LA 694 Land Planning & Design
Refugia by Design / Cultural Landscapes for the 21st Century

Time: M/W/F | 1:00pm - 4:50pm
Location: Lawrence Hall 400S

ZERO WEEK FIELD SCHOOL
Monday, 9/23 > Thursday, 9/26 in Portland / All Travel Expenses Covered

Prerequisites
LA 589 Studio Sequence

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Studio Description
This studio will focus on the site-scale development of a future public cultural landscape in Portland and is structured in four phases:

1. Field work, background context, and site analysis (Zero Week)
2. Intensive iteration through design experiments and precedent studies
3. Concept formation, topic area research, and schematic design
4. Design development and the creation of exhibition quality drawings

An optional (but highly encouraged) Zero Week Field School will precede Fall Quarter to allow for first person site analysis and meetings with key stakeholders. The week will also include visits to design offices, significant cultural landscapes, and innovative nurseries. Field work will include: video and photography, transects, notation, spatial sequencing, site survey, and viewshed analysis.

Penultimate Review is scheduled for Wednesday, November 27th

Public Exhibition is scheduled for Friday, December 6th