

**ANTHROPOCENE MEMORIAL  
WITH CARBON CASTING**

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## Cast in Carbon - GGS

Cast in Carbon aims to reverse the carbon cycle by removing excess carbon dioxide from the atmosphere and reducing carbon emissions generated through the construction process. Biochar is a new construction material through which carbon can be stored wit...



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## CAST IN CARBON - IAAC Blog

There are huge carbon emissions from human activities every year over the last few decades which has led to a high concentration of carbon in the atmosphere, and is gradually increasing the temperature of the Earth. The industries with the biggest carbon...

Brick - 220 X 100 X 60



Cement - Biochar [P0-30]	Embodied CO <sub>2</sub> - 398 g Weight - 0.88 kg Strength - 26 Mpa Cost - 03 €
Cement - Biochar [60-40]	Embodied CO <sub>2</sub> - 310 g Weight - 0.90 kg Strength - 39.7 Mpa Cost - 04 €
Cement - Biochar [90-50]	Embodied CO <sub>2</sub> - 58 g Weight - 1.04 kg Strength - 64.6 Mpa Cost - 09 €
Conventional Clay Brick	Embodied CO <sub>2</sub> - 342 g Weight - 2.4 kg Strength - 14 Mpa Cost - 34 €

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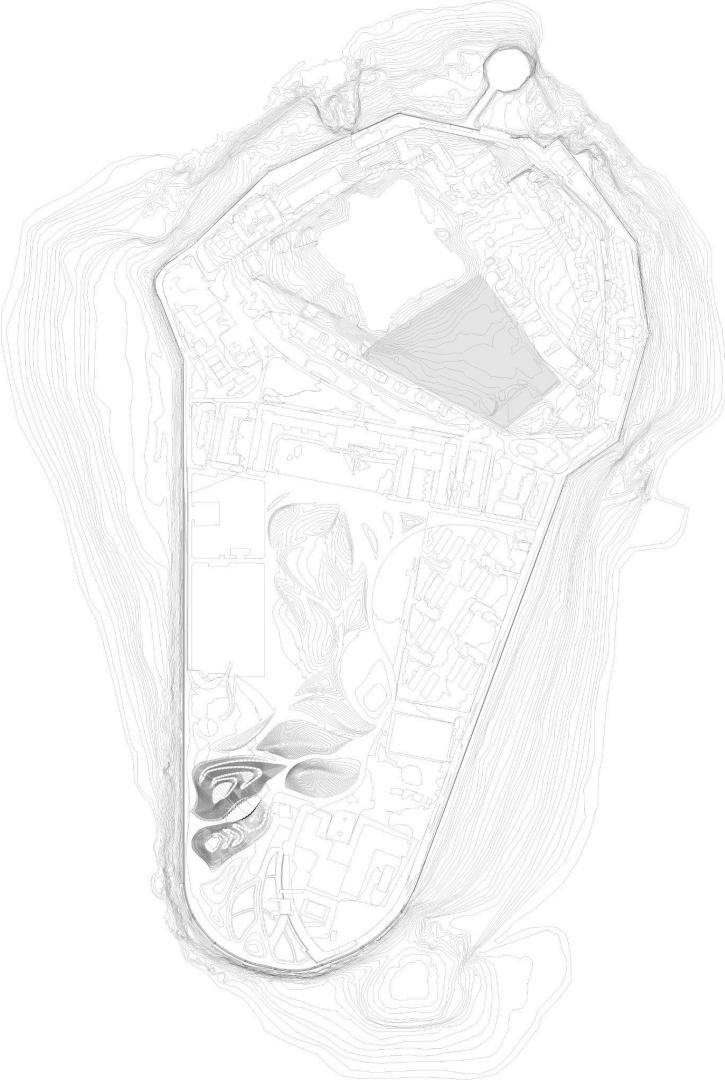


## As Uses of Biochar Expand, Climate Benefits Still Uncertain

Research shows that biochar made from plant fodder and even chicken manure can be used to scrub mercury from power plant emissions and clean up polluted soil. The big question is whether biochar can be produced on a sufficiently large scale to slow or r...

**Can Biochar, a carbon negative material, be integrated into architectural application for reducing building carbon footprint while enhancing the passive performance and micro climate of built spaces ?**

**SITE, GOVERNORS ISLAND**



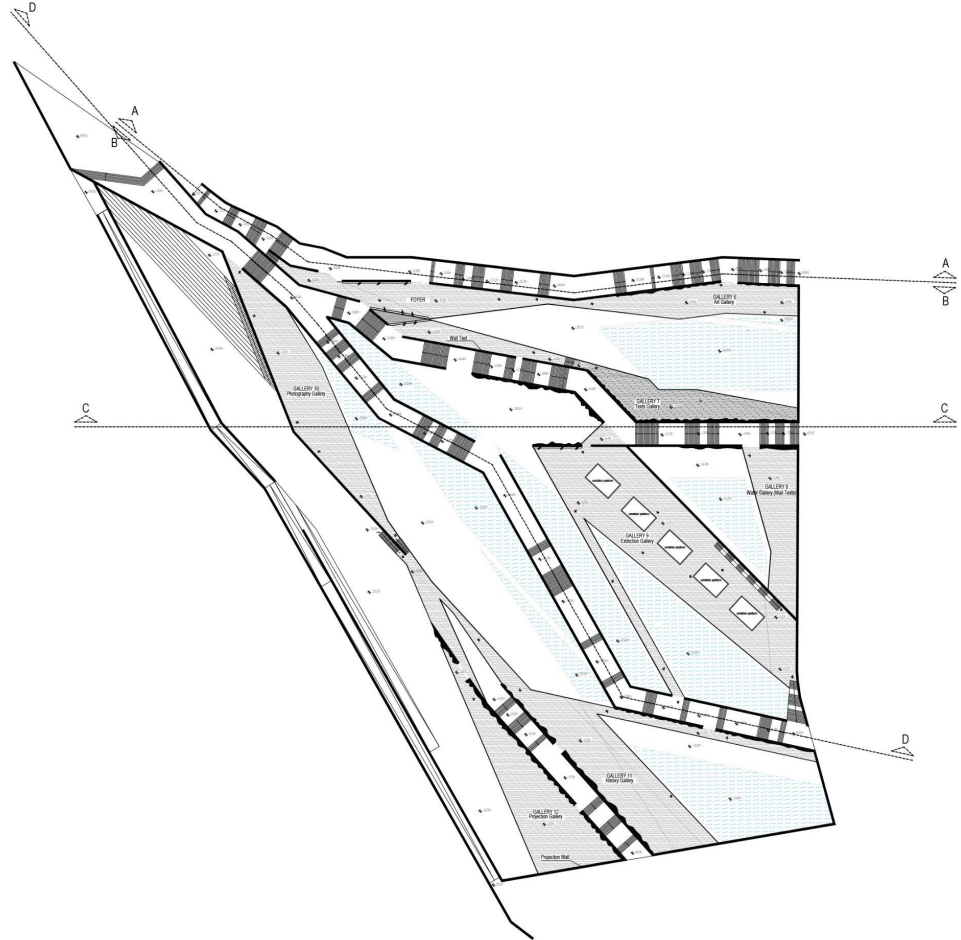
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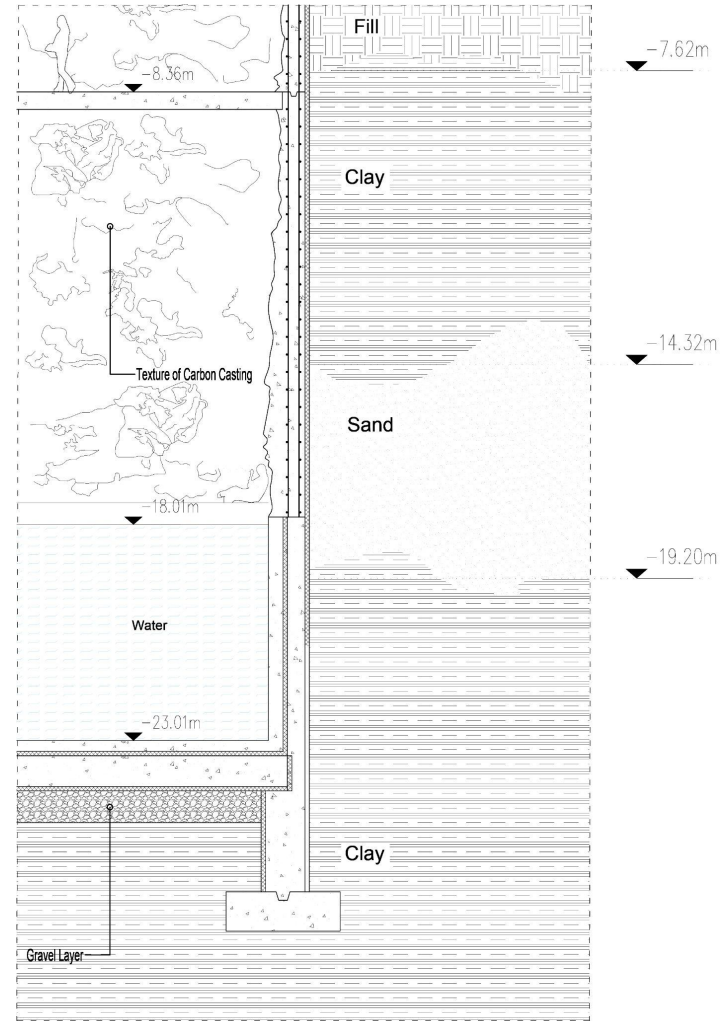
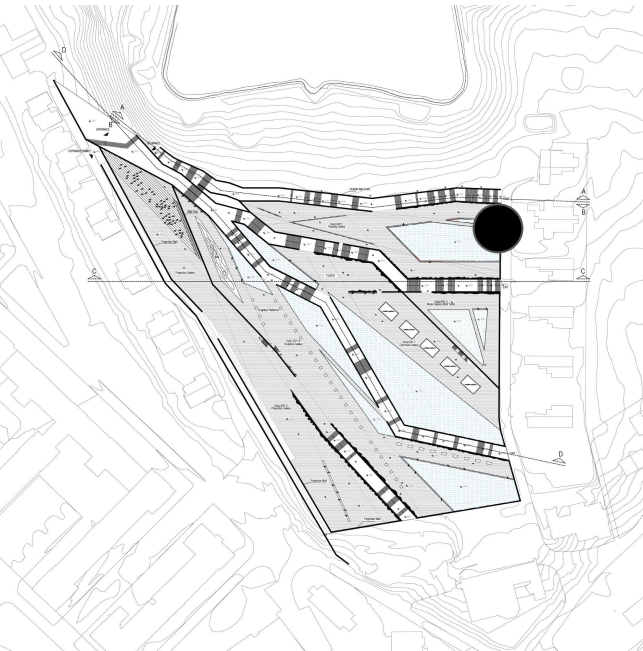




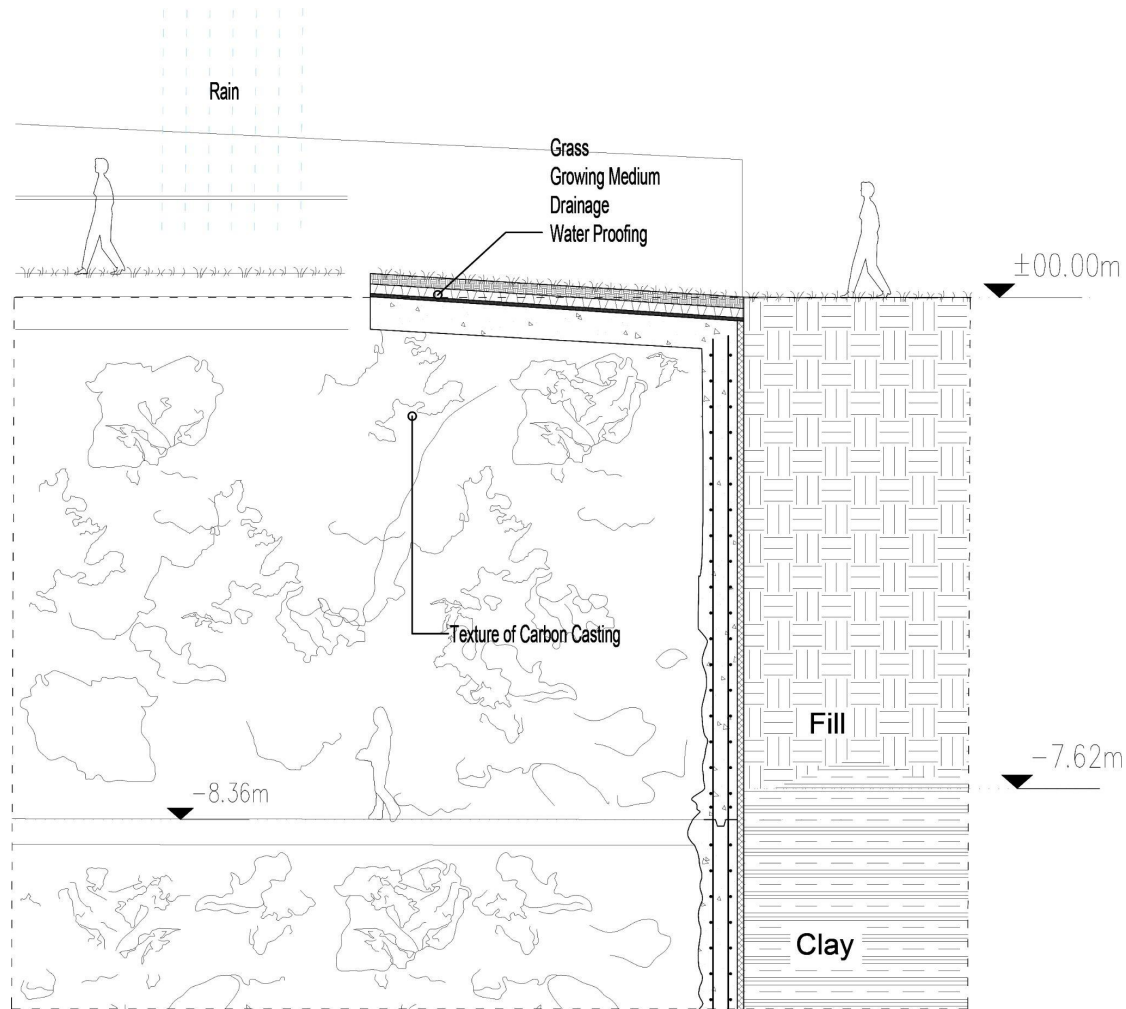
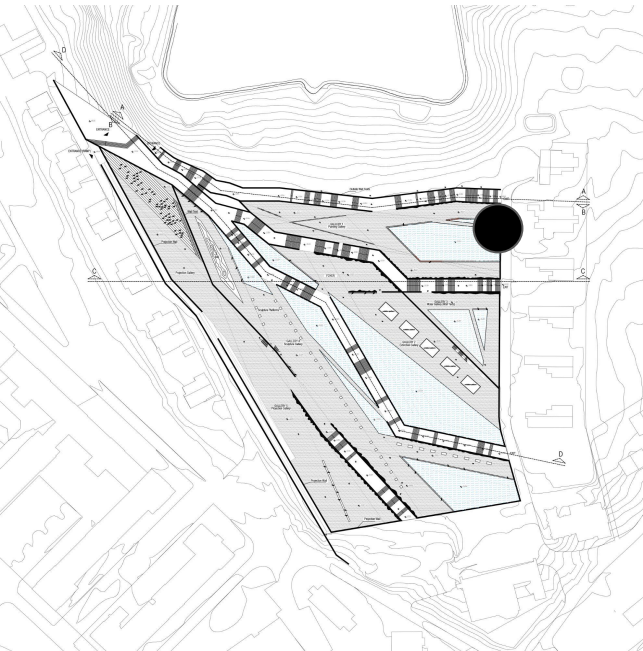
CARBON TEXTURE ON WALL, ILLUSTRATION FROM 1/50 PHYSICAL MODEL



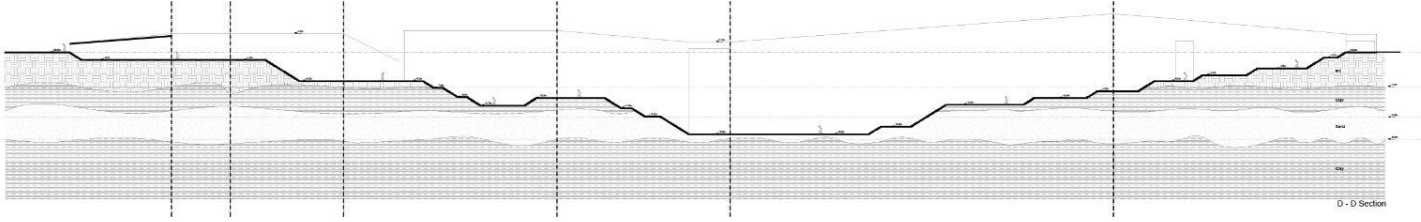
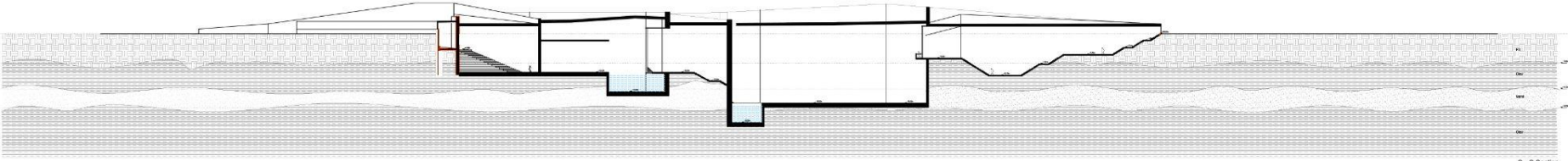
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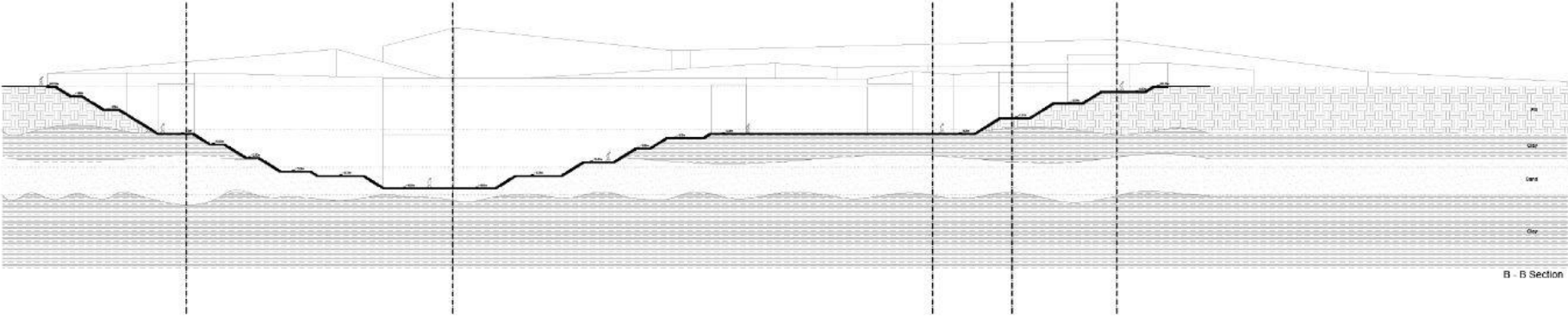
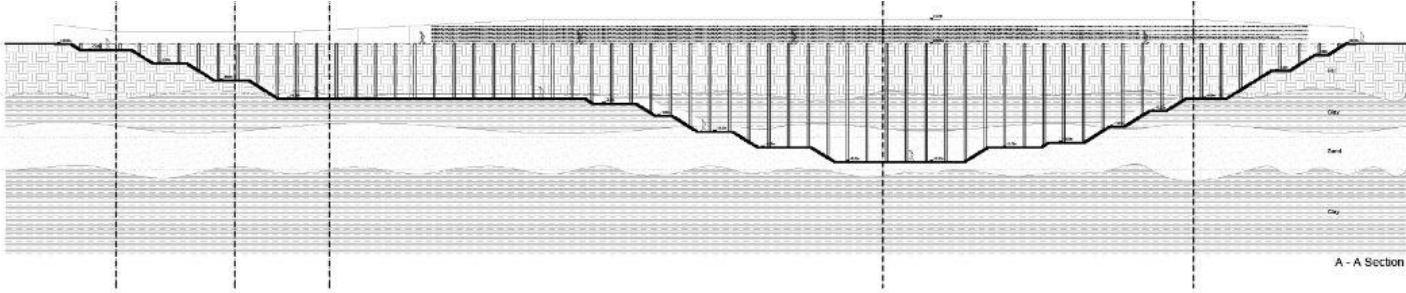
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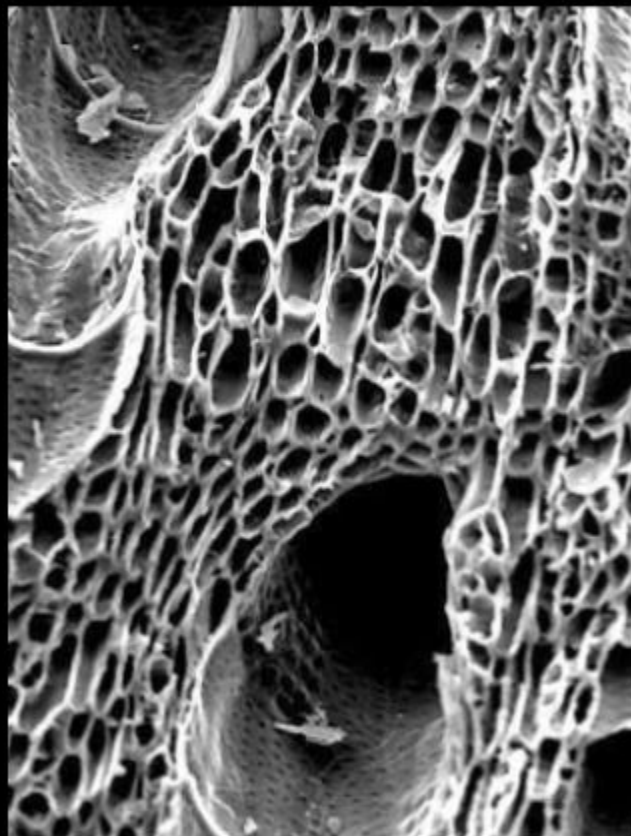
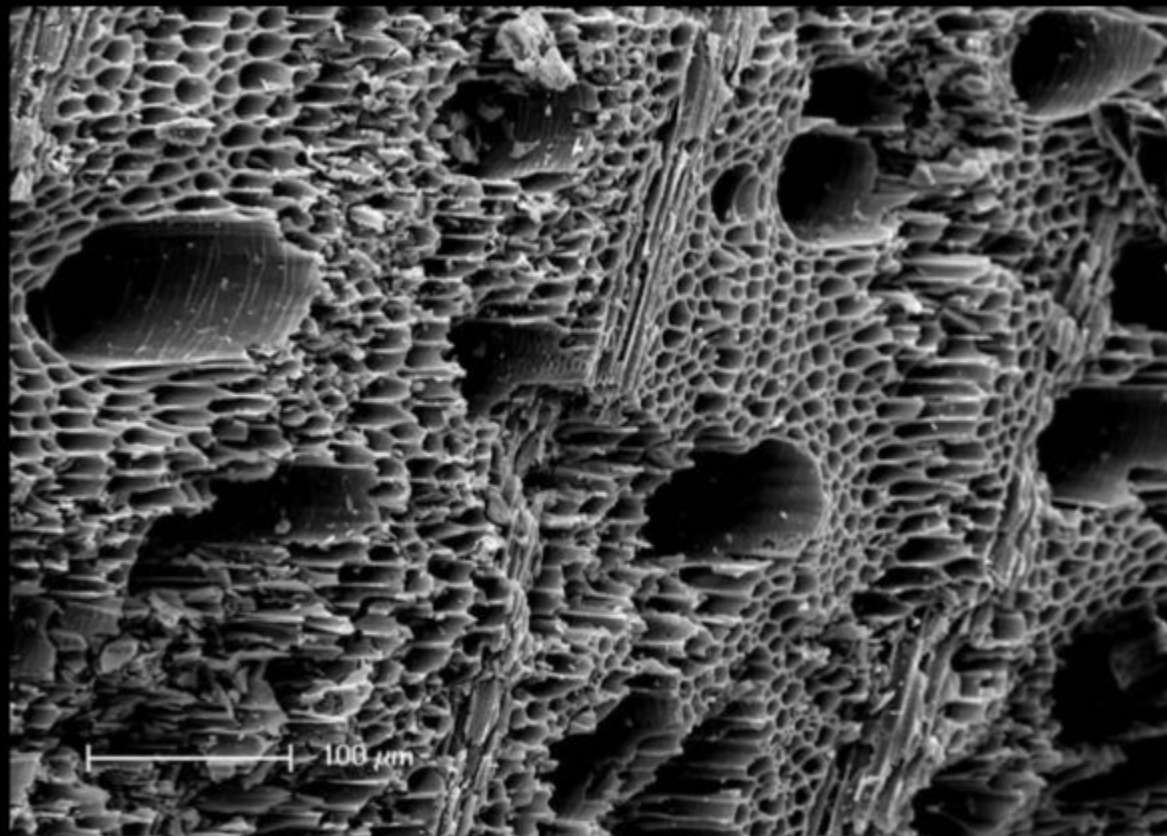
C-C SECTION, D-D SECTION



A-A SECTION, B-B SECTION



MAGNIFIED CARBON, BIOCHAR



CASTING, TEXTURE, PRESEDENT-ANNE HOLTROP







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# SOIL BORING OF GOVERNORS ISLAND, SPRING SEMESTER

## PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

### LUB - HOUSE 14 PRESENT/FUTURE

Kunsel Aldigan

#### LUB - Laguardia-Urban Land Complex, 3 to 8 percent slopes

61% Laguardia (High amount of carbon)  
29% Urban Land  
Minor Components:  
7% Ebbets  
7% Gwentel  
1% Secaucus

#### Laguardia

-Drainage class: Well drained  
-Runoff class: Medium  
-Depth to water table: more than 80 inches  
-Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to moderately high (0.01 to 1.42 in/hr)  
-Available water capacity: Very Low

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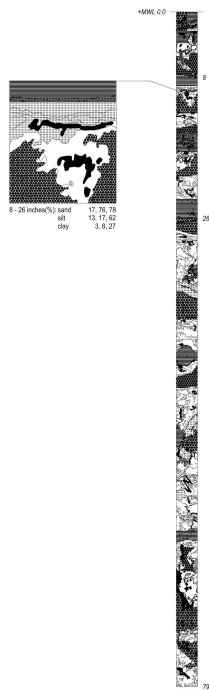
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#### LEGEND



## SOIL PROPERTIES

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## NOTES

### SOIL

45% Minerals (clay, silt, sand, gravel, stones)  
25% Water (the amount varies depending upon precipitation and the water-holding capacity of the soil).  
25% Air (an essential ingredient for living organisms).  
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Low

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Soil structure grade: 0 - 12 inches

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Substrate:

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### Urban Land

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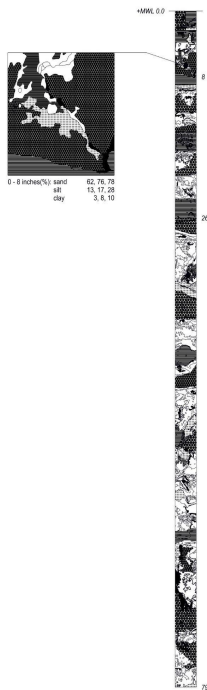
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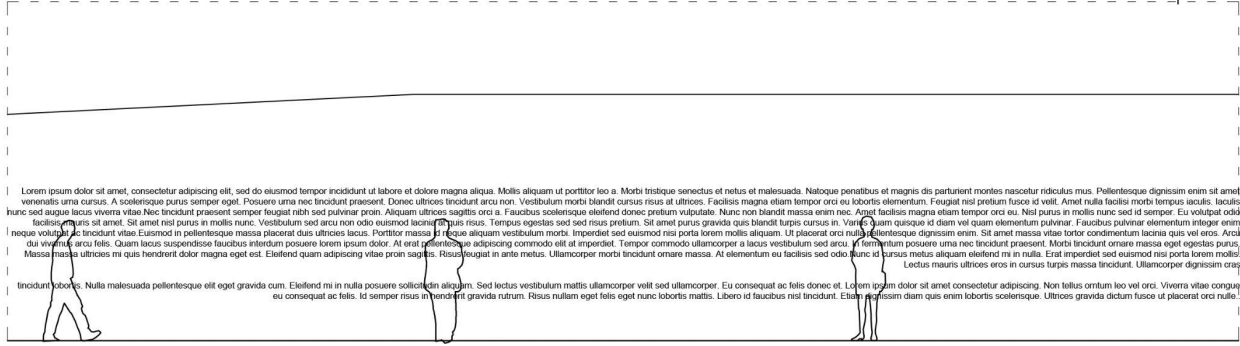
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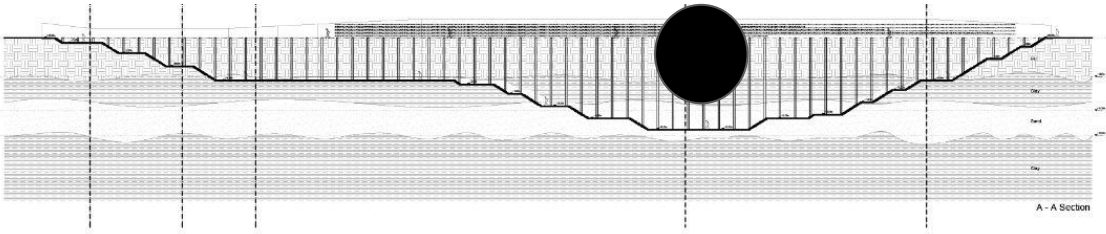
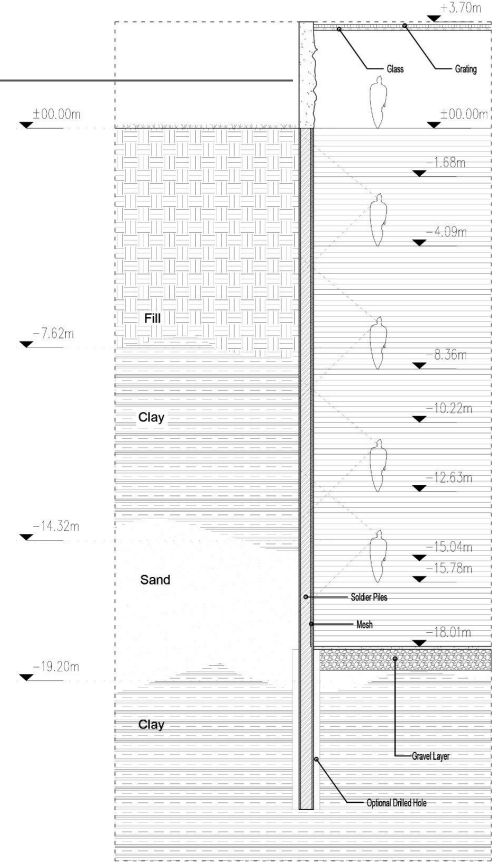
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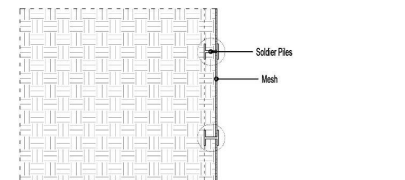


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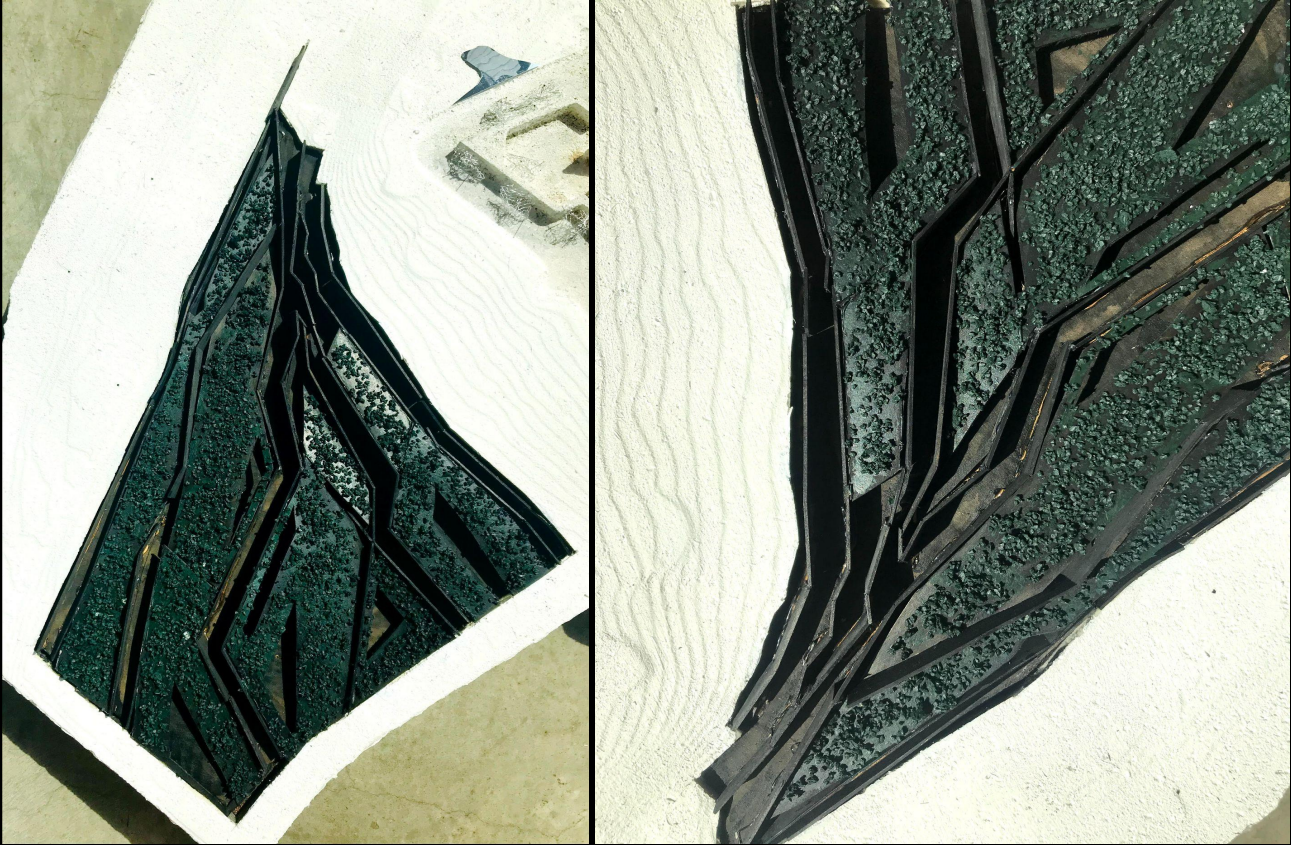


A - A Section



C-C SECTION, D-D SECTION





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