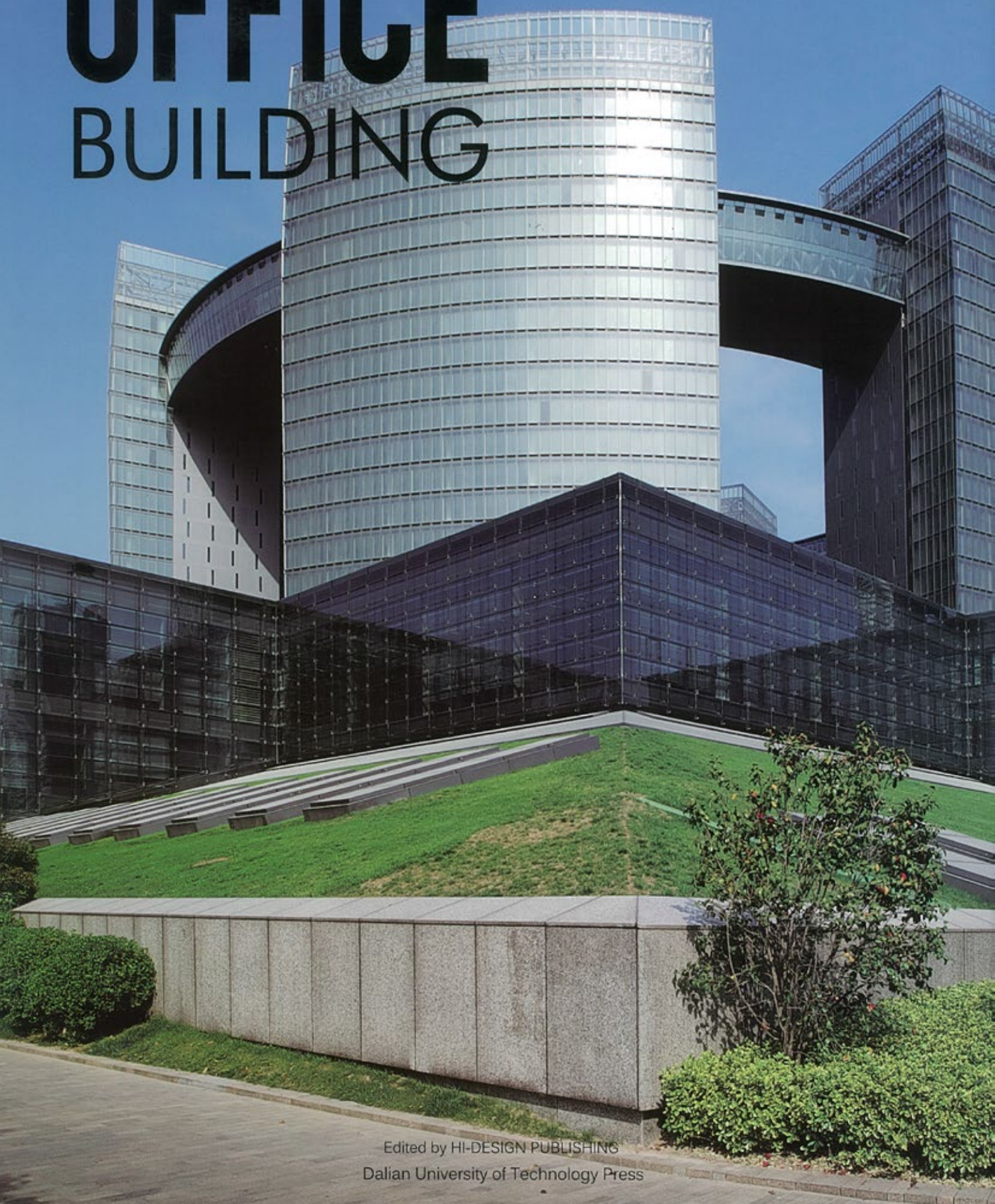


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PALACE OF INTERNATIONAL FORUMS

Interior Design: Ippolito Fleitz Group - Identity Architects

ARCHITECT: U-Rachimow / Taschigiprogor / LOCATION: Tashkent, Uzbekistan / AREA: 40,000 m²

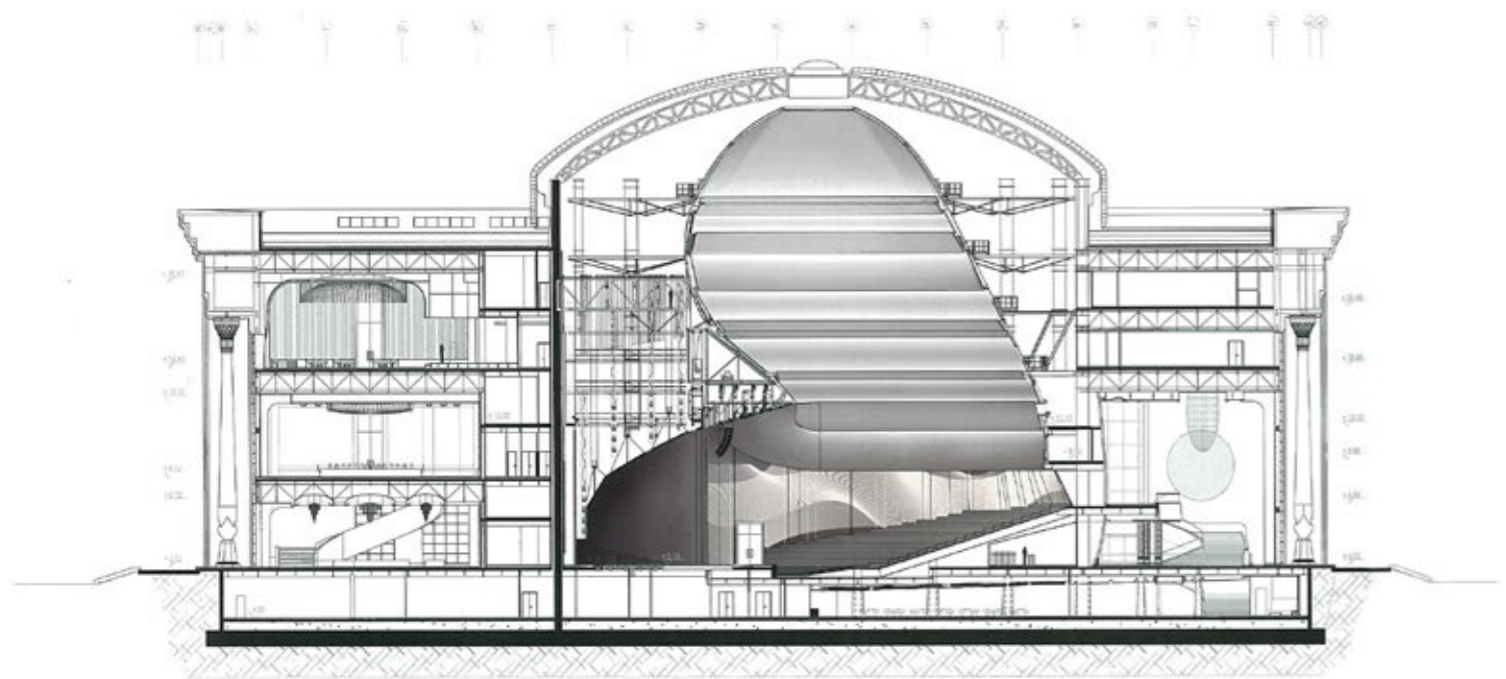
It is designed as a platform for hosting acts of state, congresses, conferences and other cultural highlights. The architects' task was to give the interior a contemporary form, while incorporating elements from traditional Uzbek architecture. The result is a cosmopolitan, communicative interior clothed in exclusive materials. Planar ornamentation, organic movement, crystals, precious metals and a fascinating interplay of artificial and natural light all become a source of inspiration.

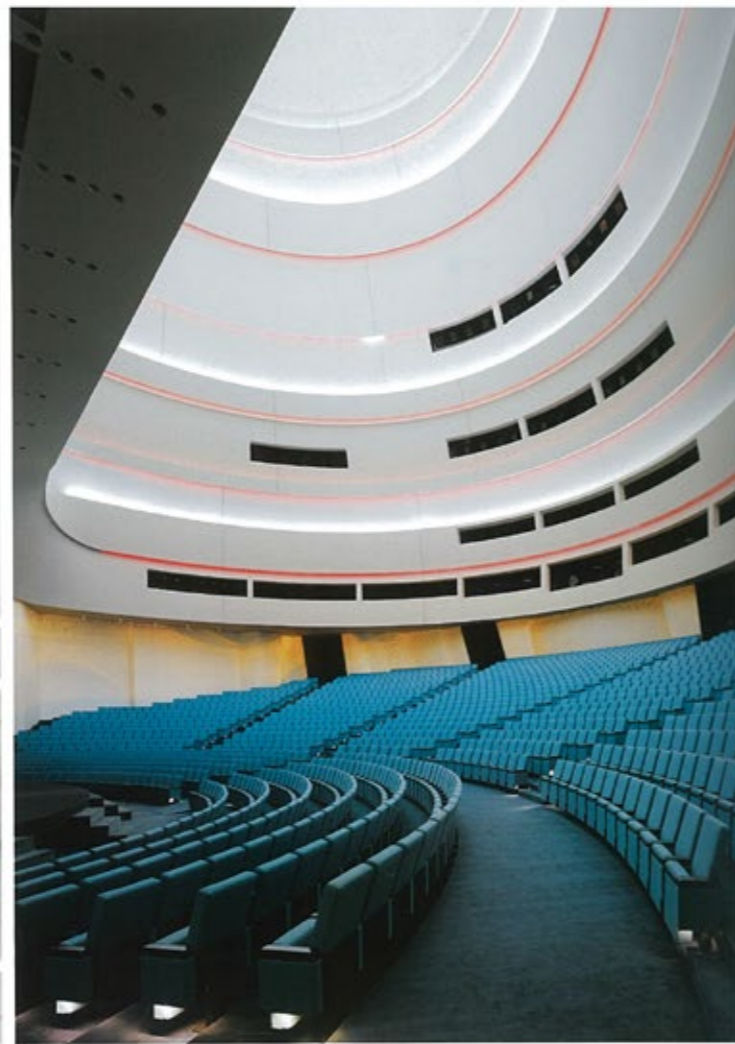
Classical in its external appearance, the building prepares for the modernity within through the extensively glazed facade. Behind illuminated facade columns of Thassos marble, a similarly weighty epochal semicircular Swarovski chandelier dominates the main foyer. Reflecting the front of the building, a

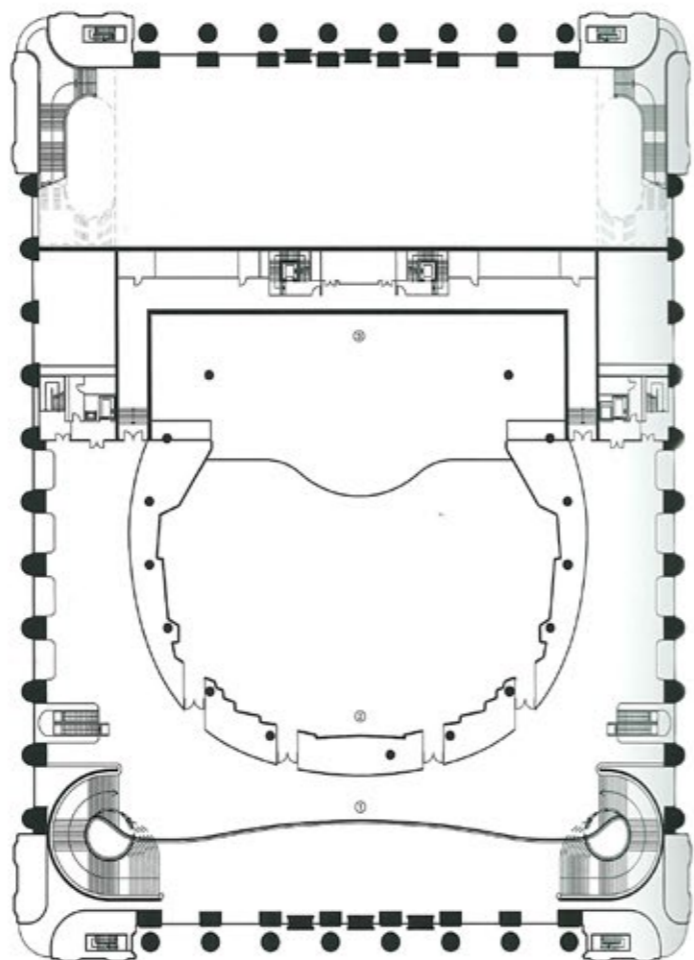
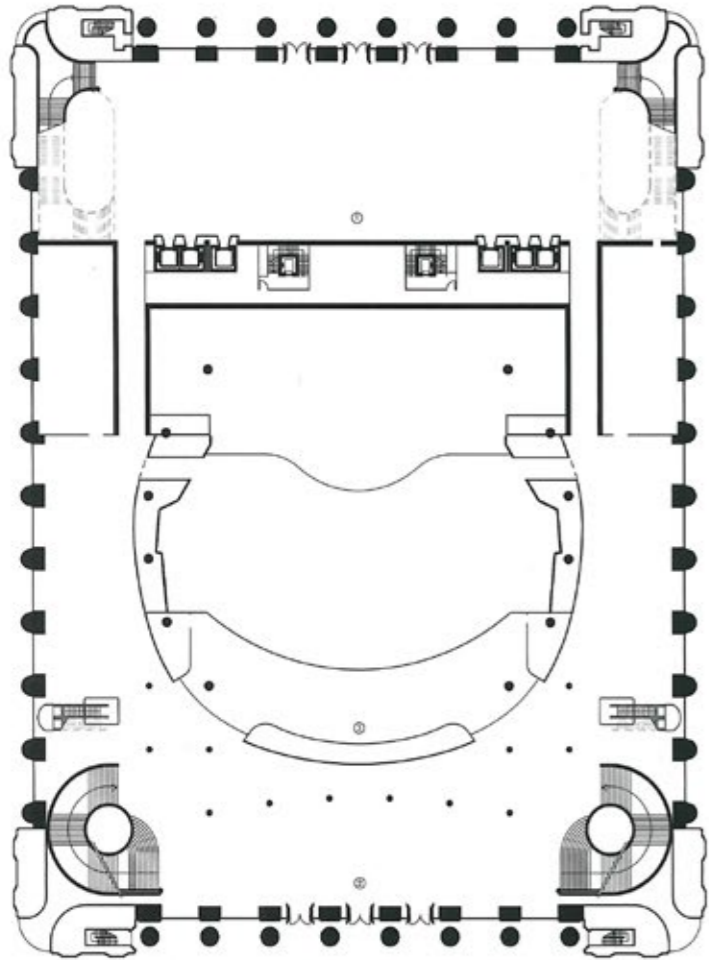
gallery marks the longitudinal axis. To the sides it opens up into diametrical open staircases in an open, embracing gesture to the foyer.

Ornamentation is applied throughout the building in a diverse variety of possibilities and materials to provide stylistic elements of the country's culture. They can be found in brass and stainless steel in the balustrades of the gallery. The ornamented foyer floor of light Sivec marble is rhythmized by traditional motifs of stainless steel. The floor is contained by a circumferential wall frieze of Irish green marble in the classic manner. Scaled up, the geometric motion of the floor is echoed on the ceiling and, as a three-dimensional decorative border reminiscent of Gantsch carving, optimises the acoustics of the room.





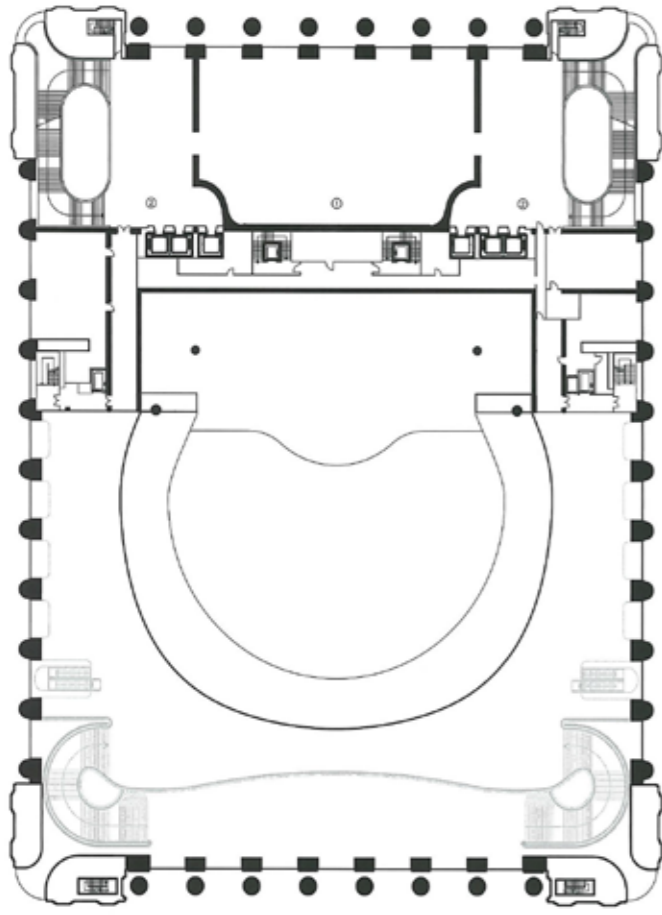




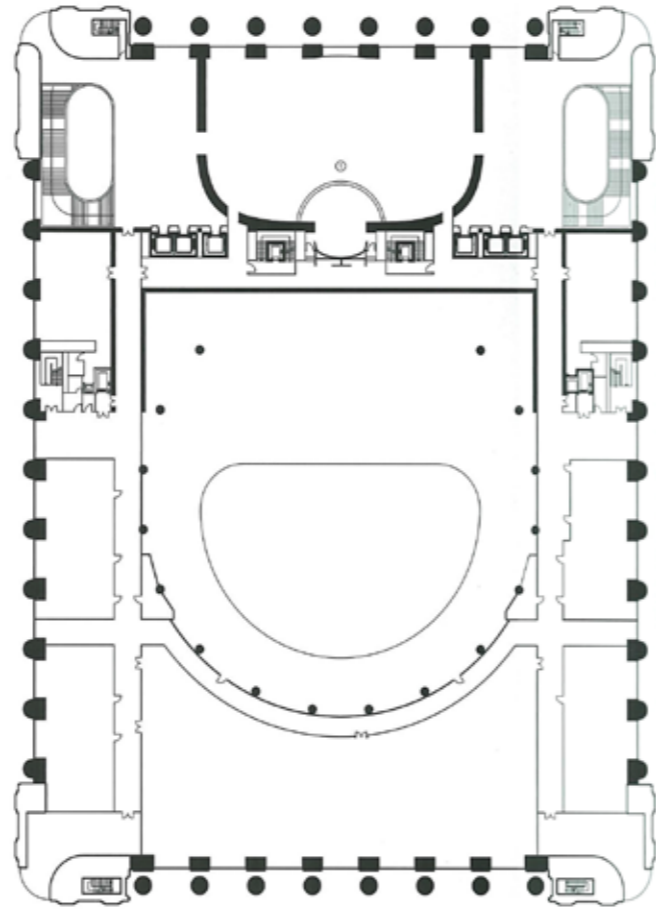
- ① VIP Entrance Hall
- ② Main Entrance Hall
- ③ Cloak Room

- ① Gallery
- ② Auditorium
- ③ Stage

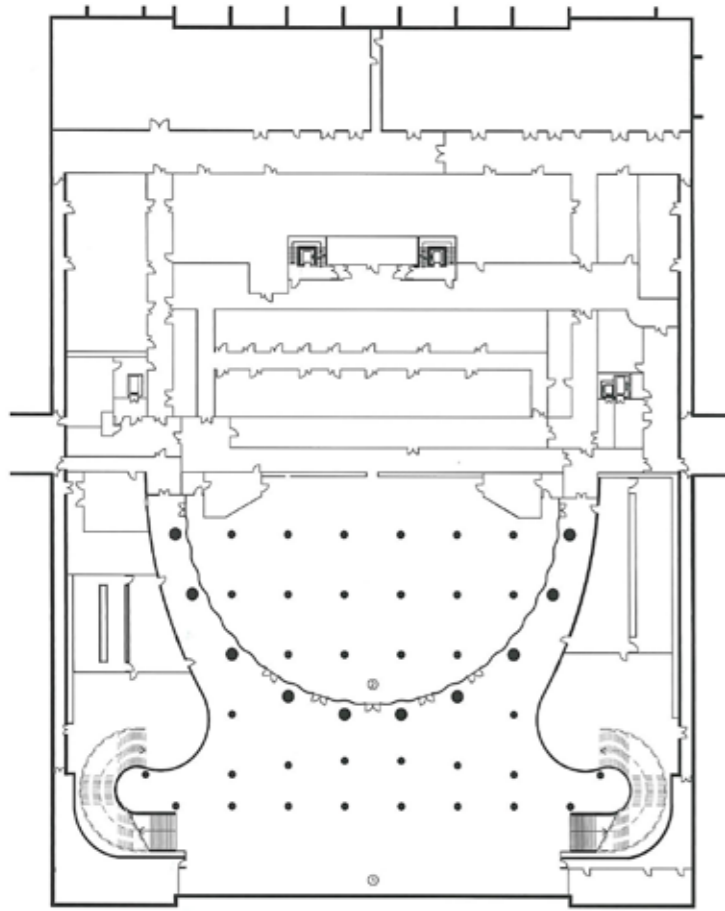




○ Conference Hall
● VIP Foyers



○ Banquet Hall



○ Foyer
● Restaurant

