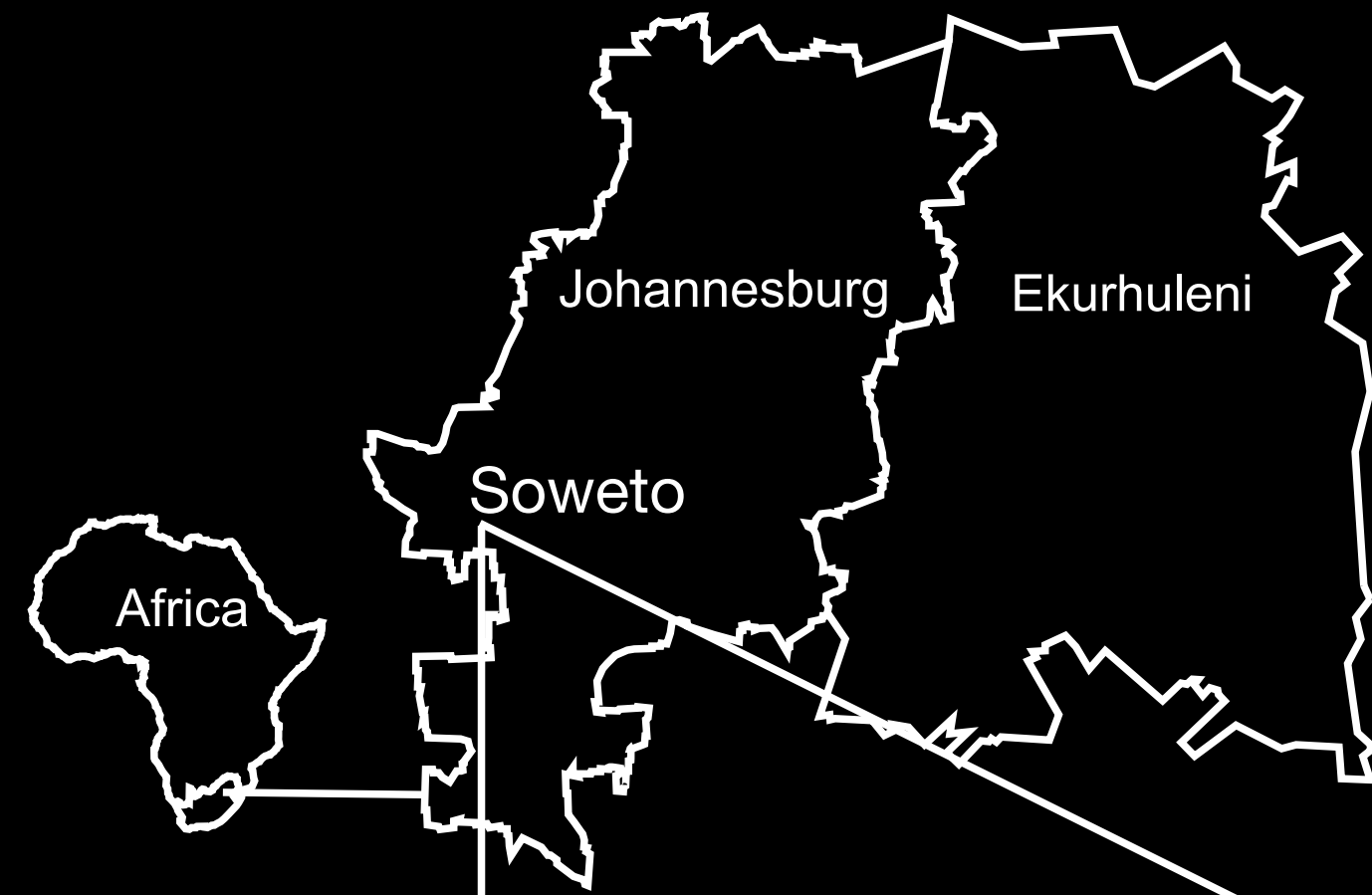


SKATEPARKKliptown **soweto** south africa

thabang NKWANYANA, sechaba MAAPE, kristen KORNIENKO - february 2022

people, place, site



Kliptown



13 squatter camps

estimated population

7,548 (sa census, 2011)

+38,000 (himlin et al, 2020)

lived experience says more

area

.77 kmsq

circa 1903 the oldest residential neighbourhood in soweto
historically multi-racial and multi-cultural

in 1955 the people's congress gathered in kliptown to sign the
Freedom Charter

Kliptown_Informal_Settlements



Walter Sisulu Square
National Heritage Site

Kliptown CBD

kliptown overview

○ skatepark suggested site



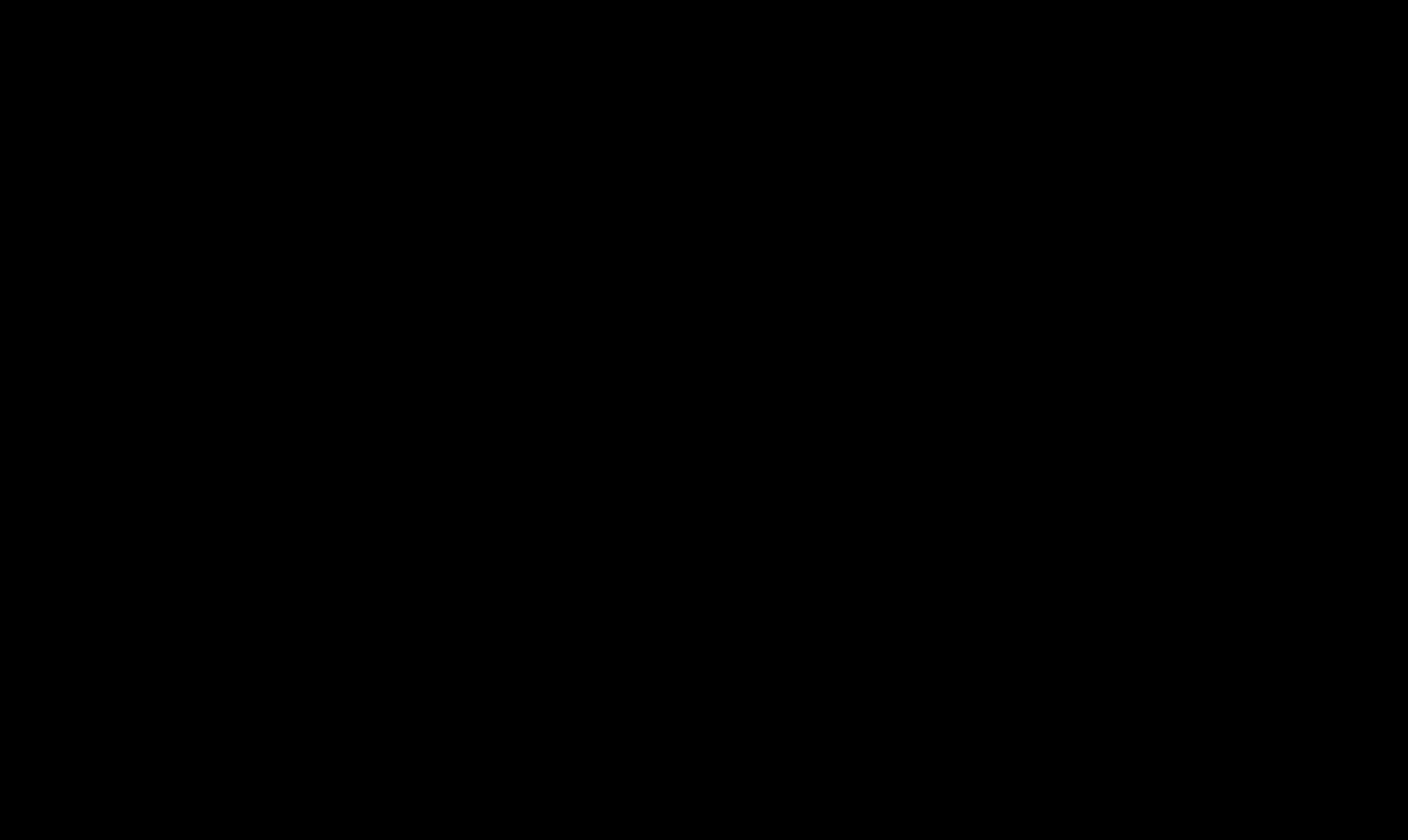
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Dlamini Park
Opportunity to expand
local openspace network.



Orange line indicates
proposed linear park.
Houses within this have
been GPS pinned in need
of relocation due to
annual flooding.

To proposed skatepark
bowl.



skatepark
suggested site



skatepark
suggested site



Orange line proposed linear park/
protective wetland edge.
Area also formerly occupied
by shacks.

Area proposed for
skatepark bowl/flood
detention pond (orange
mask).

skatepark
suggested site





skatepark
suggested site
+
current bike
workspace



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skatepark
battery centre
current bike workspace
local business support



skatepark
existing bike culture



skatepark
existing bike culture



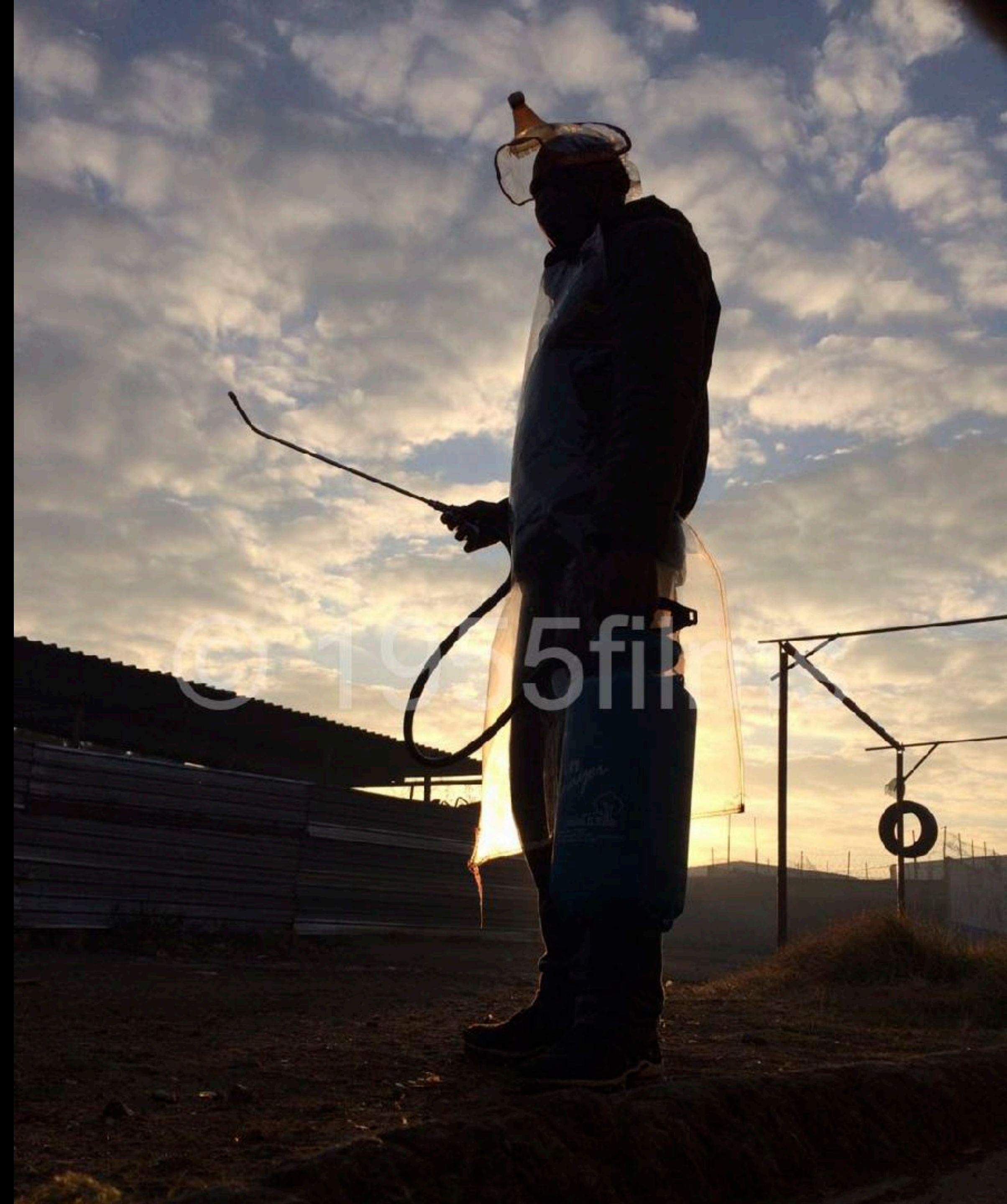
skatepark
**a space for young girls
to find their power**



who we are

1955 creative
collaborations

community projects



1955 creative
collaborations

designing PPEs





1955 creative
collaborations

covid-19 initiative
hand washing +
sanitizing communal toilets



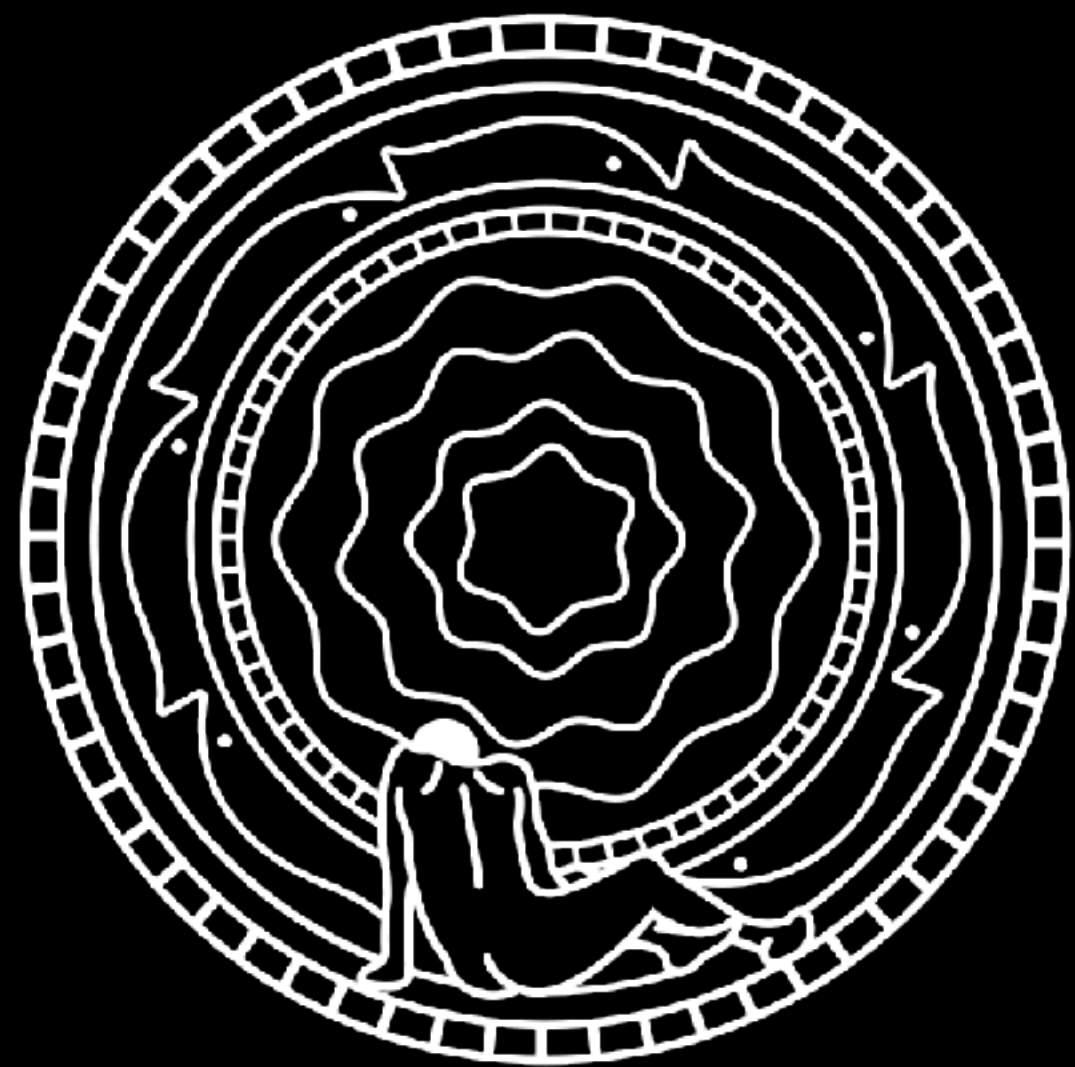
1955 creative
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youth sketching school
with AU's Global Studio



1955 creative
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art and exposure to
architecture

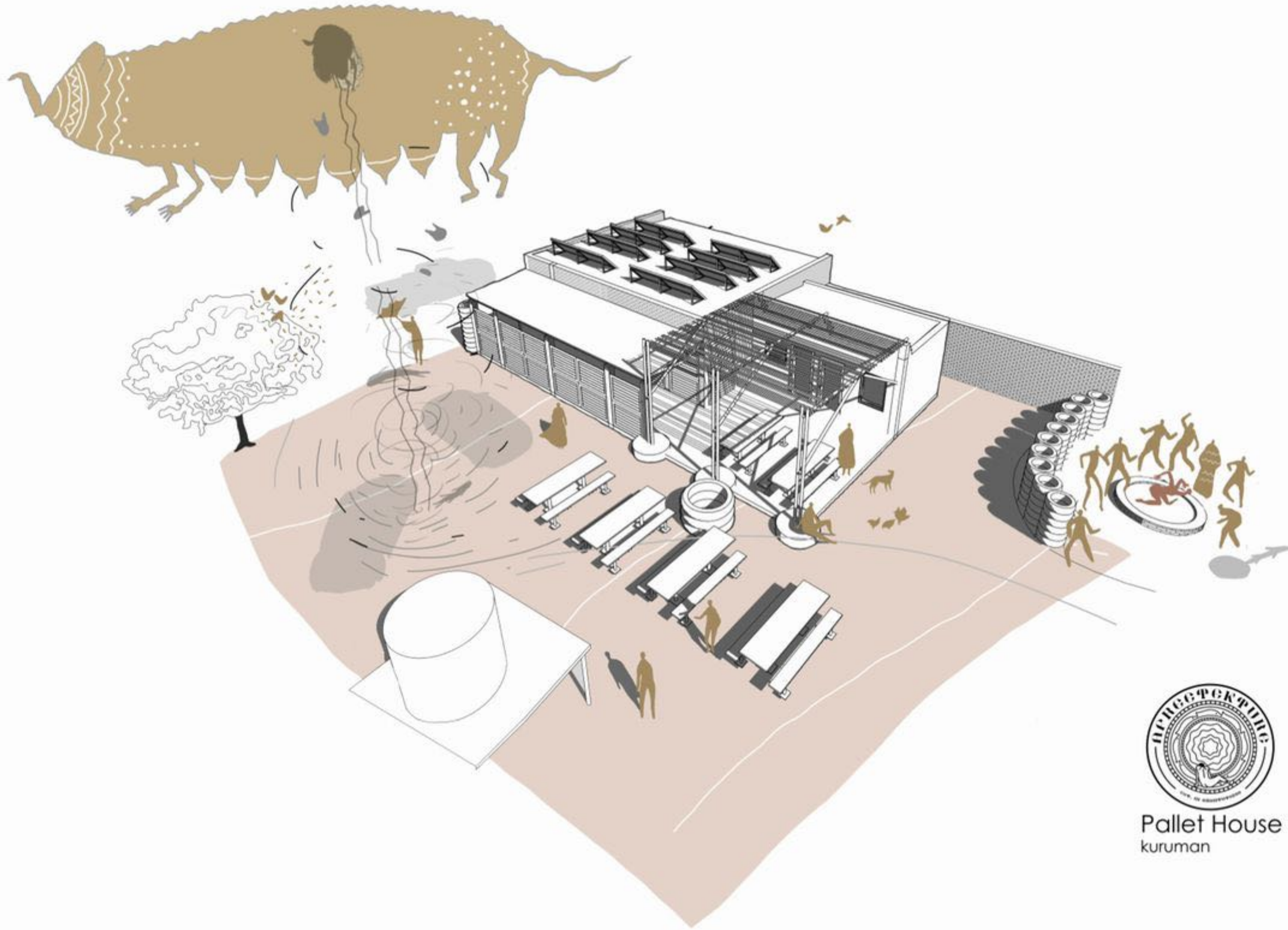




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an architectural practice
inspired by indigenous world views
from the past till the present.





Pallet House
kuruman



THE WORKSHOP NO KASI

← CAMP SITE

LAUNDRY

← KASI CAFE / PELVIC AREA →

← TOILETS

TAP WATER →

THE WORKSHOP

scalable innovations



skatepark/flood mitigation precedent
rabalder skatepark, denmark



flood mitigation
river flood
urban stormwater runoff



flood mitigation
river flood
urban stormwater runoff

wetland rehabilitation
urban wastewater





material use
local waste
as concrete aggregate

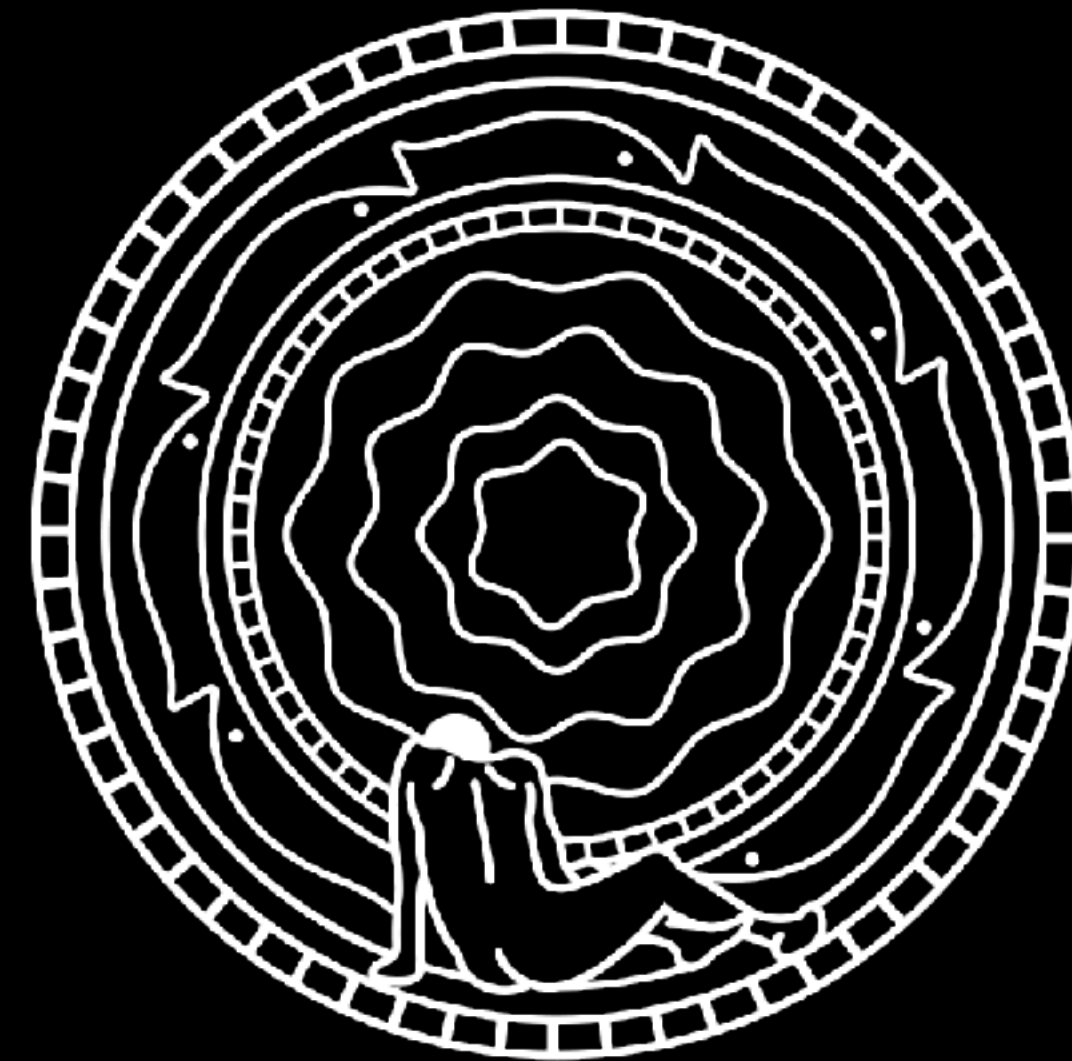




material use
local waste plastic



1955
creative collaboration
KLIP
TOWN



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