Located between Raleigh’s Fayetteville District, home to the city’s skyscrapers and the Southeast District, a historically black neighborhood comprised mostly of single-family housing, the Raleigh Matrix is a vision to redefine the American urban fabric. While providing flexible housing is its primary purpose, the project transitions residents and visitors from the public city block sidewalks to its intimate micro-communities through an order of scales. A main objective in designing the scheme was to use a matrix in providing a variety of housing units that unify around a flexible space in support of mixing social classes through community organization.