor active destinations. Enhanced waterfront and U-District connections are made possible by Brooklyn Ave. enhancements and the inclusion of the West Campus green.

SOUTH CAMPUS

UW's South Campus primarily serves Health Sciences and the Medical Center. It home to academic, research and clinical functions, as well as a relatively inaccessible waterfront. Future plans focus on increased development capacity, and the introduction of state-of-the-art facilities. Furthermore, the CMP advocates for an inviting, functional, and attractive public realm that celebrates the waterfront with a shared campus green. The south campus green will provide pedestrian and open space connections between Central and South Campus, along with increased connections to East and West Campus.

EAST CAMPUS

East campus currently accommodates the Union Bay Natural Area, athletic, recreational, and other University facilities. Much of the East Campus is built on methane-producing landfill and constitutes a seismic liquefaction zone, adding cost to building construction in this location. The long term vision for this area focuses on preserving existing athletic facilities developing existing parking lots for academic uses, industry partnerships, and academic conference spaces. Future developments must increase connections with Central and South Campus, while integrating with the Union Bay Natural Area trail network.

BUILDING CHANGES

West Campus

The CMP indicates that the existing Fisheries Teaching Research Center, Marine Studies, and John M.



Figure 3. Proposed Development Areas

Wallace buildings are proposed to be removed for the development of the West Campus Green. Some significant buildings in proposed design are: W32: Wallace Hall Pavilion / Marine Studies / Fish Teaching and Research, W33: Ocean Research 2 / NOAA, and W36: Fisheries Parking Lot (see table 10).

South Campus

Much of the proposed shoreline development is adjacent to the proposed South Campus Green. Currently the available space is underutilized and the select removal of structures and increased density allows for future academic and mixed use facilities. The CMP indicates that the portions of the Institute for Learning and Brain Sciences and the Fisheries Center are proposed to be removed. Significant buildings include: S53: SC-SII Q / Portage Bay Building / Oceanography Building / Dock and Shed / Parking Lot (see table 11).



Figure 4. South Campus Development Plan

East Campus

Due to this area's past as a landfill, few buildings are proposed and the retention of existing athletic facilities is a priority. Significant buildings include the E58: Parking Lot which can house academic, mixed use, transit, industry partnerships and academic conference centers (See table 12).

SHORELINE PUBLIC ACCESS

The UW campus contains 12,000 linear feet of shorelines. Waterfront areas and associated wetlands can include areas for nature study, a working waterfront for fish hatcheries, a marina and moorage of University research vessels.

West Campus

This portion of the shoreline is set within an urban commercial environment and the majority of the

segment contains the City of Seattle's Portage Bay Park. Proposed pedestrian connections along the waterfront are made to link the varying uses and increase views

South Campus

This segment is situated within both the Urban Commercial Conservancy Management areas. The proposed South Campus Green allows for enhanced public connectivity while increasing views of Portage Bay. The existing hatchery falls within this segment of the shoreline

East Campus

This portion of the waterfront is situated within both the Conservancy Management and Conservancy Preservation zones. The segment spans from the Montlake Bridge through the Union Bay Natural Area. Access in these areas is limited to pedestrians and boats utilizing the boat access points. No access is provided to the peat islands in Union Bay.

THE CITY-UNIVERSITY AGREEMENT

Development Capacity: Net New Maximum Development (Gross Square Feet)

- West Campus: 3,000,000
- South Campus: 1,350,000
- East Campus: 750,000
- Site plan designating existing facilities, open space, landscaping and screening, use and location of proposed development
- Description of existing and proposed parking facilities and circulation systems



Figure 5. East Campus Development Plan

- Transportation management plan
- Future energy and utility needs, system capacities, and proposed means of increasing energy efficiency
- Alternative proposals
- Proposed development phases

UNDERUTILIZED AREAS

Building heights vary throughout campus, and align with the building height limits identified in the 2003 UW Seattle Campus Master Plan. The 2003 CMP identified eight building height zones on campus, ranging from 37 feet along the waterfront to 240 feet in South Campus. The City's Shoreline Master Program generally limits building height to 30 feet for all development within 200 feet of the shoreline or associated wetlands. In many instances, especially



Figure 6. Open Space Typologies

for buildings constructed in prior decades, building heights are significantly lower than what is allowed, highlighting the potential for additional capacity on those sites.

Maximum heights of 2003 CMP zones are identified on table 10-12.

OPPORTUNITIES

Unique and Significant Landscape

Significant landscapes are identified in the Campus Landscape Framework Plan, and function as primary open spaces with cultural and historic value.

Open Space Typologies

Open space typologies vary according to the campus sectors.

- East Campus is characterized by wetlands, meadows, and recreation field open spaces.
- West Campus is characterized by courtyards, passage, and urban frontage open spaces.
- Central Campus is characterized by campus green and woodland grove open spaces.
- South Campus is characterized by constructed waterfront open spaces.

Circulation

The CMP has proposed a shoreline pedestrian pathway which could be an ideal location for a showcase hatchery, connecting students and visitors to Washington's iconic species.

CONSTRAINTS

- The University owns approximately 639 acres within the campus boundaries (page 38). Five non-University owned properties are located within the MIO boundaries.
- The campus includes approximately 12,000 linear feet of shoreline which is subject to the regulations of the Seattle Shoreline Master Program adopted pursuant to the Shoreline Management Act of 1971. These regulations extend landward for 200 feet, and place stringent restrictions on approximately 55 acres of campus (page 108).
- West Campus is bisected by numerous City streets which may have implications for development.
- The campus contains substantial landscaped open space which the University is committed to conserve for historical, aesthetic, functional, and



Figure 7. Connectivity Diagram

environmental reasons (see page 41).

- Detailed information regarding the existing conditions of the campus is included in this document as well as in the EIS and has been considered in the development of the master plan.

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CAMPUS IN MOTION: UW CAMPUS

Location: University of Washington Campus

Year Founded: 1904

Website: <https://cpd.uw.edu/do/tours/campus-landscape-framework>

Mission: Inform campus landscape decision making

MISSION

“The campus landscape framework (CLF) offers a foundation for our stewardship of the landscape for its contributions to the pedagogical, ecological, and social characters and qualities of the UW campus. We know that the landscape is the campus. The landscape is what students, staff, and faculty identify as the University. And the campus landscape is a significant open-space resource for the regional community. The framework grounds decisions impacting the campus landscape in the knowledge of the history of how the campus has come to be the loved and treasured resource, what is important to maintain, and where we need to invest our attention and resources to more fully nurture a socially and environmentally healthy campus. With the broad knowledge collated in this framework, the UW community and its leaders have an essential tool to make the most informed decisions for the future of the campus and the University.” University Landscape Advisory Committee, June 25, 2015.

WHY DOES UW NEED A CLF?

The CLF takes a bold approach in positioning the landscape at the forefront of campus planning strategies. A combination of campus-wide initiatives and site-specific case studies, shaped by the innovative idea of “landscape imagination” give the

UW an actionable framework to further enrich its historic 760-acre urban campus. The CLF reveals and celebrates the Seattle Campus landscape as a complex living landscape mosaic, constantly changing through time, and gives the university tools, both practical and visionary, for guiding that change.

WHAT’S IN A CLF?

- Supporting the UW Mission
- Creating a Legacy: Landscape in Motion
- A Valuable Asset: The Campus Landscape Survey
- A Rich and Diverse Campus Setting
- Campus Ecology and Environment
- Campus Mobility
- Stewardship: Preserving & Enhancing the Legacy
- Appendices: Acknowledgments & Case Studies

RELEVANCE TO OUR PROJECT

In addition to the CLF’s more broad approach to guiding the campus design and development, there are specific frameworks and recommendations highlighted for both South Campus area and the Salmon Hatchery site itself:

- Figure 1: In the 1968 Campus Plan, South Campus was becoming increasingly structured by large scale architecture without the provision of supporting landscape spaces or context
- Figure 2: The Salmon Hatchery site exists in the South Campus “High Density Edge,” which serves as the University’s primary waterfront laboratory, providing important access for research vessels.

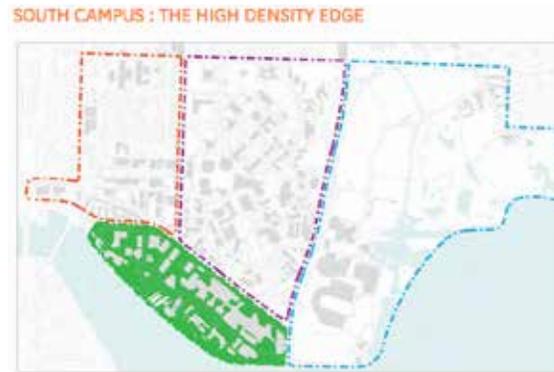
The landscape, with a few exceptions, does not have a strong positive program, but the potential of the waterfront as a major recreational amenity for the campus is significant. A focused reorganization of the architectural massing and the creation of a contiguous landscape with positive character and uses could raise the profile of this neighborhood and make it a fully integrated part of the wider campus.

- Figure 3: Comments collected for the CLF about South Campus
- Figure 4: The constructed waterfront includes constructed waterfront access, frequently with concrete edges low in ecological diversity, but high in recreation, passage, research, and moorings. It provides opportunities to be close to the water’s edge, although creates an elevational separation between shoreline and water surface. Any changes to the constructed waterfront are guided by state regulations related to shoreline management and Federal regulations related to navigability. There is a need to create better access to the constructed waterfront from other parts of campus, as well as creating a continuous waterfront trail that unites the experience of UW’s constructed and naturalized waterfronts.
- Figure 5: (5) Montlake Cut Connection: The pathway along the cut is an exciting and unique experience within the city of Seattle, improvements to the path at the E and W ends would make this an accessible connection between Union Bay and Portage Bay
- Figure 6: Potential as an Urban Ecological Awareness Site

LANDSCAPE FRAMEWORK



Figure 1. 1968 Campus Master Plan



Total Area: 70 Acres, 30% Planted Area: 20 Acres, 36% Paved Area: 25 Acres, 34% Building Footprint Area: 25 Acres

Figure 2. South Campus Now

- “This area is perfect for walks and socializing, no matter the weather.”
- “Great Place to take a break and watch the water for a while.”
- “Walk along the shore for peace and quiet.”
- “I love to walk to the cut for an outdoor lunch in the summer.”
- “This little park on the water [Sakuma Park]. For a mental respite.”
- “View and touch the water.”
- “Leisure walk to daydream and look at boats and birds.”

Figure 3. Comments from Loved Places on Campus



Figure 4. Constructed Waterfront within Campus



Figure 5. Existing Waterfront Trail Points of Interest



Figure 6. Potential Urban Ecological Awareness Map

CAMPUS AND CLIMATE: EFFECTIVE ECOLOGIES

WEATHER AND CLIMATE

- **Global Warming:** Seattle and the larger Pacific Northwest can anticipate significant climate change related to global warming, as well as associated ecological and sociocultural impacts. According to the Washington Climate Change Impacts Assessment prepared by The Climate Impacts Group at the University of Washington in June 2009, climate change could affect regional ecology relative to temperature increase, intensity of precipitation, reduction of snow pack, and air quality.
- **Temperature:** Records indicate that the Pacific Northwest temperatures have increased 1.5F since 1920. Climate models from the intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change project increases in annual temperature on average of 2.0F by the 2020s, 3.2F by the 2040s, and 5.3F by the 2080s. Regional models indicate that climate warming rates will be greater in the 21st century than those observed in the 20th century.
- **Precipitation and Hydrology:** Regional climate model simulations generally predict increases in extreme high precipitation of the next half century, particularly around Puget Sound. April 1 snow pack is projected to decrease by 28% across the state by the 2020s, 40% by the 2040s, and 59% by the 2080s compared with 1916-2006 historical average. Peak river flow will shift from late spring (driven by snow melt) to winter (driven by precipitation). In the major river systems of

the Puget Sound and lower elevation basins in the interior Columbia Basin, flood risk will likely increase, which in turn increases the risk of stream bed scouring of salmon spawning habitat. Design standards developed to accommodate mid-20th-century rainfall records and existing drainage infrastructure built in accordance with these standards may need to be modified. The amount of water stored in reservoirs will be lower from late spring through early fall, affecting water supply for campus or municipal use and other operation objectives, such as hydro-power production.

- **Air Quality:** Global warming will likely lead to significantly more heat and air pollution-related health impacts.

ECOLOGICAL ENHANCEMENT AND RESTORATION

Moving forward, campus ecosystem improvements can be designed with strong appeal to the primary users along a spectrum of formal garden to apparent naturalness or wildness. While continuing to prioritize human use, this would help re-balance the relationship with nature on a bustling urban campus like UW. Specific areas where there is significant room for ecological improvement, in the form of ecological horticulture principles, include alternatives for: lawns, planted beds, tree canopy (urban forest), naturally occurring/minimally managed landscapes, ecological corridors.



Figure 1. Campus Hydrology



Figure 2. Campus Soils and Surficial Geology

GUIDING ECOLOGICAL AND HORTICULTURAL PRINCIPLES

- Let site conditions guide species selection
- Enhance plant community structure
- Promote diversity, resilience, and regeneration
- Understand and enhance micro-climates
- Apply strategic maintenance
- Manage stormwater ecologically
- “We strive to envision the whole campus landscape as an ecological sustainable urban system that satisfied University functions while promoting healthy aquatic and terrestrial ecosystems. Landscape should be viewed as more than an aesthetic amenity. Understanding the campus ecology and the vulnerability of certain ecosystems relative to new construction will help UW design, build, restore, maintain, and manage the built environment more knowledgeably.” - CLF

CLF’s Considerations for Campus Landscape Design

TRANSFORMATION OF THE OUTDOOR PHYSICAL ENVIRONMENT SHOULD CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING, SUMMARIZED IN A SITE PROGRAM

1. THE CAMPUS MOSAIC

OPEN SPACE TYPE
PUBLIC TO PRIVATE TRANSITIONS
CONNECTIONS TO ADJACENT OPEN SPACES

2. MATERIALS

DURABILITY
TIMELESS DETAILING
SUSTAINABLE ASPECTS - CONTENT OR RECYCLABILITY
EASE OF REPAIR/REPLACEMENT
CAMPUS STANDARDS (LIGHTING, BENCHES, BIKE)

3. HISTORIC QUALITY AND CHARACTER OF THE CAMPUS

CULTURAL SIGNIFICANCE
ACADEMIC SIGNIFICANCE
ENVIRONMENTAL SIGNIFICANCE

4. TREES & VEGETATION

DIVERSITY OF SPECIES
PRESERVATION OF MATURE SPECIMENS
URBAN FOREST GOALS & CAMPUS CHARACTER
EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES
WATER CONSCIOUS

5. MOBILITY

CAMPUS CONNECTIONS & ADA
SITE SPECIFIC CONNECTIONS
PEDESTRIAN - MINIMUM WIDTH?
BICYCLE - CONVENIENT BUT OUT OF HEAVY PED AREAS
VEHICULAR - SECONDARY TO THE BIKE ENVIRONMENT
PARKING FOR BICYCLES & CARS
SERVICE ACCESS
TRANSIT

6. MAINTENANCE

LEVEL OF CARE - VISIBILITY AND USE
ACCESS FOR STAFF & EQUIPMENT
IRRIGATION & WATER

7. INFRASTRUCTURE

STORMWATER OPPORTUNITIES
SITE WALLS

HATCHERY CASE STUDY:

ISSAQUAH HATCHERY

Location: Issaquah, WA

Year Built: 1937

Mission: Production + Outreach

HATCHERY COMPONENTS

1. “Reaching Home” Sculptures

These sculptures represent male and female coho salmon during the mating sequence. See figure 4

2. Aquarium Room

These aquariums show the development of juvenile salmon, mimicking the conditions in Issaquah Creek.

3. Raceways

Fry are transplanted into these constructed ponds until they are mature enough to be released into Issaquah Creek.

4. Steve Bell Theater and Gift Shop

The theater displays a video about the annual miracle of salmon.

5. North Viewing Deck and Exhibits

A perfect spot to view to the natural habitat salmon.

6. Foortbridge

On this bridge one can see the weir directing spawning salmon into the fish ladder up to the homing ponds where they are artificially spawned.

7. South Viewing Area and Exhibits Each fall, salmon can be observed spawning from this location.

8. “As The Salmon Swim” Interactive Exhibit

This exhibit illustrates the challenges salmon face at different stages of their lives.

9. Water Tower

The painting on this water tower depicts the various predators that salmon face.

10. Fish Ladder

This constructed ladder allows fish to jump through a series of pools to reach the homing ponds where they are artificially spawned.

11. Viewing Windows

These viewing windows allow visitors to get a close look at the spawning salmon. See figure 5.

12. Spawning Shed

The shed allows workers to collect and mix eggs and sperm from the spawning salmon for fertilization.

13. Native Plant Garden

The garden demonstrates 40 native Northwest species ideal for maintaining salmon habitat.

14. “Everything Given To Salmon is Returned” Exhibit

This exhibit illustrates how to create healthy salmon habitat vial to maintaining our Northwest forests.

15. Watershed Kiosk

This kiosk shows the Issaquah Creek Watershed and and the negative effects of urbanization and pollution.

16. Salmon Migration Map

The fiber-optic map shows the salmon migration route through the Salish Sea.

17. “Raven Rocks” Story Boulders

These stones depict the Native American tale about the raven that brought salmon to the people.

18. “Can You Beat the Odds” Exhibit

The exhibit depicts the hazards that salmon face as they return home to spawn

19. Solar Panel Exhibit

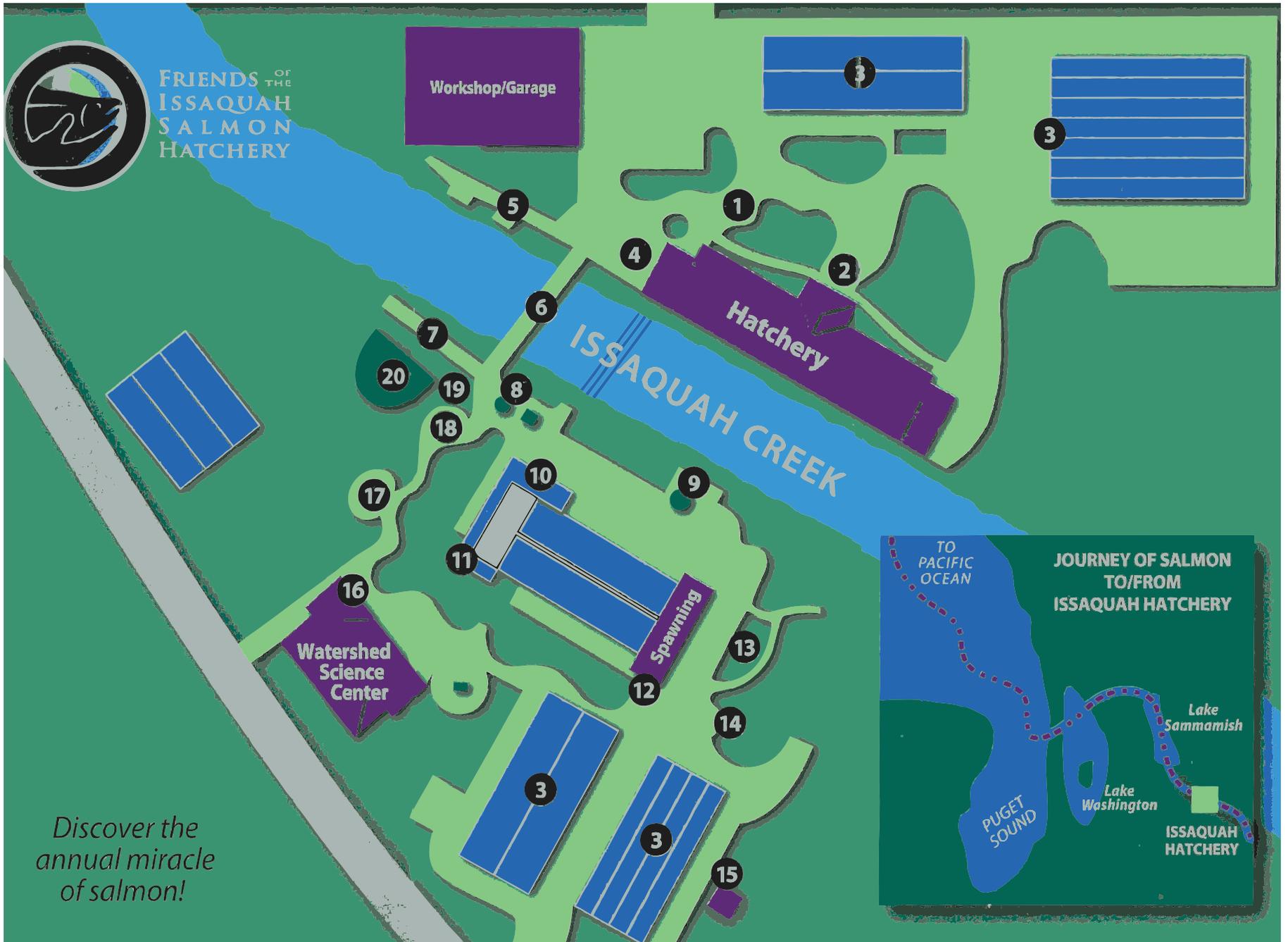
This exhibit shows how the hatchery utilizes solar power to provide sustainable energy solutions.

20. Wetlands Exhibit

The exhibit illustrates the importance these ecosystems are for salmon and all aquatic species

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HATCHERY CASE STUDY: OREGON HATCHERY RESEARCH CENTER

Location: Portland, OR

Owner: Oregon Dept. of Fish and Wildlife

Year Built: 1973

Urban Condition: Rural setting

Mission: Research + Production

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The Oregon Hatchery Research Center is a unique facility specifically designed to support both basic and applied research into the mechanisms that may create differences between wild and hatchery fish, and ways to better manage these differences to meet fishery and conservation objectives.

The center is also charged with helping Oregonians understand the role and performance of hatcheries in responsibly using and protecting Oregon's native fishes.

Research facilities include four artificial stream channels that simulate actual stream conditions, four concrete raceways, a tank farm comprised of 44 fiberglass tanks, an analytical lab, and a complete wet lab with heated, chilled, filtered and UV-treated water.

The Center's research facilities have attracted scientists from as far away as Iceland, Japan and Korea, all of whom are studying topics related to the Center's core mission.

RESEARCH FOCUS

OHRC Goal 1: Understand mechanisms that may create differences between hatchery and wild fish

- Focus Area 1: Differences caused by mate selection
- Focus Area 2: Differences caused by hatchery rearing

OHRC Goal 2: Develop approaches to manage hatchery fish that conserve and protect native fish

- Focus Area 3: Methods to increase imprinting and homing back to the hatchery

COMPONENTS

Simulated Streams

The simulated streams are designed to mimic the natural conditions present within Fall Creek. The inclusion of gravel channels and fallen timbers provide mating habitat for spawning salmon. Water for the streams is pumped into tanks and raceways to promote the next generations homing ability.

- Simulated Streams: 5,000 sq. ft. each
- 20,000 sq. ft. total

Fish Raceway

The facility contains four raceways, constructed of concrete, that continuously circulate water to prevent disease and illness.

- Raceways: 900 sq. ft. each
- 3,600 sq. ft. total



Figure 1. The ODFW Visitors' Guide-- Directions



Figure 2. Water intake from Fall Creek at the OHRC

Research Building

The research building is comprised of a series of a series of labs, offices, meeting spaces and conference rooms.

- Dry Lab: 1,125 sq. ft.
- Wet Lab: 1,300 sq. ft.
- Quarantine Lab: 170 sq. ft.
- Necropsy Lab: 235 sq. ft.
- Conference Rooms: 450 sq. ft.
- Offices: 1,000 sq. ft.
- Meeting Space: 1,200 sq. ft.
- 15,000 sq. ft. total (excluding 2nd floor)

Interpretive Center and Trail

The interpretive center and trail provides visitors with insights about salmon life cycles and habitat. These educational and artistic components promote ecological literacy (see figure 2).

- Interpretive Trail: 500 linear ft.
- Three kiosks
- Interpretive Center: 800 sq. ft

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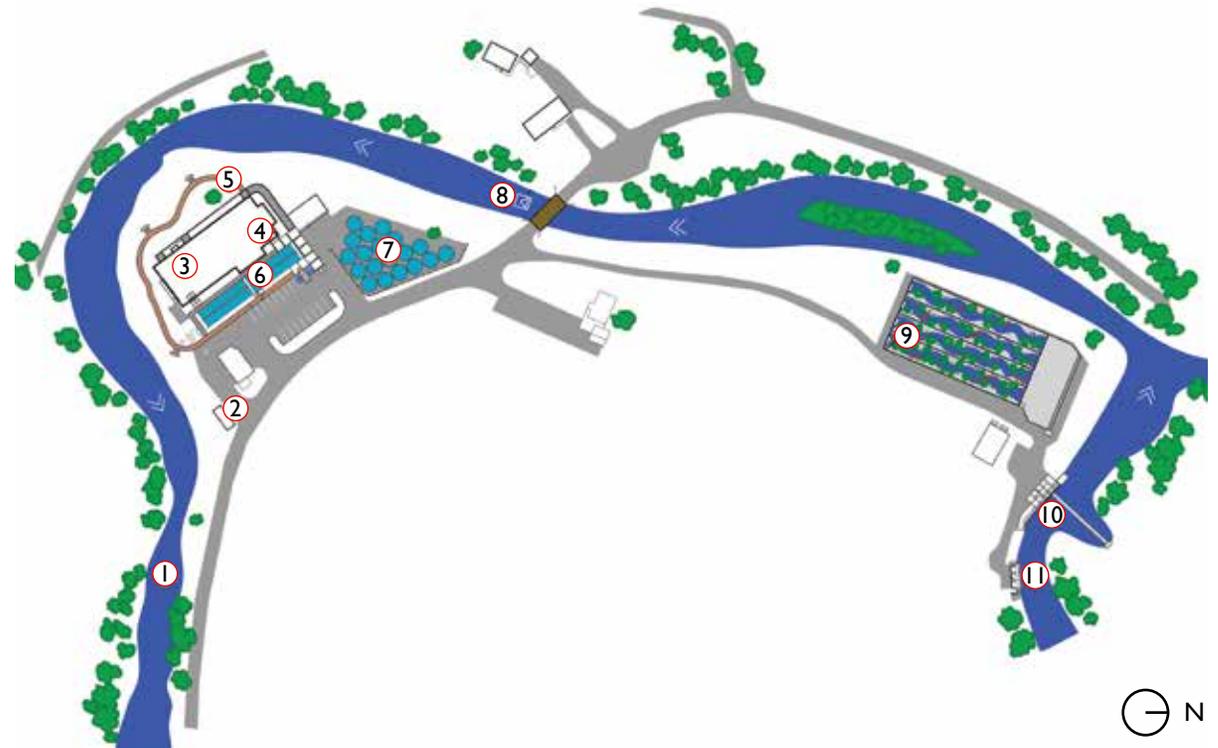
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Site I: Site Plan

Plan illustrating the various components of the Hatchery. Interpretive art and signage woven within various components of the research facility.

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|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| ① Fall Creek | ⑦ Fish Tanks |
| ② Host Site | ⑧ Floating Fish Trap |
| ③ Research Building | ⑨ Artificial Streams |
| ④ Interpretive Center | ⑩ Fish Ladder |
| ⑤ Interpretive Trail | ⑪ Water Intake Structure |
| ⑥ Fish Raceways | |

Figure 12. Site Plan



HATCHERY CASE STUDY:

LEVI GEORGE SUPPLEMENTATION & RESEARCH FACILITY

Location: Cle Elum, WA

Owner: Yakama Nation

Year Built: 1997

Urban Condition: Rural setting

Mission: Research + Supplementation

Species: Spring Chinook

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

This hatchery is part of the Yakima Klickitat Fisheries Project (YKFP), The facility was named after Levi George, former chairman of the Yakima Indian Nation Tribal Council and an activist for Indian fishing rights.

This hatchery spawns fry from wild fish captured at the Roza Dam. This way, the fish in the hatchery are only one generation away from wild fish. Fish raised here are reared in 'naturalistic' conditions, and go on to spawn in the wild. The goal is to keep the fish from becoming 'domesticated.' These fish are repopulating in the Upper Yakima; since 1997, the number of adult returns has gone up by around 1000%.

RESEARCH FOCUS

This hatchery's research focus is to find ways to maintain or increase both harvest and natural production of spring Chinook in the Upper Yakima River basin, as well as increase ecosystem function. Research is used to both improve hatchery practices and address "critical uncertainties" in hatchery operation and fish fitness.

COMPONENTS

- Acclimation Tanks with Direct River Access
- Underwater Feeding System
- "Semi-Natural" Raceways
- Gravel-Bottom Spawning Channel
- Artificial Stream

This hatchery has several interesting, naturalistic components, including gravel-bottomed raceways and an underwater feeding system.

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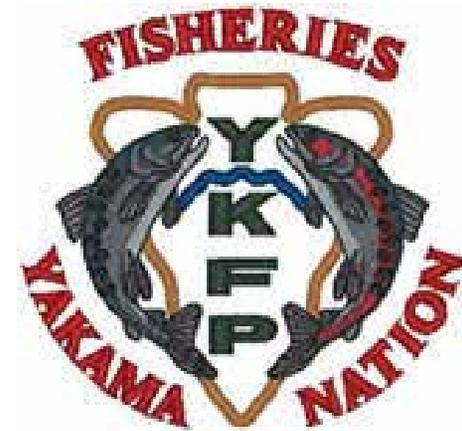


Figure 1. Yakima Klickitat Fisheries Project



Figure 2. "Semi-natural" raceways with underwater feeders.



Figure 3. Artificial Stream.



Figure 4. Gravel-bottomed raceways

Site I: Site Plan

The hatchery lies just to the north of the Yakima River, at 800 Spring Chinook Way, Cle Elem, WA. Several natural and artificially constructed streams lie around the facility, connecting the tanks to the natural system.

- Main Building
- Semi-Natural Raceways
- Gravel Spawning Channel
- Artificial Stream
- Yakima River

Figure 12. Aerial view of the hatchery. Source: Google Maps.



HATCHERY CASE STUDY: UC DAVIS BODEGA MARINE LABORATORY

Location: Bodega Bay, Ca

Owner: UC Davis University

Year Built: 1966-1977

Urban Condition: Rural, coastal preserve

Mission: Through innovative research programs and teaching initiatives, the Bodega Marine Laboratory will lead the way to the multi-disciplinary scientific understanding required to solve complex environmental problems on the marine and terrestrial sides of the tide line in northern California.

HISTORY

For nearly 50 years the Bodega Marine Research Laboratory has provided training for students at UC Davis. Scientists have studied the area around the Laboratory since the 1920's. The research facility sits on 362 acres of marine reserve, including an estuary. Although the salmon program is discontinued the facility continues to host both research as well provided public access.

HANDS-ON EDUCATION

Although the Salmon Hatcheries and Research program are discontinued, the Bodega Marine Research Lab still supports research from within four different colleges within the university. The facility is focused on:

- Climate Change
- Coastal Oceanography
- Ecology, Evolution and Conservation

- Ocean Health
- Physiology
- Cameos Program

The Cameos program connects masters students with K-12 students within the community. The hope for this program is that masters students would gain life-long skills in inquiry-based teaching, science content, environmental observing technology, and cyber-infrastructure. K-12 teachers and students are presented with science role models and opportunities to practice all tasks performed by professional scientists, from creating research questions and collecting data to sharing results at scientific conferences.

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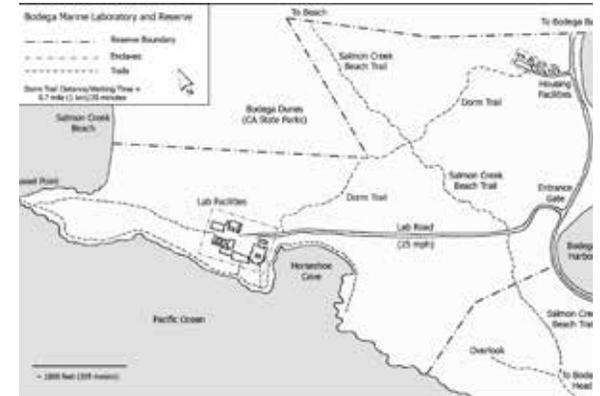


Figure 1. Bodega Research Facility and Reserve



Figure 2. Hands-on Education



Figure 3. Aerial view of the Bodega Marine Laboratory.
(Photo by Joe Proudman, the Washington Post)

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Willamette Falls is the second largest waterfall by volume in the United States. For over a century, the breathtaking site has been cut off from public access by industrial infrastructure built along the water's edge. Snøhetta is leading the design of the public spaces that will allow visitors to rediscover the full height of the falls and its rugged shoreline, uncovering swaths of the 22-acre site's historic basalt topography and reconnecting Oregon City to its spectacular waterfront.

The riverwalk will serve as a portal to the Northwest's collective history, reviving a former industrial site through its aggregated layers of natural, ecological, cultural, and geological history. Beginning at the entrance to Oregon City's historic downtown and ending at the crest of the falls themselves, the riverwalk is conceived as sequence of islands, an archipelago carved from ancient basalt and industrial steel, concrete, and wood alike. The new design treats the whole site as a single landscape, with a network of promenades and lofted pathways that lace through the physical strata of the site, immersing visitors in a tactile experience that celebrates the changing water level, the feeling of the spray on your skin, the dramatic play of light and the roar and presence of the falls.

The project aims to reconnect the city to the waterfront and its spectacular views of the falls, laying down the next historic layer - an experiential riverwalk that foretells a story of renewed economy, environmental sensitivity, and historic importance.

RELEVANCY

- Adapting old, unused, and underused buildings to an accessible public landscape
- Intertwined accessible and functional landscape, architecture, and infrastructure
- Many physical layers, including water
- Many layers of history



Figure 3, top: Existing conditions, aerial

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Figure 4, above: Existing conditions, mill

PROJECT CASE STUDY

RESEARCH CENTER ICTA-ICP · UAB

Location: Barcelona, Spain

Designer: H Arquitectes + DATAAE

Size: 89,000 ft²

Owner: Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

Year Built: 2014

Mission: Environmental sciences and palaeontology

Figure 1. Research center and grounds



PROJECT DESCRIPTION

A passive, low-tech/high-tech combination academic building in Barcelona. On the ground floor there is a hall, bar, classrooms, meeting rooms and administration area. The next three floors hold the offices and laboratories; on the roof there are vegetable patches together with lounge areas. The semi-underground floor holds the parking and the engine rooms while the basement contains the warehouses and other laboratories.

BUILDING TECHNOLOGY

- LEED Gold Certification
- Passive heating and cooling via ventilation and geothermal
- Skin of building is an industrial greenhouse system!
- Automated control system of vents, heating and cooling, and etc. to maximize passive performance
- Individually controlled, insulated rooms to have flexibility and localized control for research
- Capture and reuse rain and greywater
- Cheap and recycled/recyclable wood material
- Maximized natural lighting

Three Levels of Climate Control

Climate A: in-between spaces, that are exclusively acclimatized/heated by passive and bioclimatic systems

Climate B: offices, that combine natural ventilation with radiant and semi-passive systems

Climate C: laboratories and classrooms that have a more hermetic and conventional functioning.

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Figure 2, above left: Roof vegetable garden lab

Figure 3, left: Atrium showing contained wood rooms

Figure 4, above: Close up showing greenhouse facade

PROJECT CASE STUDY

COLD SPRING HARBOR

Location: Cold Spring Harbor, NY 11724

Year Founded: 1883

Website: <http://cshfishhatchery.org/>

Mission: Former Hatchery Turned Non-Profit

MISSION

After 99 years as a New York State trout hatchery, it was opened as a non-profit educational center dedicated to educating our visitors about the freshwater ecosystems of New York. They have the largest living collection of New York State freshwater reptiles, fishes and amphibians, and create rich public interaction opportunities.

ABOUT

The Cold Spring Harbor Fish Hatchery closed its doors as a New York State fish hatchery on March 31, 1982. The following day it was reopened as a non-profit educational center by the Friends of the Cold Spring Harbor Fish Hatchery, Inc. Its mission is to operate as an environmental education center and public aquarium that continues to raise and stock trout. We are proud to have the largest living collection of New York State freshwater reptiles, fishes and amphibians. The Hatchery is a fun place for your family to spend an afternoon together. Visitors can tour our two aquarium buildings and eight outdoor ponds, feed the hungry trout, and try our “Catch & Keep” fishing. Special events, such as Animal Passport Program and Hatching Turtle Day, offer the public an opportunity to

learn more about the creatures that inhabit New York State’s natural environment. Each year schools, scouts and other groups visit the Hatchery to learn about the freshwater ecosystems of New York State. Elementary level programs, such as Fins and Jaws, Habitats and Life Cycles, and secondary level programs, such as Pond Life and Freshwater Ecology, complement New York State learning standards and enrich the learning experiences of the students. The Hatchery’s seasonal Egg Stripping program allows students to witness the centuries-old technique of fish breeding: egg taking and fertilization. With the continuing support from Hatchery members, government agencies, private organizations and foundations, the Hatchery has been able to expand its programming with outreach options. Working in conjunction with Trout in the Classroom, the Hatchery is able to bring Egg Stripping programs into schools. The ability of the Hatchery to serve the community as a gathering place for special family and educational events, attests to its dedicated mission to increase awareness and appreciation for the freshwater ecosystems of New York State.

RELEVANCE TO OUR PROJECT

- Salmonids and other kinds of aquatic research
- Working hatchery
- Innovative hatchery infrastructure
- Outreach and education mission

SPONSOR AN ANIMAL

The money donated to the “Sponsor an Animal” program goes toward enhancing the livelihood of our animals by aiding in purchasing food, maintaining the exhibit habitat, assisting in veterinary care, and expanding our educational programming, constructed and naturalized waterfronts.

MENTORSHIP & VOLUNTEERING

The Cold Spring Harbor Fish Hatchery & Aquarium offers volunteer opportunities for adults and high school students. Volunteers are needed to help out with the care of our animals, and or to assist at the Hatchery’s special events and educational programs. No experience is necessary, training will be provided by members of the Hatchery’s staff.



All images taken from <http://cshfishhatchery.org/>

PROJECT CASE STUDY

NAVITAS HARBOR FRONT

Location: Aarhus, Denmark

Year Founded: 2014

Website: <http://www.landezine.com/index.php/2017/10/navitas-harbour-front-by-marianne-levinsen-landskab/>

Team: Marianne Levinsen Landskab, Client: INCUBA, Engineering and Technical Engineering School, Lead consultant: Kjær & Richter, CCO

PROJECT GOAL

The project creates an outdoor space surrounding the building of Navitas, the Engineering and Technical Engineering School in Aarhus, by inviting city life into the harbor. The dominant landscape element is the distinctive terraced platform along the harbor as well as the inner courtyards, which form green oases in the middle of the large building. The staircase to the water is created with large terraced steps, where edges and flat surfaces create various seating opportunities. Tall silver willow trees are planted on the stairway, conveying the scale between building and space, as well as offering shade and shelter. Silver willow trees enhance the very distinctive character of the place and the silver shades of the leaves capture the feeling of the experience of the shift between water and light. Trees are illuminated in the evening from below – and appear in the dark as light and shining clouds over the square.

“A powerhouse of education, research, innovation, and entrepreneurship.”

AROUND A RESEARCH BUILDING

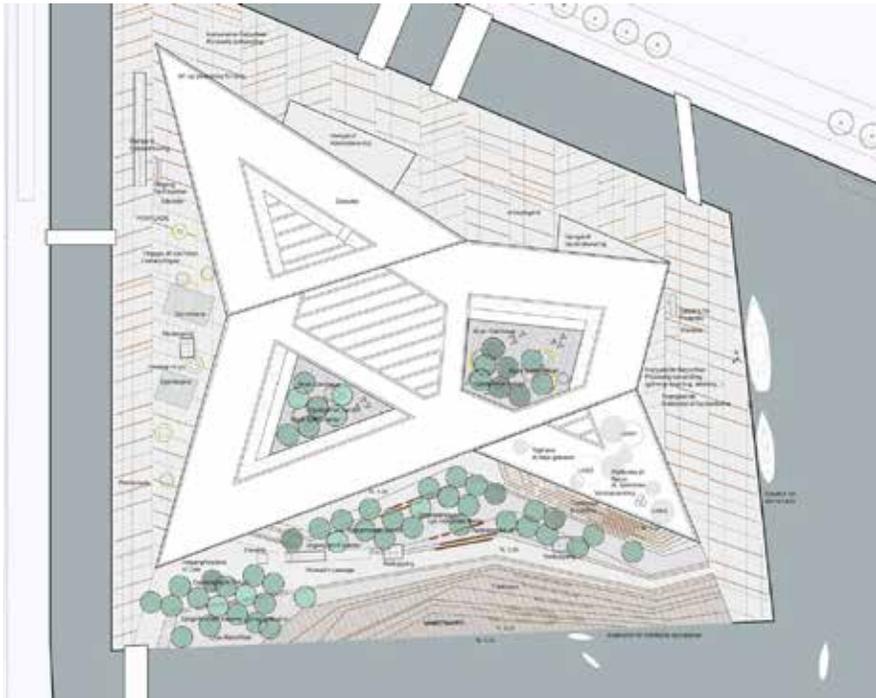
Navitas Science and Innovation is one of the many buildings which have recently emerged on the waterfront in Aarhus, close to the new Aarhus East city quarter. Inside the building, it's clearly evidenced purpose is to boost cooperation between researchers, teachers, lecturers, and businesses by focusing on innovation and practical application of knowledge. The building also houses a number of students since this is where the Aarhus University School of Engineering is located. The 38,000 sq m star-shaped building, which was designed by architectural firms

Kjær & Richter and Christensen og Co., is well worth a visit simply because of its architectural presence. And it is an international beacon of energy saving.

RELEVANCE TO OUR PROJECT

- Boosts co-operation between researchers, teachers, lecturers, and businesses
- Outdoor areas open to the general public: the marvelous outdoor areas around the building have become a popular oasis on the waterfront with stepped levels, perfect for taking a break!





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THINKING OUTSIDE THE TANK

PUSHING DESIGN THINKING

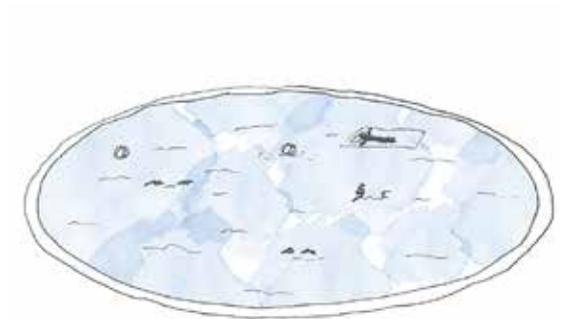
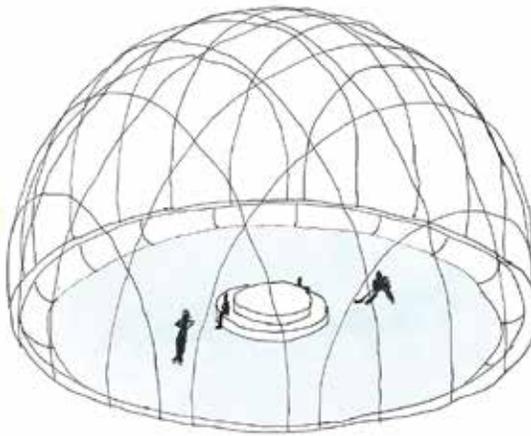
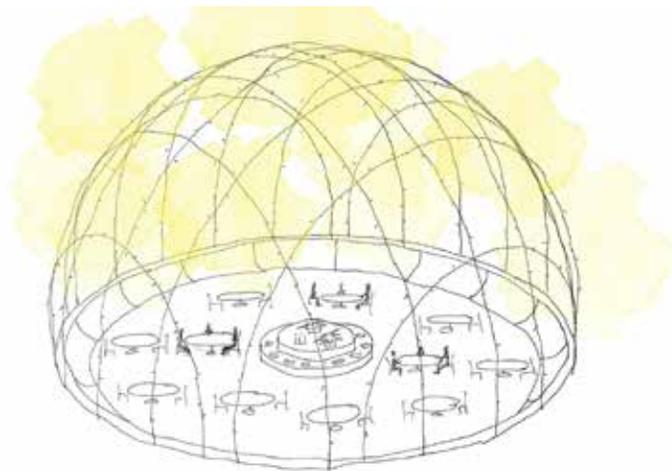
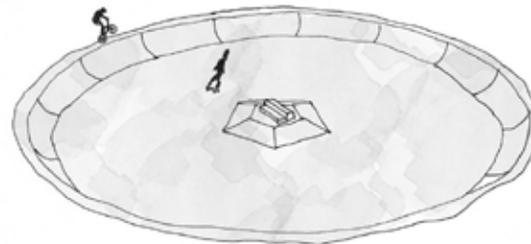
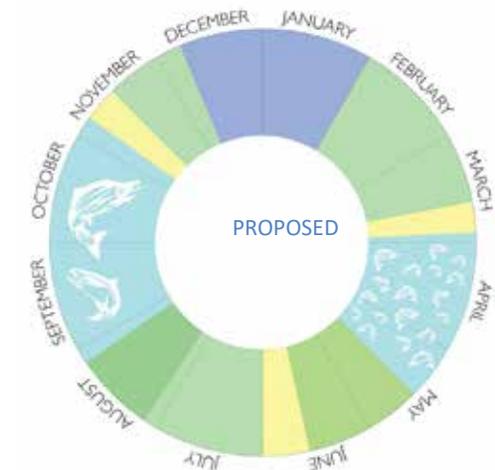
- Can hatchery infrastructure be fully used year-round?
- How can we integrate the public into a research hatchery?
- Can hatchery infrastructure be softened or 'naturalized'?
- What can designers do to improve and layer hatchery program?

Homing ponds, fish ladders, spawning channels, and raceways were investigated and re-imagined in these two proposals.

SINGLE PURPOSE HOMING PONDS . . . WHAT A LOAD OF CARP!

By Adam Carreau

Traditionally, the UW Research Hatchery homing pond was used during the autumn for the return of adult salmon. The salmon were corralled, euthanized, then the eggs were artificially inseminated and brought to the incubation room. In the spring, the homing pond was used for the young coho and Chinook before they made their way to the ocean. Due to water temperatures, the salmon were pushed out by May 15th. The pond only needs to be covered when the salmon are juveniles and need protection from birds. This system is generally hard concrete, and is connected with the fish ladder.



ALGAE FARMING IN RACEWAYS

By Sophie Krause

RE-IMAGINING RACEWAYS

Notwithstanding the importance of a salmonid raceway in maintaining a structure that is easy to clean, and that will maintain a low uniform velocity and water quality gradient, they can still be re-imagined as an inspiring educational tool as part of an Aquatic Research Facility.

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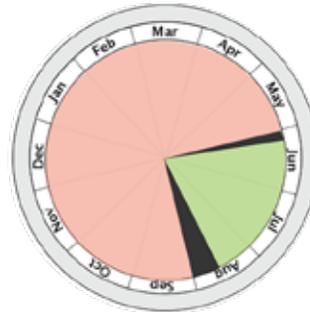
Anyfin is possible when the research oriented characteristics of the raceway structure are preserved, and then surrounded by biomimetic architectural elements that work to soften the landscape, clean hatchery waste water effluent, and invite its scientific users into a sense of play.

THE FISSHUE

The fisshue here is delineating a separation between the raceways use throughout the Chinook and coho rearing span, and the potential for temporary uses during the months of June - late August.

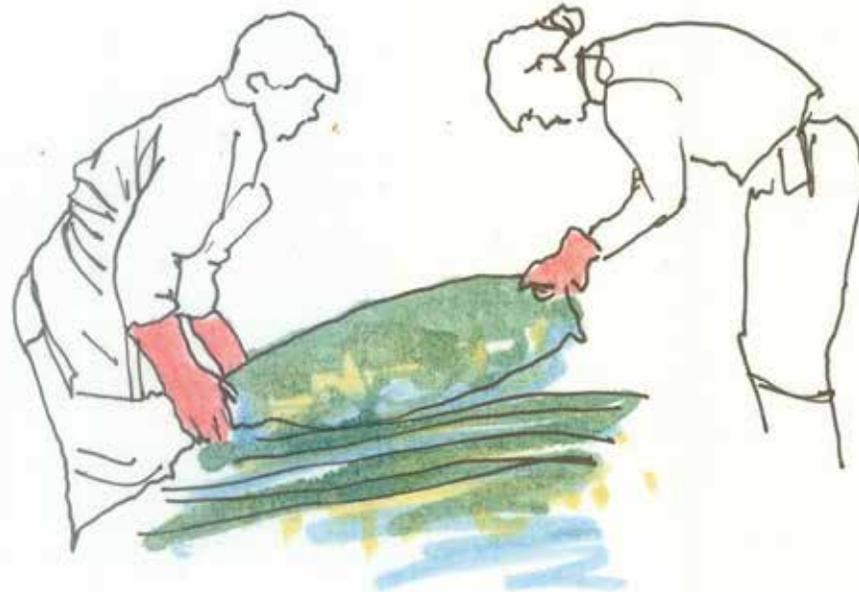
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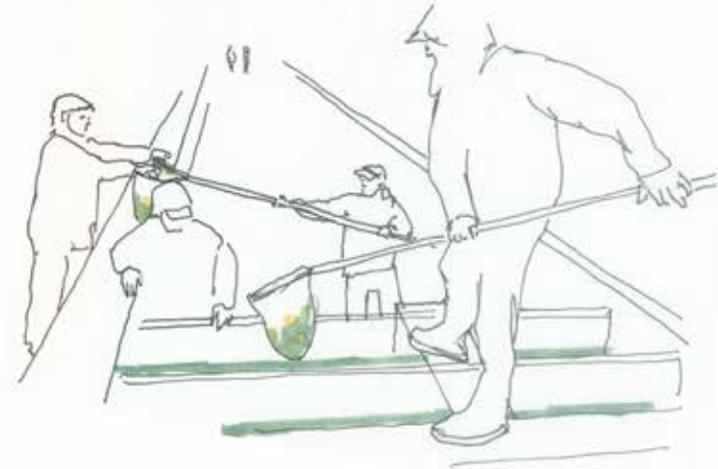
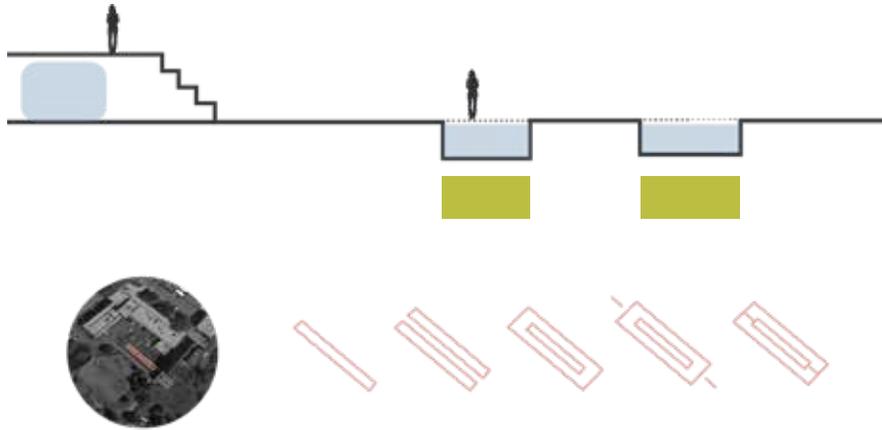
Somefin of increasing interest within the aquatic scientific community here at the University of Washington is the use of algae lipid production for making biofuels. During these summer months, raceway infrastructure could be used to assist these processes, which currently lack larger than laboratory beaker scale infrastructures.



YEAR ROUND USE

Primarily used for salmon rearing throughout most of the year, hatchery infrastructure could also be used for algal production during the warm summer months when salmon are no longer present.





https://www.greencarreports.com/news/1084336_u-s-perfectly-placed-for-algae-based-biofuel-production



The [University of Washington's Seattle] campus landscape is a living medium, growing and changing over time, but its materials and underlying meaning provide a continuity to the UW identity that is powerfully felt. The campus landscape is also the most accessible place for putting the values and lessons of the classroom into action: it is a working landscape where people learn, teach, observe, farm, garden, and conduct research, as well as a social landscape for meeting, gathering, play, and relaxation.

--Campus in Motion: UW's Campus Landscape Framework

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

UW Aquatic Research Facility Site Study

This Request for Proposals (RFP) is being distributed to a limited number of highly qualified design teams who have been short-listed for the UW Aquatic Research Facility Site Study.

OVERVIEW

For over 60 years, the School of Aquatic and Fishery Sciences (SAFS) maintained a research salmon run and hatchery on campus along Portage Bay. However, in 2010, SAFS faculty decided to discontinue use of the salmon run and hatchery for research due to "new directions in fisheries research and budget cuts". Now, almost a decade later, SAFS faculty are leading an effort to re-establish a research run and hatchery facility on campus in cooperation with the Washington Dept. of Fish and Wildlife, the salmon focused non-profit Long Live the Kings, and the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe.

This RFP will explore site options to locate an Aquatic Research Facility on UW's Seattle campus. Teams will be tasked with developing a vision and program for the facility, identifying and assessing appropriate campus sites, and developing concept designs which consider both the existing context and UW's future campus plans. Teams will have an opportunity to hear directly from the stakeholders about their goals and priorities for the facility, to tour other hatchery facilities, and to discuss current needs and future plans for the Seattle campus with the Architect and Landscape Architect for the University. The teams will also hear from experts about Pacific NW salmon, environmental education and interpretative centers, and public space projects on Portage Bay. Teams are expected to synthesize this information with their own research and creativity as they develop strategies for locating and designing the new facility.

PROJECT SCOPE

This RFP will explore how the strategic site selection, programming, and site development of a new Aquatic Research Facility at UW might serve its primary function for research and learning while also activating campus life, enhancing our connection to the natural world, and engaging off-campus collaborators. Team should incorporate relevant goals and objectives from UW's Campus Master Plan and Campus Landscape Framework as they consider and evaluate potential locations for the facility.

As aspiring landscape and architecture designers, the teams are expected to investigate landscape phenomena, relationships, processes and systems to produce designs which embody creativity and a sophisticated sense of space, process and form. Teams are encouraged to develop strategies and craft places which focus on how the exterior components of the facility in particular accommodate research needs while fostering campus public life. The facility must function as a hub for aquatic research but should also be experienced as a place of advocacy for our connection to the natural world in general and Pacific NW salmon in particular. Consideration should be given to how the facility will function in its existing context and in future phases of campus development.

PROJECT ELEMENTS

Vision and Program

Each team should clearly express a vision for the Aquatic Research Facility which includes how the facility will meet stakeholder goals; will be incorporated into the existing and future campus; will be a robust and positive addition to campus life; and will encourage engagement with non-campus groups.

Each team should clearly express the program supported by the site including the size and requirements of all desired program elements.

Identify and Assess a Preferred Site

Each team should investigate the entire campus and identify multiple potential sites for the facility. Then through a rigorous site assessment process, each team should select a preferred site. Teams should clearly articulate an argument in support of the preferred site in relation to their vision and program and the site assessment process.

Each team should document and present the preferred site's opportunities and constraints as related to program, context and character, operations and maintenance, utilities, access, zoning and shoreline district requirements, historic uses of the site, potential future expansion, sustainability, and cost.

Concept Design

Each team should develop a concept design for their preferred site which considers how research and learning, campus life, and ecology can interweave on a site. Concept designs should be aspirational, articulate and well-crafted. Designs should embed and reveal the dynamic and experiential qualities of landscape and urban settings.

Each design should incorporate all elements of the program as well as identify opportunities for future expansion. Designs should respond to the existing site context as well as future planned contexts.

DELIVERABLES

- Vision statement
- Program
- Preferred Site opportunities and constraints
- Context diagram
- Site photos
- Site plan indicating all design elements
- Site sections
- Bird's eye rendering
- Vignettes
- Diagrams (future phases, dynamic elements, circulation, public and restricted access areas, and operations.)
- Booklet

TIMELINE

RFP Issued: March 26

Review Presentations: May 30, time tbd. No late submissions will be accepted.

Stakeholder Presentations: June 4, time tbd

Consult the included Schedule for dates of required tours, presentations and discussions.

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AI[ASSIGNMENT 1]: RESEARCH + CASE STUDIES

Assigned Mon 3.26 Pin up Mon 4.2

Now that we have been short-listed for the UW Aquatic Research Facility Site Study RFP, we need to consider what we know and don't know about the focus of the project, the goals of the stakeholders and potential precedents. We are being asked to consider possible sites for an aquatic research facility, but what is an aquatic research hatchery? What is researched there? Who are the stakeholders and what is important to them? How will they use a research hatchery? Are there existing research hatcheries that might guide us in our work? Often designers begin a project with research, we will too.

As you prepare your research, consider what information you can present visually rather than in paragraphs of text. Prepare well organized, visually compelling "fact sheets" for your topics. Your fact sheets may be multiple pages. Use the templates provided on our canvas site. Salmon and Stakeholder fact sheets will be portrait orientation, letter-sized. Case Study sheets will be landscape orientation, 11x17.

Working in two groups of 2 and one group of 3(*), we will research the following:

Salmon

- Basic facts and information about salmon:
 - what is a salmon, what salmon species are in the Pacific NW, what is the salmon lifecycle, who are its predators; what is the habitat for salmon across their lifespan, what do they eat, which species live in Lake Washington, where do they start and return to
- Significance of salmon in the Pacific NW:
 - What is/was the importance of salmon for Salish tribes, what are Salish tribes' rights related to salmon, what is/was the importance of salmon for Seattle's historic/present culture and economy
- *Current status of salmon:
 - Endangered Species Act listing and current status, historic/present threats to salmon, historic/present recovery efforts, what are the issues with salmon habitat in urban settings, what are issues for salmon returning to Lake Washington, what can be done to lessen urban impacts to salmon

Stakeholders

- Basic information about the stakeholder organizations: what is their mission, what are their programs and research, what is their focus, where do they work, what types of education and outreach do they do
 - Long Live the King (LLtK)
 - Muckleshoot Indian Tribe
 - *UW School of Aquatics and Fisheries Science (SAFS) and Wash. Dept. of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW)

Case Studies: Research Hatcheries

- Fact sheet for case studies including: where is it (urban, rural, on a river, on the Pacific waterfront, mission and goals (research, production, public education), overall size, list of components with approximate sizes (if possible), who runs it. Include captioned photos and site and building plans.
 - Oregon Hatchery Research Center
 - UC David Bodega Marine Laboratory
 - *Issaquah and Yakima Hatcheries



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A2[ASSIGNMENT 2]: VISION | MISSION STATEMENT

Assigned Wed 4.4 Due Fri 4.6 (end of day) (submit a pdf with all parts on canvas)

Part I

Based on conversations with the Stakeholders today, develop a vision and mission statement for the new Aquatic Facility. Begin by considering the stakeholders' priorities and "hopes" for the facility, being sure to include thoughts on research, outreach and production. Next, using your lens as a landscape architect/architect, consider what might be added that will bring value to the project and would in line with the stakeholders' thoughts. Your mission statement should describe what the facility and researchers will DO. The vision should describe what the facility and research hope WILL HAPPEN.

You may develop a series of (categorized) bullet points which cover the various aspects of the project and serve as "goals or values", ie: research goals, outreach and education goals, infrastructure and energy goals, etc. However, also develop (through iterations of editing) a 1-2 sentence statement for the project. **Remember, you are creating a vision, it should be aspirational.**

Part II

Collect, create or otherwise develop imagery that reflects your mission statement and vision. This might include precedent (natural and man-made) photos, systems diagrams, interpretative images, provocative images, etc.

Examples:

WASHINGTON PARK ARBORETUM - <https://botanicgardens.uw.edu/about/>

Our mission is sustaining managed to natural ecosystems and the human spirit through plant research, display, and education.

W D F W - https://wdfw.wa.gov/about/mission_goals.html

Our Mission

To preserve, protect and perpetuate fish, wildlife and ecosystems while providing sustainable fish and wildlife recreational and commercial opportunities.

Vision

Conservation of Washington's fish and wildlife resources and ecosystems.

WDFW defines "Conservation" as:

Protection, preservation, management, or restoration of natural environments and the ecological communities that inhabit them; including management of human use for public benefit and sustainable social and economic needs.

(Adapted from The American Heritage® Science Dictionary Copyright © 2005)

Department Goals

To achieve its mission, WDFW will continue to focus its activities on the following four goals:

- Goal 1: Conserve and protect native fish and wildlife
- Goal 2: Provide sustainable fishing, hunting, and other wildlife-related recreational and commercial experiences
- Goal 3: Promote a healthy economy, protect community character, maintain an overall high quality of life, and deliver high-quality customer service
- Goal 4: Build an effective and efficient organization by supporting our workforce, improving business processes, and investing in technology



LOUISIANA CHILDREN'S MUSEUM - LCM.org

Our Mission

Louisiana Children's Museum contributes to the region's future prosperity by engaging children's potential and making that potential visible. Through play, shared explorations, and in dialogue with adults, LCM connects children to each other, adults, their environments and communities.

Vision

Louisiana Children's Museum envisions a world where communities value children, strengthen and support families, and improve life outcomes by ensuring access to safe, innovative, learning, and play experiences.

Values

Each Child's Potential:

- The child's potential and capabilities inspire and guide us in our work.
- We recognize the critical role childhood experiences play in strengthening children's capabilities.
- We respond to the enormous challenges limiting opportunities for too many of our community's children.
- We engage in areas where changing long-term life outcomes are possible including well-being, literacy, and adult engagement.
- We create dynamic play and learning environments, exhibits, and programs informed by essential experiences that contribute to children's optimal development.

Engaged Communities:

- We are committed to building stronger, connected communities through active engagement.
- Our network of partners engages with the community around children to widen the circle of opportunity and prosperity for all children.
- We play active and varied roles in bringing new perspectives to the culture of childhood.
- We connect families, neighborhoods, and communities to build a robust ecosystem for childhood across generations, neighborhoods, and cultures.
- We make our intentions transparent and our work visible to our visitors, our partners, and policy-makers.

Learning:

- We are a learning organization; we value learning for ourselves, for children and for families.
- We advance the critical role of play in learning in each experience and environment we create.
- We engage in dialogue with parents and caregivers to support their role in children's learning.
- We learn from documentation, as process and as a tool, to make children's thinking and learning visible.
- We learn from visitors, partners, and museum colleagues to increase our value to the community.

A Dynamic Community:

- Our culturally rich, diverse and dynamic community belongs to all children.
- We are welcoming and accessible to all families and children, of all backgrounds and circumstances.
- We seek options and opportunities for inclusion in our play and learning experiences that support the potential of all children.
- We value the local cultural assets that connect us and create play and learning experiences that reflect our region.

Stewardship and Resilience:

- Stewardship and resilience inform our choices and decisions today to increase our capacity in meeting future challenges and opportunities.
- We believe that resilient systems for the city and its children are critical to a brighter and more prosperous future for all.
- We recognize and value the talents of staff and volunteers, fostering their development and actively improving the organizational culture.
- We adhere to innovative, sustainable and green practices in our building and operations.
- We seek multiple, stable, long-term sources of revenue to provide greater financial sustainability.

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A3[ASSIGNMENT 3]: UW PLANNING PRIORITIES + PLANS | LAND USE + ZONING

Assigned Wed 4.4 Pin Up Wed 4.11

For Assignment 3, we will take a deep dive into UW's planning priorities and City of Seattle zoning and land use regulations, focusing on UW waterfront edge properties. As we have discussed, UW Capital Projects and Planning is a fifth "stakeholder" for the project. Over the last few years, UW has worked with design consultants to develop the UW Seattle Campus Master Plan by Sasaki (2017), Campus in Motion: UW's Campus Landscape Framework by Michael Van Valkenburgh Associates (2015) and the UW South Campus Study (2016) by Perkins + Will. Each of these documents set the agenda for campus development over the next 20 years. Needless to say, our work should conform with these documents. Next week Rebecca Barnes, Architect for the University will join us to discuss and answer questions about the reports. In addition to UW's development aspirations, we will need to consider and understand what is allowed and/or required per City and State zoning and land use regulations. These are outlined in the Campus Master Plan (CMP) and available from the City's website.

Part I

Working individually or in teams, the following should be researched and documented (you may use multiple pages for documentation). Some questions you might ask yourself are provided but as you research, you should be evaluating what is significant and relevant for the project. Remember to collect important maps, diagrams, charts, etc as you conduct your research.

Seattle Campus Master Plan**

- What are the main priorities? Which are relevant to our project?
- What opportunities might exist? What constraints?
- What parts of campus are underutilized and open to growth?
- How will the waterfront edge of the campus be different in future years?
- What buildings are being preserved, which buildings will be removed?
- What are the agreements with the City?

Campus in Motion: UW's Campus Landscape Framework**

- What are the main priorities? Which are relevant to our project?
- What opportunities might exist? What constraints?
- What are some current (now completed?) and future projects for the campus?
- What are beloved spaces on campus? What is their character?
- How can UW use its campus effectively in terms of climate change and increased density and building heights?

UW South Campus Study*

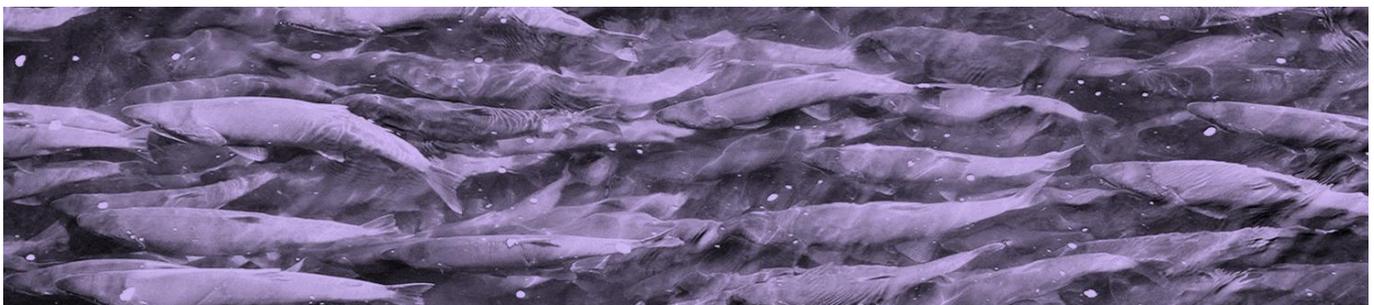
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- What buildings are being preserved, which buildings will be removed?

City of Seattle Zoning and Land Use Regulations + State Regulations*

- What are the zoning regulations within campus?
- How is it different from the existing campus?
- What are specific land use regulations on campus? Along the water's edge?
- What types of activities are permissible on campus? Along the water's edge?

Freshwater Fish Lab Feasibility Studies – August 1994 and May 1990*

In 1990 and again in 1994, Feasibility Studies were commissioned by UW for a Freshwater Fish Lab. Both studies looked at the former Bryant site (site of the new Portage Bay Park) for the facility. Although much has changed since the studies, they may still be useful in terms of program elements, space requirements and systems.



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A4[ASSIGNMENT 4]: MORE CASE STUDIES

Assigned Wed 4.11 Pin Up Wed 4.18

It's time to be inspired and inspiring! For Assignment 4, everyone will need to identify and document 5 case studies. Try and find examples that push beyond those you have previously studied or are well-known, ie, no Bullitt Center. Don't limit yourself to local or even US-based case studies. Consider your documentation of the case study as both an informational and "promotional" brochure. Highlight what is of interest to you and why it is relevant to our project. Images are a must. Produce a diagram or two if needed to help others understand the significance of your case study. Minimum 2 pages for each case study.

Case Study 1: Interpretative or Educational Approach

This case study could have an environmental focus or not. If not, be clear about why it is relevant to our project and your approach to education, outreach or interpretation. Consider both interior- and exterior-focused interpretation. Consider outreach for K-12, families, college-students, community members. Search for examples that do more than simply a sign or plaque for explanation and provide a more experiential approach. Should there be an online presence?

Case Study 2: Campus Open Space or Open Space Strategy

This case study should focus on how the Research Facility can integrate and enhance campus public life. Look for projects that create dynamic, well-loved campus spaces and/or trails, especially those on a historically important campus in an urban setting (sound familiar?). Consider the importance of access to water. Consider furnishings, adjacent uses, views, access, etc.

Case Study 3: Smart Building Technologies or System

For this case study, focus on architecture projects using or proposing innovative building systems or technologies. Could be how to deal with water, waste, energy production and use, recycled building materials, sustainable building materials, passive energy strategies, etc.

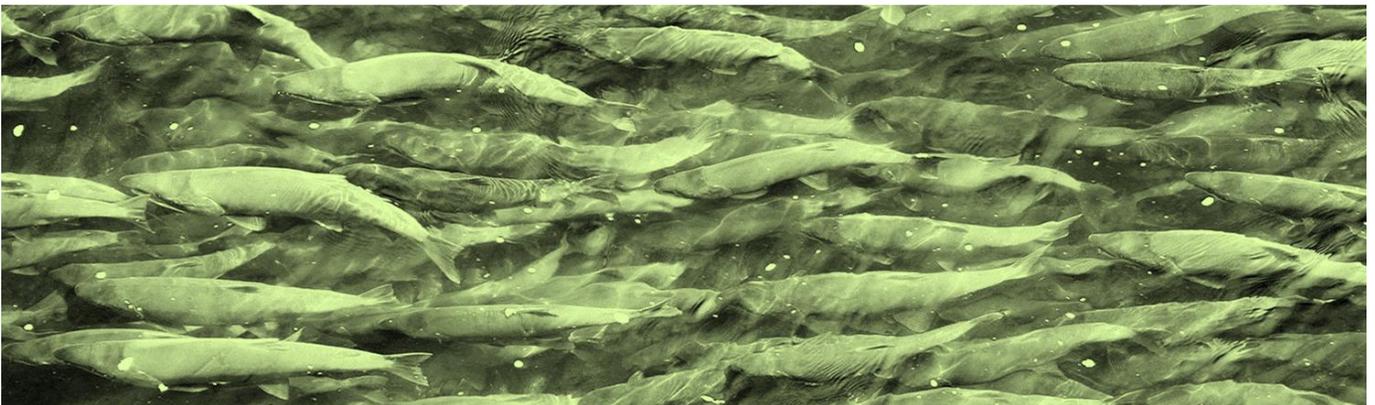
Case Study 4: Smart Site Technologies or System

Similar to Case Study 3 but focus on site strategies. Again, water, waste, energy production and use, recycled buildings materials, etc.

Case Study 5: Amazing Inside Out Project

This case study should focus on a project that incorporates architecture and landscape in a way that is inspiring and seamless. Consider the spatial, material, and formal strategies used on the project. How do interior and exterior spaces relate to and support each other. What is one's experience when one is inside vs outside?

Dream big!!

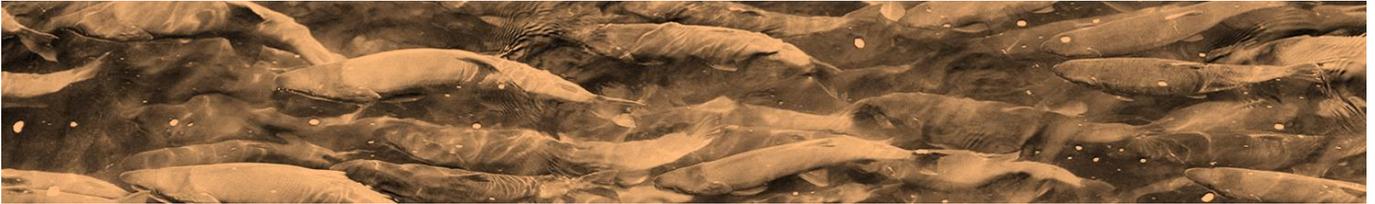


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A5[ASSIGNMENT 5]: SITE INVESTIGATION

Assigned Wed 4.18 Pin Up Mon 4.23



Rather than conceive of sites as having one single bounding condition, site construction posits the site boundaries shift in relation to the position – the physical location and ideological stance – of their beholder.

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Although considered a predesign activity, site analysis inevitably prefigures and reflects design intentions. This logics and values structuring initial site observations are always and already prescribed by ideas about the future modifications imagined for a place, and conversely, the analysis process initiates a way of thinking about place that resonates through all subsequent phases of design.

–Andrea Kahn, “Defining Urban Sites”, *Site Matters*

For Assignment 5, we will work in our site teams to explore, dissect and (re)build the sites. Teams should gather all necessary resources: GIS files, topographic plans and nautical charts, site photos and sketches, etc. Teams should prepare the following documents in the Booklet format (new templates provided). Plans will be done on a template to be printed at 17”x22” (half scale is letter-sized).

Site Investigation Documents:

Existing Conditions Plan

- All existing features: structures, paths, walls, paved surfaces, vegetation, shoreline, views, natural features, utilities, etc. shown and labeled
- Scale: 1”=40’, include graphic scale.
- Topography + Bathymetry – at least 2-ft contours – indicate any changes in water level (ie, when Lake Washington is raised/lowered). This can be a separate plan from the Existing Conditions Plan if it is getting too complicated.

Site Context Map(s)

Each team will need to determine what scales/areas are needed to adequately describe the site’s context. At a minimum, each team should have a map(s) showing:

- the site in relation to the entire campus
- adjacent/relevant properties, structures, natural features, transportation connections, views, utilities, etc.
- Site in relation to salmon geography

Site Photos

- Photos showing significant views, structures, vegetation, land features, etc
- All photos should be labeled and keyed to a site plan

Zoning + Regulations Plan

- Plan drawing indicating all zoning, building, permit requirements/restrictions
- Indicate ownership of all land, structures, waterways, etc

Site History

- Timeline with text and images of significant dates/events related to the site
- Written history of the site, its development, uses, significant facts.
- Documentation of all structures – text and images – include when constructed, any significant adjustments, etc

Existing Site Material Matrix

- Site photos documenting textures and materials on site.
- Order photos on both axes

Site Model

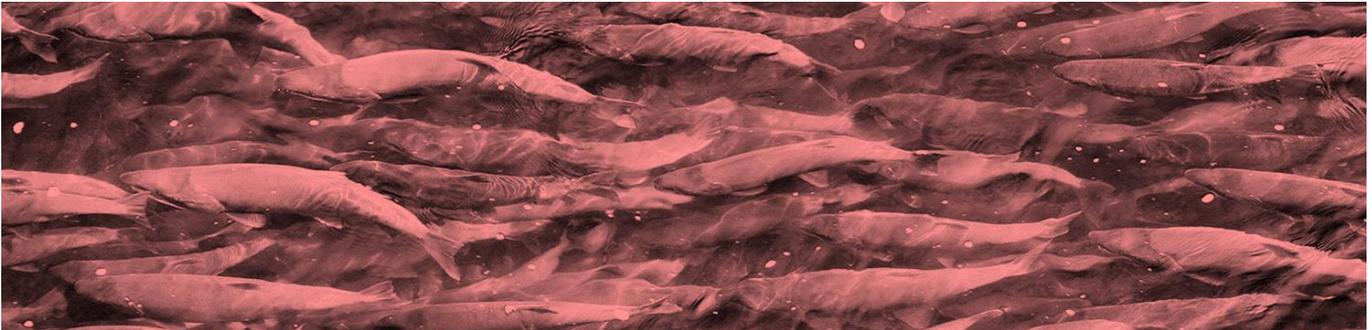
Existing site including topography + bathymetry and all structures, etc. Scale: 1” = 20’

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A6[ASSIGNMENT 6]: SITE ANALYSIS + SITE CONCEPTS

Assigned Mon 4.23 Pin Up Wed 5.2



It is time for a deep dive on your journey to spawn site designs! For Assignment 6, each site team will analyze their site based on our list of Site Criteria. The goal of the assignment is to understand what works and doesn't work about your site. What will be the opportunities and obstacles? What will be the issues and constraints? Given these, how will you craft an argument for why your site and what should happen on it? What parts of the site would be best for which program? What parts of the site can be retained? What parts must be adjusted? Then you will work in your Design Teams to develop initial site approaches and concepts.

Site Analysis [Site Teams]

1. Develop a list of each of the following for your site:
 - Opportunities
 - Obstacles
 - Issues
 - Constraints
2. Develop diagrams as needed to describe the lists above and to frame your argument.
3. Create a board(s) [spread(s)] for each category.

Site Concepts [Design Teams]

1. Concept plan(s) and section(s)
2. Vignettes or precedent images
3. Diagrams
4. Site models

Site Criteria

SITE + INFRASTRUCTURE

- Cold water access
- Utilities
- Zoning + Permitting
- Environmental Impact
- Construction Feasibility
- Existing conditions

SITE CONTEXT

- Proximity to SAFS / Labs
- Mobility and human access
- Proximity of amenities
- Visibility / foot traffic
- Compatibility of Adjacent uses

DEVELOPMENT + COST

- Order of magnitude/Cost comparisons
- Development feasibility
- CMP / CLF Compatibility
- Coupling / Piggy-backing opportunities
- Operations + Maintenance (security, maintenance impacts, operational costs, etc)

PROGRAM + STAKEHOLDER WANTS

- Fish access to site
- Available space (interior and exterior)
- Ability to function as an urban pilot project

NARRATIVE + EXPERIENCE

- Connection to the Salmon Story
- Site Histories
- Human Experience
- Positive contribution (multiple scales)

Pin-up: Wednesday, 5.2 3:00-4:30, Gould 114

Format:

Site X [40 min total]

Site Analysis 20 minutes

Your entire team's site analysis presentation should be no longer than 5 minutes.

Site Concept 10 minutes x 2

Each Design Team will get 10 minutes. Your presentation should be no longer than 3 minutes.

Site Y [40 min total]

Site Analysis 20 minutes

Your entire team's site analysis presentation should be no longer than 5 minutes.

Site Concept 10 minutes x 2

Each Design Team will get 10 minutes. Your presentation should be no longer than 3 minutes.

Digital presentation with prints of key boards/spreads at 17x22 or 34x44. Site Models

Reviewers:

- Kristine Kinney, UW Planning
- Mark Johnson, Signal Architecture
- Jim Stoner, Hainline [Owner's Rep + Construction Management]
- Chris Grue, SAFS

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A7.1 THINKING OUTSIDE THE TANK: reely fintastic ideas

Assigned Fri 5.4

Due Mon 5.7 Pin up by 2:15 pm Monday outside Gould 322 (and along the south wall if additional space if needed)(although I sure wish this was in the FISHbowl 😊)

This weekend, your task is to reimagine fish hatchery infrastructure. Conventional infrastructure at fish hatcheries is dull, generic, singular in purpose and from a design perspective, simple and uninspired. How can you modify or redesign a rectangular, concrete trough to be more dynamic, integrated, interactive, heuristic and engaging while still serving its fish rearing purpose? Remember to refer to all research, seminar presentations, etc.



Considerations

- **Understanding function of existing infrastructure.** When it is in use/not in use in terms of the life cycle of salmon but also when calendar/academic year? How must it be maintained? Assume all infrastructure must be emptied and cleaned/sterilized between each round of salmon rearing to maintain integrity of research and humane care of fish. In other words, if you wanted to add plants to a piece of infrastructure, the plants would either need to be in a separate portion of the infrastructure from the fish or in a container so they could be removed during cleaning.
- **Understanding level of security and other protections for existing infrastructure.** Does the infrastructure need to be fenced or separated from visitors (always, sometimes, never), does the infrastructure require netting or other predator deterrents (always, sometimes, never)? How can these elements be architecture/integrated into the design rather than look like after thoughts or add-ons? How can visitors interact with the infrastructure without compromising its security and scientific value?
- **Multiple uses for reimagined infrastructure.** What other uses or functions can the reimagined infrastructure provide? Are they simultaneous to fish rearing functions, sequential, episodic? Do they relate to visitor experience/outreach; other academic units or educational opportunities; sustainability + smart building/site strategies; phasing? How do they relate to your site and program?
- **Desired design elements and aesthetic.** What is the “style” or “look” of your reimagined infrastructure? How does it relate to other design elements, the site, the larger context? How does it add to the site experience and narrative? How can the infrastructure be designed to enhance a visitor’s experience and learning? How can the infrastructure be reimagined to accommodate a single visitor vs groups? What comfort elements are needed for researchers, fish, visitors, ie cover from rain, seating, railings?

Assignments

- Pond and ladder: Nina, Elijah, Adam
- Raceways and tanks for rearing: Jingjing, Sophie
- Spawning channels: Jiyoung, Weicheng

Requirements

- All work is to be done individually but you can, of course, discuss and share ideas and brainstorming.
- All information must be on a single, thoughtfully-organized, graphically-strong 34 in x 44 in board – landscape orientation. Use the template provided. (google drive – charrette)
Pin up by 2:15 pm Monday outside Gould 322 (and along the south wall if additional space if needed).

To include on your board:

- Title (clever fishy puns encouraged!)
- Photo or other image of standard/existing infrastructure with description of purpose of infrastructure for fish rearing, dimensions or scale figure, and indication of material(s)

THINKING OUTSIDE THE TANK: reely fantastic ideas!

- Diagram explaining when and how infrastructure and reimagined infrastructure is used for fish rearing within context of salmon life cycle (fall chinook and fall coho)
 - Diagram explaining indicating when infrastructure and reimagined infrastructure is in use and in what capacity (fish rearing and non-fish rearing activities) throughout calendar year
 - Description of reimagined infrastructure and how it meets project goals.
 - Precedent and/or design images for reimagined infrastructure for fish rearing uses
 - Precedent and/or design images for reimagined infrastructure for non-fish rearing uses
 - Description of maintenance and operations of reimagined infrastructure for fish rearing and non-fish rearing use; clearly indicate non-fish rearing uses
 - Site plan and site section showing conceptual layout of reimagined infrastructure on your site
- Note: Images, diagrams and descriptions may be combined but all listed information should be included and legible.

Remember these are important: Craft. Spelling and use of grammar. Creativity of ideas. Clear expression of intended goals. Relationship of design to site, its surroundings and program.

Information about Existing Infrastructure

Fall Chinook (raising approx. 250,000 fish)

Fall Coho (raising approx. 150,000 fish)

Late August - October

Chinook return to spawn – using ladder, homing pond and spawning channels

Chinook eggs in incubation room or spawning channels

Consider how adults will be captured and sorted to determine ripening (if ready to spawn) relative to a more natural homing pond. For example - adults could enter the homing pond then be encouraged through stream flow to move up into a "ladder" that has a crowder etc. This removed the fish processing part from the pond itself.

October - November

Chinook eggs in incubation room or spawning channels

Coho return to spawn – using ladder, homing pond and spawning channels

Coho eggs in incubation room or spawning channels

December - February

Chinook and coho in incubation room and spawning channels

By end of February, Chinook and coho fry move to inside raceways

March - April

Chinook and Coho move outside to raceways

Chinook and coho juveniles getting ready to leave – use ladder to get to homing pond; in homing pond because too large for raceways

Chinook will move outside to raceways prior to coho and then again will move into homing pond before coho.

May

At the beginning of May, all juvenile fish have option of leaving pond via ladder into Lake or Montlake Cut.

All remaining fish are forced out by May 15 due to temperature of lake water.

June – Late August

No fish. Exterior raceways, spawning channels, ladder and pond not used. All facilities are cleaned etc. If a more natural edge in the pond were used it would need to be planted with plant species that could accommodate a draw down so that the waste trap etc could be cleaned.

See also handout from Issaquah Hatchery.

Have fun and CARPe diem!



ACTIVATING RESEARCH, LEARNING + CAMPUS LIFE

AN AQUATIC RESEARCH FACILITY SITE STUDY AT UW

PROGRAM

Program:

EXISTING (Interior) – 6,700 sf

- Research hatchery room – 3000 sf
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- Lab 3 – 750 sf
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- Incubation room – 450 sf
- Office – 150 sf
- Storage – 350 sf
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PROPOSED (Interior) – 8,000 sf (minimum)

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- Interpretative elements – 300 sf
- Bathrooms – 300 sf

Other potential optional elements:

- SAFS offices relocated from Fisheries Teaching Bldg and Marine Sciences Bldg (both buildings will be demolished to accommodate the West Campus Green)
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- Other non-UW partners
- Restaurant/café/other food service

EXISTING (Exterior) – @40,000 sf

- Homing Pond + viewing area
- Fish Ladder
- Pump House
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- Loading dock
- Parking spaces
- Trails/walkways

PROPOSED (Exterior) – tbd

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- Bike parking
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Site Criteria:

SITE + INFRASTRUCTURE

- Cold water access
- Utilities
- Zoning + Permitting
- Environmental Impact
- Construction Feasibility
- Existing conditions

SITE CONTEXT

- Proximity to SAFS / Labs
- Mobility and human access
- Proximity of amenities
- Visibility / foot traffic
- Compatibility of Adjacent uses

DEVELOPMENT + COST

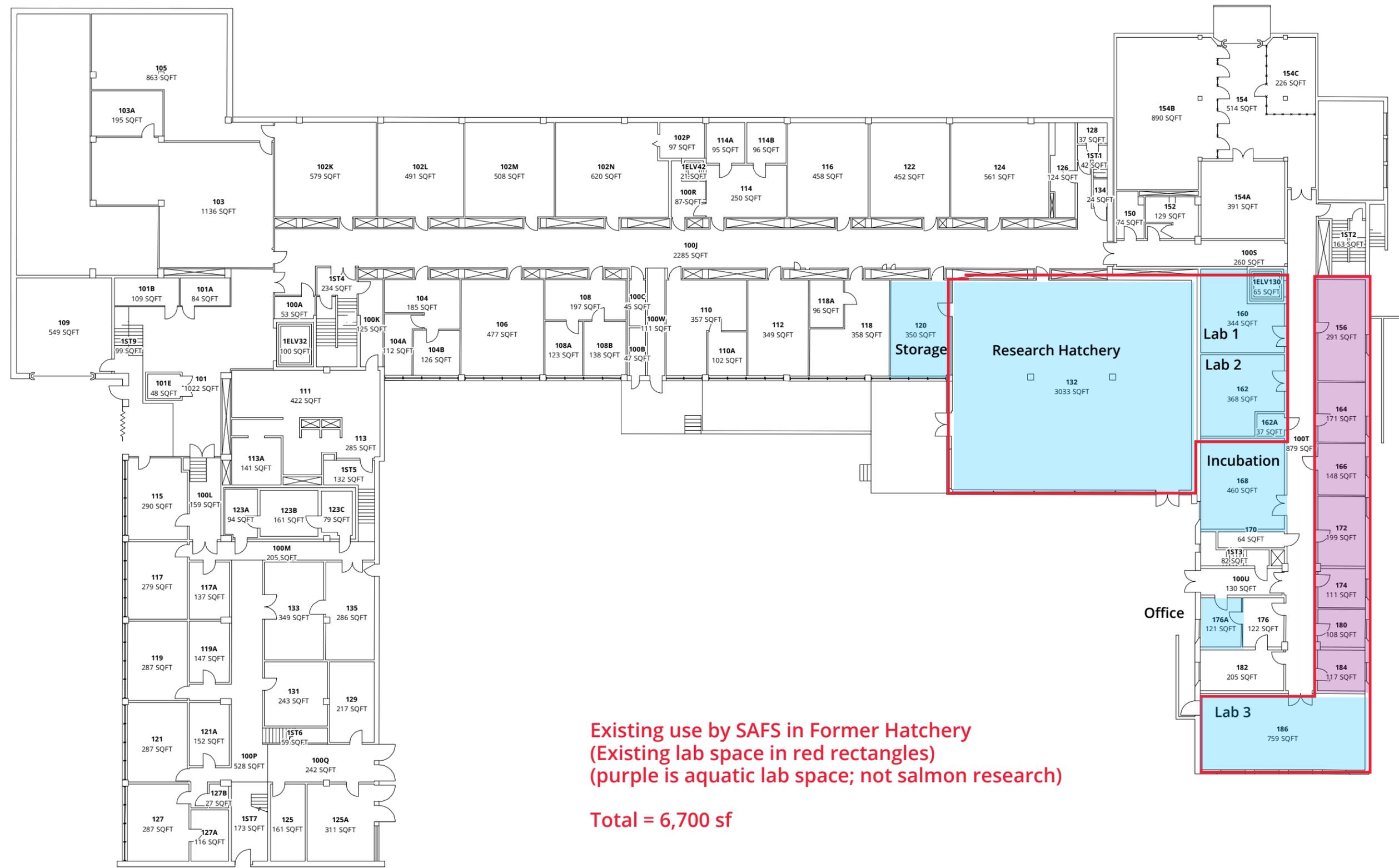
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Existing use by SAFS in Former Hatchery
 (Existing lab space in red rectangles)
 (purple is aquatic lab space; not salmon research)

Total = 6,700 sf

*The SQFT used in this map is based on the FICM standard of measurement

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A7.3 [ASSIGNMENT 7.3]: FINAL REVIEW

Site Identification and Assessment

Site Identification and Context Diagram

SWOT Assessment (preferably is a diagram but can be bullet points)

- Site Strengths and Opportunities / Site Weaknesses and Threats
- Provide additional images/maps/etc as needed to describe everything that is relevant (site scale/context scale/watershed scale)

Concept Designs:

Vision/Mission Statement

- Mission: single, succinct statement – must address stakeholders' goals of research, outreach and production and 'aquatic research beyond salmon research'
- Vision: should provide additional detail, can be list of "goals"

EXISTING

History of Site

- Include images/photos/maps/etc that are relevant to your concept design

History of SAFS

- Include images/photos/maps/text that are relevant to your concept design

Existing Context Plan (University/neighborhood scale)

- North Arrow
- Delineation of your site
- Key items labeled/identified

Existing Context Plan (site surroundings)

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Existing Site Photos

- Include key plan showing where photos were taken and what direction looking
- Include caption for each site photo

Existing Site + Analysis Plan (site scale)

- Include labels
- North arrow
- Analysis that is important to your design (adjacent programs, views, circulation, etc)
- This can be multiple plans/diagrams if that is easier

Existing Site Zoning and Regulations (may be combined with site analysis if legible)

Campus Master Plan for Site and Site Context

- Delineation of your site
- Key items labeled/identified

PROPOSED

Site Plan

- Rendered with call-outs or legend of key features
- North arrow
- Include first floor floorplan if you have one

Site Sections (min 2)

- Rendered with call-outs or legend of key features

Site Plan Detail Plans (as needed)

- Use to describe complex or important features in more detail

Program Diagram (can be overlaid floorplans) – first floor plan should include simplified site plan

Include what is restricted versus open to the public (can be separate diagram if easier)

- Identify with color and labels/key:
Blue = research/production program

Purple = support program

Green = outreach program

Other public program (color as appropriate – may need 4th or 5th colors)

- Research hatchery
- Flexible wet lab room
- Incubation room
- Exterior rearing elements: raceways, tanks, crowder + processing area, homing pond, spawning channels, fish ladder/stream
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- Water storage + temperature control
- Sedimentation tank
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- Storage
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- Truck Access
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Optional

- Additional wet/dry labs
- Additional faculty offices
- Classrooms
- Space for other academic units (not SAFS)
- Café/food service
- Gathering

Phasing Diagram (if appropriate)

- Show all phases

Water System Diagram

Fish Propagation Diagram

Material Palette Diagram/plan

- Include photos of proposed materials/precedents

Plant Palette Diagram/plan

- Include photos
- Can be separated by canopy/understory/groundcover OR by area (wooded/marsh/path)

Circulation Diagram

- Separate per public vs not public visitors

Precedents

- Can be presented per area or generally as concept inspiration

Lighting Diagram

Seasonal Programming/Use/changes Diagram

Conceptual Diagrams

Power Views (min. 4)

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