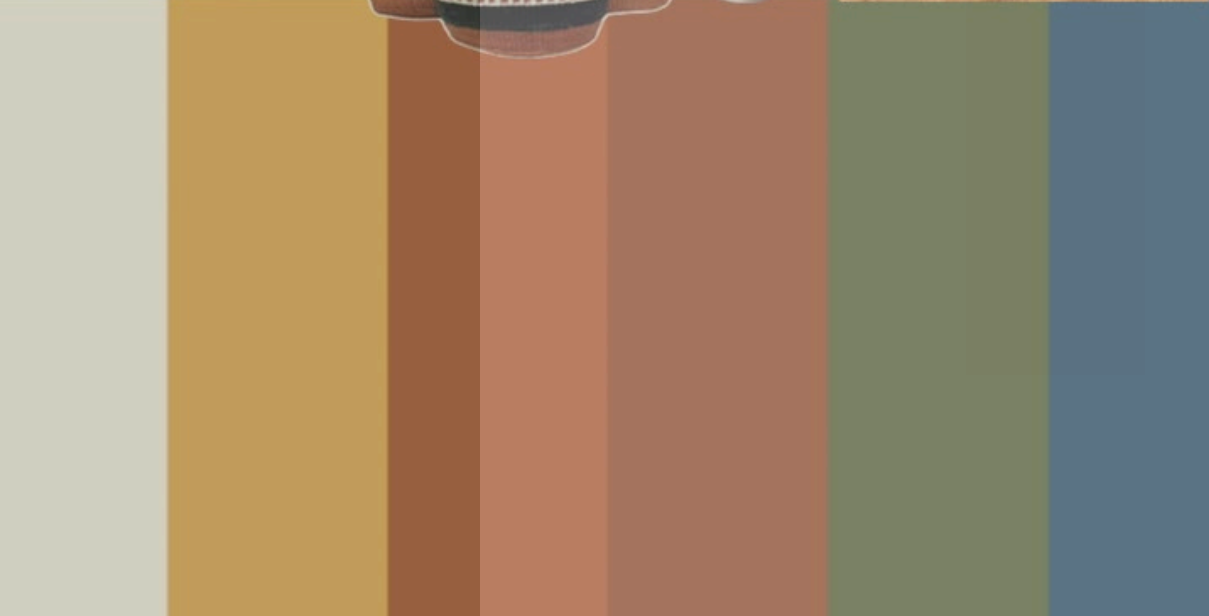
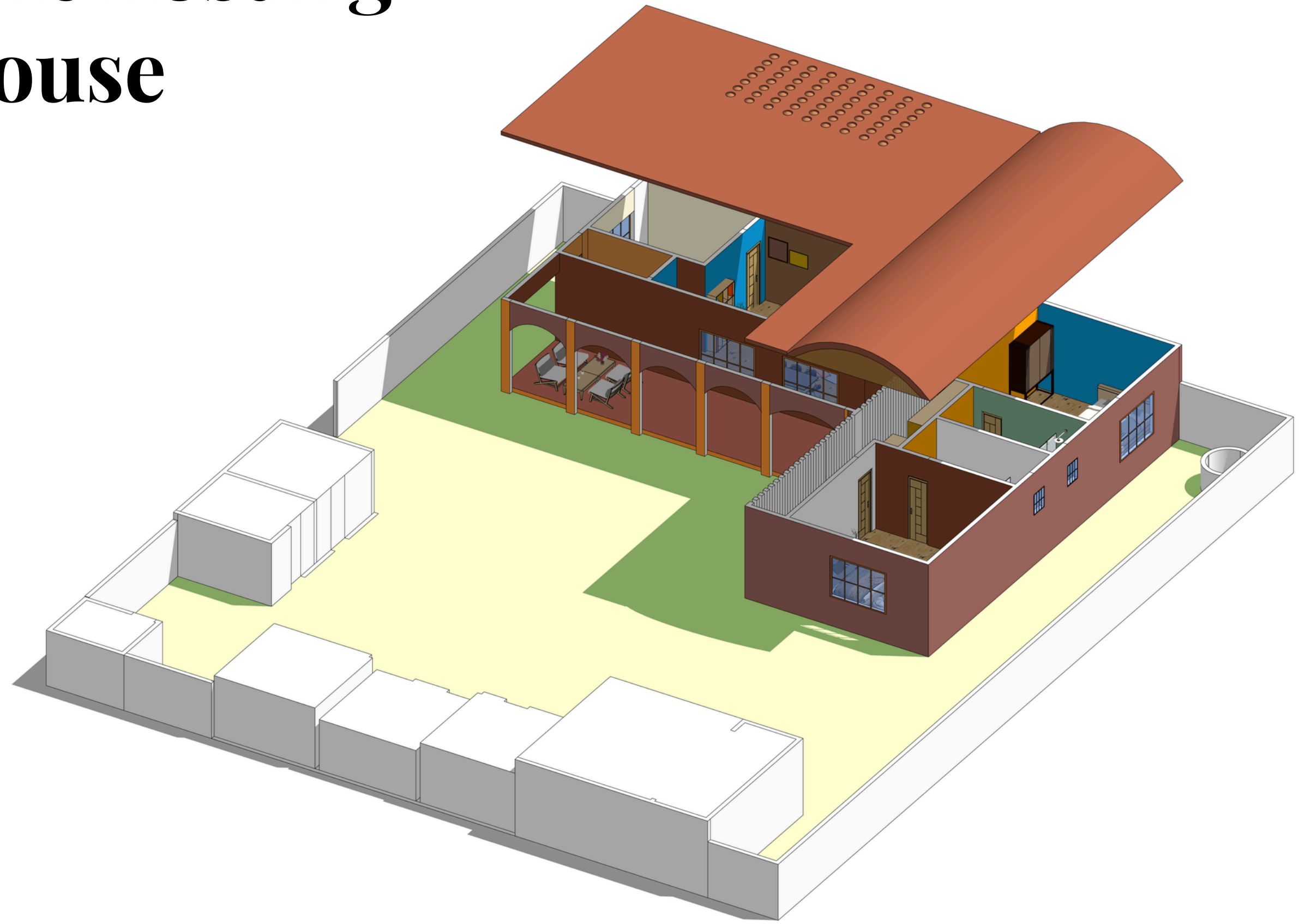
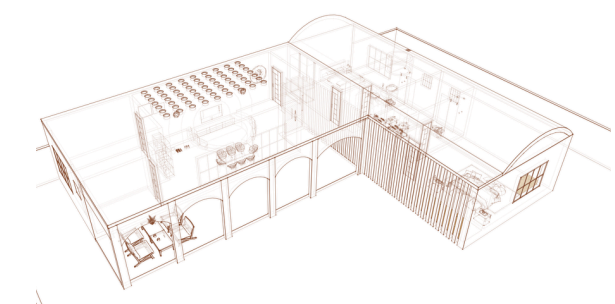
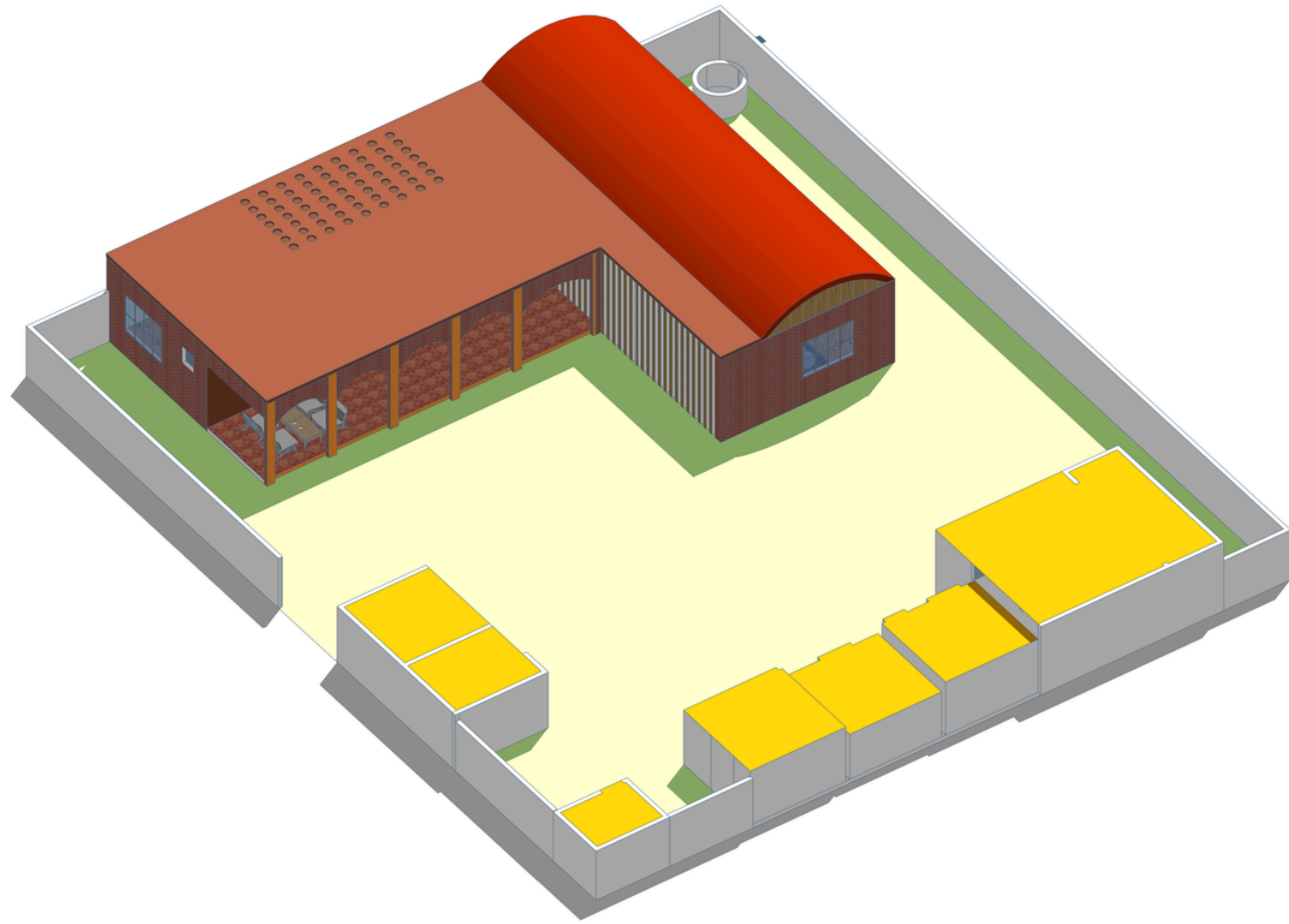


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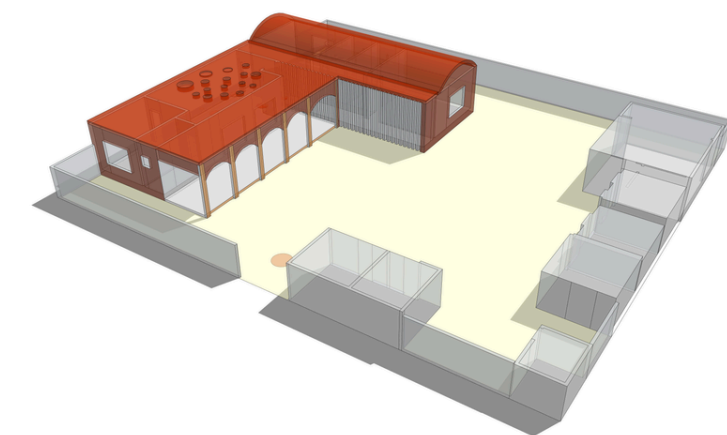
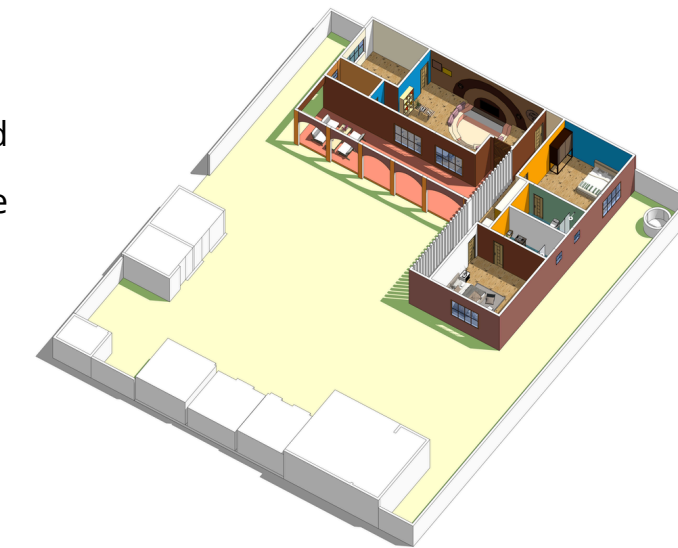
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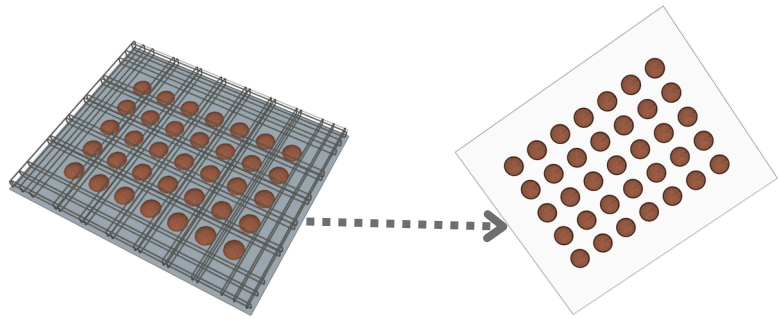
This project , introduces a modern residential design in Senegal that beautifully balances cultural heritage with contemporary living. Rooted in the spirit of teranga, the architectural layout honors local privacy customs, seamlessly shifting from vibrant, welcoming public areas to deeply secluded, intimate family spaces.

The public and semi-public space occupies the upper left wing. It features a large outdoor terrace (penthio), the ultimate receiving area, leading into a shared circular living room. This open zone fosters teranga (hospitality) without exposing daily family life.

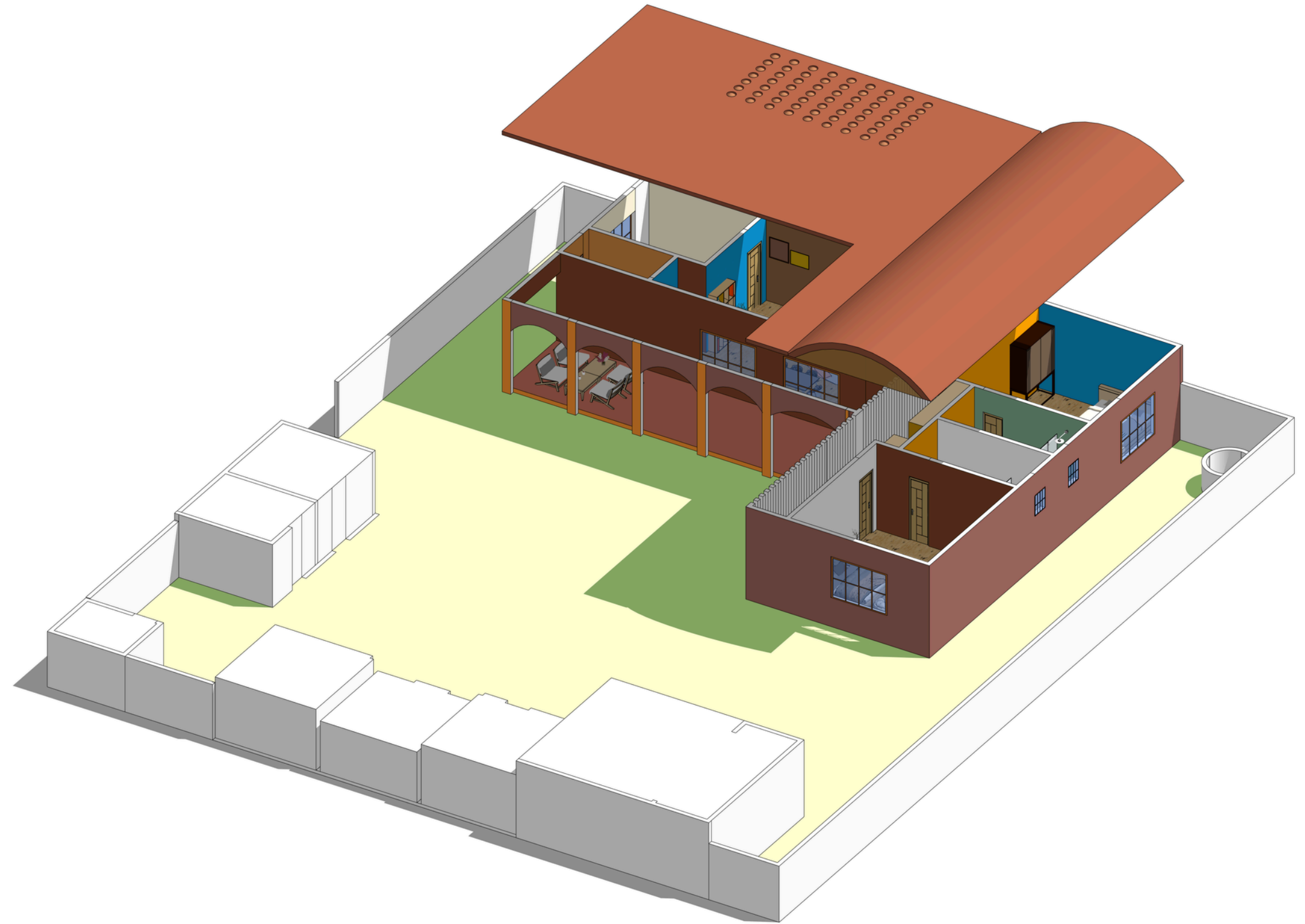
The private space is organized within the right wing. A long corridor acts as a visual and acoustic filter, distributing access to the bedrooms and bathrooms.

Presence of verandas ,transitional zone that bridges the interior and exterior. It acts as a climatic and social buffer, filtering heat while welcoming natural ventilation and the spirit of hospitality.





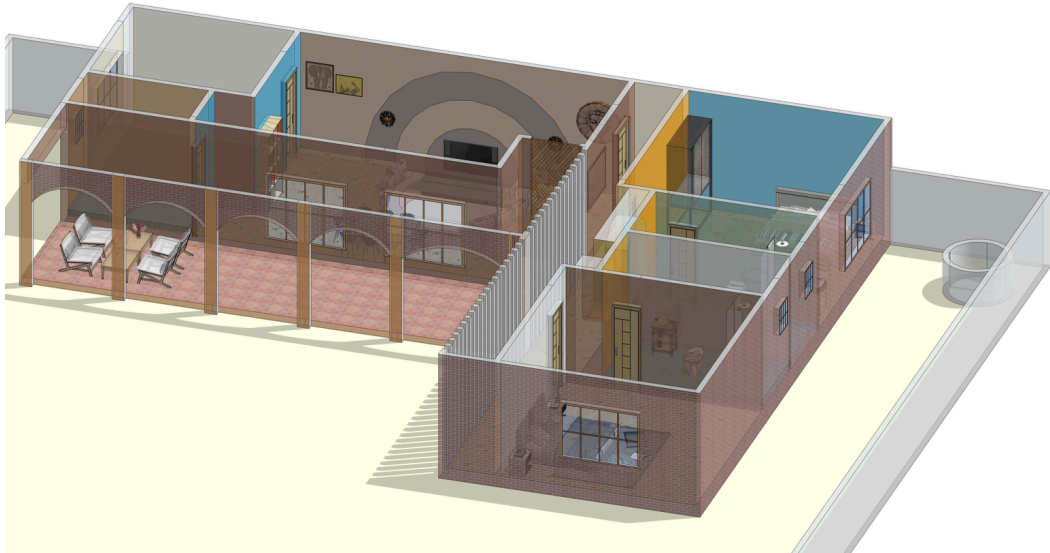
The filler slab uses embedded clay vessels to reduce concrete and dead load. This technique improves thermal insulation while creating a striking, textured ceiling that beautifully enhances the room's warm atmosphere.





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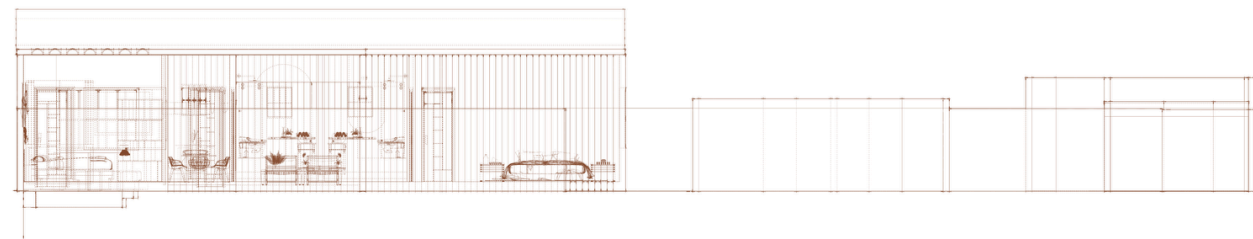
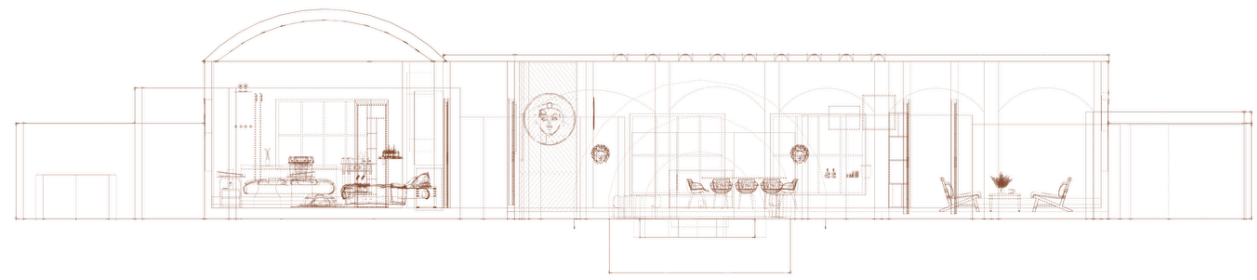
Modern African minimalism blends warm, earthy tones with stripped-back geometric lines. By emphasizing local, sustainable materials and spacious layouts, it achieves a serene, soulful simplicity that celebrates cultural identity without any clutter.





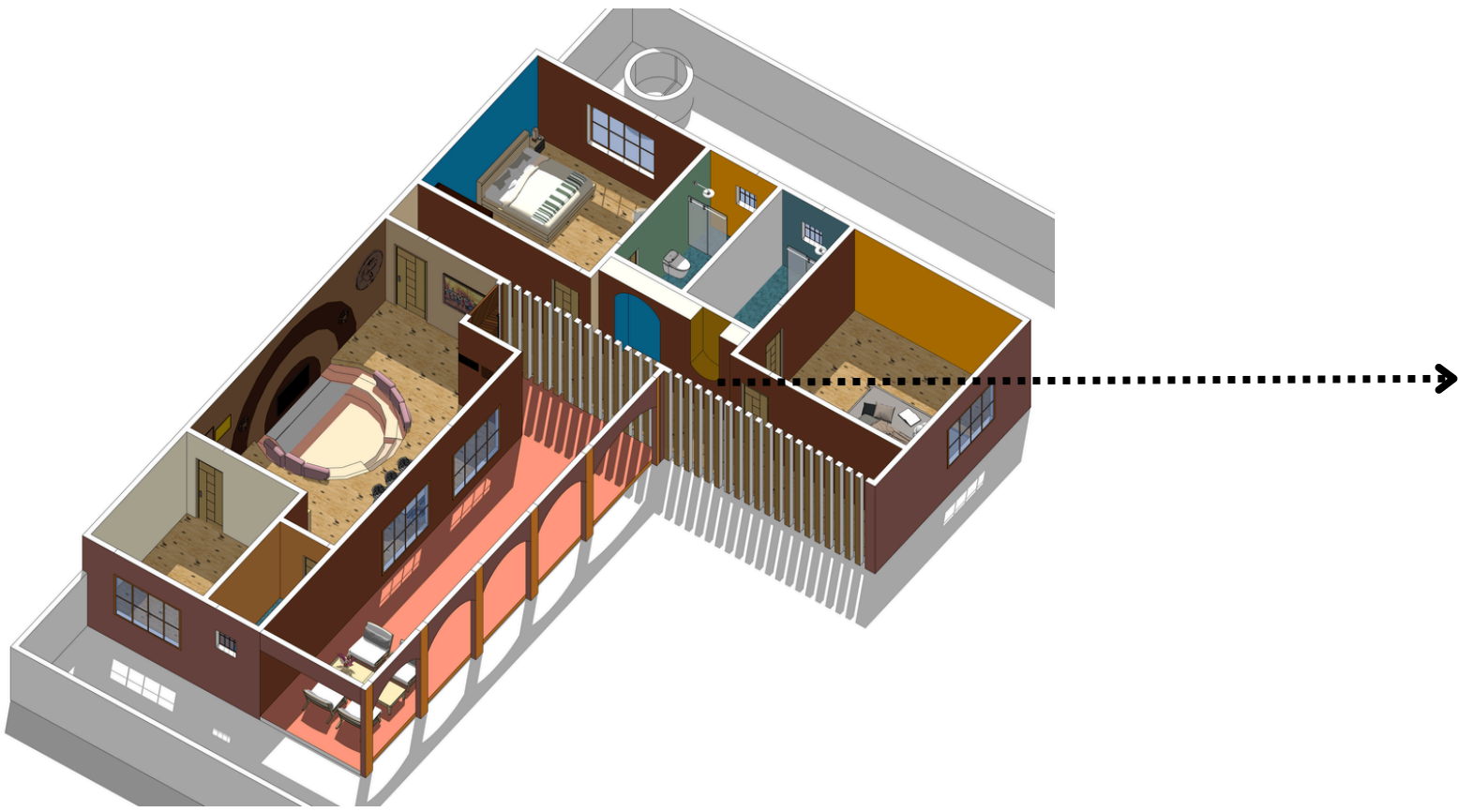
The sunken seating creates an intimate gathering space that fosters community and teranga, while keeping sightlines clear to maximize the room's open, minimalist, and spacious architectural feel.





The warm terracotta, ochre, and earthy tones celebrate natural African materials while reflecting the local landscape, creating a cozy, light-filled atmosphere that perfectly embodies a soulful, modern minimalist aesthetic.











"The gem of verandas and semi-open buffer spaces."

