Funnel Pavillion

Fun(nel): Sarah Bisignano Zamler Jared Payne Fan Liu Cong Diao Funnel Pavilion is first and foremost a shelter. It is a space for the Columbia Community to seek refuge from the elements, a place to hold safer small gatherings. The canopies cover much of the elevated platform creating a protected but open area with arched entries on each side. The structure is comprised of four funnel-like structures that direct rain away from it's human occupants and towards the planters. Each element umbrellas upward to a sinuous edge. While these four elements are distinct, they bend to and away from one another, in some points almost meeting it's neighbor and in the others peeling far away. This relationship is not unlike our experience this past year. Attempting to connect, all the while remaining safely apart.











