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Group 1
Group 2
Group 4
Group 3
Group 5
Group 6
Group 7

Presentation:

How should we present the midterm?

We choose to present the midterms in an interactive way, using InDesign to PDF.

The font should be chosen carefully, the hyperbody font is good for titles, but for the text another easier-to-read font is necessary. Also a set of 5 main colours should be used (colour-scheme). An ability to zoom into detail should be present, as well as to put certain detail-levels of groups next to each other for ease of comparison and negotiation. Also PDF will allow us to embed 3D models, which makes it very interesting for interactive presentation.

 A template will be made by the negotiators of group 1 and 5 and will be uploaded on the wiki.

A flowchart and presentation will be made by group 2 and 6 and will be uploaded on the wiki. (process version and master plan version)

Presentation points by Gijs & Achilleas:

Preliminary presentation:

- 10 minutes per presentation, starting with the preliminary by one representative of the representatives of the groups.

-There should be explained how the whole functions

-The presentation should include how the negotiations went

From the group:

-Explain how the cell/design works, compared to the whole (materialisation, structure etc.)

-Explain how the building components work and how the data is collected/used

-see wiki for more

All the material should be in the presentation, a mock-up.

There should be an architectural design, a building.

The continuity and connections:

Group3: Do we still have the continuity or do we create difference form the first masterplan?

Spatial we are the same, but in materialisation and shaping we can be different. The easiest way is to put everything in the voronoi. We should discuss with our neighbours how to connect with each other instead of discussing it with everybody, to not provoke a mess.
We should focus on an overall connected building for now, because we can't decide now where the connections are, they are changing constantly. So discuss with the neighbours, from there the rest will arise.

The influence of the sun:

Group5: Shouldn't we include the sun path in the shape of our master plan? I suggest us to inform the grasshopper-experts of creating the path the sun will have during the mid-seasons (spring, summer, autumn and winter), creating a shape in which all the cell can have an average equal benefit from the sun. From that point on, we can negotiate on what cells need more sun and how to distribute this.

Maybe we could specify the sun needs for the groups that need it. It's better than a fixed rule.
You could discuss it with your neighbours, because the big negotiation can make it work slow.

For now we can put the main sun and its effect on the main shape and present it on the wiki.

Two big towers:

Group1: We want a flexible public space and we need two (parametric) towers for transportation and secondary functions. We want to connect the towers to the groups around us (3 storeys of 4 meter) one with an elevator and one with a staircase.
We would like extra heat from group 3.

Energy consumption:

Group 3 can give us a template to calculate the energy consumption of the volumes.