

# "MAAKBAAR [make-able] - design for a sustainable world"

MAAKBAAR stands for social, ecological and economical design, inspired by nature. A project striving for a positive change in mindset and practices in the broad design sector. By working with professional designers, organizing public lectures and lots of educational activities, the aim is to investigate how Flemish design can contribute to global, sustainable development. BOS+ and OVAM are working with design schools in order to introduce sustainability in their curriculum in a positive way. They organize workshops and bootcamps, guest lectures and student support on all kind of challenges that relate to how and why sustainable design might 'learn' from our natural environment.

*A post-it brainstorm and group discussion are elements of the workshop.*

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THE WEATHER



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BOS+ is an NGO with a focus on forests and trees. They combine concrete projects in the Global South with educational work and awareness raising in Flanders. Laure is inspired by Kate Raworth (The doughnut economy), and Victor Papanek (Design for the real world). She is also fascinated by Fungal design by Reagent and others (will funghi become 'the green material of the future?').

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