NODIES & NETWORKS

LIGHT RAILS | HEAVY CONFLICTS | SOCIAL CENTERS

WHERE’S THE PARTY

LINK

RIGHT OF WAY

MIDDLE GROUND

INHABITING THE LANDSCAPE

FUSION
INFRASTRUCTURE SYSTEMS
REGIONAL AND LOCAL

Seattle and the Rainier Valley - I-5 and I-90 Corridors

Rainier Valley - Primary Transportation corridors
INFRASTRUCTURE SYSTEMS
LINK LIGHT RAIL AND STUDIO INTERVENTION

Rainier Valley - Link Light Rail Implementation

Rainier Valley - Intervention Strategies
WHERE'S THE PARTY?
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT THROUGH ACTIVATING SPACES
CONNECTING THE FRAGMENTS

NEIGHBORHOOD OPPORTUNITIES

light rail
identity
diversity
sense of place
history
edge
CONNECTIVITY
LOCAL OPPORTUNITIES

- Puget Sound
- North Seattle
- Rainier Valley
- Port of Seattle
- SeaTac Airport
- Education
- Information
- Nature
- Nature
SOUTHEAST SEATTLE IMAGES
SOUTHEAST SEATTLE
PROPOSED STRATEGIES

- enhance connections throughout region:
  - between light rail stations
  - along north-south corridors
  - along east-west connections
  - between interior and exterior spaces

- activate exterior space through community events:
  - embracing culture
  - ethnic festivals
  - music and street performance
  - road and/or bicycle races
PRECEDENT STUDIES
STREET AND OPEN SPACES  TEMPORARY STRUCTURES  TRANSPARENT FACADES
GERMANTOWN AVENUE
IMAGES
SOUTHEAST SEATTLE
LIGHT RAIL INTERVENTION | EXISTING AMENITIES
MUSIC AS ACTIVATOR
BEATWALK | EXISTING LOCATIONS AND POSSIBLE EXPANSION
FITNESS AS ACTIVATOR

POTENTIAL ACTIVE TRAVEL ROUTES
CONNECTIVITY OPPORTUNITIES
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND ZONING ADJUSTMENT STRATEGIES
BUILT ENVIRONMENT STRATEGIES

SPACE ACTIVATING TYPOLOGIES

light rail stations

interaction at parking lots

interaction at the street

vertical interaction
STRATEGY IMPLEMENTATION
LIGHT RAIL STATION ACTIVATORS | BOUQUINISTS AND KIOSKS
STRATEGY IMPLEMENTATION
CONNECTIVITY BETWEEN INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR SPACES
STRATEGY IMPLEMENTATION
ACTIVATING EXTERIOR SPACE ON A MARKET OR FESTIVAL DAY
STRATEGY IMPLEMENTATION

STREETSCAPE IMPROVEMENTS | CORRIDOR CONNECTIONS
STRATEGY IMPLEMENTATION
CONNECTION WITH MAIN STREET
WHERE’S THE PARTY?
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT THROUGH ACTIVATING SPACES
resources

opportunities

transportation

kids & schools

empty parking lots

destination

training & jobs

entrepreneurs
Art by Cathy Fields
with Rainier Beach High School and Cleveland High School  - 2005
SEED grant
Urban Animals
Porcelain enamel on steel
partitions migrate in and out

bus shelters and riders are drawn in

dividers become bridges
INTERSECTIONS
SITE SELECTION
SITE STRATEGY
SOW|COVER|GERMINATE|SPREAD
SEEDS PROGRAM

RAINIER VALLEY CULTURAL GARDENS
AMPHITHEATER
FARMERS MARKET
LIVESTOCK PEN
GARDENERS RESOURCE CENTER

RIGHT OF WAY | JACK HUNTER | ARCH 524 | N HUBER | UW CBE | WINTER 2010
GARDEN CENTER
TOOLS AND RESOURCES FOR GARDENERS
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CULTURAL GARDENS
BUILDING CULTURAL AND SOCIAL CAPITAL
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AMPHITHEATER
PUBLIC PERFORMANCE VENUE
MARKET PAVILION
COLLECTING LOCAL AND REGIONAL BOUNTY
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RIGHT OF WAY FARM
Inhabiting the landscape
**Circuits - Connected Systems**

- **Forest**
- **Seattle Kubota Garden**
- **Woodland Park Zoo**
- **Northwest Horticulture**
- **Parks and Recreation**
- **Doctor Jose Rizal Park**
- **Mount Baker Park**
- **Gardening**

**GREEN Corridor**

![Image of forest and wildlife]

![Image of park and cityscape]

![Image of garden and flowers]

![Image of trail and nature]

![Image of gardening tools and plants]
Circuits - Connected Systems

GREEN Corridor

P Patch Program

Seafood Markets

Fresh Produce Markets
Context
Rainer Beach Light Rail Station + Context

Dynamic of the Site

MULTI CULTURAL AGRICULTURE

New Constellation emerge

Design strategies that focus on dynamics of plants.

Harvest to accompany the development of new urban area
Flexible Community

agriculture makes way for architecture

Greenway extends

Concept

Layered landscape

Slabs generated from the contours and allowing the movement in different directions.

Slab pulled out from topographic lines

To explore the possibilities of inhabiting a landscape whereby the users and the landscape are interdependent
Inhabitant = Landscape

building community through the shared experience
P Patch Community
Endless expansions

“Strange attractors” bound in regional city road network
Site Factors

Green Corridor

Light Rail Station

Rainer Valley Corridor

Rainer Beach Light Rail Station + Context
Rethink Reinforce

Green Corridor

Light Rail Station

Rainer Valley Corridor

Programming the Green Corridor

Bridging the Green Corridor
Uninterrupted Landform

Building community through the shared experience. Bridging and increasing the interaction between social structure.

Rainer Valley Corridor
Catalogue of possible floors

Nature arranged on many levels provide both to existing nature and outstanding symbol of its artificiality.

Emphasises the relationship between nature and social infrastructure.

Building functions as a laboratory
Program

Classrooms
Education Centre
Plant Seed Lab
Vertical Garden
Pots
Information/Market/Cafe
Market
Food Store/Market
Transit Movement

INHABITING THE LANDSCAPE
Inhabiting the landscape

Platform for interaction

Harvest to accompany the development of new urban area
Inhabiting the landscape

Bridging the East West.

Horizontal Plane which wrap around the both the builtform.
Inhabiting the landscape

Landscape strange attractors

Market/Gathering space for community