

PROJECT SUMMARY

In *Hyper*natures, Nature is monumentalized. The scheme introduces a monumental redwood forest – emblematic of its region – put on display by an interactive circulatory structure.

The park is made up of three plant communities – (1) the Coast Redwood forest in the RING; (2) the enhanced Willow Riparian Forest along the RIVER; (3) the Urban Oak Woodland within the PARK. Each provides critical regional habitat and sequesters carbon.

Immersive structures throughout the park amplify natural phenomena as another means of making *HYPER* the park's Natures. Each structure uses zero-energy strategies to heighten awareness of intangible natures – light, sound, wind, moisture, temperature.

The *Hyper*natures landmark park monumentalizes Nature without Othering it – recognizing it as a fundamental source of awe and inspiration, and as critical to our survival.