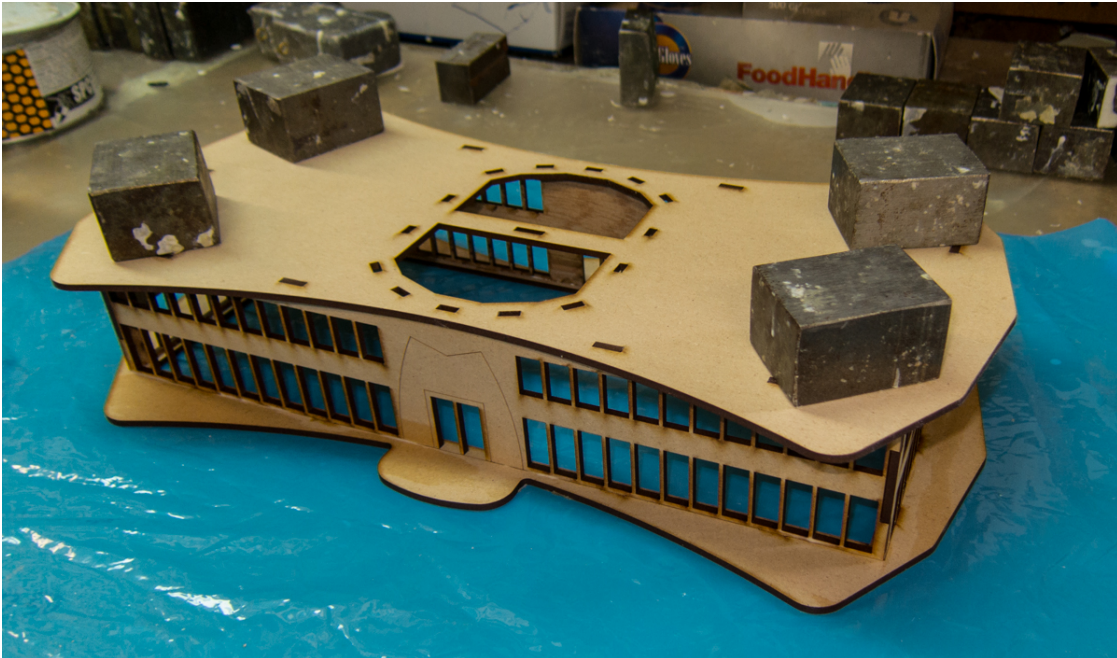


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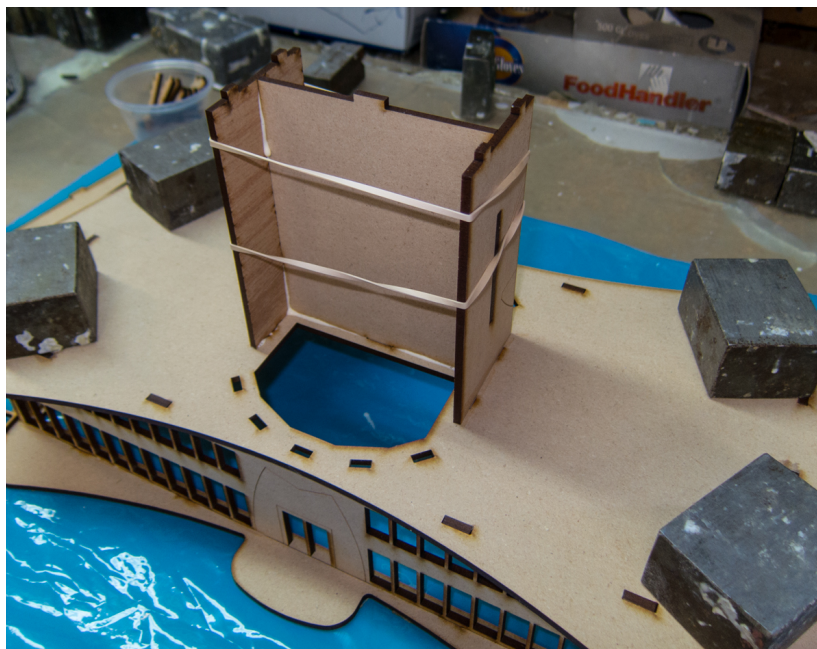
Step 1

Assemble the base section as shown in photo



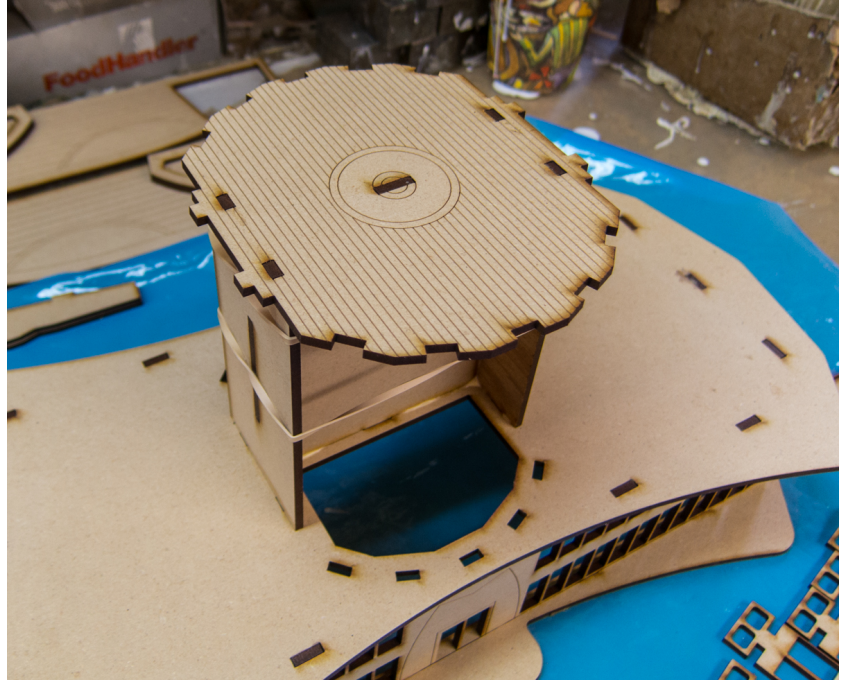
Step 2

Assemble the center support structure



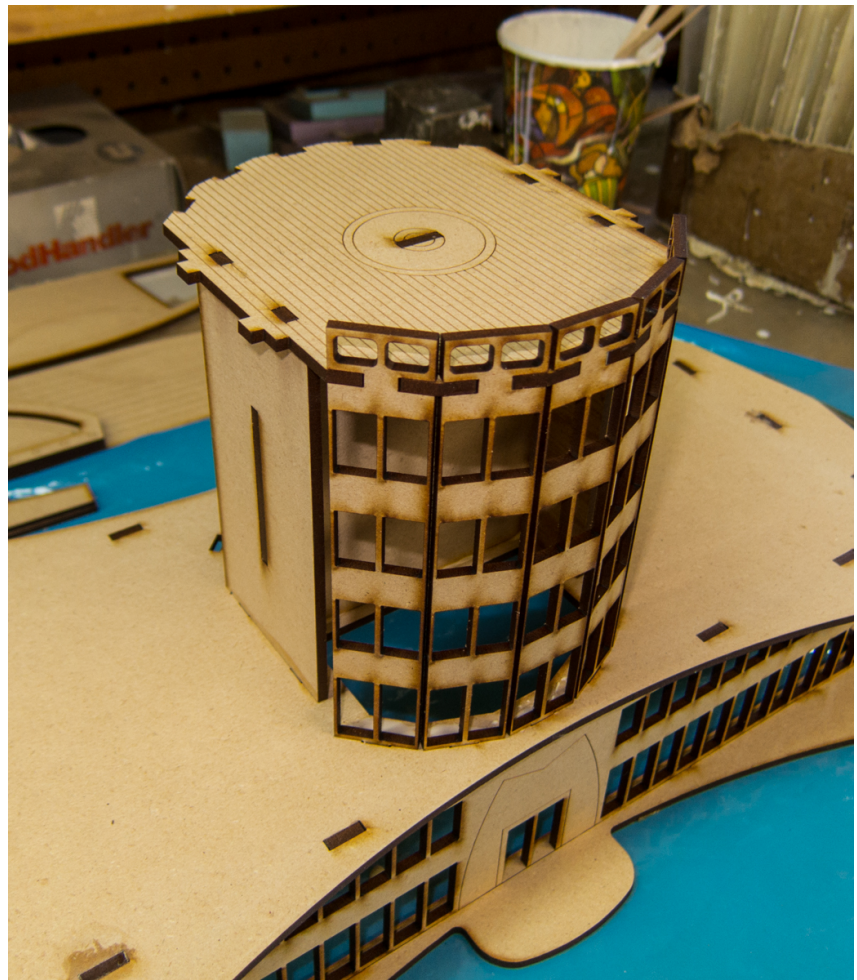
Step 3

Attach the balcony floor to the center support structure



Step 4

Attach vertical components of the center structure



At this point you will assemble the two towers as shown below. Please note that the following steps show the single tower model (15MTW500). The kit you are building uses two 15MTW500s in it's construction that have been modified by removing the bottom 4 rows of windows from the back side, other than that small difference, they are the same models and assemble exactly the same.

Repeat steps 5 though 12 below for both towers

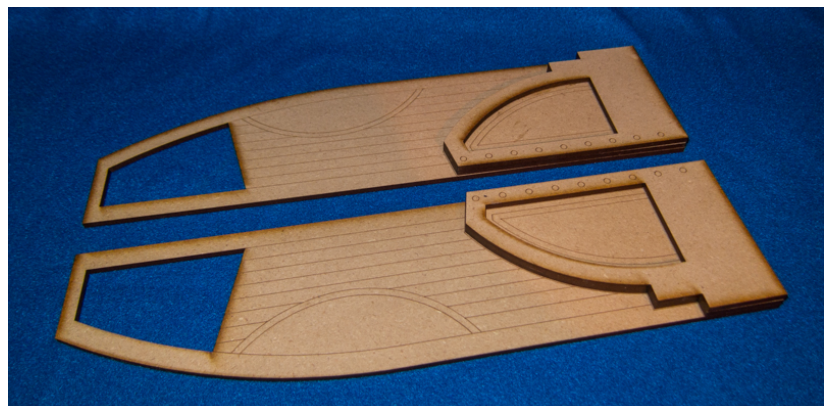


Step 5

Glue left and right sides to the back and attach the top. Set aside and let the glue cure completely.

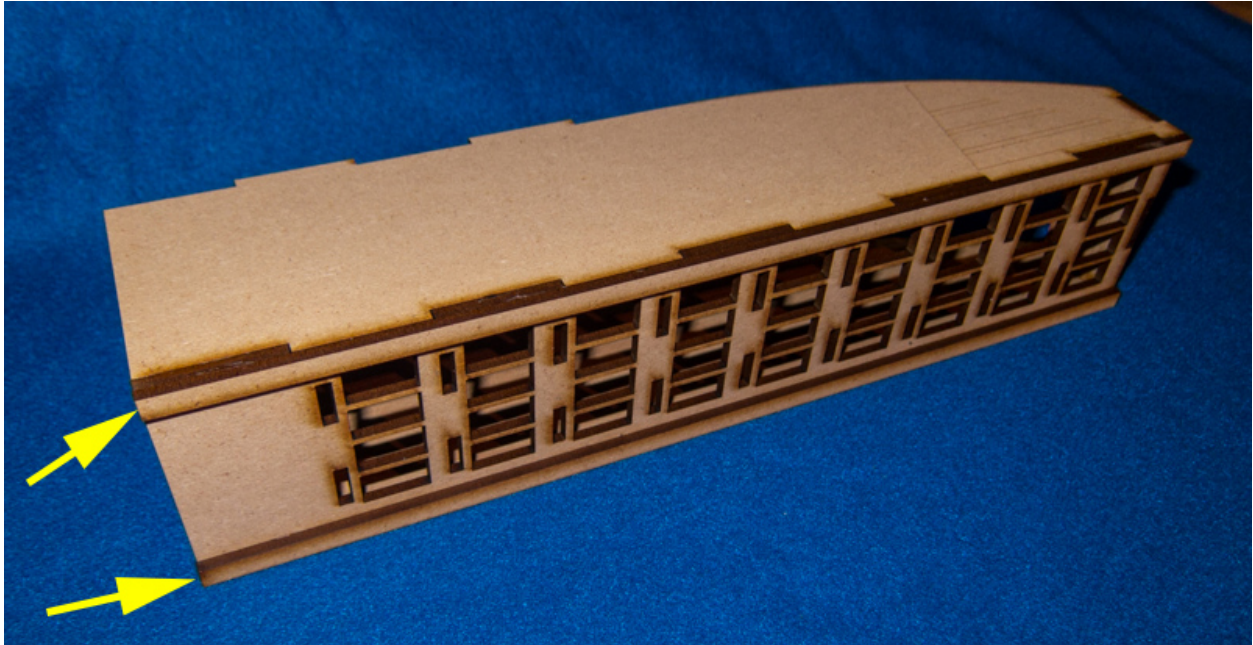
Step 6

Glue the three parts that make up the left and right outer side trim. Make sure all pieces are aligned properly with the bottom and front and back edges of the side pieces. Put aside and let dry.



Step 7

Find the long, narrow trim pieces, there will be 4 of them. Two of the pieces are shorter than the other two. The shorter ones go on the back of the building (the side without the curve). Apply these pieces making sure that their edges are flush with the edges of the building sides. Let the glue dry completely



Step 8

Place the building so that the back side, the side you just attached the trim strips to, is sitting on the table surface. Now attach the side outer trim pieces you made in step 2. Let the glue dry completely.



This photo shows the side outer trim assemblies attached to the sides of the model and their rear edge flush with the trim pieces you attached in Step 8



Step 9

Attach the front piece, only glue it up to the point where the facade starts to curve. If there is one step in these instructions where it is important to let the glue dry completely, this is the one. Do not proceed until your glue is totally dry.



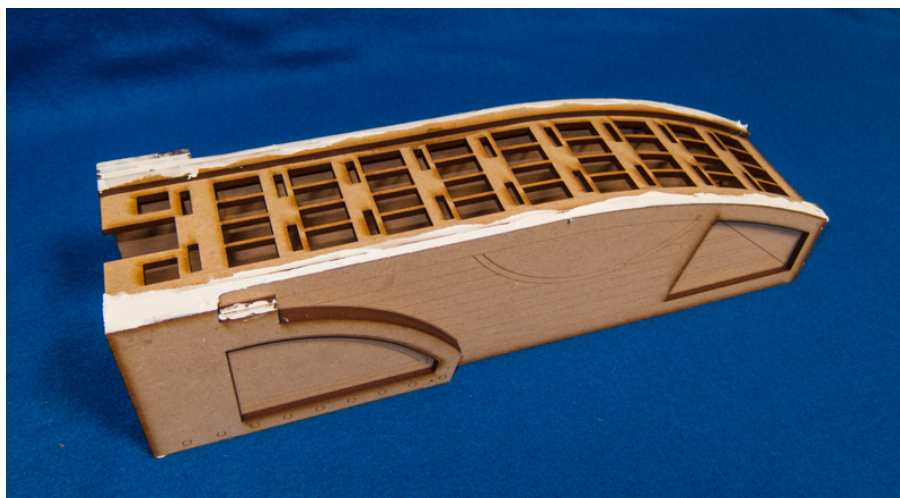
Step 10

Now apply glue to the curved portion of the left and right sides where they will meet the front face and bend the front down and clamp in place. If you clamp it as shown in the photo be sure to place a scrap of wood across the back of the model to protect the top row of windows ... don't ask me how I learned that lesson, just trust me.



Step 11

If you plan on putting the edges, now is a good time to do that before you apply the last detail pieces.



Step 12

Add the final detail pieces under the windows and one special piece over the doors.



Step 13

Fit the two towers to the base. Add the fountain details to the balcony deck. Add the trim around the doors on the lower section and add the trim pieces that go over the bottom row of windows on each end of the lower section. Add additional details as you like and make it your own!

