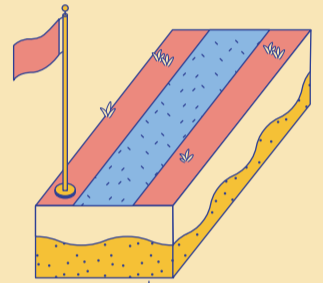
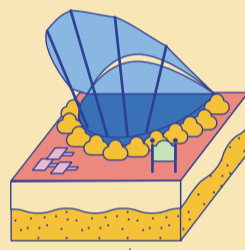
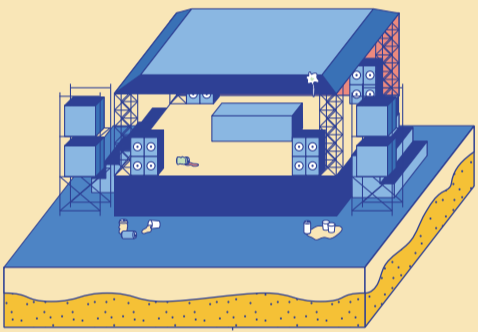


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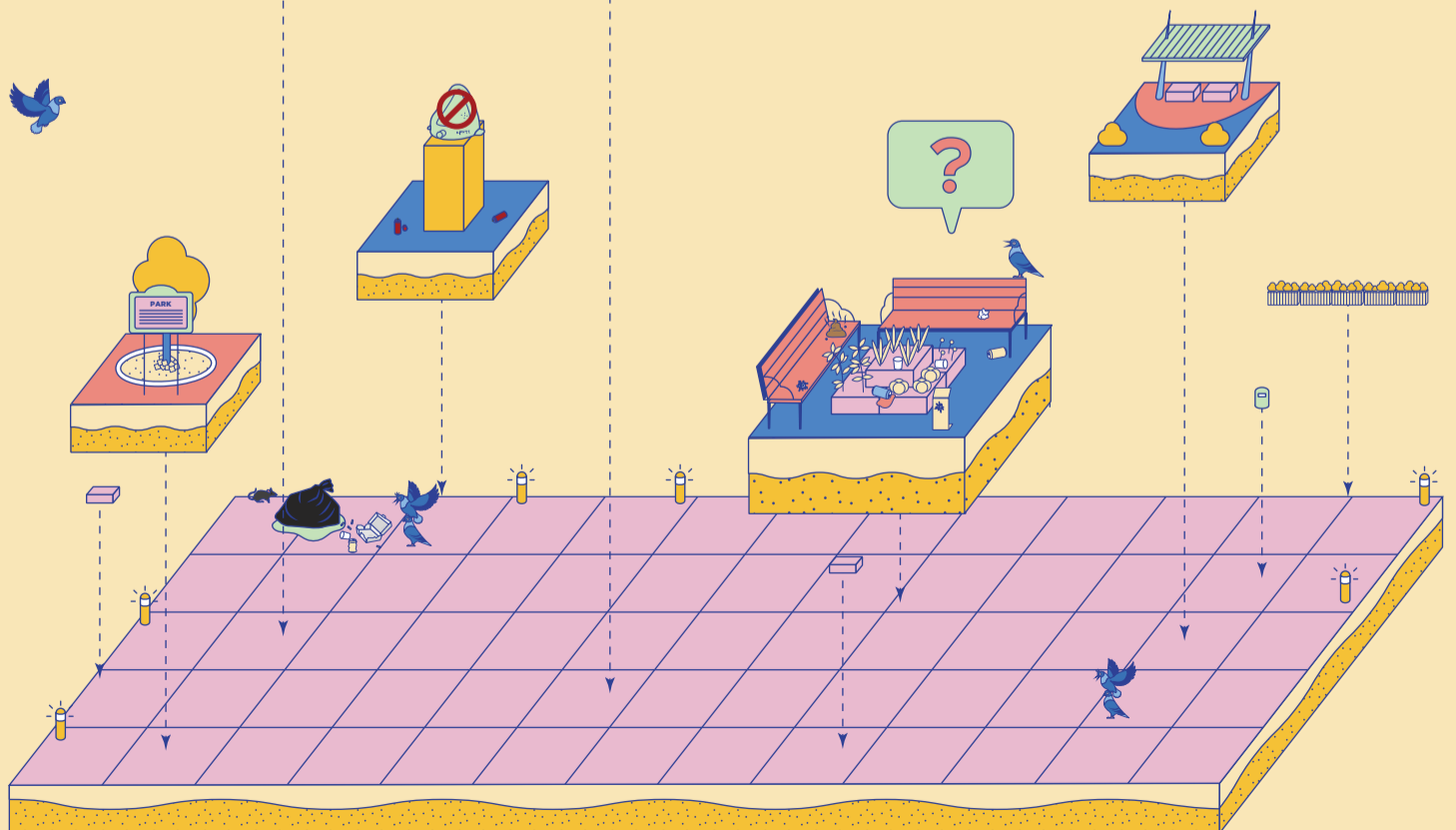
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A Public Square is a year-long programme that looks at how our physical spaces reflect or extend our ideas and attitudes about the public sphere.



Our foray into the public begins with the newly pedestrianised First Botanic Garden @ Armenian Street in front of The Substation. We can call this a public space—but what does it mean? Is it a park? A pedestrian corridor? An event space for pop-ups or festivals? Perhaps a public square?

From July 2019 to March 2020, join us as we explore the claims, tensions, and contradictions to making a public space.



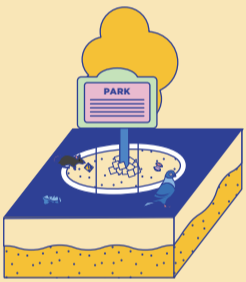
The Substation's Guide to Making A Public Square is a step-by-step programme on how to develop your very own public space! Through the language and layers of parks and squares, the guide examines the process of creating a true space for the public—one welcoming to communities, and endowed with festivities for all to enjoy.



THE SUBSTATION'S GUIDE TO MAKING A PUBLIC SQUARE

1 Release a Masterplan highlighting the institution's grand designs

July 2019:
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4 Highlight the grey areas of "public" space by inviting alter-communities to permeate

July 2019:
Space Oddities Exhibition

August 2019:
Rejects Exhibition

2 Inaugurate the space by naming what doesn't actually belong to you

July 2019:
Parky McParkface
Naming Competition

3 Activate the space by inviting communities to roost

July 2019:
Concerned
Citizens Programme

July 2019:
SAD Bar Open Call

July 2019:
Rejects Open Call

5 Throw a sonorous party for the underground

July 2019:
BlackKajiXtra Nusasonic

6 Celebrate the "national" narrative to rally the masses

August 2019:
State of Love and Trust
and Stars

8 Now that everyone's pleased, mobilise the masses for elections

September 2019:
Campaign Office

7 Drive community engagement initiatives to give invested citizens a voice

August 2019:
Insta-Comic Competition

August 2019:
Good Review Circle (GRC)

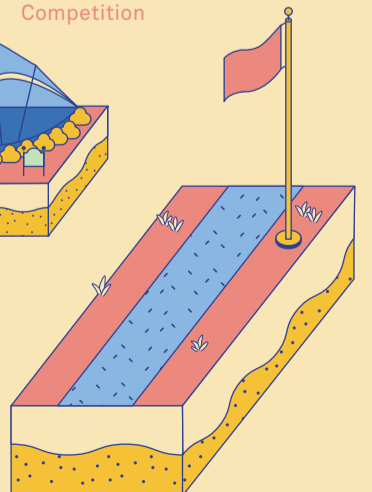
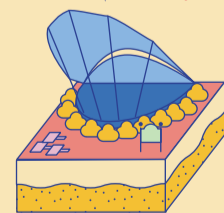
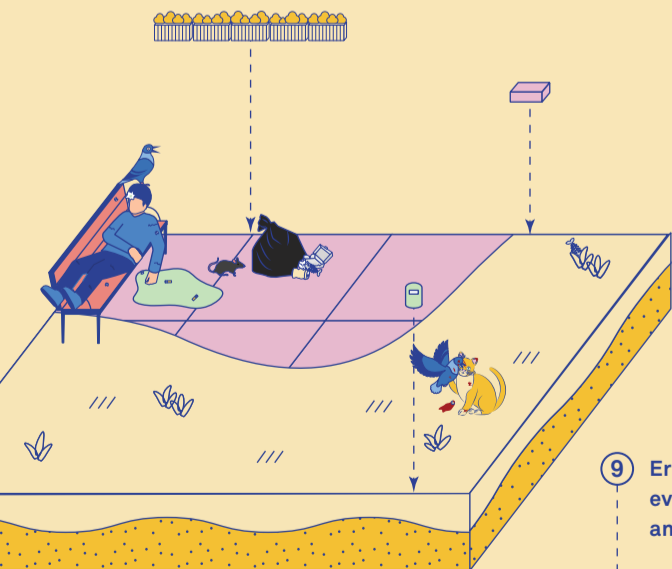
August 2019:
Propose-A-Parklet
Competition

9 Erect public art as evidence of creative and cultural vibrancy

January 2020:
Public Art Exhibition

10 Reinforce your grand narrative by referencing a historical event

January 2020:
Space, Spaces, and Spacing
Conference



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