

NEW EUROPEAN BAUHAUS AWARDS

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REGENERATED URBAN AND RURAL SPACES



La Fábrika in rural Extremadura was initially a cement factory built under Franco's rule, then abandoned for decades. A group of young people brought it back to life in 2009 and made it a collaborative space that has so far involved over 3.000 local, national and international contributors. The building and surrounding land are being restored with mostly donated and recycled materials and presently host five permanent programs. Cine al Fresco is an open-air independent cinema. Co-learning workshop La Kacharrería focuses on sustainable building and collective artistic and architectural creation. SiempreViva is growing a Mediterranean forest to regenerate the polluted soil then will plant vegetable gardens. Corralón Records is a platform to promote young artists. Autopías is a laboratory for teaching and applied investigation aimed at incorporating the "buen vivir" philosophy into daily life. La Fábrika also welcomes various satellite initiatives. All projects are connected by a common goal: free culture and regeneration of the area through art and cooperation.

La Fábrika de toda la vida La Fábrika, a factory for dreams

SPAIN LOS SANTOS DE MAIMONA

SUSTAINABLE

Reuse
Regeneration
Community

AESTHETICS

Arts
Beauty
Inspiration

INCLUSION

Open hub
Collaboration
Workshops