



Revitalizing & strengthening rural communities through sustainable community-building practices



of their short-term educational programs. Students from Blantyre would come to receive a basic education from visiting teachers, while foreign students would spend time learning from the village.

The second portion consists of the educational facilities which include a mosque and the classrooms. The traditional mosque holds an entrance facing the public road, inviting this part of the center to belong once again to any worshiper. The classrooms and workshops alongside it, placed together in a circle and facing a courtyard adorned by Malawi's national tree, bring about a sense of privacy and contemplation. Amongst them can also be found a small clinic for treating medical emergencies and pre-natal care for women. Lastly, the third portion at the lowest part of the center is a guest house that hosts any temporary educators, sheikhs, and other visitors. It also holds a barn and

sizable vegetable garden that would feed the residents of the center and community when needed.

The land plot itself is constructed at a downward angle that allows for an unobstructed view of the adjacent forest from every structure within. Most roofs will host gardens atop to contribute to the general green aesthetic inspired by the view ahead, and green agricultural fields seen in the village. The community center is also close to residential villages from its highest point, where the communal kitchen stands, and close to the forest from its lowest point with a protected Ha-Ha Wall to keep a clear view and safe territory



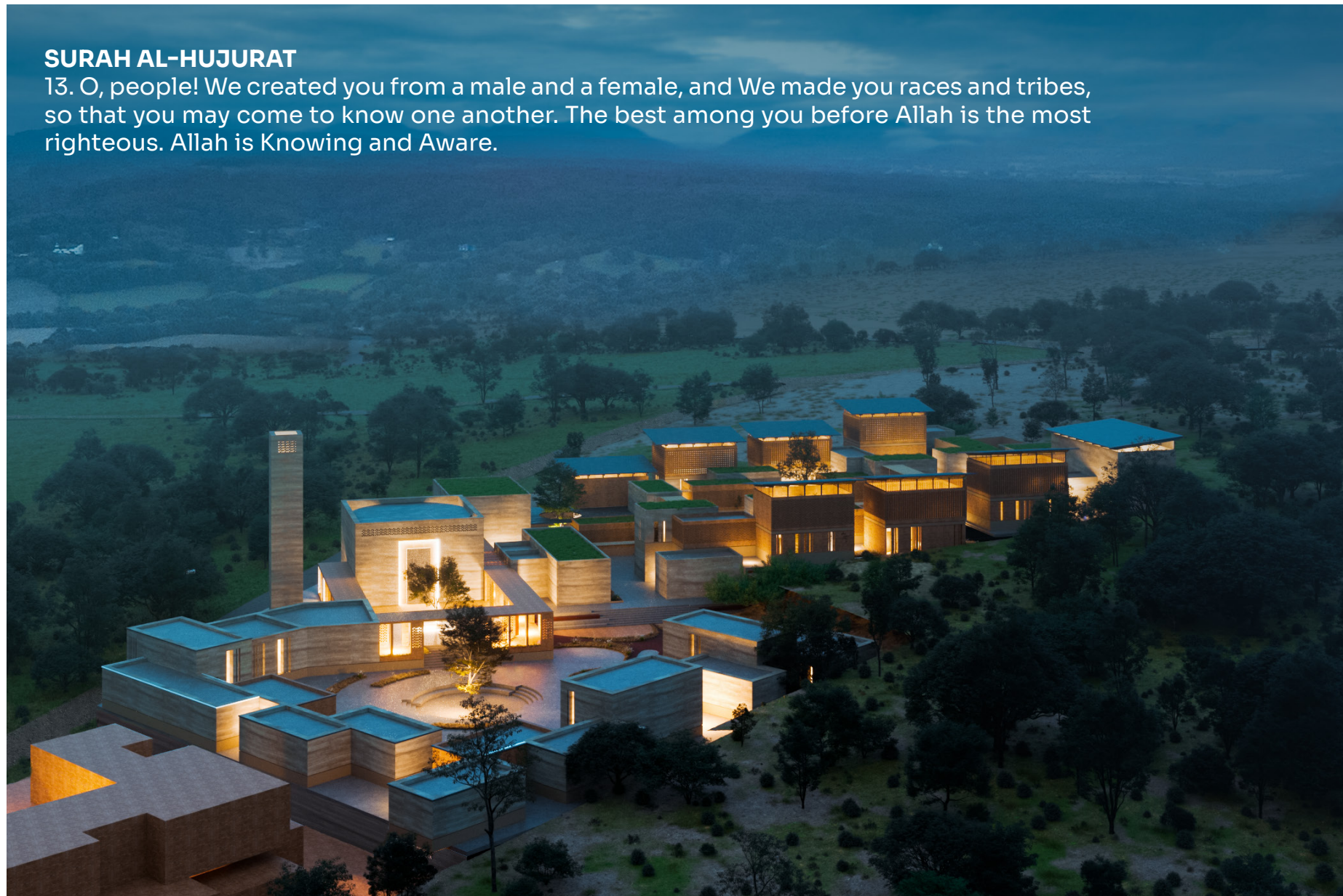
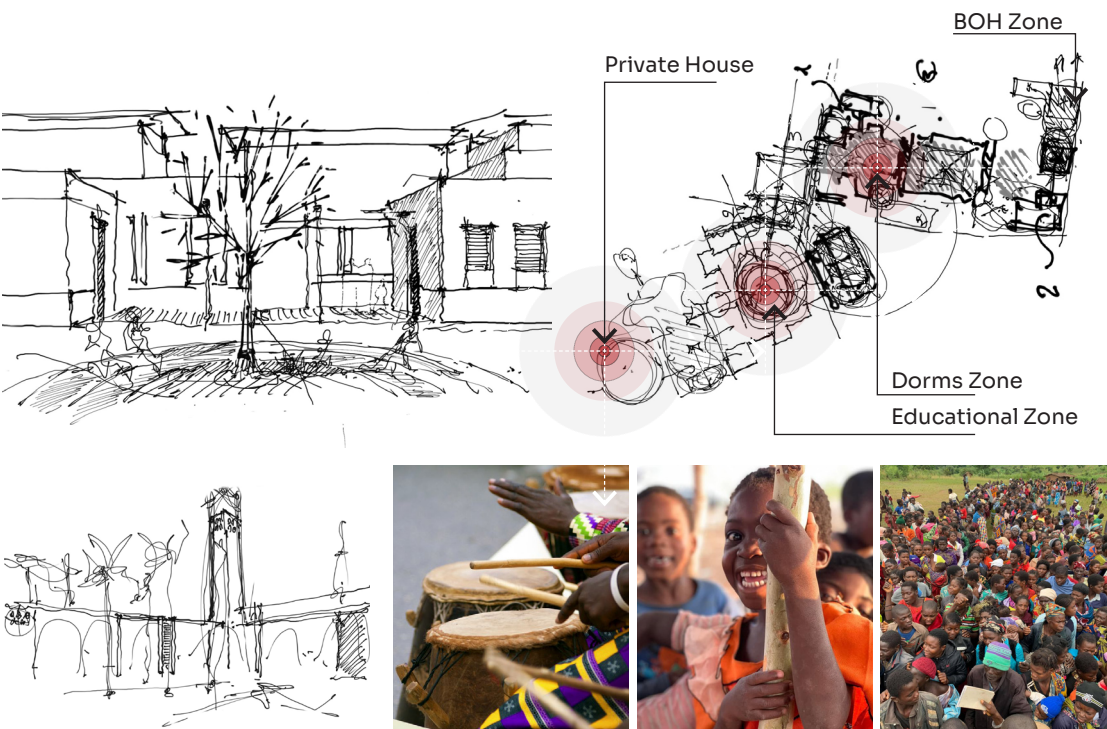
Mosque & Courtyard Zone



Dorms & Semi Private Zone



Education & Public Zone



SURAH AL-HUJURAT
 13. O, people! We created you from a male and a female, and We made you races and tribes, so that you may come to know one another. The best among you before Allah is the most righteous. Allah is Knowing and Aware.



- LEGEND**
- 1 Admin
 - 2 Mosque
 - 3 Dormitory
 - 4 Teacher Dorm
 - 5 Ablution
 - 6 Clinic
 - 7 Workshop
 - 8 Classroom
 - 9 Sheikh House
 - 10 Guest House

