## **Project Statement**

*The Cloud & The Valley* is a shape-shifting, indeterminate monument, manifesting the power and character of Silicon Valley. *The Valley* is a landscape consisting of a series of highly articulated hills and dales, softened by ponds and meadows teeming with natural life, cut through by an intricate network of paths that move along, float above, and dig deep into the surface of the earth. Floating above *The Valley* is *The Cloud*, a delicately filigreed gridwork superstructure full of vibrant life and urban activity, containing a museum to Silicon Valley, shops, restaurants, and extensive planted terraces from which to view the landscape.