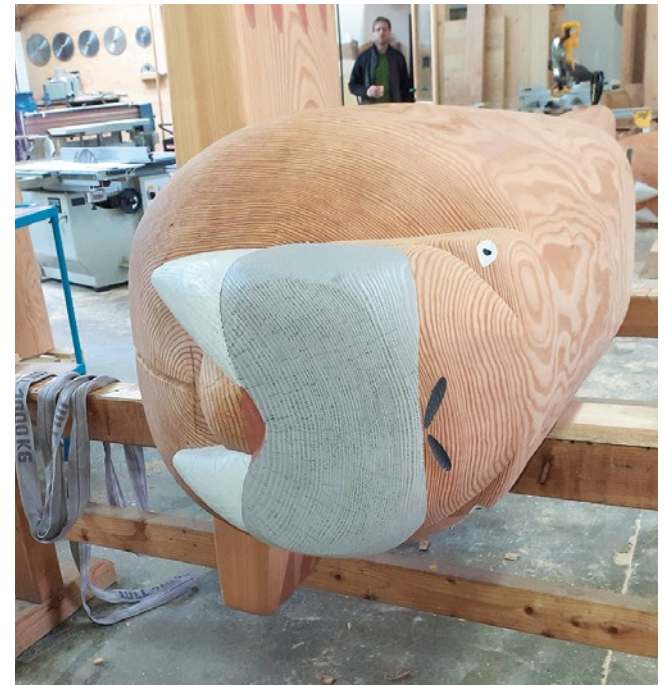
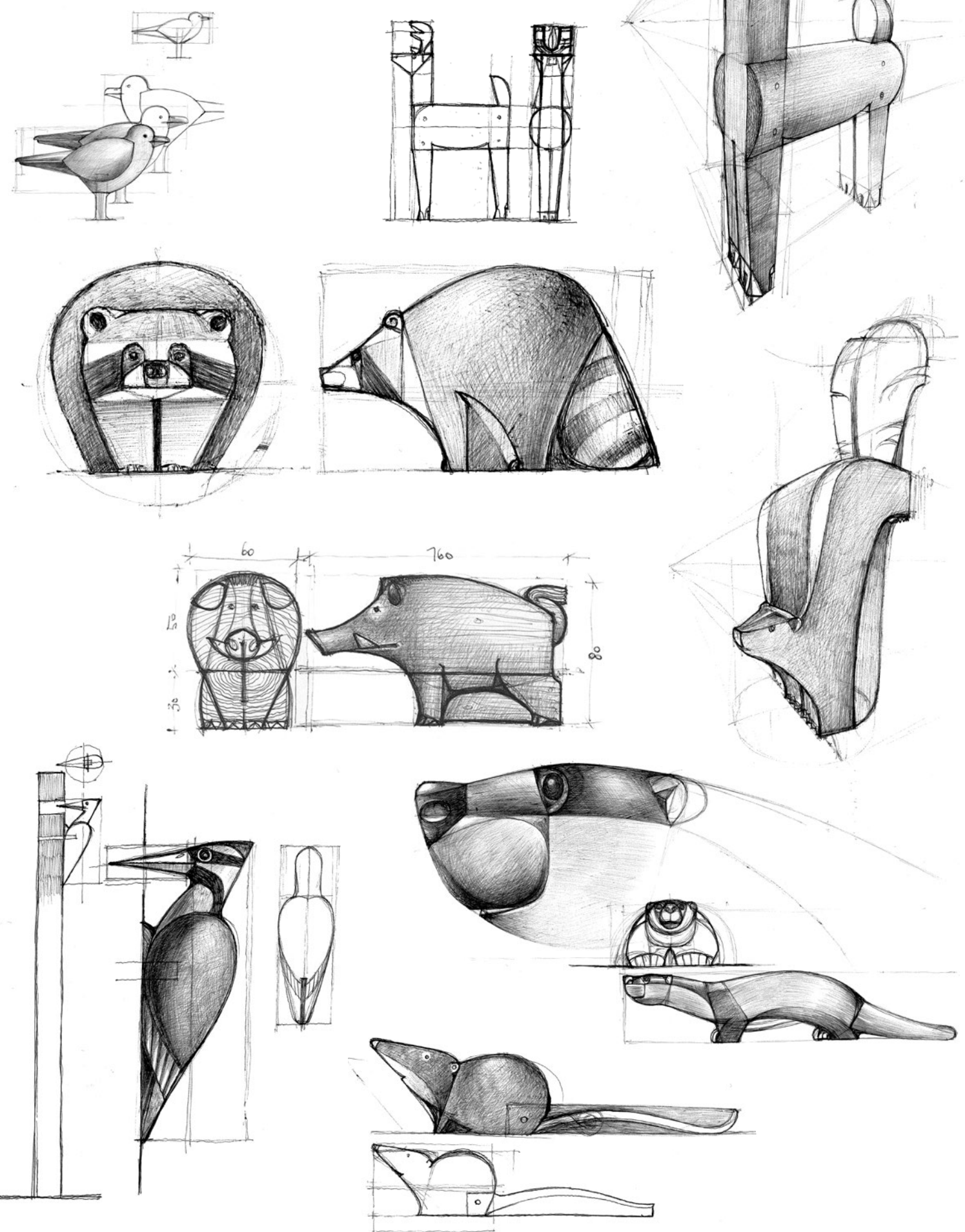


ANIMAL SCULPTURES DESIGN WILDLIFE



Christian Huba, Sculptor

"The almost life-sized animals that I design are carved from strong larch tree trunks. I reduce the process of uncontrolled cracking with relief cuts in the centre of the trunk and partially remove the core. The larch that I use for my sculptures can be quite unruly, which is no surprise when you consider that the trees have had to withstand storms at high altitudes up in the mountains. Its wood is weather-proofed with a wonderful grain which gives it an eccentric character, it is simply a product of nature!
I see my animals as an artistic contribution to the design of the playground. They are haptic accents, creating a calm space and setting for the aesthetic-sensual development of children. My "wild" animals are gentle when encountered. Through their soulfulness and materiality, they help to reinforce the connection between "humankind and nature" and become its ambassadors at eye level."

Play value

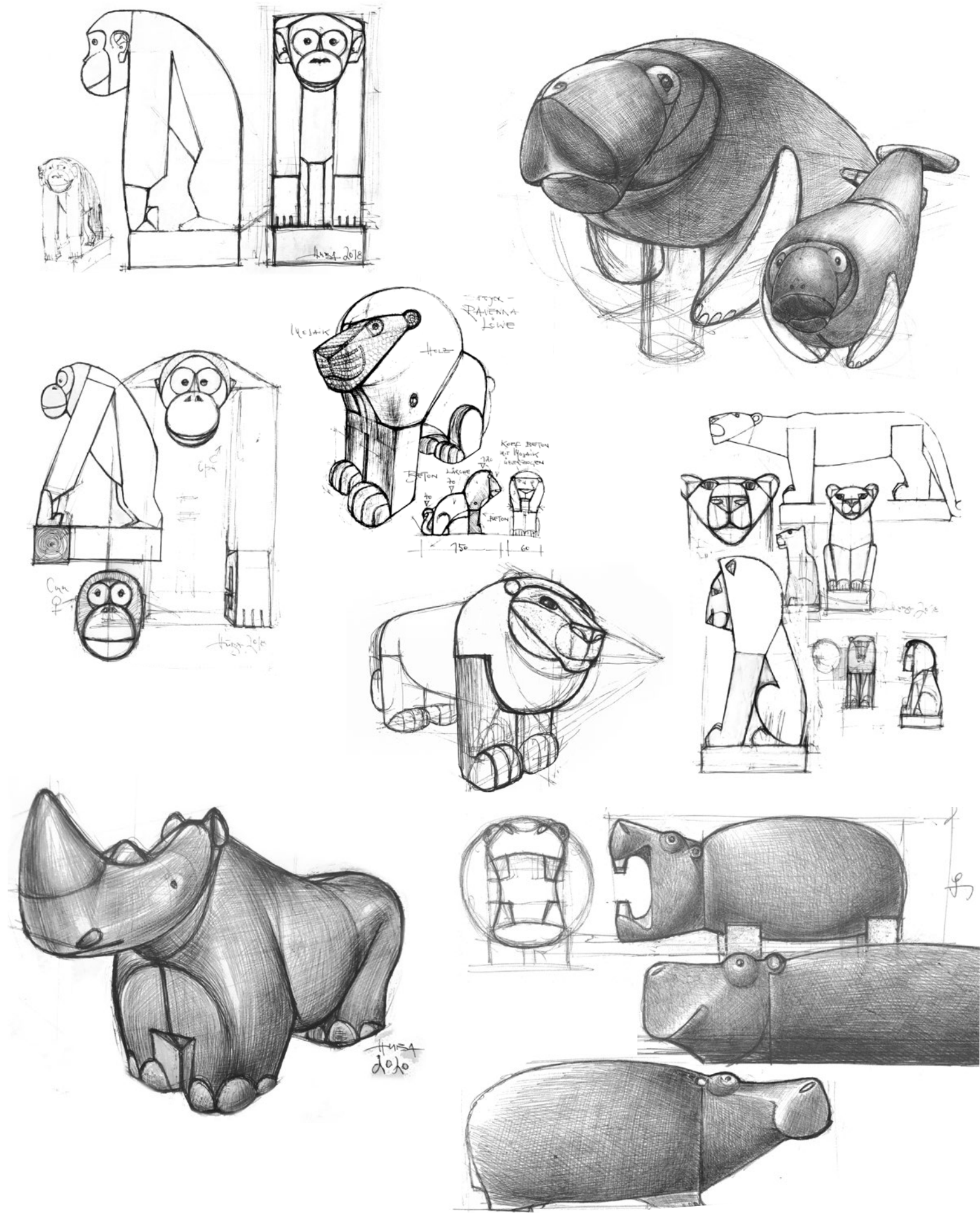
The gentleness of the play figures and their quiet expressions create a peaceful atmosphere that invites friendly interaction with the animals. Using wood from mountain larch trees, these individually made animal sculptures invite you to stroke, touch and feel them. They can be sat on or used in games. Play figures such as these are something special - they deepen the connection of a place creating memorable experiences.

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Animal sculptures made from mountain larch trees

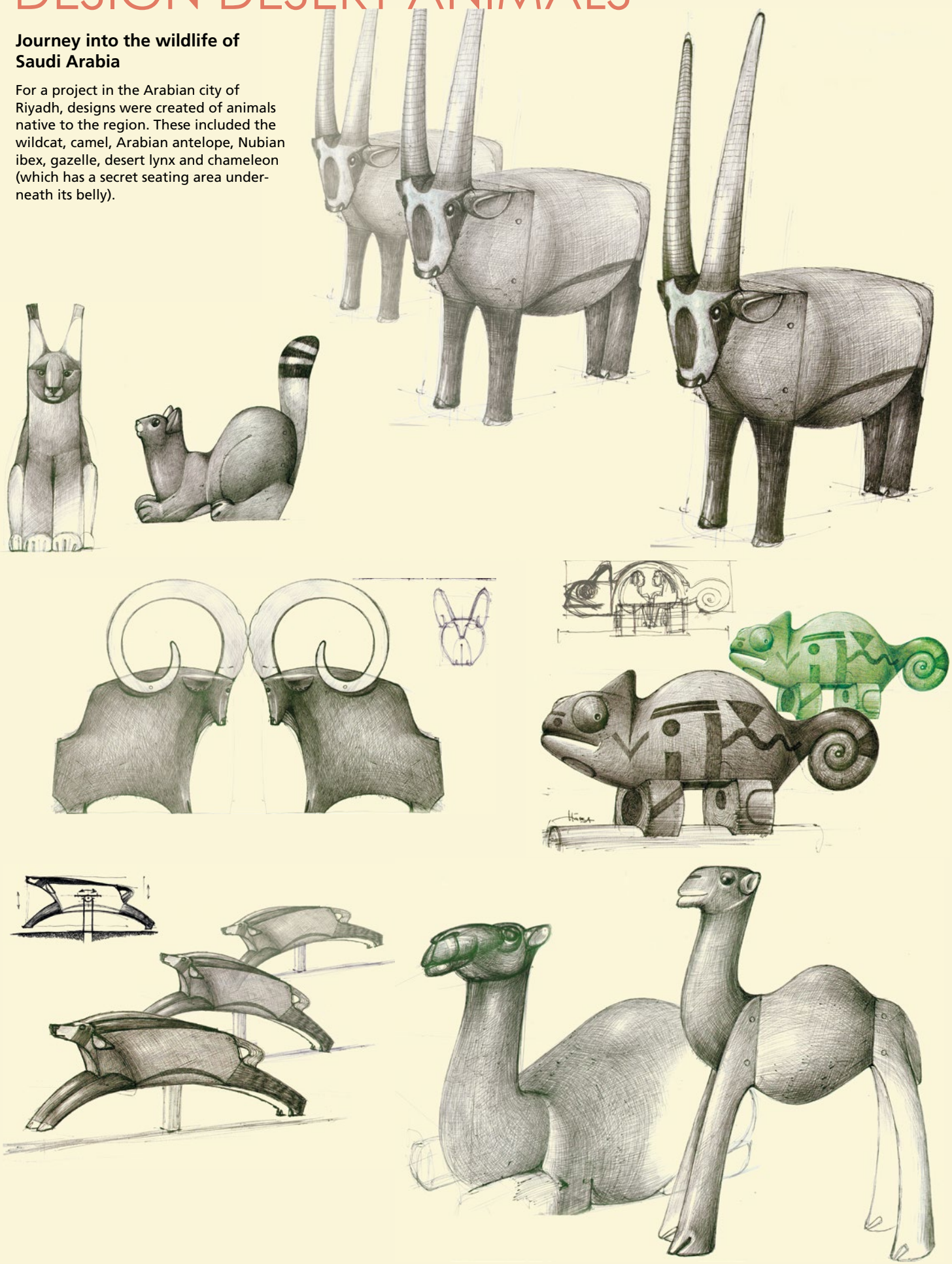
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ANIMAL SCULPTURES DESIGN DESERT ANIMALS

Journey into the wildlife of Saudi Arabia

For a project in the Arabian city of Riyadh, designs were created of animals native to the region. These included the wildcat, camel, Arabian antelope, Nubian ibex, gazelle, desert lynx and chameleon (which has a secret seating area underneath its belly).



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ANIMAL SCULPTURES DESIGN ANIMALS FOR CANADA

Journey into the wildlife of Canada

For a project in Toronto, Canada, designs were created of native animals such as the moose, grizzly bear, chipmunk, beaver, wolf and salmon.

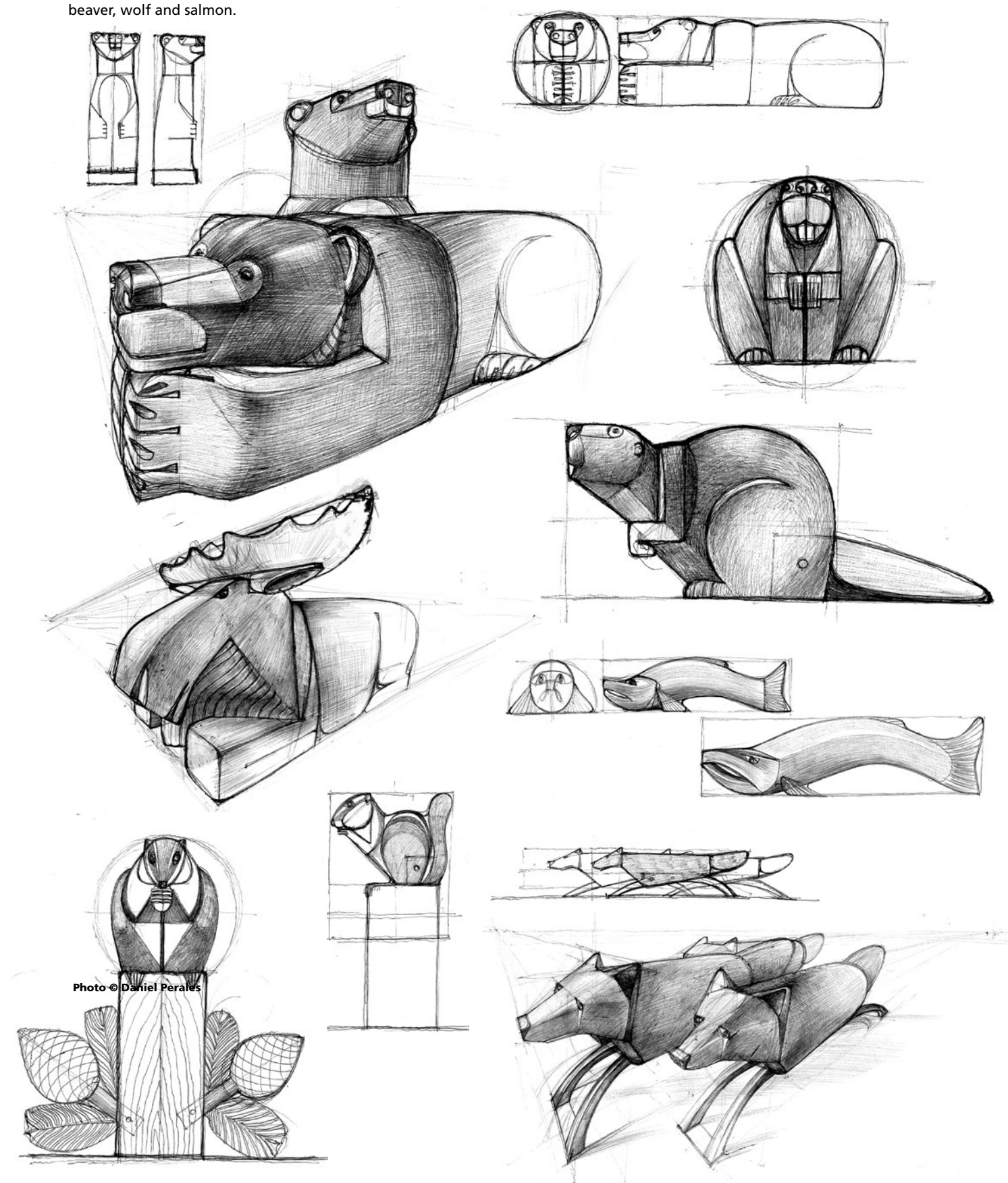


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