

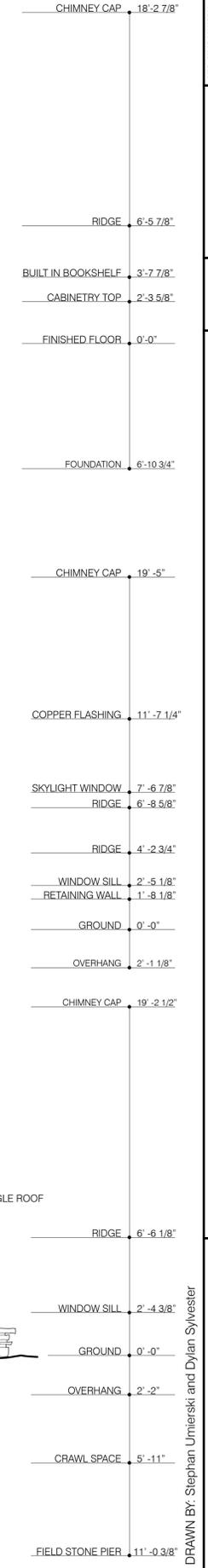
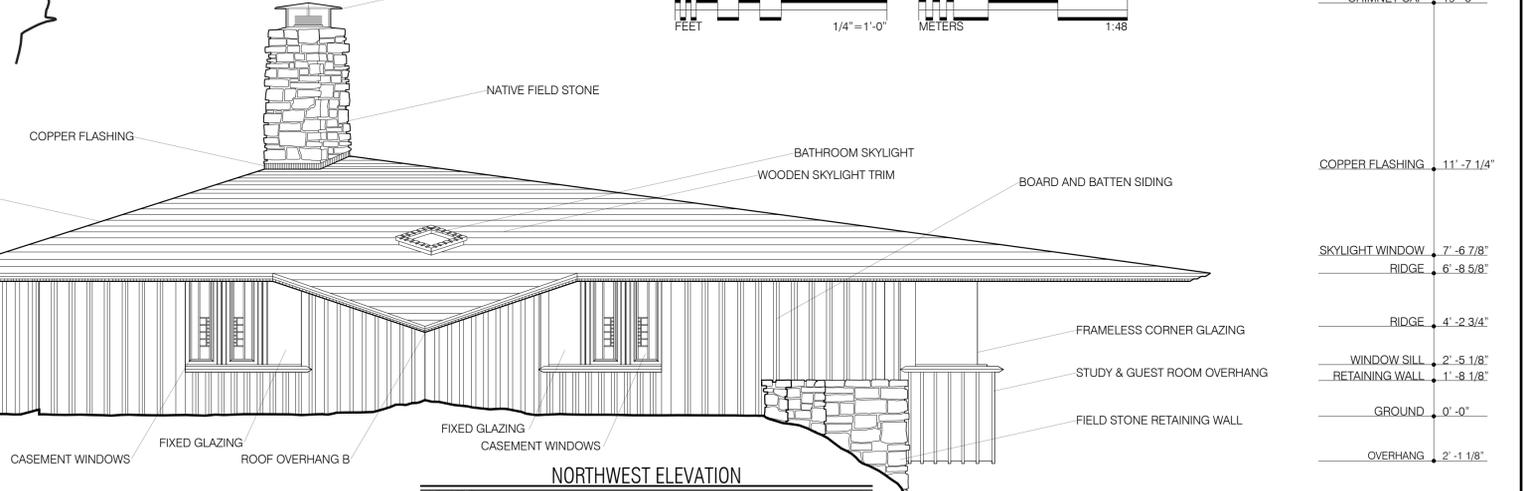
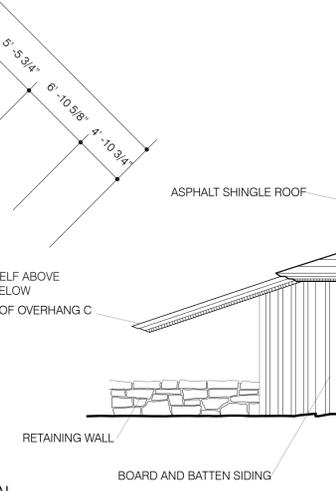
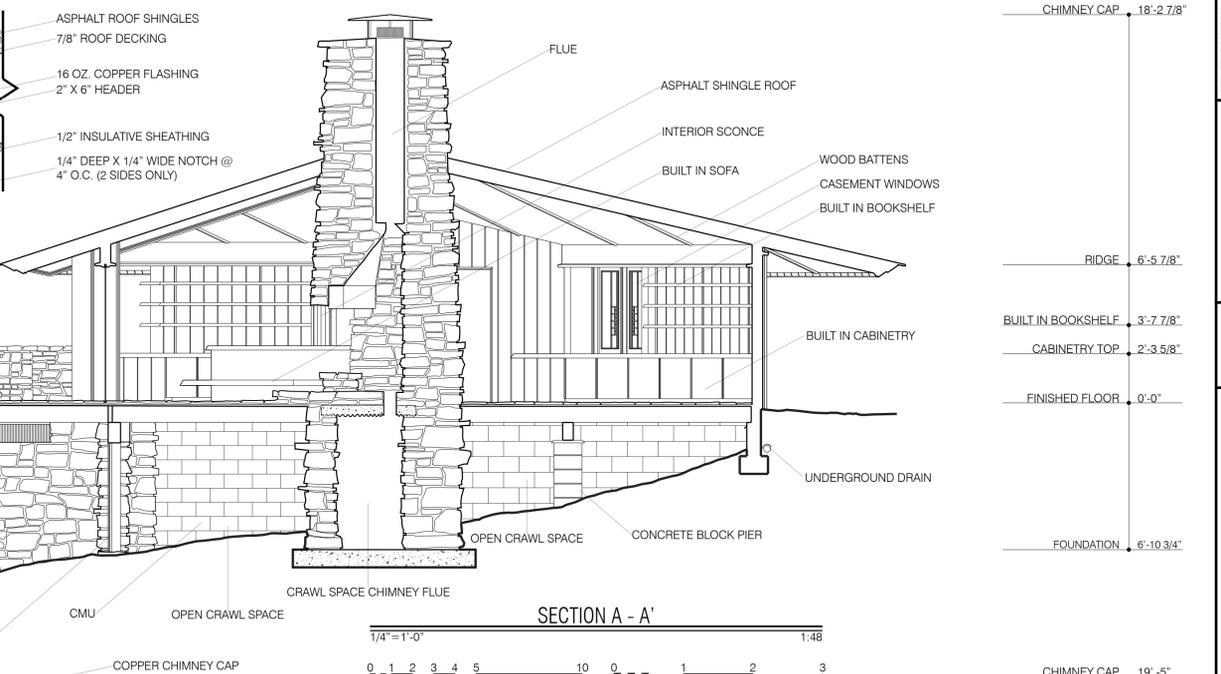
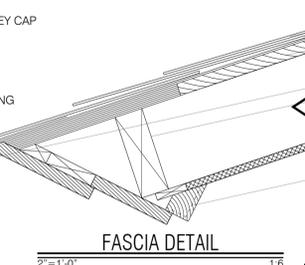
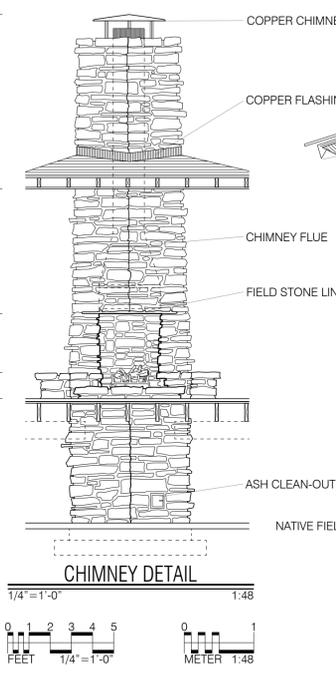
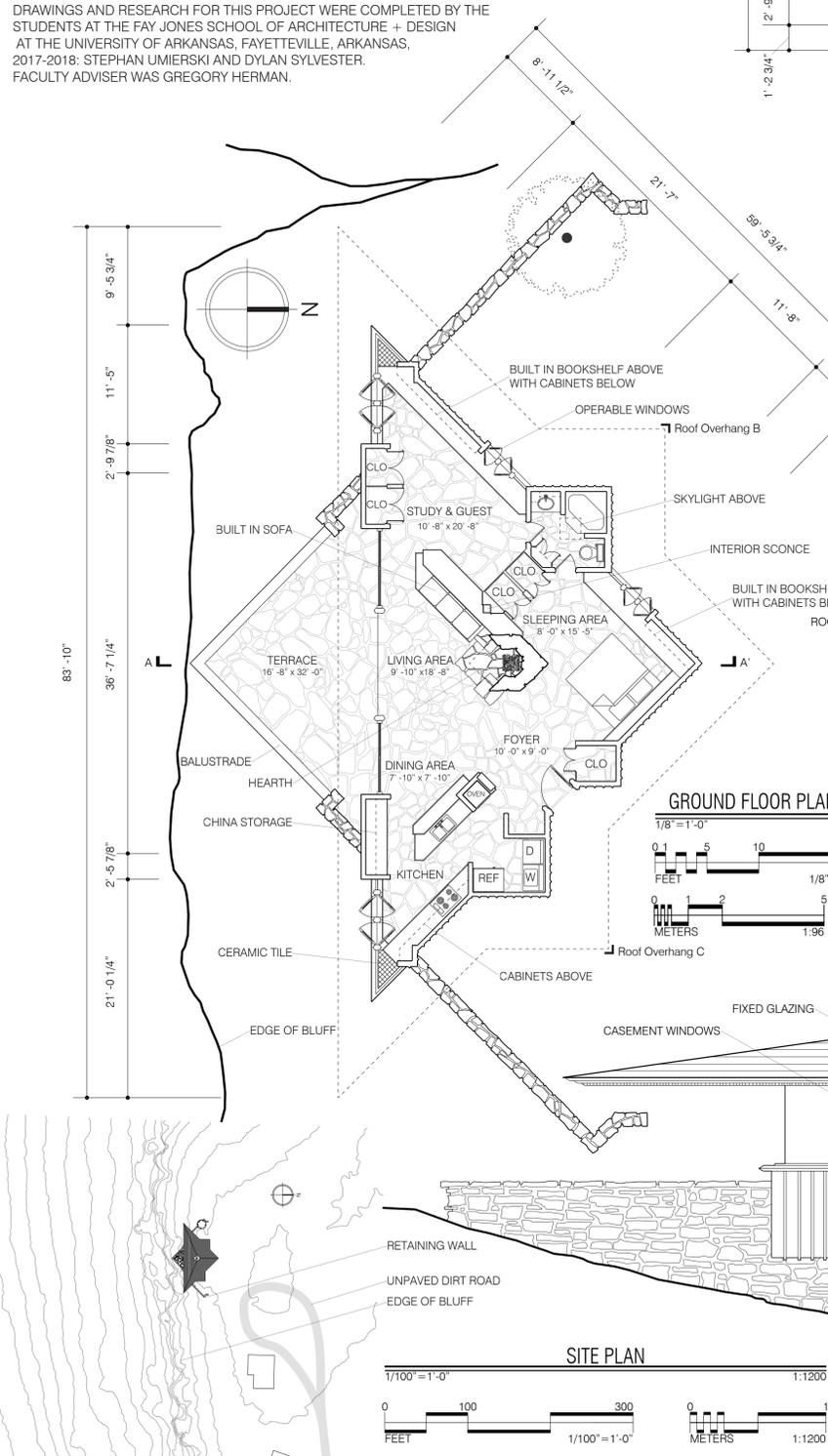
DEMARCO HOUSE

FAYETTEVILLE, ARKANSAS
Fay Jones, Architect

IN 1963, FAY JONES DESIGNED THIS HOUSE FOR NORMAN AND LOUISE DEMARCO, SITED IN SOUTHWEST FAYETTEVILLE, ARKANSAS. MR. DEMARCO WAS A FACULTY MEMBER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS. MRS. DEMARCO WAS ALSO AN EMPLOYEE OF THE UNIVERSITY. THEY BOTH HAD A KEEN INTEREST IN ART, PROGRESSIVE THOUGHT, AND MODERN ARCHITECTURE GROUNDED IN ITS LOCATION.

SITUATED ON THE EDGE OF A WOODED BLUFF DEEP IN THE ARKANSAS OZARKS NEAR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS, THE DEMARCO HOUSE IS NOTABLE FOR ARCHITECT JONES'S USE OF ROTATED AND OVERLAPPING GEOMETRIES, UNUSUAL IN THE ARCHITECT'S WORK. THE DEMARCO HOUSE WAS DESIGNED AS A SINGLE OPEN SPACE, WITH AREA USES DESIGNATED BY POSITION AND FURNISHING. A MUTE ENTRY ELEVATION GIVES WAY TO A GLASSY, SOUTH-FACING OPEN INTERIOR, ANCHORED AT THE CENTER BY A MASSIVE NATIVE-STONE FIREPLACE AND CHIMNEY. THE ARCHITECT'S SIGNATURE USE OF STONE, REDWOOD SIDING, AND CAREFUL DETAILING REMINISCENT OF THE WORK OF FRANK LLOYD WRIGHT MAKE FOR A SIMPLE, YET RICH DEMONSTRATION OF JONES'S TALENT.

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