Consilience: A Shelter


Northside of the shelter includes terraced balconies.

Elevate

The tortoise body & green parts of the tortoise shell are recycled car hoods with original factory paint.

The blue/grey parts of the tortoise shell are solar array.

The tortoise elevates the human perspective to a height of 18 m.

Passive water collection supports xeriscape landscaping around the Nest.

Southside of the shelter designed to incorporate solar collection system.

Lighted Observatory

Indian Paintbrush inspired Rock towers collect wind with underground piping to cool the Nest. 13 m tall

41 m long, 18 m tall, 25 m wide

Terraced circular below grade turtle nest ampitheater

Rock geoescaping 1-3 m tall 55 m long and 34 m wide.