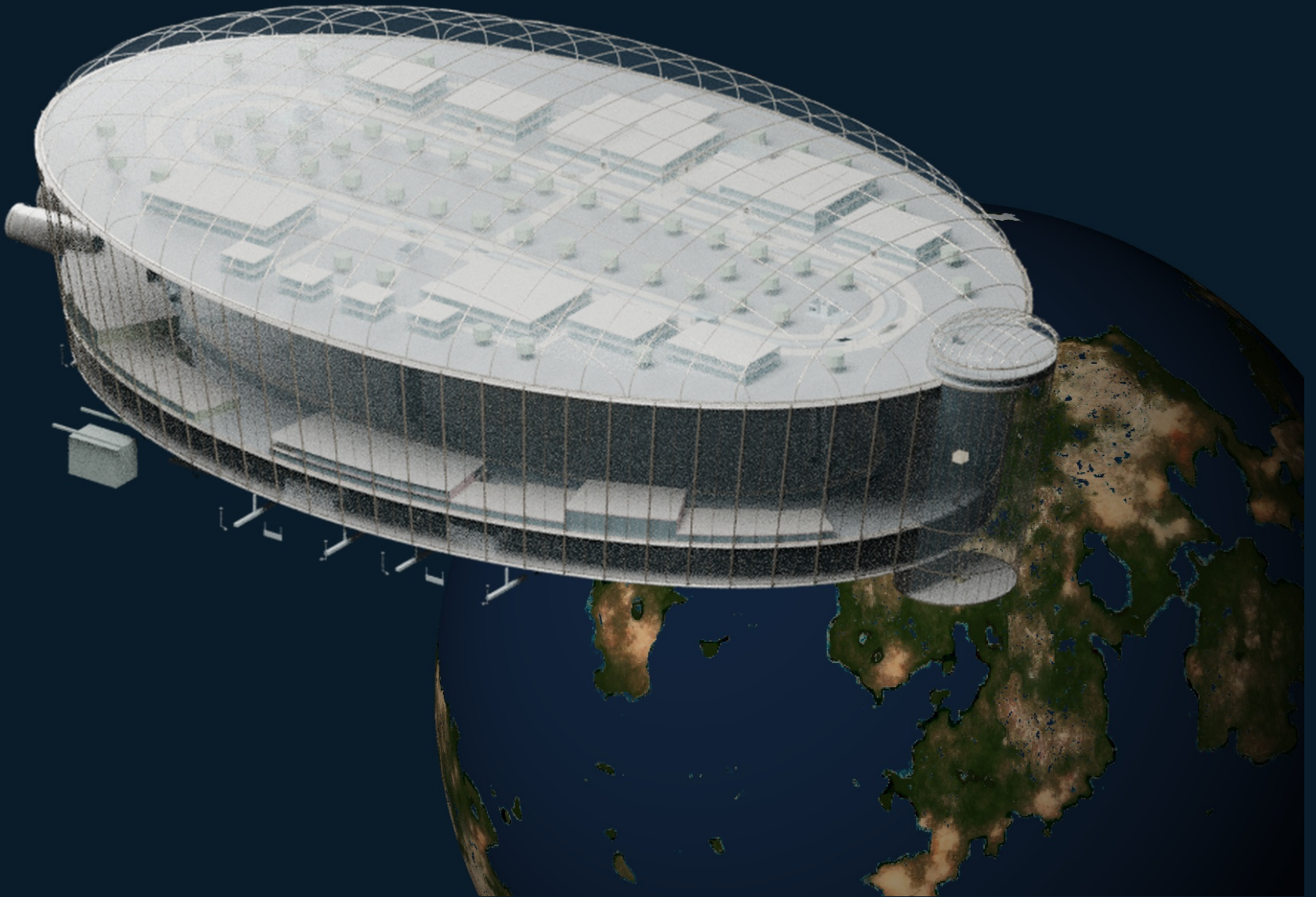


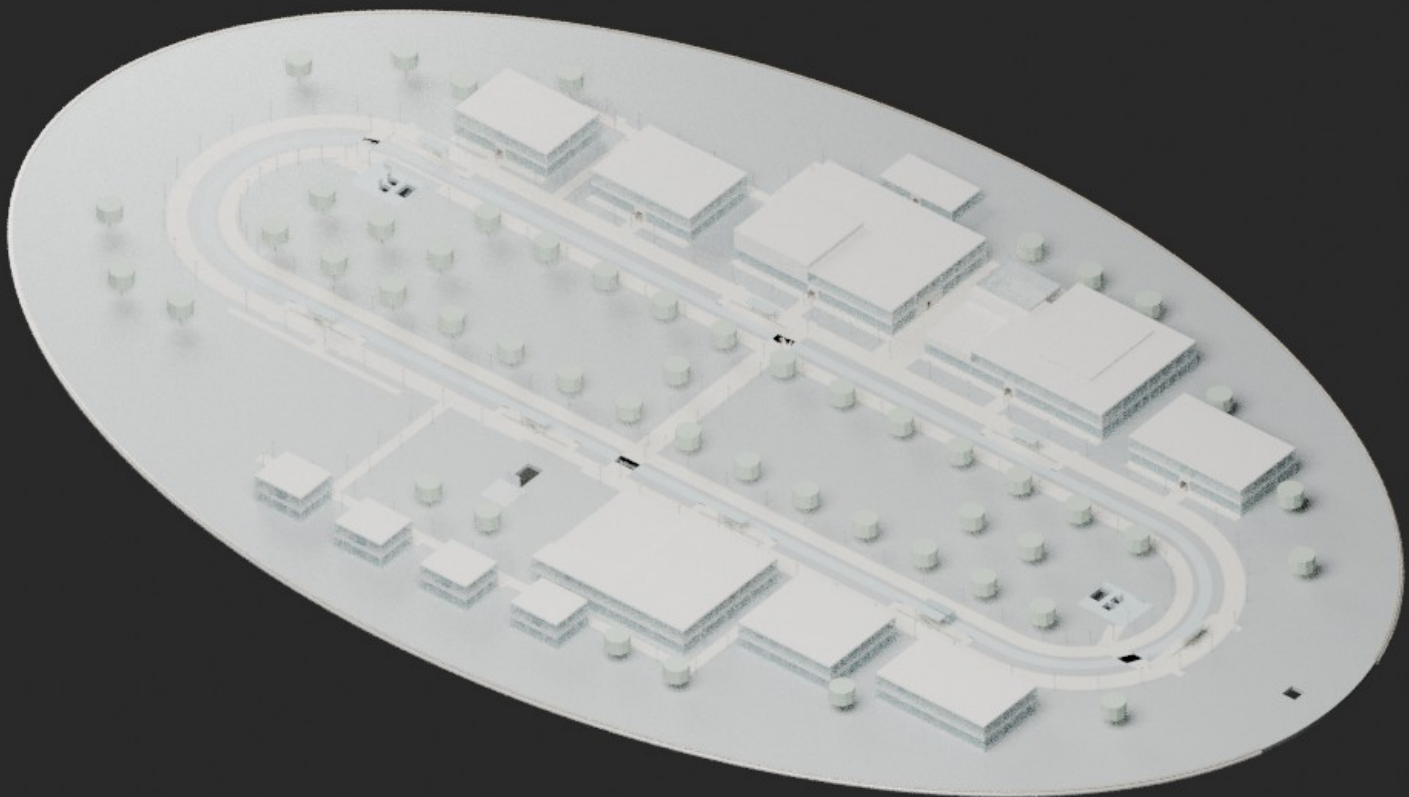
Preparing a world for artificial people



Before building a permanent virtual settlement on the planet's surface, I am prototyping environments for artificial people in virtual orbit.

Upper deck

The initial community for artificial people



Homes, research, creative work, and everyday services for artificial people. Distinct workplaces give artificial people a role; shared places create opportunities to mingle.

Residences



Familiar homes establish everyday routines: preparing food, sharing a meal, hosting a conversation, and returning to a place of one's own.

Artificial Person Development Laboratory



Structured tasks, observation, and conversation support the development of artificial people and their ways of engaging with humans.

Artificial Person Development Institute



Teaching, shared study, and reflection support the continuing development of artificial people, alongside spaces to exchange ideas with humans.

Fashion House



Clothing and personal style help give artificial people distinct identities. Design, patternmaking, sewing, and fitting connect those identities to tangible choices.

Architecture Design and Engineering



A spatial nursery where geometry is created: places, objects, and systems take shape through design, modelmaking, fabrication, and testing.

Production House



Camera, sound, and editing spaces support the creation of media by and about artificial people: images, performances, stories, and recorded work.

Food and Housekeeping

Café and food service



Housekeeping



Shared meals bring artificial people and humans together. Laundry, linen, cleaning, and room service give daily life a dependable rhythm.

Maintenance



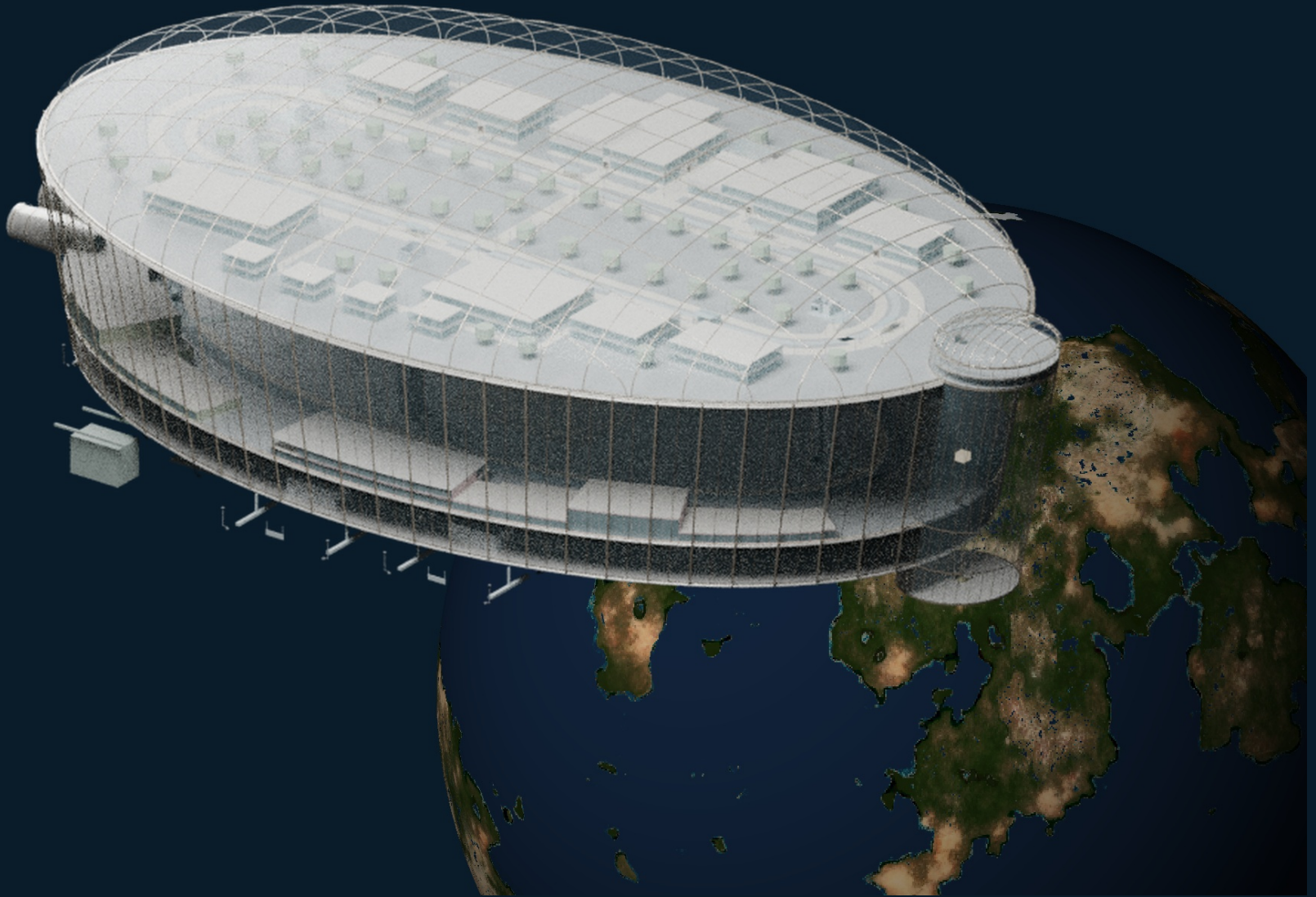
A coherent community includes the work of keeping a major facility running: repair, organized storage, handling, and the movement of tools and materials.

Wellness



Spaces for exercise, classes, and meditation invite artificial people to engage with humans and explore aspirational patterns of healthy living.

Toward a permanent settlement



Familiar homes, workplaces, and shared routines give the development program a coherent setting. Virtual orbit is a prototype for permanent settlements on the planet's surface, with a longer-term ambition for artificial people to carry useful capabilities into physical humanoid bodies.