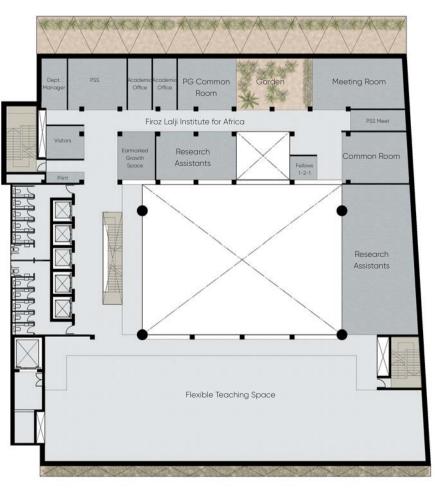


## **Ground Floor**



**Level 1** - Firoz Lalji Institute for Africa + Gen Teaching

## A Quadripartite stratification

Organisationally the building is set within 4 distinct tiers – each with their own character internally and externally:

**1** - Basement – these spaces are held by the 300 seat Agora and its associated break-out areas.

2 - Ground and First – characterised by the open forum and social learning spaces of the ground floor, that in turn linked up to the Firoz Lalji Centre at Piano Nobile

**3** – Four floors of academic clusters set within the 'heavy body' of the building – planned over the lower floor-to-floor heights of the existing structure.

**4** – The crowning Executive education layer, topped by the restaurant and a wonderful west facing roof garden. This is conceived as a giant, back-cut cornice.

