



LANDSCAPE TOGETHER SUMMER SCHOOL 2023: Empowering Territorial Communities in Interior Center Villages of Portugal

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In a pioneering initiative to revitalize and sustain **Portugal's Interior Center**, the Landscape Together project is proud to announce the **LANDSCAPE TOGETHER SUMMER SCHOOL 2023**, taking place between September 26 and October 1, 2023 in the municipalities of: Idanha-a-Nova, Oleiros, Pedrógão Grande, Proença-a-Nova and Sertão.

The event is organized by Universidade de Coimbra, in collaboration with MAG - Marques de Aguiar Arquitectura e Urbanismo and Politecnico di Milano.

The **LANDSCAPE TOGETHER SUMMER SCHOOL 2023** is a unique platform that unites students and professors from the Department of Architecture at the University of Coimbra (Integrated Master's in Architecture and Coimbra Studio PhD program) and Politecnico di Milano (Master in Architecture - Built Environment - Interiors, Master in Sustainable Architecture and Landscape Design, PhD Program in Architectural, Urban and Interior Design). Together, they will embark on a journey of recognition and mapping, exploring the spaces and people of Portugal's Interior Center and the Experimenta Paisagem Urban Network.

The comprehensive work program is designed to foster interaction with city councils, local residents, cultural and economic agents in the Experimenta Paisagem Urban Network. One of the program highlights is the "Creative Talk: Forest, Territory, Landscape - from people to territorial cohesion politics: looking for tools for a prosperous landscape?" scheduled for October 1. Distinguished speakers, including António Louro, Camilo Rebelo, Fátima Bacharel, Manuel Pires, and Sami Rintala, will engage in insightful discussions, moderated by Adelino Gonçalves and Marta Aguiar.

The overarching goal of this event is to catalyze positive change and set an agenda for the region's development. Participating in Pedrógão Grande, Pedrógão Pequeno (Sertão), Oleiros, Cunqueiros, Sobral Fernando and Chão do Galego (Proença-a-Nova), Segura, and Salvaterra do Extremo (Idanha-a-Nova), the Landscape

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Together project seeks to empower these vibrant communities within broader landscapes, to foster dialogue, creativity and engagement among people of those communities.

About Landscape Together Project:

The Landscape Together project, led by Marques de Aguiar team (MAG), is funded by 'Creative Europe' and was inaugurated on 26th of May 2023.

The project is dedicated to promoting the sustainability and valorization of Portugal's Interior Center through innovative actions that harness its cultural and natural heritage, as well as its human resources.

For further information about the LANDSCAPE TOGETHER SUMMER SCHOOL 2023, please visit landscapetogether.eu.

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