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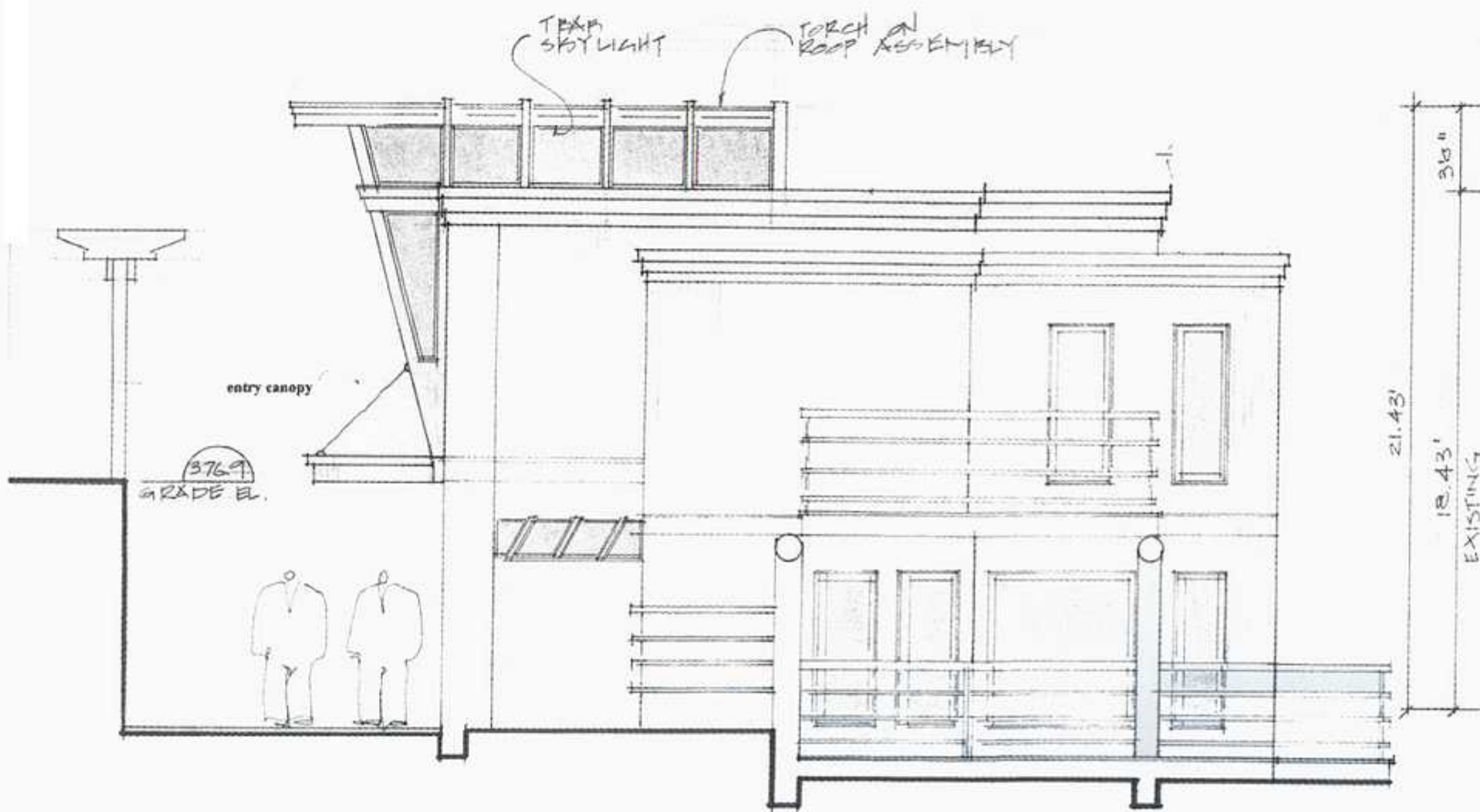


HANNA RESIDENCE

This project's mission was to transform a non-descript 1970's home on a dramatic, steep-sloped site, and to create a welcoming entry via the use of a vertical inclined plane. A 'wedge' cuts through the heart of the front façade, forming a dramatic architectural element, which guides one down to the front door. Given the dense forest setting, emphasis was given to maximize the natural light in the new space. The upper portion of the 'wedge' fashions an open exercise room, which benefits from 360-degrees of natural light and various shadow patterns throughout the day, as well as spilling light into the heart of the house.

01 Front façade 02 Entrance 03 Side elevation 04 Entry elevation 05 Open core

Photos: Mike Wakefield



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