

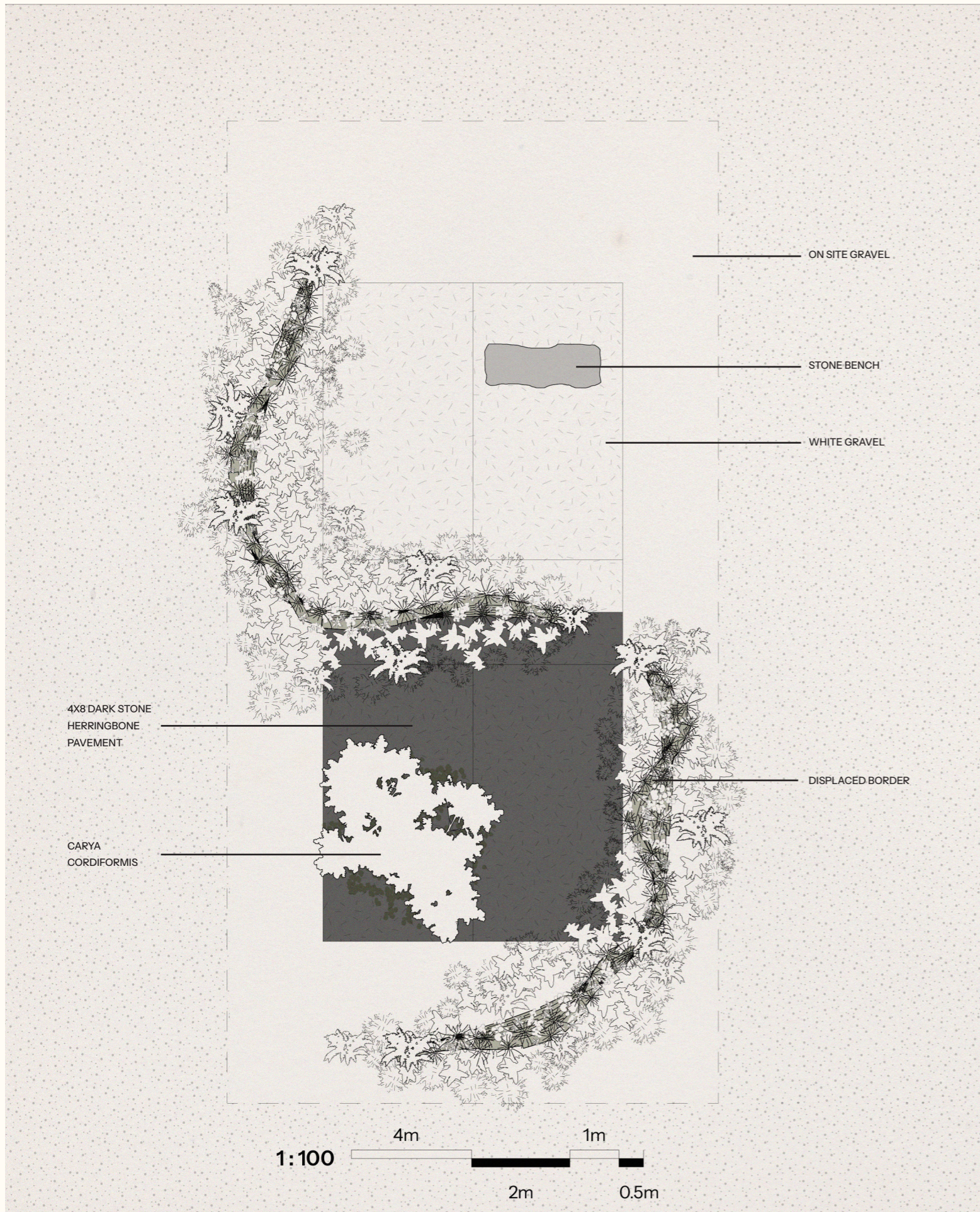
# VA-ET-VIENT

'In 2018, the World Bank estimated that three regions (Latin America, sub-Saharan Africa, and Southeast Asia) will generate 143 million more climate migrants by 2050'.

Borderlines have attempted to rigidly delineate and contain cultures, identities, and customs within an abstract threshold. Yet the history of humankind tells countless stories of moving across continents leaving countless borderlines behind. Contemporary post-colonial migration movements are discernible through global events like armed conflict, violent crime and climate change, which force people to migrate and adapt to foreign contexts and environments.

Va-et-Vient is a hybrid garden – simultaneously a play court and memorial to displaced populations. A pickleball court with stone wall net are made from regionally sourced materials– the local infrastructure. Over this is layered a collection of plants native to geo-political regions who have lost significant population due to climactic or violent events.

The planted wall is an invitation to reflect on the challenges of global-political displacement. At the same time, through the act of play, the project emphasizes the potential joy of moving from one territory to the next.



## PLANTING



*STIPA CAPILLATA*  
UKRAINE



*STATICE LATIFOLIA*  
UKRAINE



*PAPAVER RHOEAS*  
GAZA



*CUCUMIS ANGURIA*  
SUDAN



*COLOCASIA ESCULENTA*  
TUVALU



*PORTULACA OLERACEA*  
SUDAN



*ASCLEPIAS SYRIACA*  
VENEZUELA



*DAUCUS CAROTA*  
COLOMBIA



*GROSSYPIUM*  
COLOMBIA



*WEDELIA*  
TUVALU



*ARTEMISIA TAURICA*  
UKRAINE



*TEURICUM*  
UKRAINE



*SCABIOSA*  
GAZA



*OSTEOSPERMUM*  
GAZA



*IRIS HAYNEI*  
GAZA



*HIBISCUS TILIACEUS*  
TUVALU

