

Slow with

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Residential Interior / Container House

Vitality

By 2020 millennials born between 1980 and 2000 will make up half of the global workforce. Not only are they the largest generation since the "baby boom" but they're also about to enter prime purchasing years and need places to live, work and shop. In major urban conurbations, millennials (and other young professionals) are constantly priced-out of the housing market. Forced into unsatisfactory rented accommodation; often expensive and inadequate.

Using standard shipping containers as a spatial footprint to create a concept suitable for a collaborative living/ working/ play community. This will be targeted towards graduates/ under 30s/ millennials. These communities should have infrastructure "anchors" and provide a mix of private, semi-private and communal spaces. Inhabitants will reside temporarily (24 - 36months) before moving on to either permanent housing stock or another community elsewhere on the globe as part of a transient "tribe".



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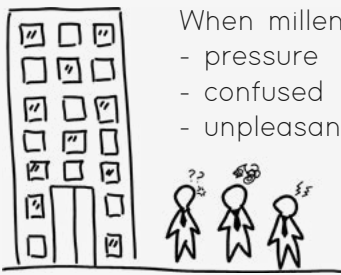
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This project is specifically targeted on graduates, young professionals, millennials. The house is built by no more than 4 standard containers and the containers can be used in any orientation to create an interesting internal/ external use of space. This module of 4 containers will form the core of a co-living/ working/ play community. It should provide a mixture of private, semi-private and communal spaces.

People will have connection with the entire container house and green space. They can enjoy the moment with other people and having resonance with nature, no matter they stay indoor or outdoor, sit on the roof or platform. Everywhere of the container house and green space, is going to create a relaxing and cosy experience with nature for people.

Concept

Creating a relaxing and slow space by 4 high cube containers.



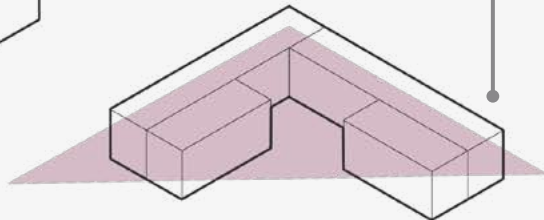
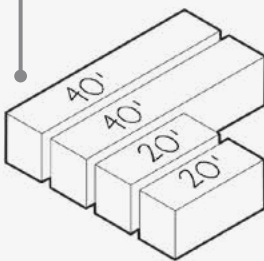
When millennials feel

- pressure
- confused
- unpleasant



Plants can help to,

- reduce stress
- provide "heart-healing" feeling



In ikebana, a Japanese art of flower arrangement, triangle always appears.



Private Spaces

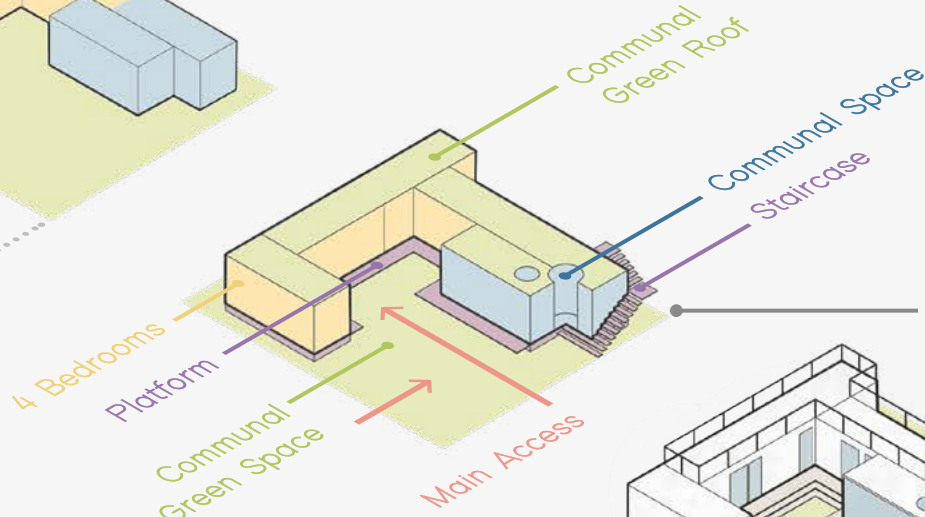
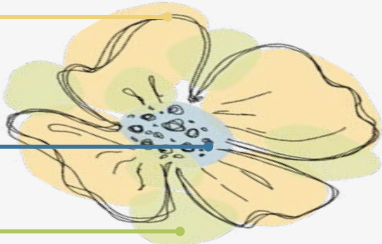
- Bedroom
- Bathroom
- Study / Work

Shared Spaces

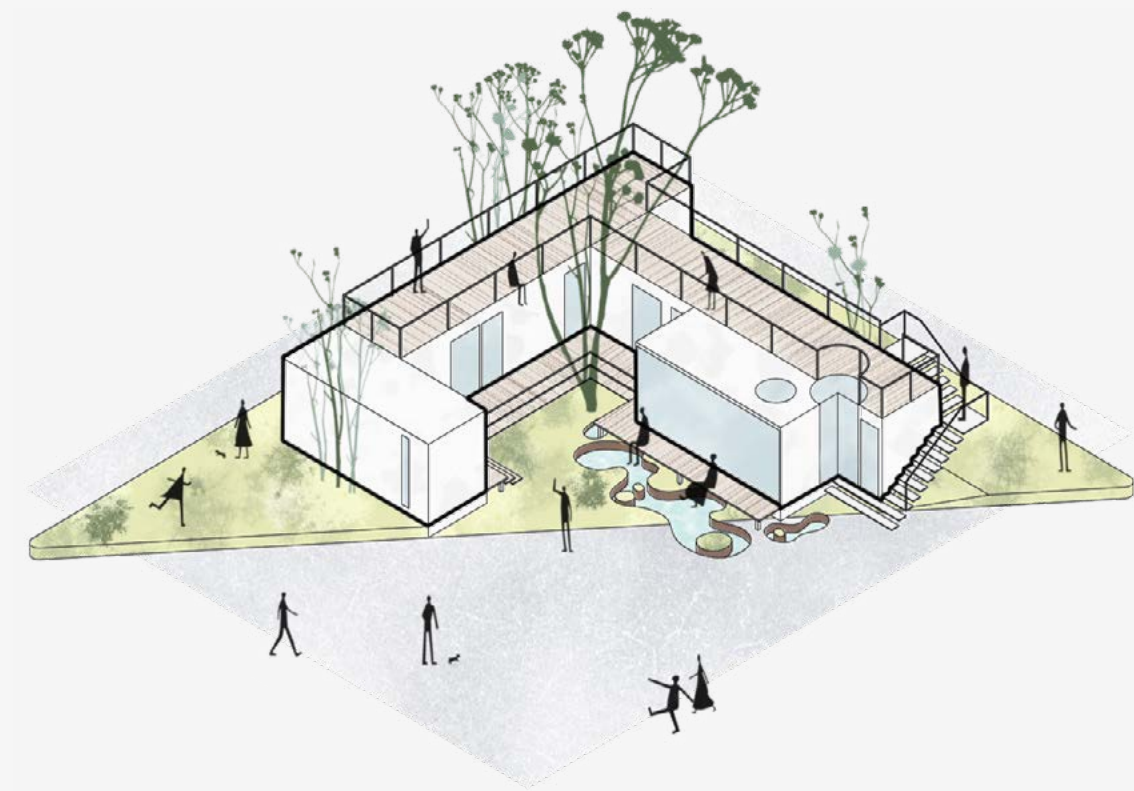
- Living
- Dining + Kitchen
- Laundry

Greenery Spaces

- Personal Garden
- Shared Green-Space



Add-on greenery and structures for allowing residents to have more connection with the nature.



Greenery in Traingle

Materials and colours are in natural tone, which intend to build a "blankpaper-like" spaces for residents to create thier own styles.

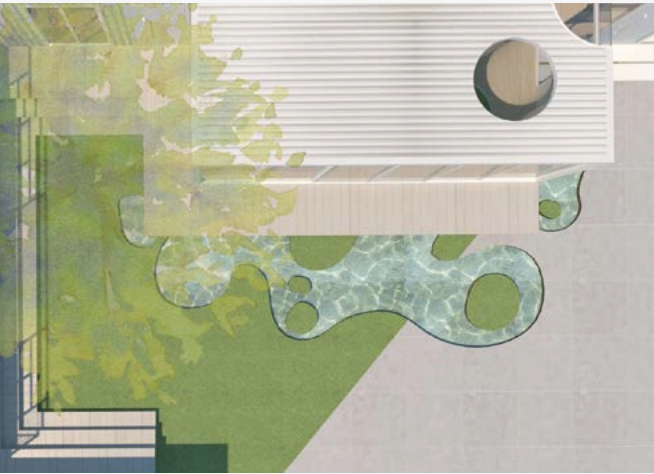
Warm Tone Bedroom with Clear-looking En-suite Bath



Light Shared Space



Fresh Greenery Space



There is a triangle appears in every direction of the container house, which fulfill the concept of ikebana.

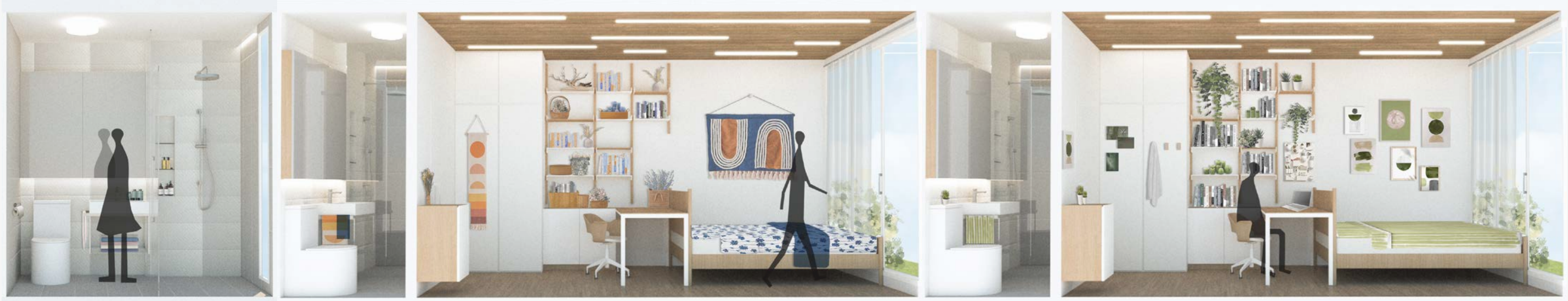


Elevation A



Elevation B

Slow Interior with Vivid Exterior



A full height window is installed in each bedroom, which allows residents to access to their personal green space and connect to nature even when they stay indoor.

More full height windows are created for both private and communal space, which blur the boundary between interior and exterior. The indoor glass well with plants is installed and function as the same purpose.

There are seating area at roof, by sitting at the edge of roof, residents enjoy different sceneries with friends or just having a "meditation" time alone.

Outdoor ponds help to enhance the atmosphere of nature, and residents are able to experience that by seat along the platform.

