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A Global Event to Create an Economy that is Collaborative, Restorative and Regenerative by Design

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A Global Event to Make a Collaborative, Zero Waste and Fossil Free Society through Open Source



#### What is Open Source?

The Open Source approach makes design, hardware, software or content publicly available so that anyone can study, modify, distribute, make, and sell it. Open Source is as a way to promote innovation, to encourages collaboration and to help reduce costs for technology, providing greater social benefits

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# What is the Circular Economy?

Our current economic system is based on a linear premise: it transforms raw materials into products to be destroyed at the end of their lifespan. The circular economy offers a radically different circular approach: it is designed for optimum product and resource reusability and minimal value destruction

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#### About the event

The *Open Source Circular Economy Days* are a global and distributed event gathering experts and innovators from different fields from collaboration and sustainability.

We prototype together in local events, connected globally, to make open-source and the circular economy the new normal.

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OSCEdays is an open platform. Workshops, teardowns, co-design and prototyping take place simultaneously in various cities all over the world. Local events are organized by local groups and projects, focusing on local challenges. Cities are connected through various media channels including daily open video conferences and continuous online documentation.

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### Our Plan

We believe that all designs should be like this, Open Source, regenerative and restorative. So we are trying to bring people together and start a movement to make this idea come to life.

For now, we share the challenges we want to see solved in our forums. Then we collaborate to create solutions and document them in Open Source, so they can spread the Circular Economy sooner rather than later.

Here are some of the areas we are looking into:

Reuse, Repair, Recycle Business Data & Code Education Energy Food Furniture Hardware Places & Spaces Textiles Policy

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