

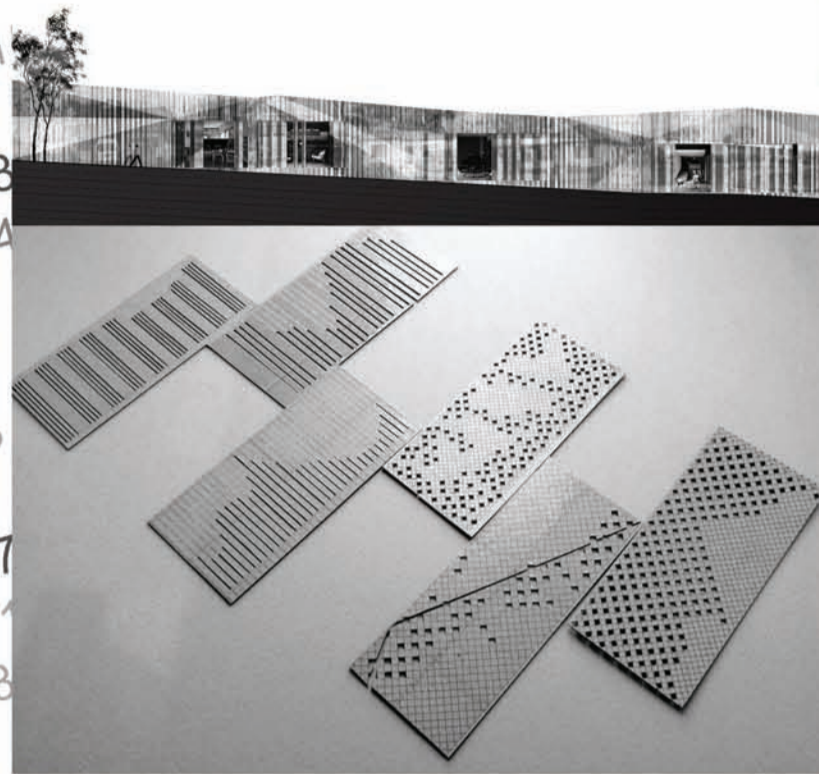
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*What if a building could accommodate change?*

Enabling the site to appear at times on & off the grid.

The proposal explores the notion of an inconspicuous site?

The key concepts of Camouflage and the Uncanny are architecturally interrogated.

It is intended that the architecture strategically operates through a on-{off} the grid logic whereby the buildings can completely merge and camouflage within it's immediate environment becoming entirely inconspicuous.

The Proposal is about the 'unnerving condition' of the current state of the Villawood Detention Centre which is explored through this sense of the uncanny.

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Studio | Activism Studio - MA Architecture - Gerard Reinmuth +  
Tamara Donnellan.

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