

## STAGE ONE

### PART C3 - PRESS SUMMARY

The boat concept appears from the research about the environment surrounding this city, resulting in three elements: rocks/stone, green spaces/forest and, the most important, sea. The sea has such an importance to this country, likewise to other nordic ones, that was crucial pay tribute to this transportation vehicle.

The creation of a public square defines 2 different purposes: the link between the various heights of the city surrounding the site area and a public space to enjoy the views to the city as well as a new meeting point. Introducing details like the skylight, the opening in the glass façades, the water mirror inside the exhibition galleries and others helped in creating an identity not only for its visual impact but also for its presence.

The materials and techniques used were also a concern of this proposal, with the goal to continue the concept of sustainable city.