Beyond Crafts: Co-production exhibition

Hosted by: Turkey Design Council x Studio Joachim-Morineau

Project Information (EN)

From Ancient Anatolian Crafts To Contemporary Designs

Turkey Design Council initiated the project, "From Ancient Anatolian Crafts to Contemporary Designs" which is financed by the European Union, with the partners Brumen Foundation, Slovenia and Traditional Arts Association, Turkey. Within this 15-month project, five traditional Anatolian crafts were selected as Ceramics (Iznik style), Felt making, Quilting, Stone Carving, and Inlaying with the aim of spreading the examples of ancient values combined with contemporary designs in Turkey and Europe. The project was launched to carry the Anatolian crafts at risk of disappearance into the future by means of intercultural cooperation. Documentary films of five ancient crafts were prepared to create a video archive, where craftsmen explain the ropes of craft, materials, and production techniques in their own workshop. The designers of the 10 proposals selected by the jury were invited to Turkey and worked with the masters of these crafts to bring their design proposals to life. The exhibition “Beyond Crafts” features design proposals by European designers who re-interpreted the crafts Iznik Style Ceramics, Mother-of-pearl Inlaying, Felt making, Stone Carving and Quilting. This exhibition was made possible with the support of DutchCulture.

Projectinformatie (NL)

Van oude Anatolische ambachten tot eigentijdse ontwerpen

De “Turkey Design Council” heeft het initiatief genomen voor het project "Van oude Anatolische ambachten naar hedendaagse ontwerpen", dat gefinancierd wordt door de Europese Unie, met de partners Brumen Foundation, Slovenië en Traditional Arts Association, Turkije. In het kader van dit 15 maanden durende project werden vijf traditionele Anatolische ambachten geselecteerd: keramiek (Iznik-stijl), vilten, quilten, steenhouwen en inlegwerk, met het doel voorbeelden van oude waarden in combinatie met hedendaagse ontwerpen in Turkije en Europa te verspreiden. Het project is opgezet om de Anatolische ambachten die dreigen te verdwijnen door middel van interculturele samenwerking naar de toekomst te dragen. Documentaire films van vijf oude ambachten werden voorbereid om een video-archief te creëren, waarin ambachtslieden de kneepjes van het ambacht, de materialen en de productietechnieken in hun eigen werkplaats uitleggen. De ontwerpers van de 10 door de jury geselecteerde voorstellen werden naar Turkije uitgenodigd en werkten samen met de meesters van deze ambachten om hun ontwerpvoorstellen tot leven te brengen. De tentoonstelling "Beyond Crafts" toont deze ontwerpen.

Image List

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kelly-2-1_1661250657.jpg	Quilting Co-production Process	Turkey Design Council
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