

VALLE DI MUGGIO

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Introduction

In the spring semester 2026 we turned our attention again to the Valle di Muggio, an area very close to our school. Projects considered the future of seven settlements - Casima, Monte, Campora, Muggio, Cabbio, Bruzella and Caneggio - and the necessary urban, architectural and landscaping interventions necessary to ensure their qualities were not eroded by insensitive development.

An extended period of time was dedicated to an extensive survey to understand the physical conditions of each of the settlements. This work was done individually and in pairs. It required the drawing of existing buildings in plan, section and elevation at different scales, as well as photographic documentation.

The survey also investigated the social structures of each settlement and how the needs of each community were currently served.

The second component of the work involved developing a strategy plan for each of the seven settlements, having carefully appraised their future needs. This considered the interdependence of neighbouring villages. Students considered the potential re-use of derelict buildings, where necessary, through the addition of new structures and building programmes.

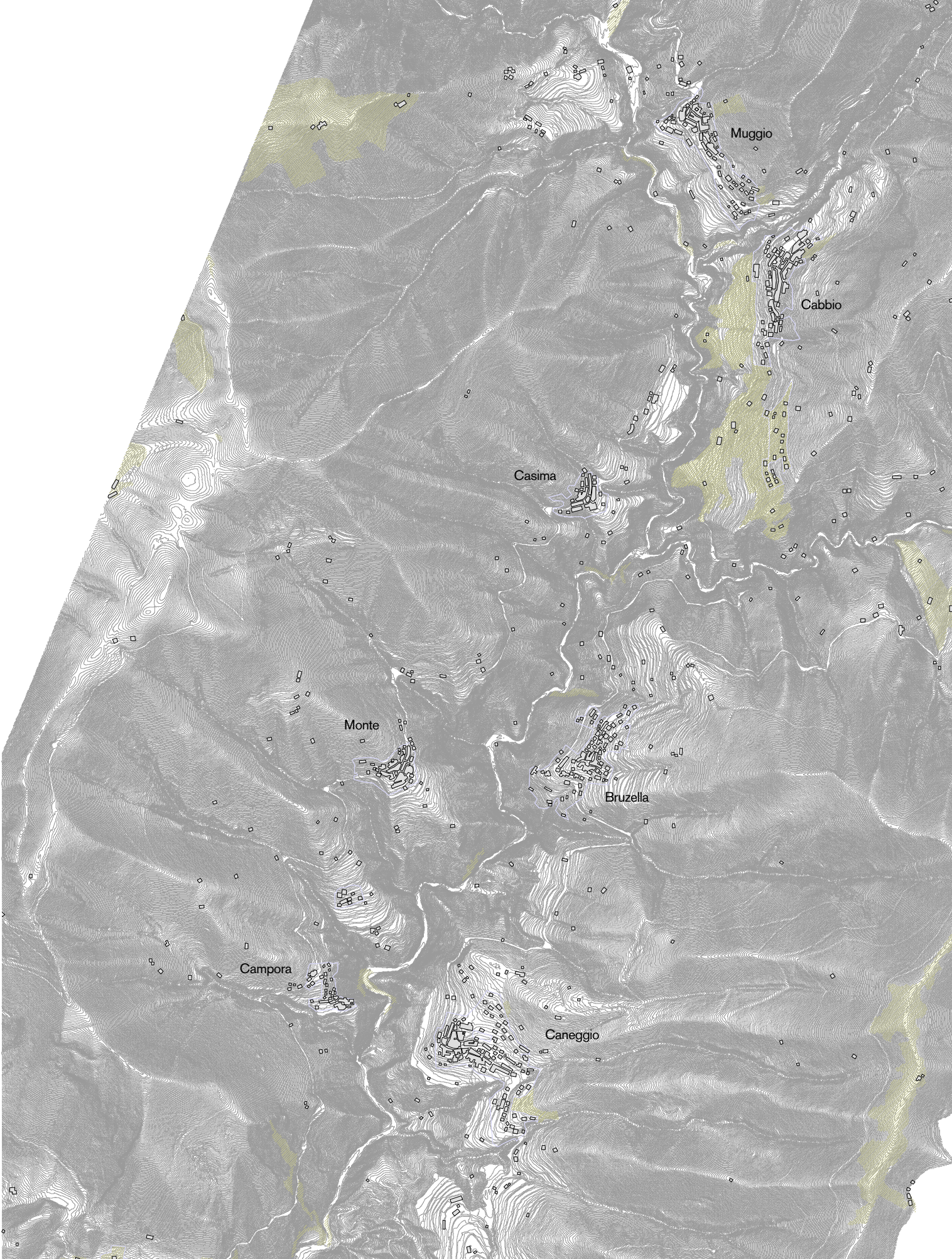
Most of the time was devoted to the testing and refining of the ideas that emerged from the strategy plan. This was done individually while maintaining a dialogue with the wider group. The aim was to produce a detailed and thoroughly researched set of proposals designed to inform the future planning of the seven settlements at the end of the semester. This could be understood as an alternative regulatory urban plan.

Projects emerged from readings of place and the needs that were seen to exist. A series of topics or themes were suggested as a way of structuring the work. Students considered the potential to re-use derelict buildings and, where necessary, the addition of new structures and building programmes.

Sites

Project sites

- Casima
- Monte
- Campora
- Muggio
- Cabbio
- Bruzella
- Caneggio



1,5000 Site plan
Valle di Muggio, Ticino



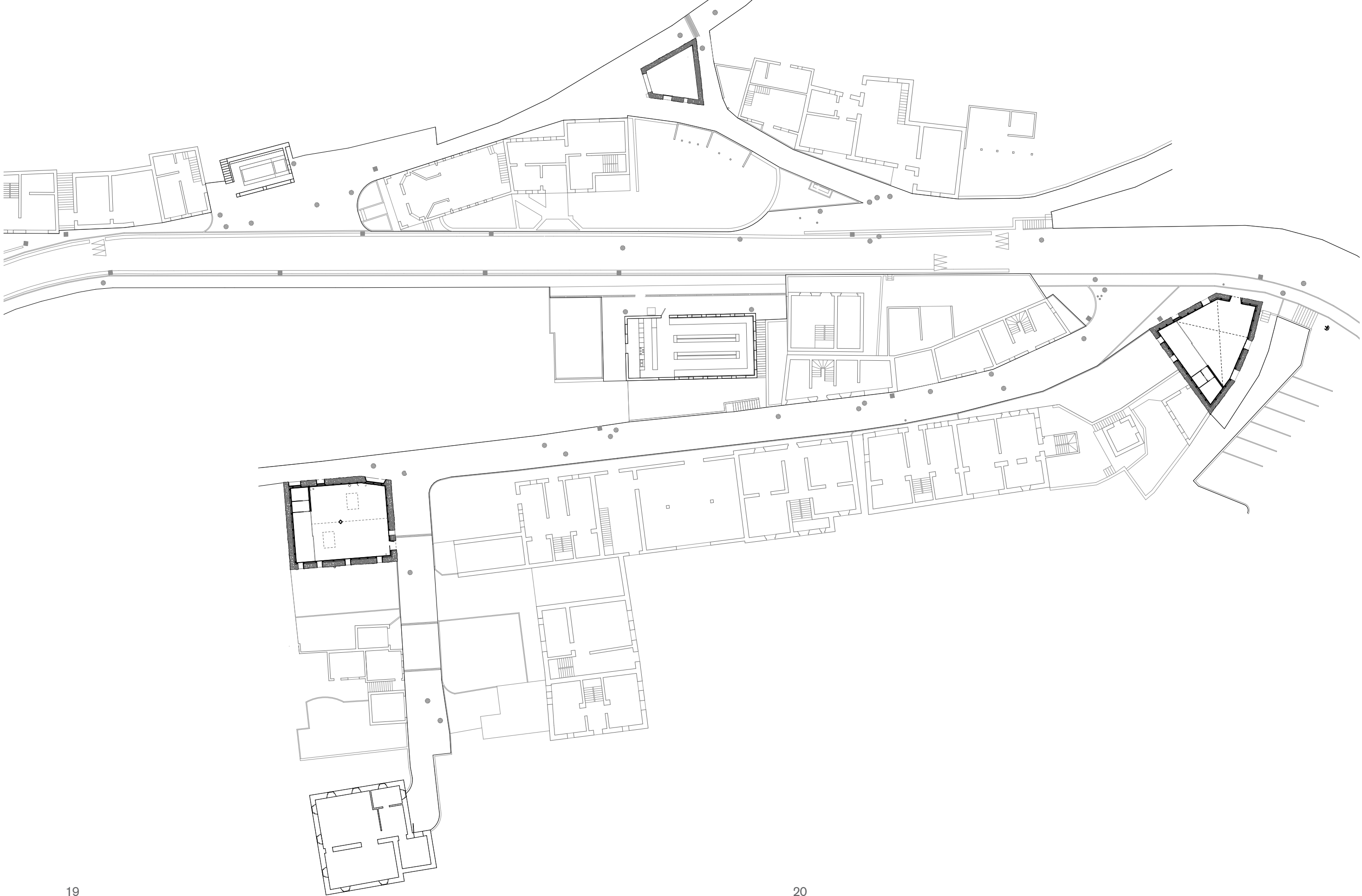




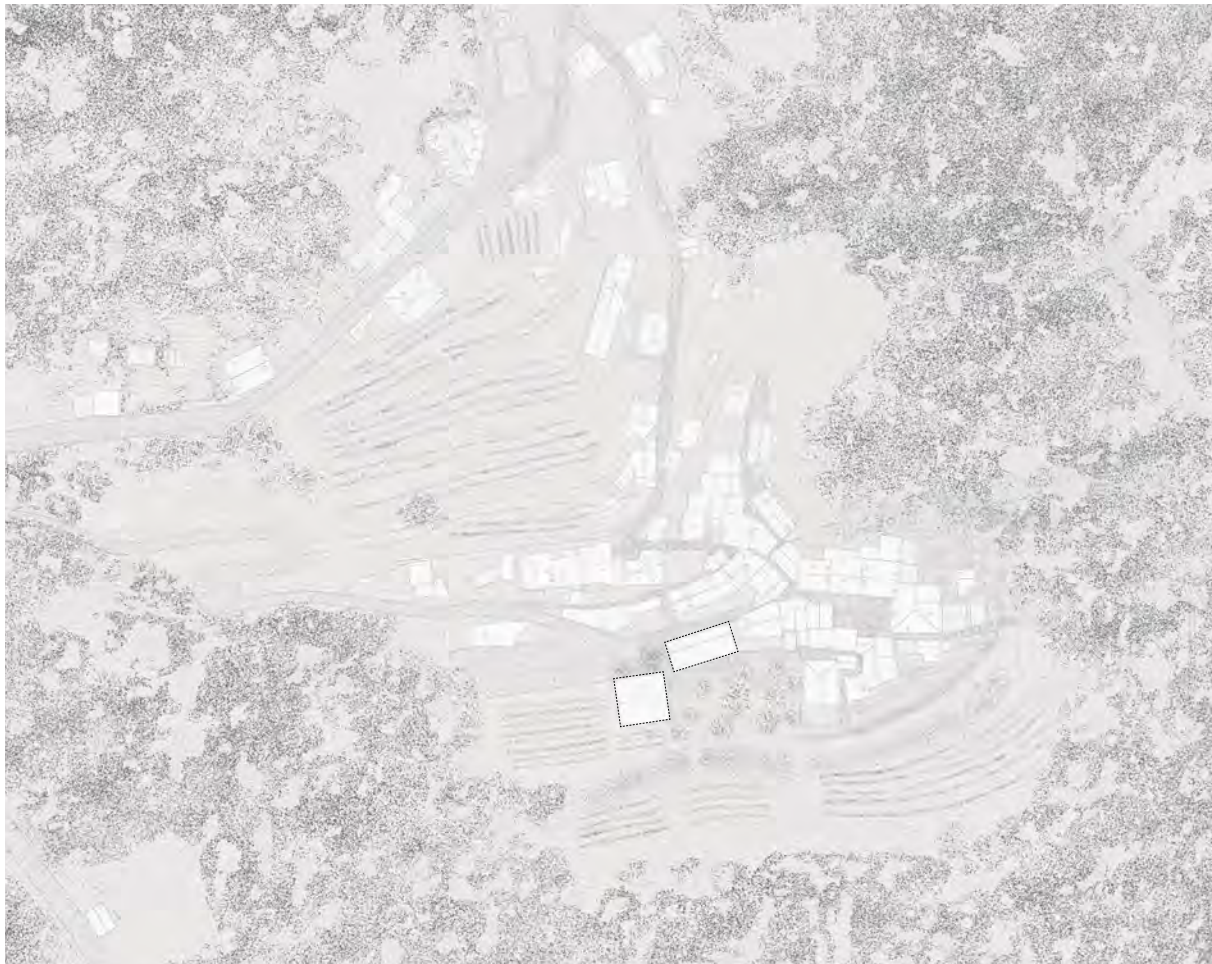






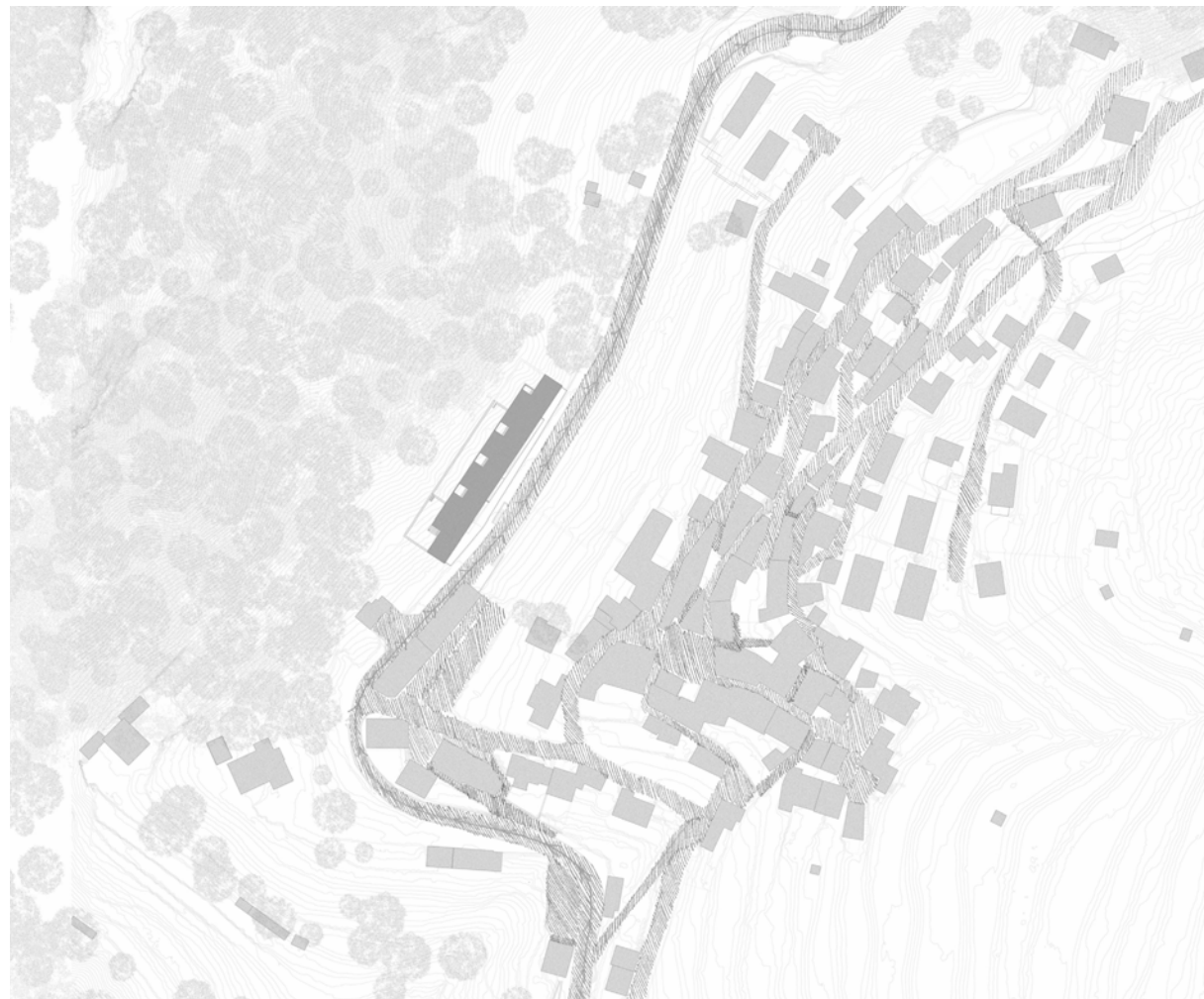


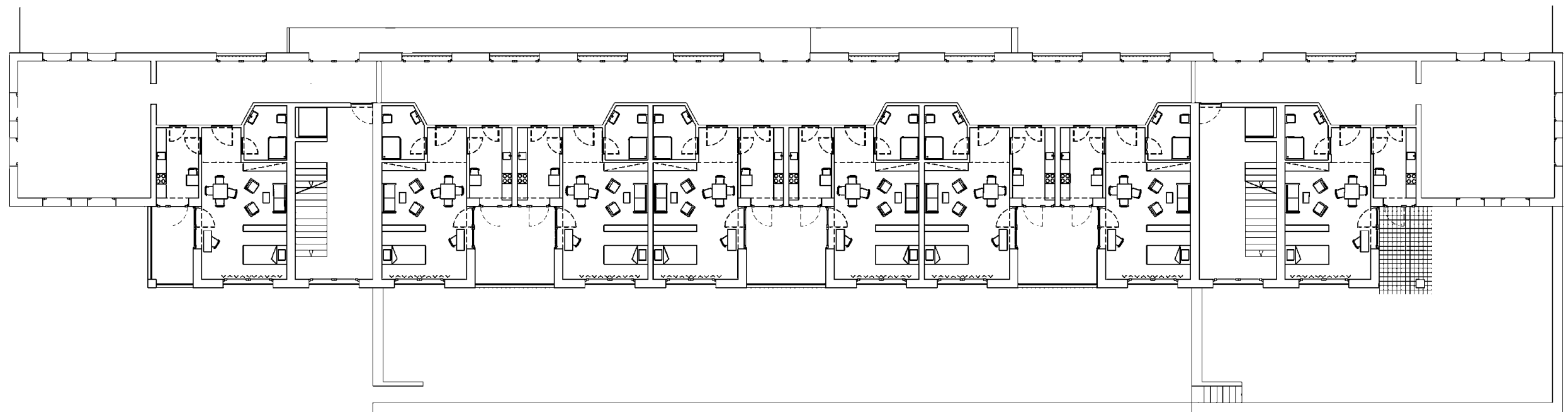




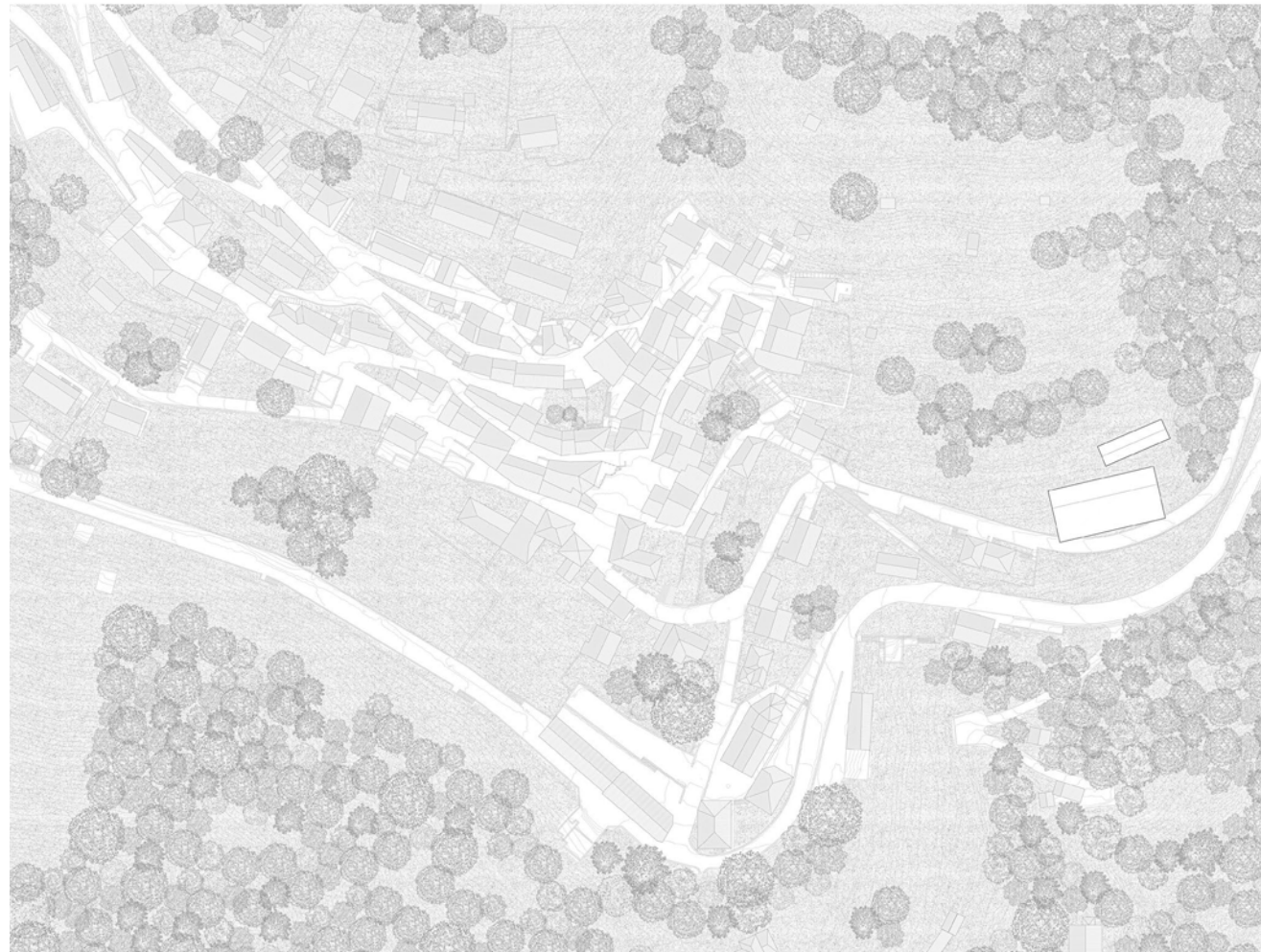


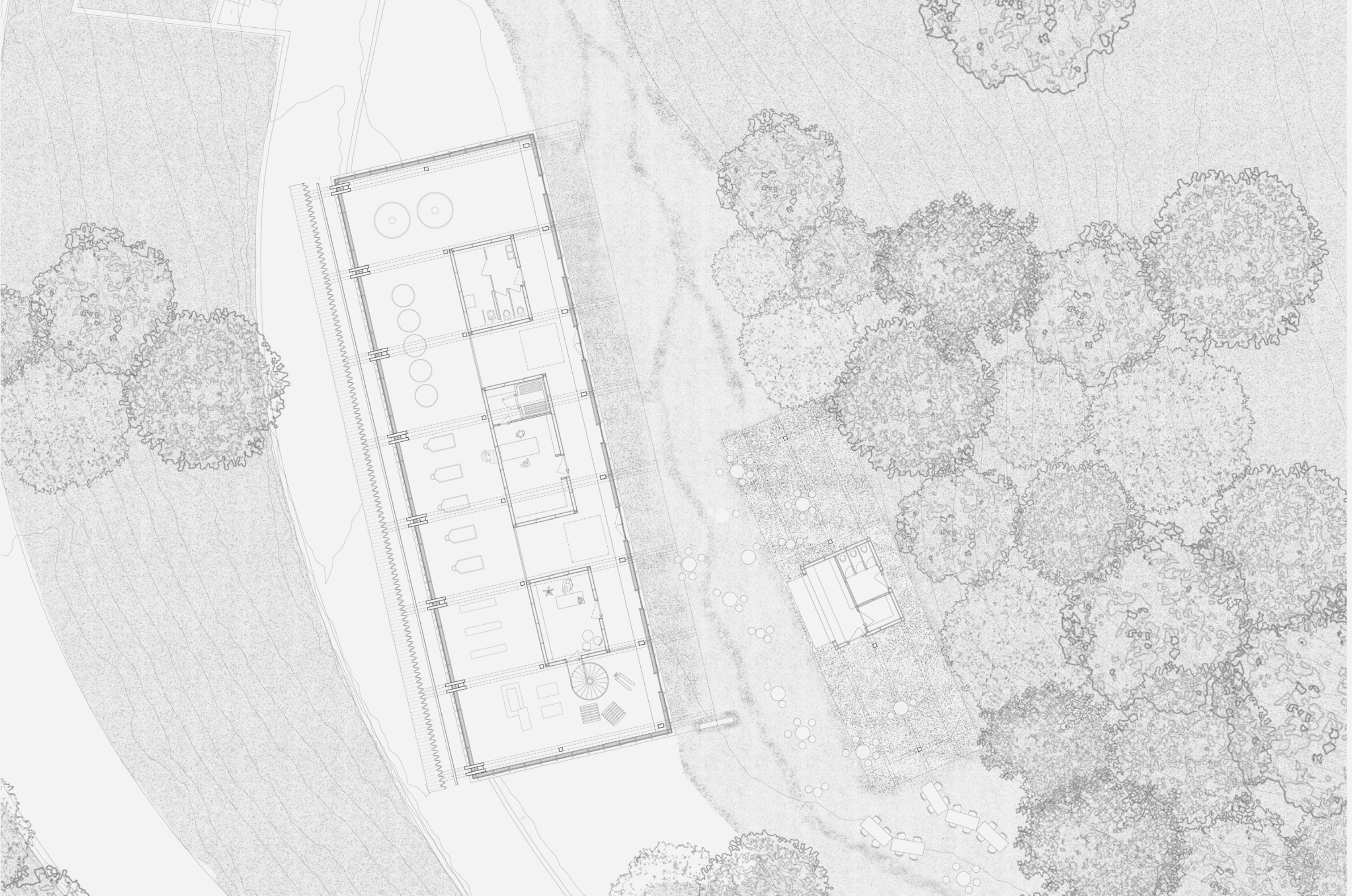




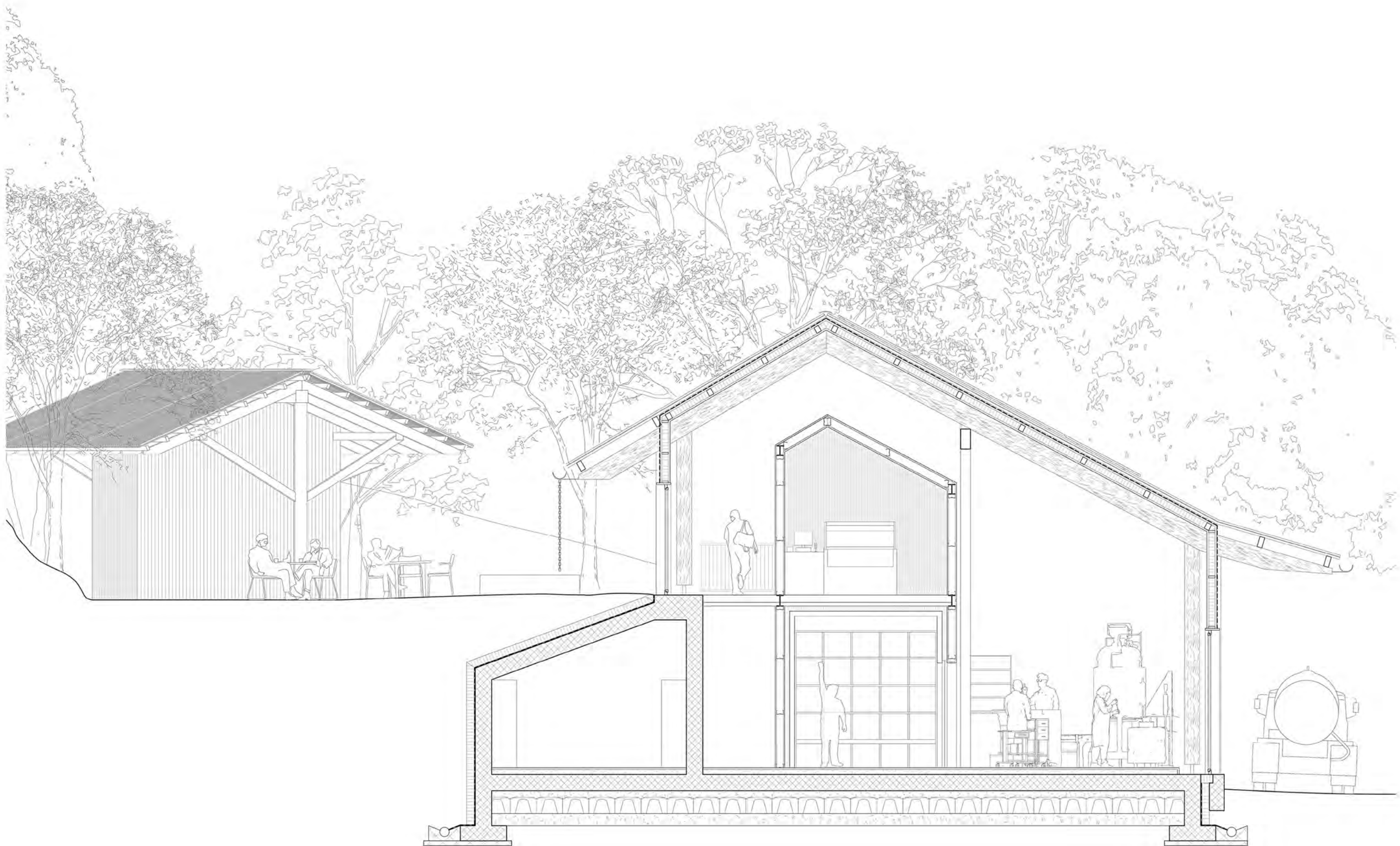












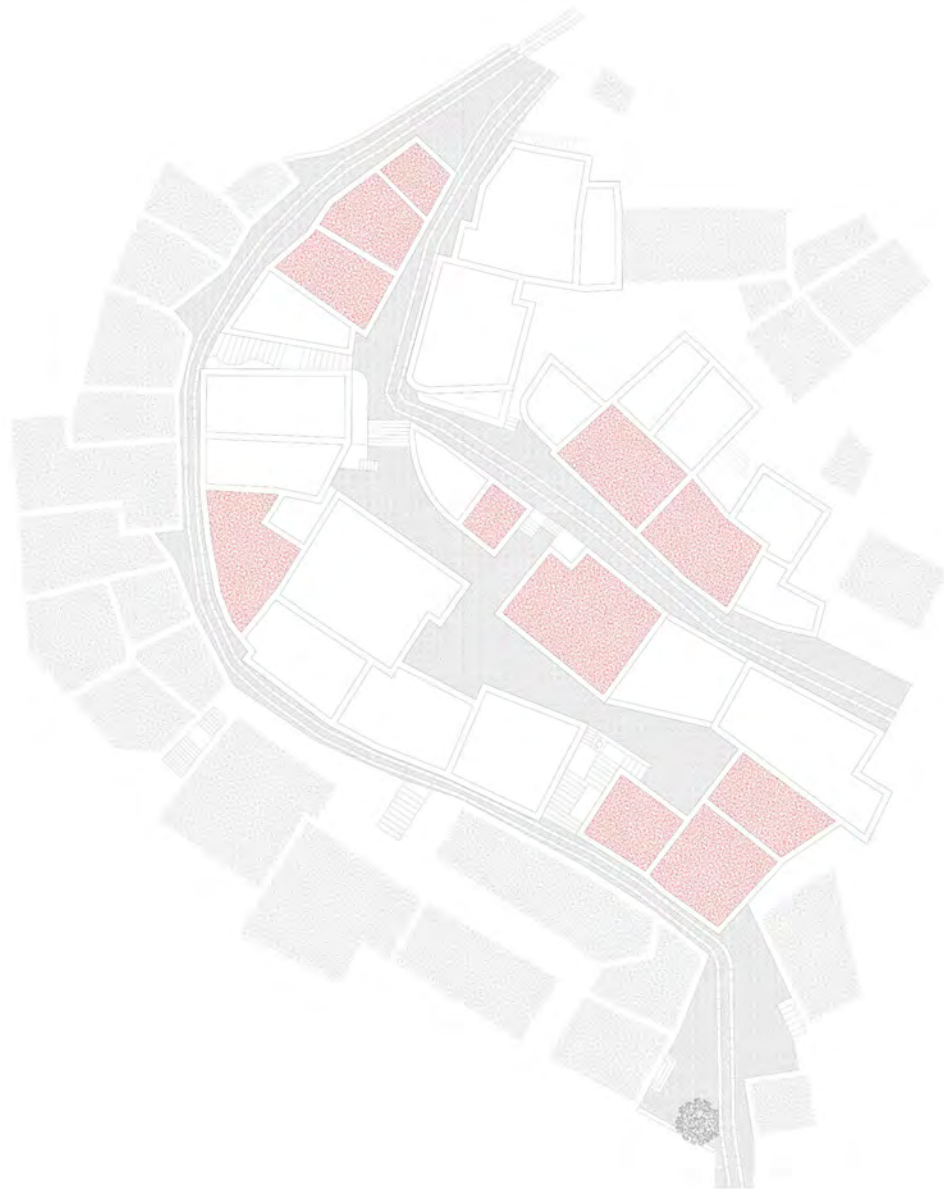


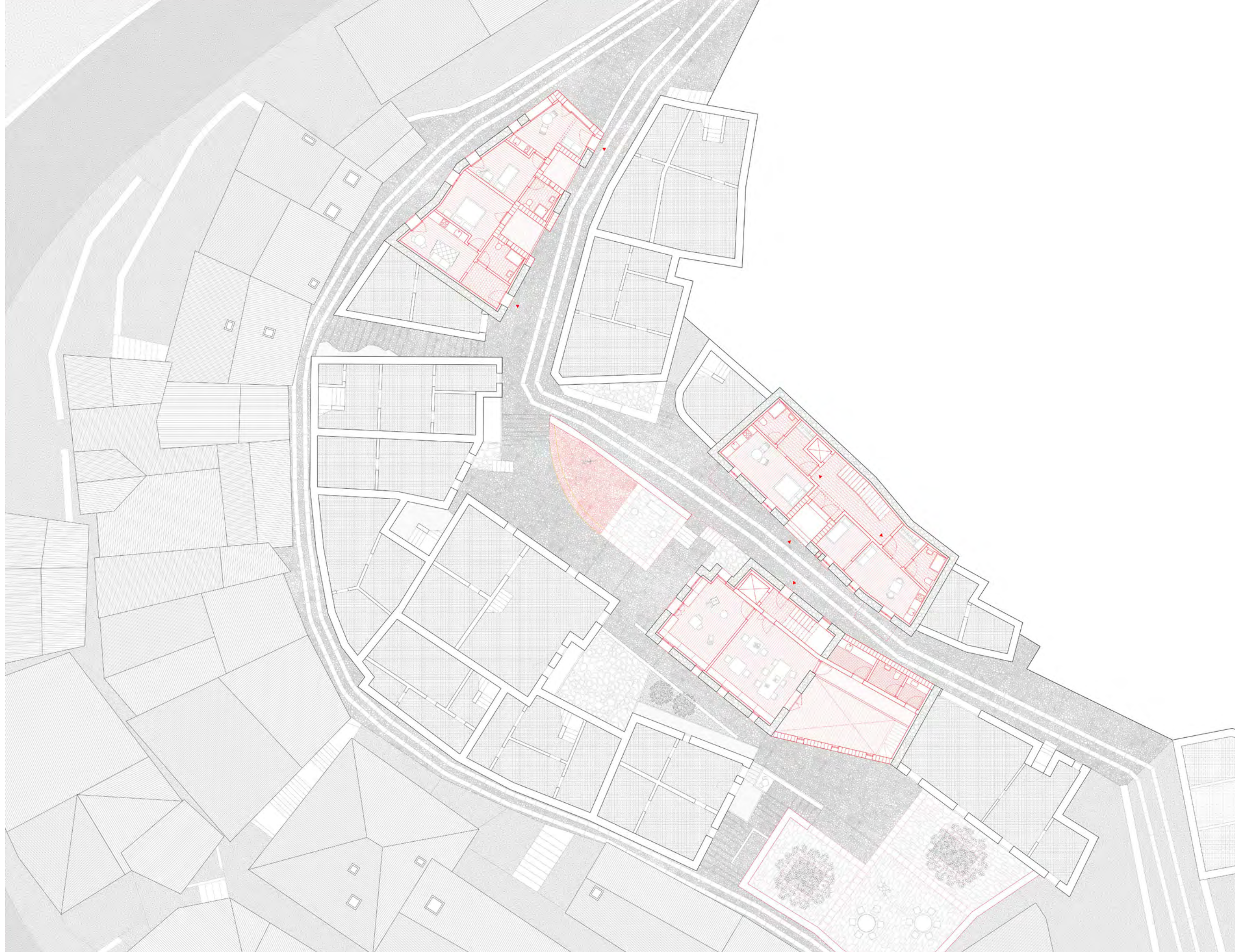












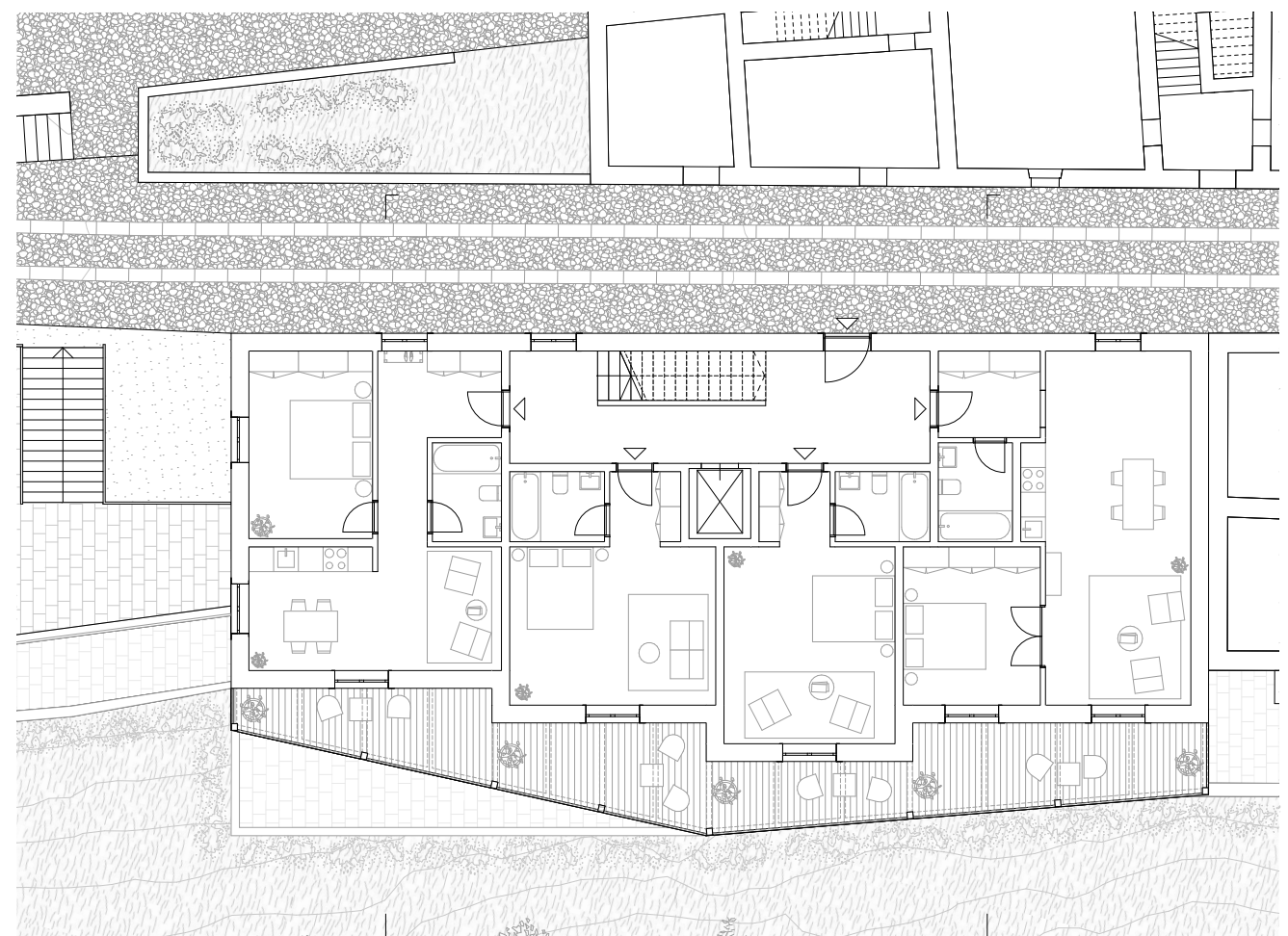






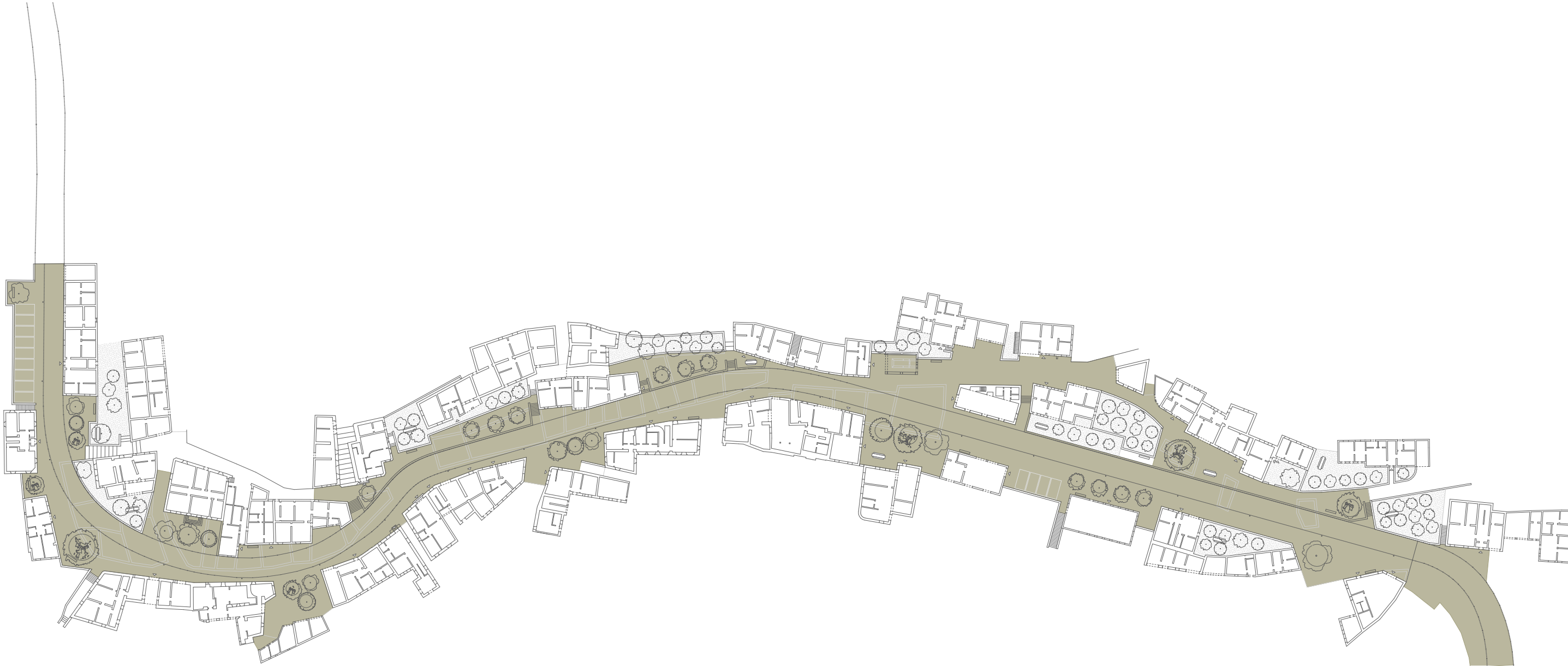






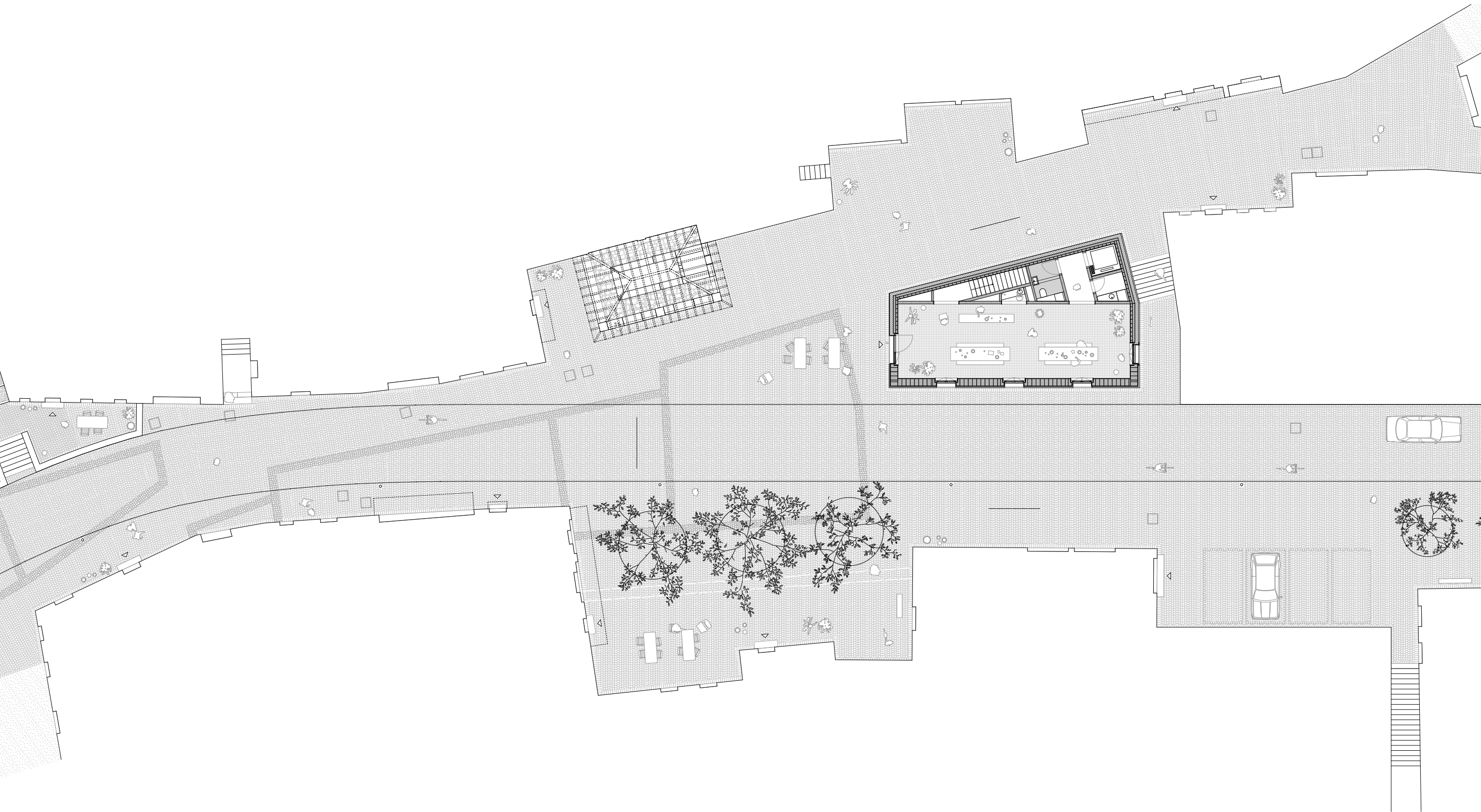






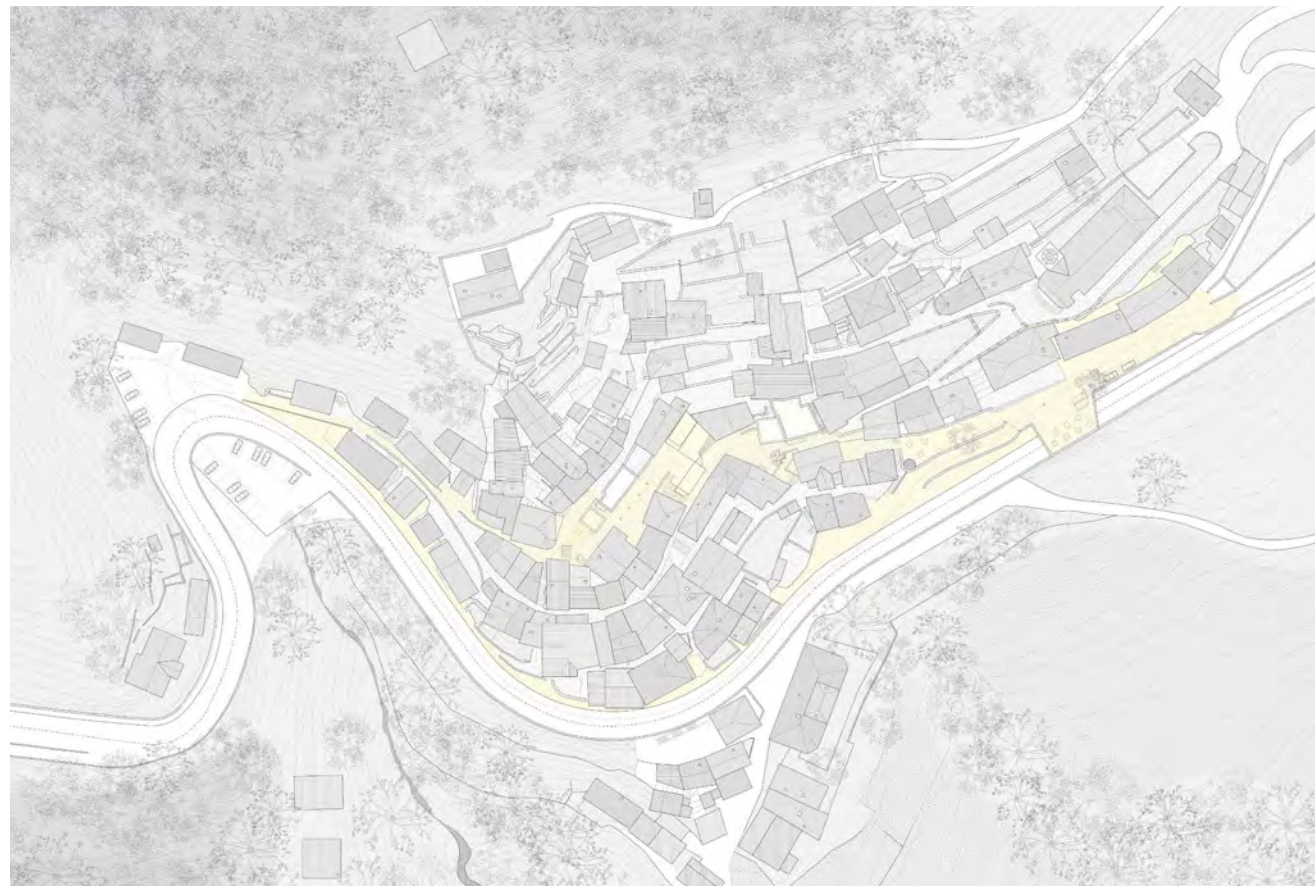


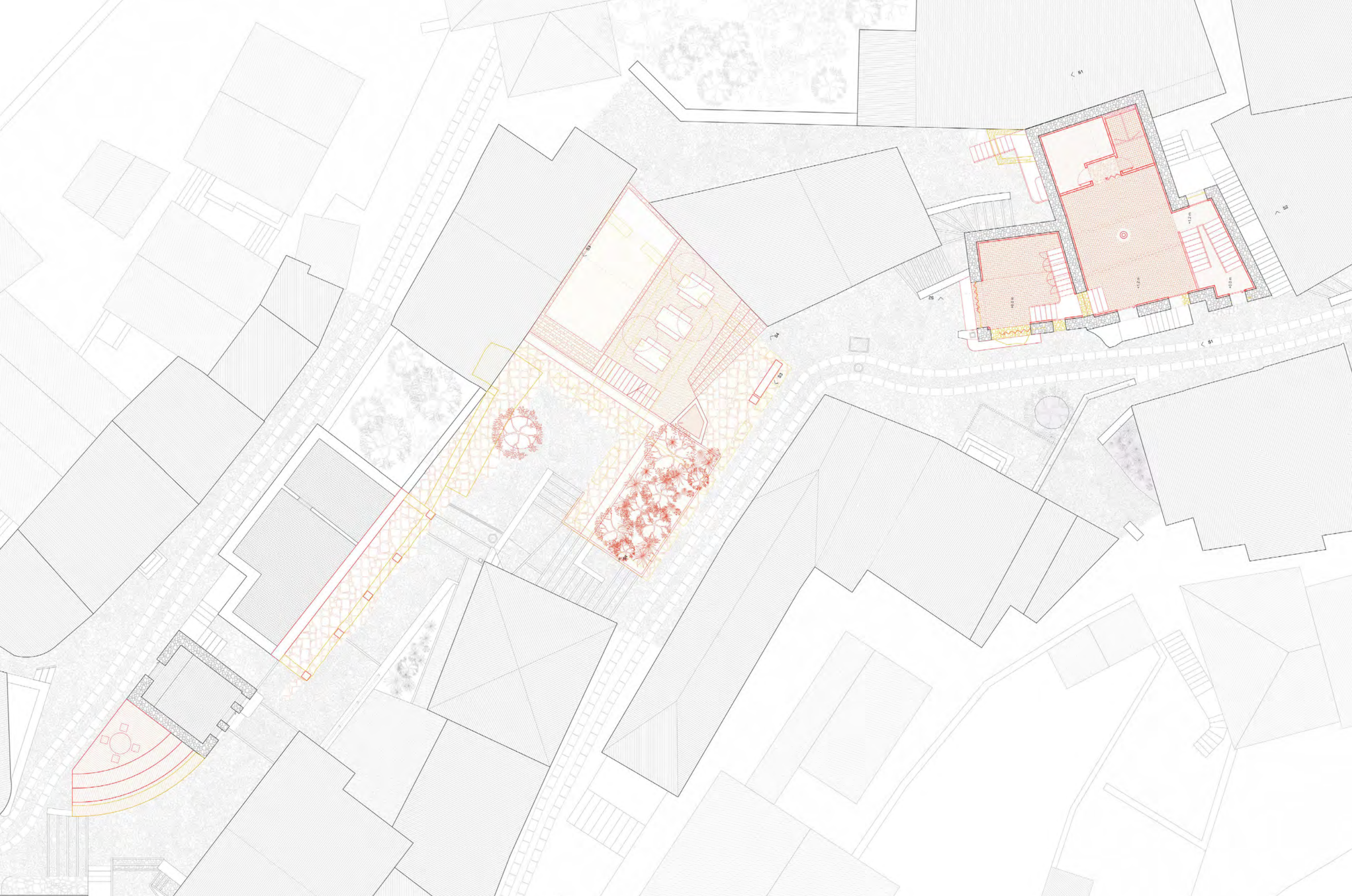












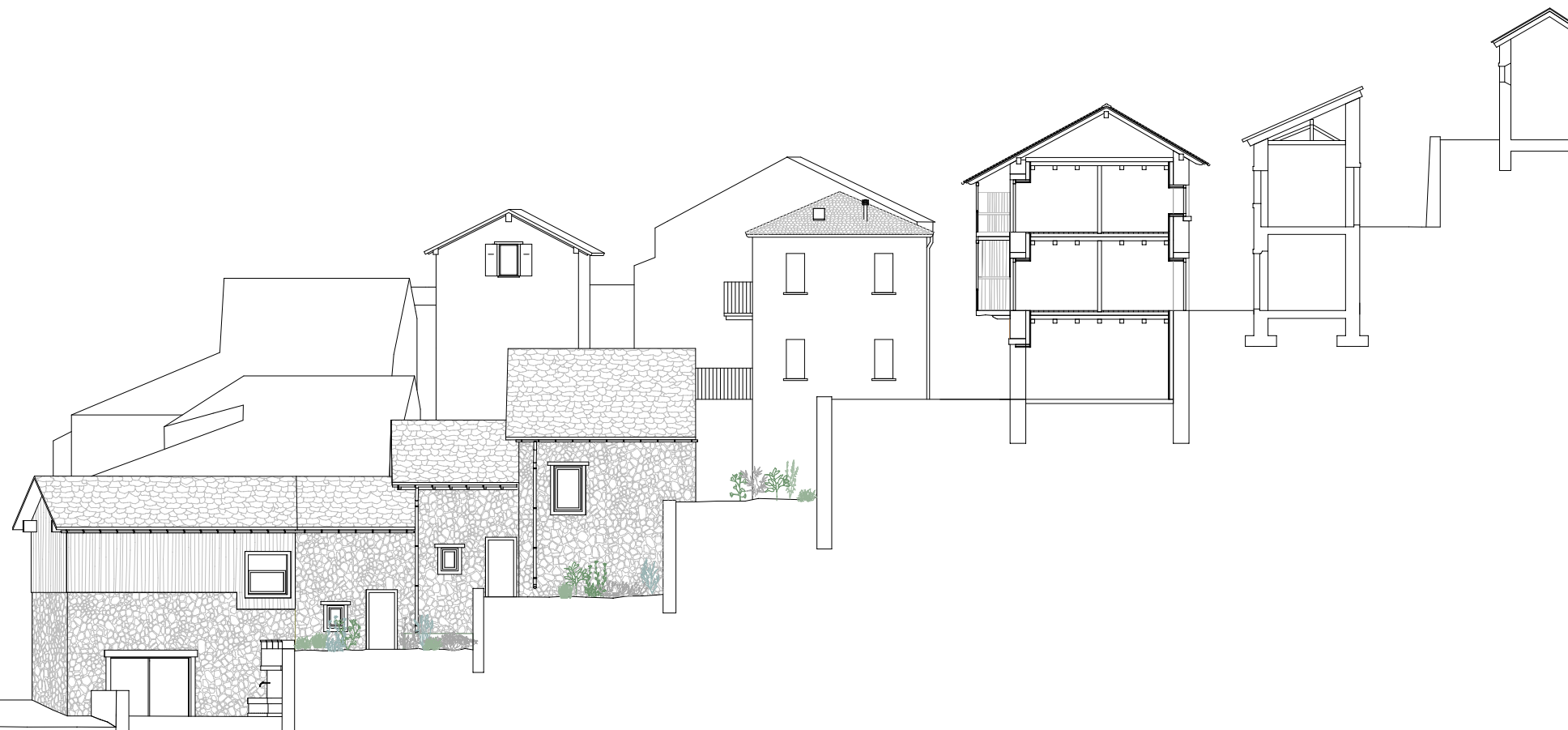




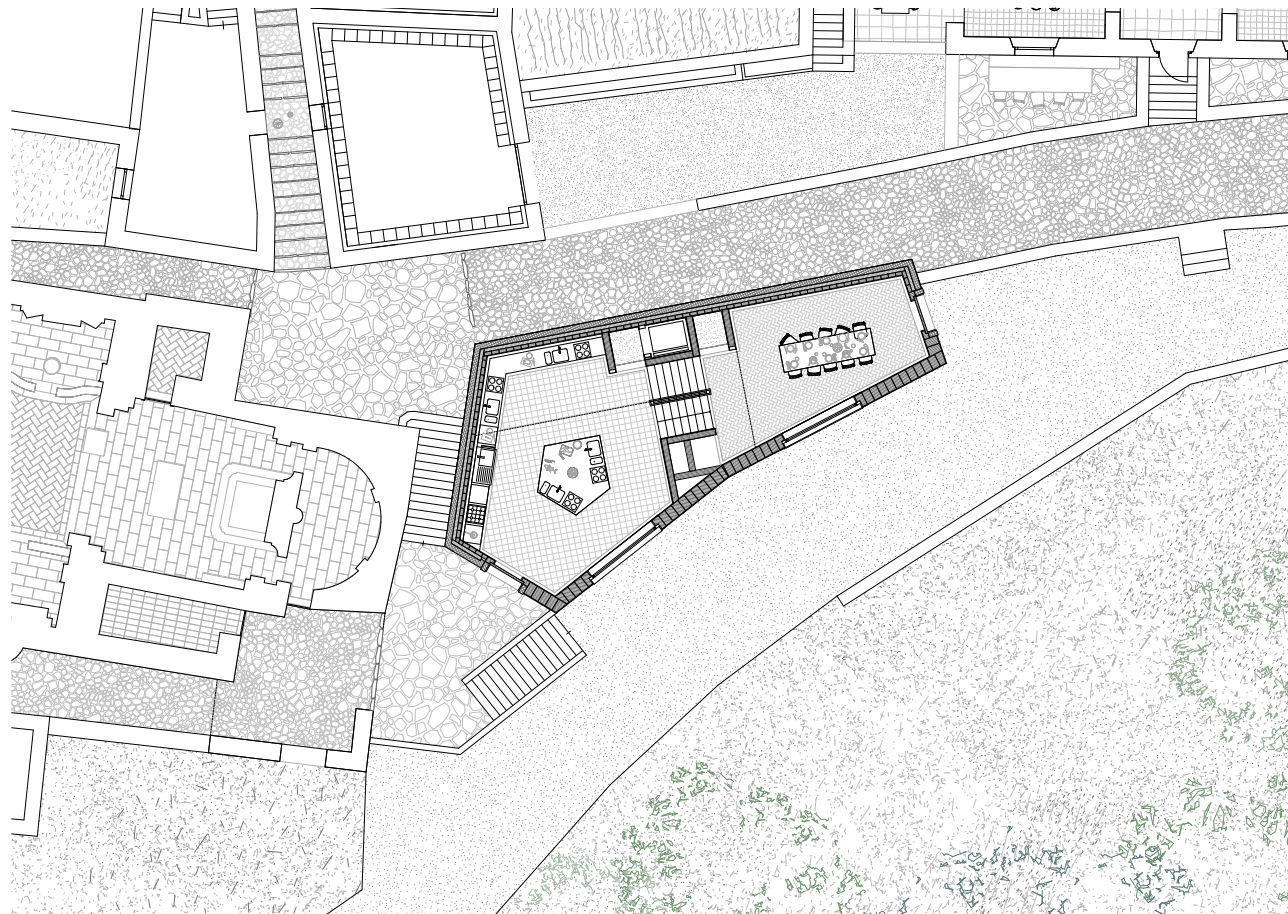














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