## **Project Summary**

The idea of the project – the Sicon vertical park – is inspired by the silicon crystal structure. The exquisite microstructure of monocrystalline silicon not only conveys the order and beauty of nature but also connotes the birth of Silicon Valley. By introducing the structure to the architectural design, we see the potential to build a multi-functional landmark while preserving the original landscape. A full use of natural light makes the design sustainable and refreshing. Serving as a hub of tourism, entertainment, and community activities, Sicon would be the next destination to demonstrate civic pride in San Jose.