

Vegetal intelligence of roots networks are the inspiring concept for the social civic network's growth. Building this plants cathedral is at the meantime building the civic community, so the new landscape grows through an incremental continuous process based on inhabitants' needs' evolution.

Natural proportions harmony lead the building activity providing an adaptive framework that can be used by the community to set new elements in the composition. Every new building is particular, a unique piece that responds to a unique story, characterized by an ancient big tree that brings on it the special relation with its origins. In this way the urban confluence becomes an open work built by the participation of the community, a collective artwork that makes the social intelligence interact with the environment to grow an emerging human landscape truly representative of San José identity.

Slowly around the rivers confluence, protecting this precious green space, a tree canyon elevates from the ground presenting a powerful and iconic reference for an ecological transition's future collective challenge. A suggestion of renovated alliance between human intelligence and natural wisdom rising from the new knowledge of human complexity brought to this land an innovative development.

Overnight, in the protected park's atmosphere, a diffused system of little and sensitive lightpoints show a magical and vibrant constellation of plants' and people's activities. An optical fiber network and a fluorescent composition work like a passive distribution light system. Inner activity transforms buildings into romantic lanterns and out-door meetings enlighten the upper tree leaves manifestating themselves to far view. This changing light landscape shows the whole valley the living pulsating heart of the city, a people generated dynamic composition creating a fascinating and communicative luminous sculpture.

The respect for environmental value is born directly from the taking care relation, an intimate connection between community and urban landscape. This shared knowledge asset requires the contribution of all the population's capability, so Roots intelligence only sets a favorable framework, thought for an adaptable growth capable of taking advantage from feedback process. The form-resistant structures' adaptive system gives a simple printable solution for the needed evolution. Climatic inertia, freedom of natural light and trees carbon's capture can find only perfect combinations for an effective resources usage thanks to inhabitants' profound knowledge of their environment.

Roots intelligence provides a pattern, a tool for the place-making process, the final solution will emerge from inhabitants' activation. So let's do it!