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INTRODUCTION

Ryan Grover is an architectural designer with a background in themed entertainment design. He has contributed to several large-scale projects across the United States in various roles.

Developing a passion for how things get built from a very young age, Ryan has cultivated this curiosity into a career architectural design. He has spent over a decade cultivating skills in 2D drawing as well as 3D modeling, and is well versed in a variety of construction methods.

The following is the portfolio of work Ryan has worked to develop both in his free time and in his academic endeavors. As with all designers and artists, he is constantly working to improve his skills and learn new ones, believing that constant learning and self-improvement is essential to success.

ASCENSION

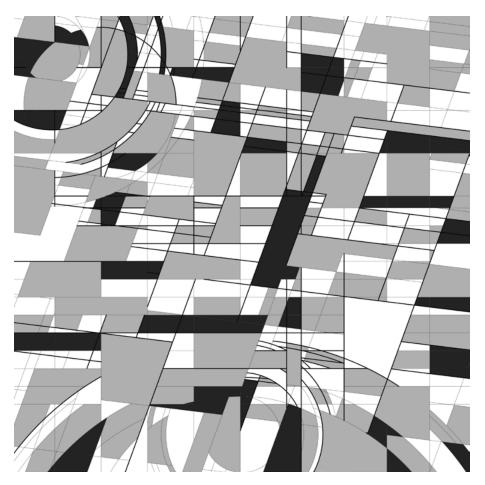


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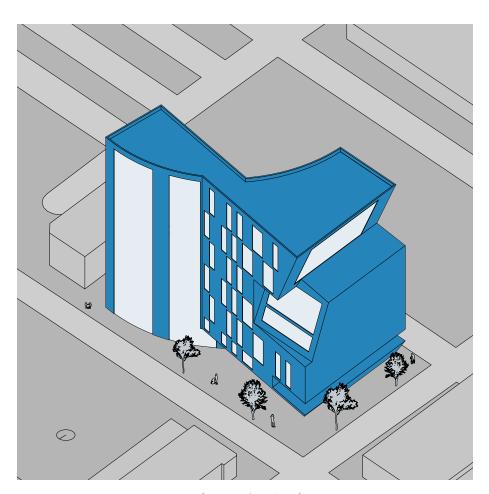
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To accomodate the needs of the occupying school of architecture, this tower's plans and facade focus on providing two essential elements: freedom and comfort. The open plan studio levels allow students and faculty to use the spaces as they see fit, evolving with the needs of studio life. The facade design is derived from the site's solar orientation, seeking to limits thermal penetration of floor-to-ceiling windows while welcoming in natural sunlight. By synchronizing strategically placed openings with exterior features inspired by modernism, these studios are as inviting as possible.

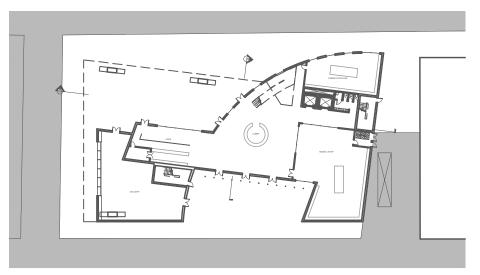




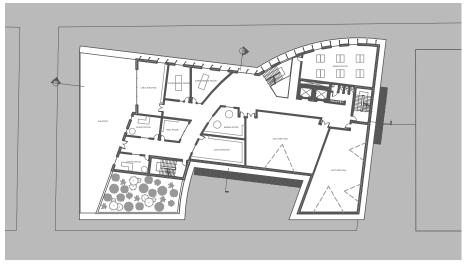
Field Array for Massing and Plan Derivation



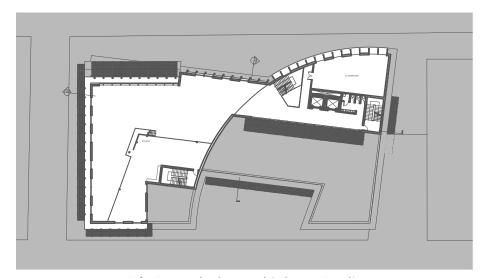
Early Massing Study



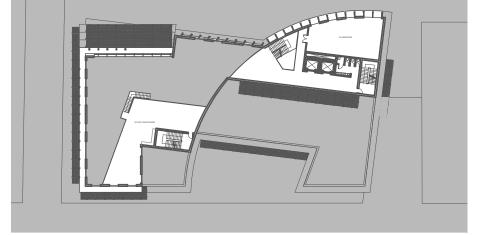
+0' - Ground Floor - Lobby



+21' - Second Floor - Administration



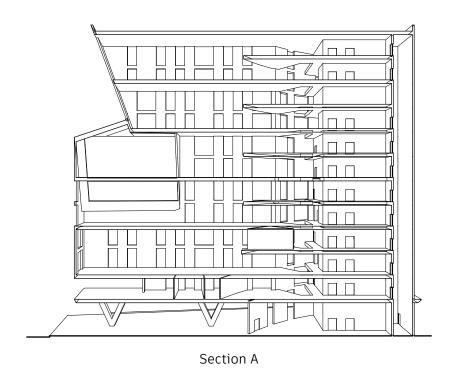
+91' - Seventh Floor - Third Year Studio

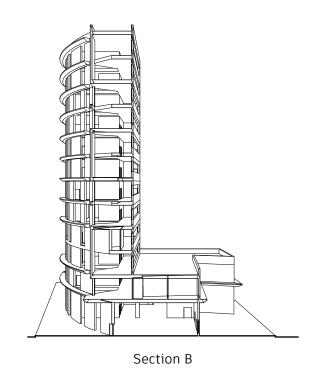


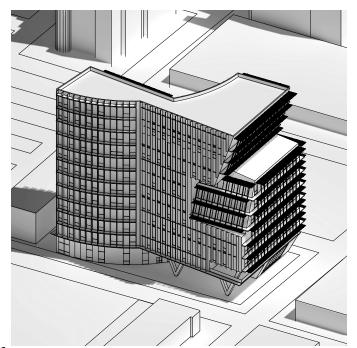
+105' - Eighth Floor - Classroom

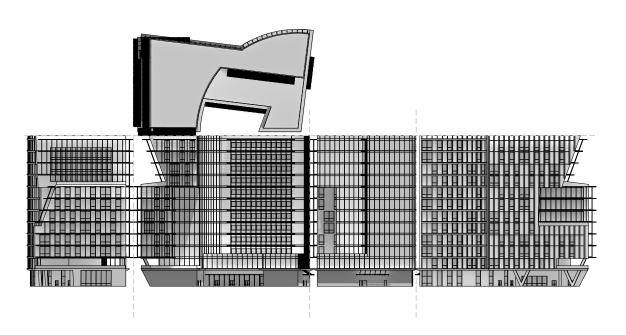
















VANGELIS

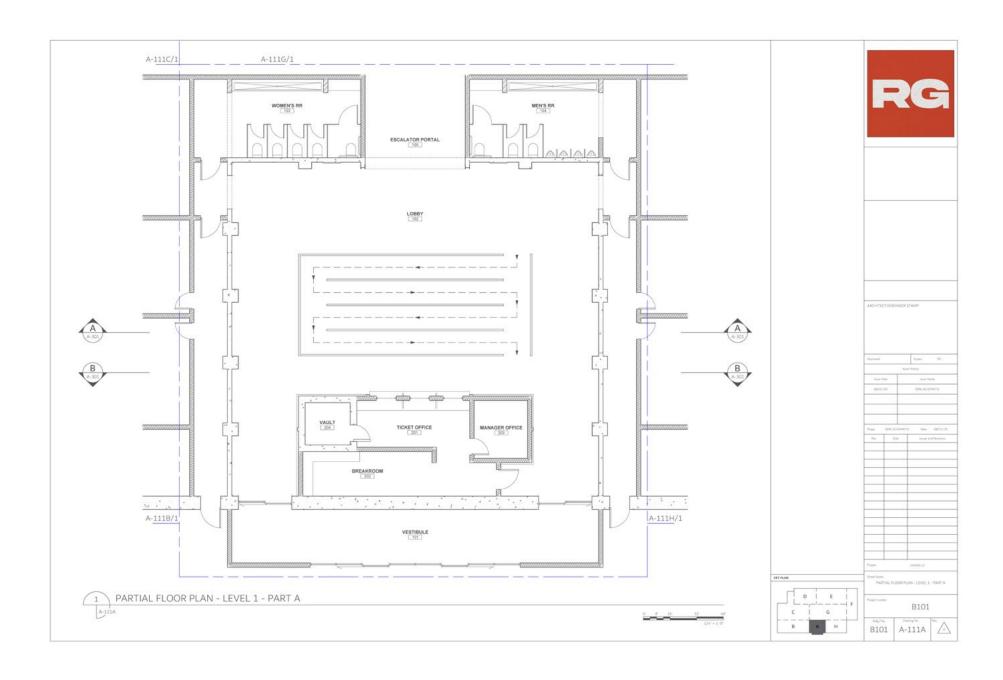


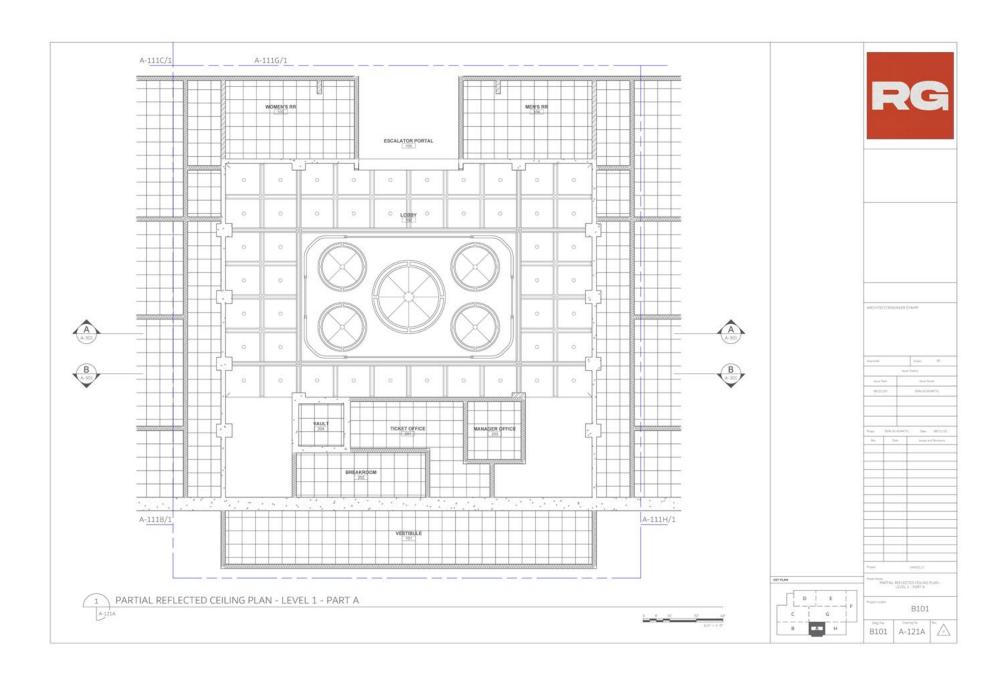
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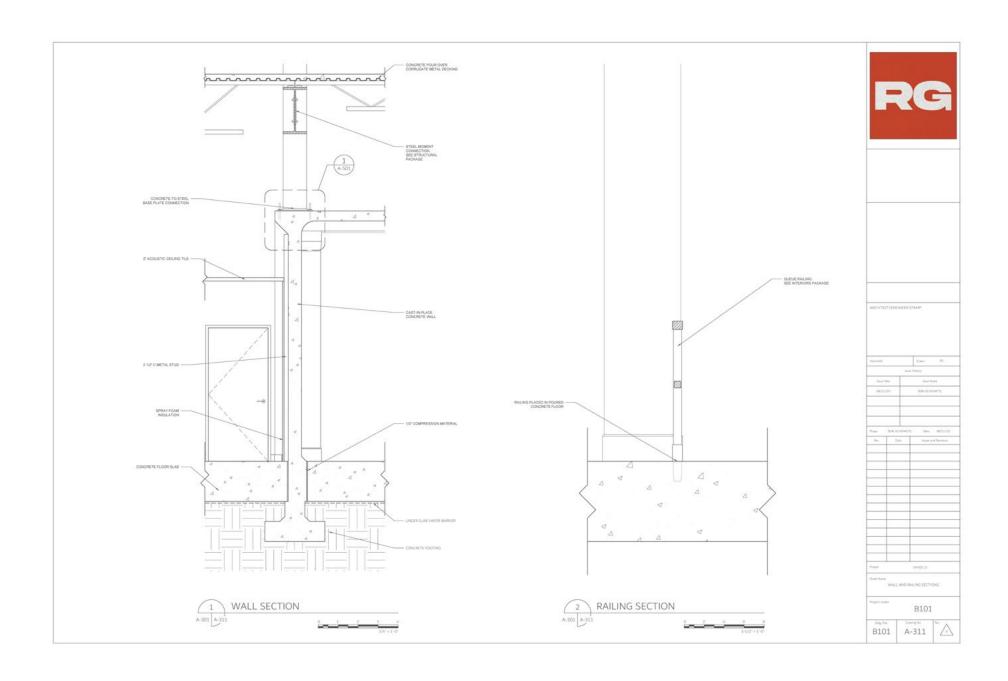
Project Vangelis, a new form of themed entertainment, is aimed at a mature audience and set in a "cyberpunk" city. This drawing package and rendered 3D model of the lobby, where guests purchase tickets and are greeted into the highly-themed experience, is a start to what will be a fully developed indoor theme park concept. Project Vangelis will combine live-action roleplaying, exciting attractions, and delicious food and drink into the ultimate sensory adventure into the darker side of science fiction, all in one enteraining venue.











REFUGE

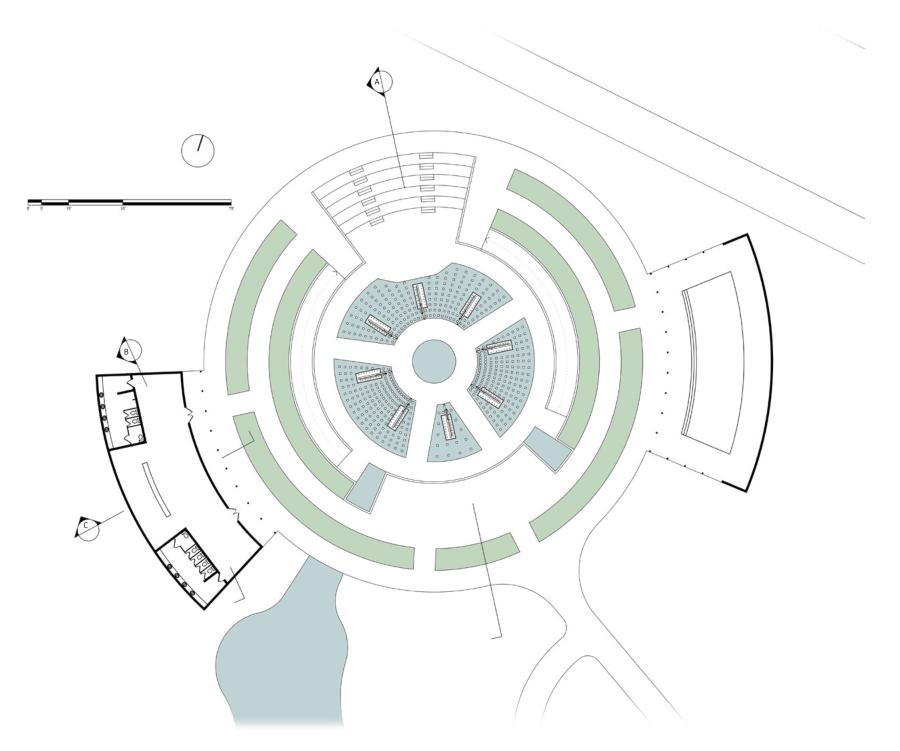


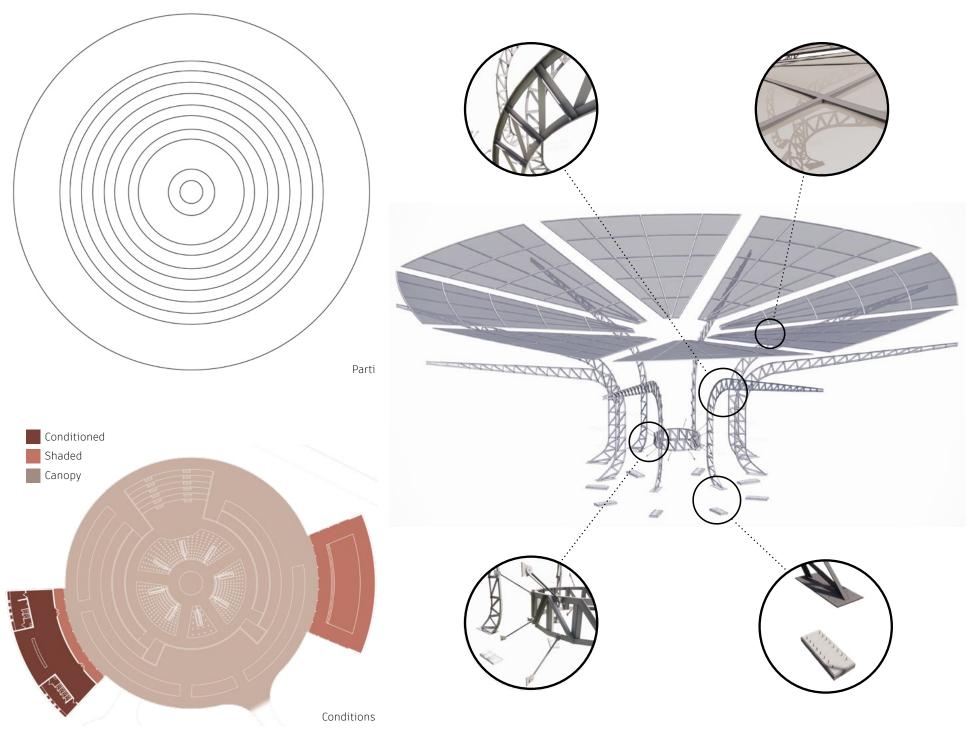
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Refuge, or The Weeping Time Memorial, is a tribute to the over four-hundred souls victimized in the largest single sale of enslaved people in American history. 492 steel pillars represent these souls, sheltered from the harsh southern storms by a colossal cantilevered canopy. This canopy, taking the abstracted form of a tree, also shelters a stage area where local historians can tell the story of the enslaved people in eastern Georgia, as well as a museum space so everyone may be educated and better prepared to continue the fight against prejudice and injustice.

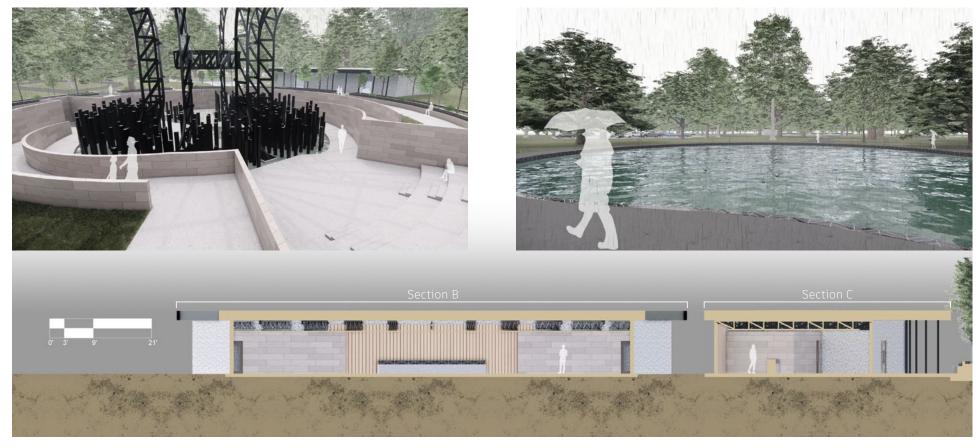












UNSOLVED

5pring 2024

group competition submission

Collaboration with: Kelsey Connolly, Eve Katz, Ben Minke, and Gage Pacetti

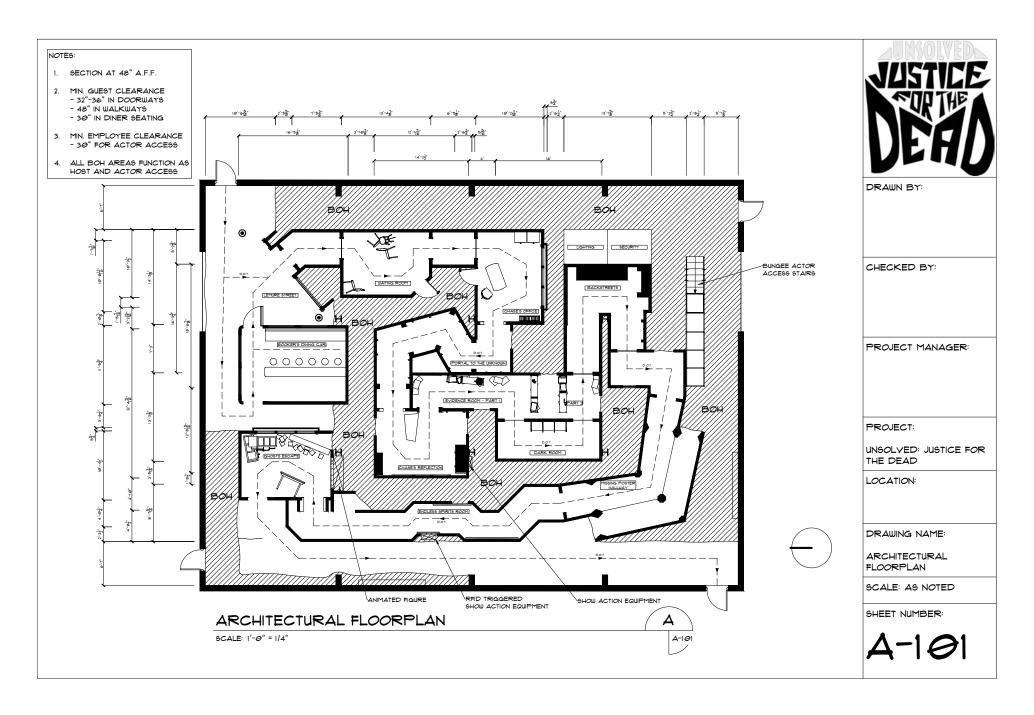
Unsolved: Justice for the Dead is a collaborative project that brought the nightmares of one private investigator to life in a chilling haunted maze. Working within a confined space and around immovable obstacles, this maze's layout presented significant challenges to telling the desired story. Once the layout had been solved, the 3D models of significant set pieces were used a starting point for artists to then create striking key art visuals that further sell the horrors contained within.

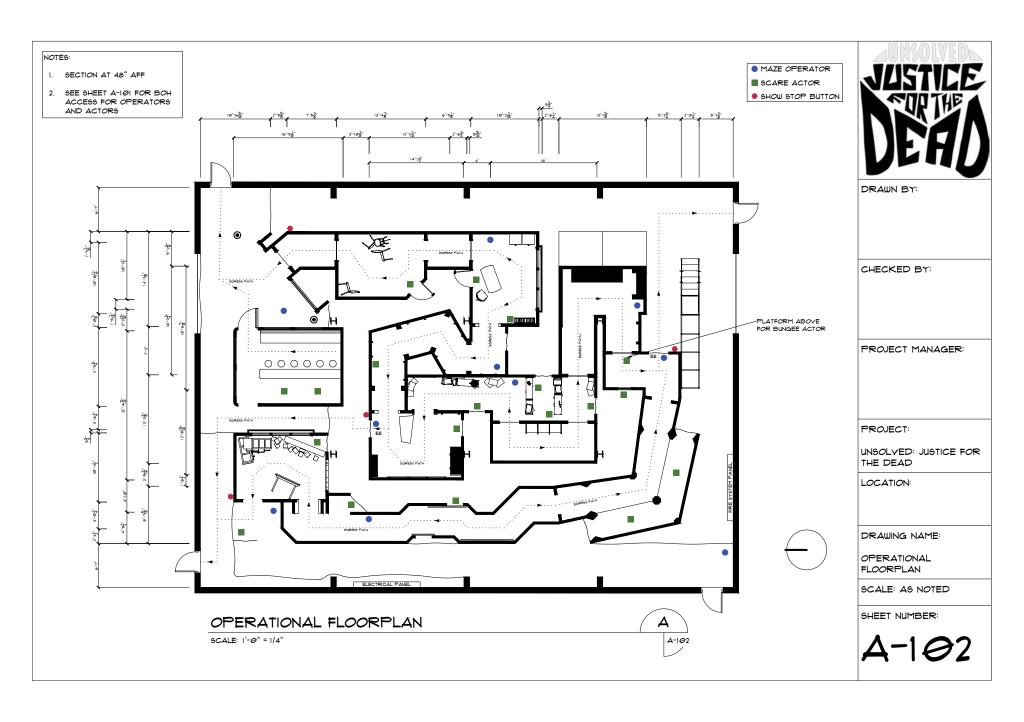


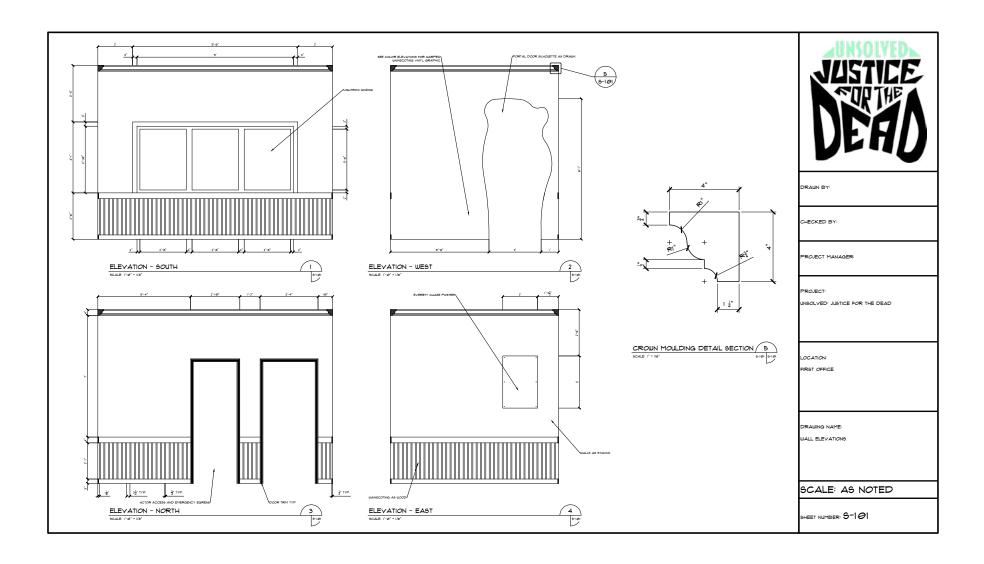












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