

## **Student Apartment studios in Achrafieh**

**Total Built-up Area:** 10510m<sup>2</sup>

**Building Height:** 44m

**Building Scope:** 3B+GF+12F

The student's life consists of a mixture of private life, together with the need for individual seclusion for learning and public life. The basic concept of this student apartment studios is to give an image of a small community based on "eco-environment community" for systematical connection to nature, "living community" for students, and "landscape community". This provides semi-public spaces to the city and dynamic gathering spaces to the students.

This idea is developed first through slicing the block which results a passage between the both entrances giving interaction between the two streets, second by adopting the LEGO concept which creates a variety of sky lines to consider harmony with neighbor environment, outdoor plan to provide views for students and consequently a nature-friendly image as a well-being apartment. This leads to an elevation of different levels that create a landmark image for neighbors.

By having these gradual shapes, the surface cover area is larger which serves in harvesting energy by solar thermal energy, photovoltaic and wind energy that provide the necessary amount for the blocks necessary needs. Besides I care about collecting and distributing water that can irrigate roof's green spaces.