

# p55H

## parallel55 Habitat

The 'Parallel55' habitats are coming Fall 2020. A collective hybrid habitation for three people, or small office. It is located in the ultra-popular and quickly changing Nunavik real estate market will be launched by UWS. This is an area that will inhabit an architectural style conceived by the heritage Inuit culture and designed to fit the needs of their traditional community.

By combining multiple units of the PW55, communities and villages can be easily relocate in order to better fit their previous nomadic lifestyle. A result of this will be that there will be less dependency on transit and the population spends more time with their family. This nomadic approach to housing fit the hunting, finishing and tapping lifestyle of the Inuit Community.

These micro-habitats are in the scale of a traditional Igloo but no larger than a small family home in North America. Blending the shape of seal anatomy and traditional Inuit canoe structure it could be composed of many different makeshift materials that are found around landfills and yards of the pre-existing community. The framework could be composed of reused wood as well as large pieces of driftwood that can be found abundantly in the area. The membrane is composed of stretched animal skins or metal scraps. The underside could be made air tight with old tires, whale fat. Abandoned sheds and homes could also be options for the framework.



