

Interdisciplinary and international Design Build

Summer School

Renewable Materials

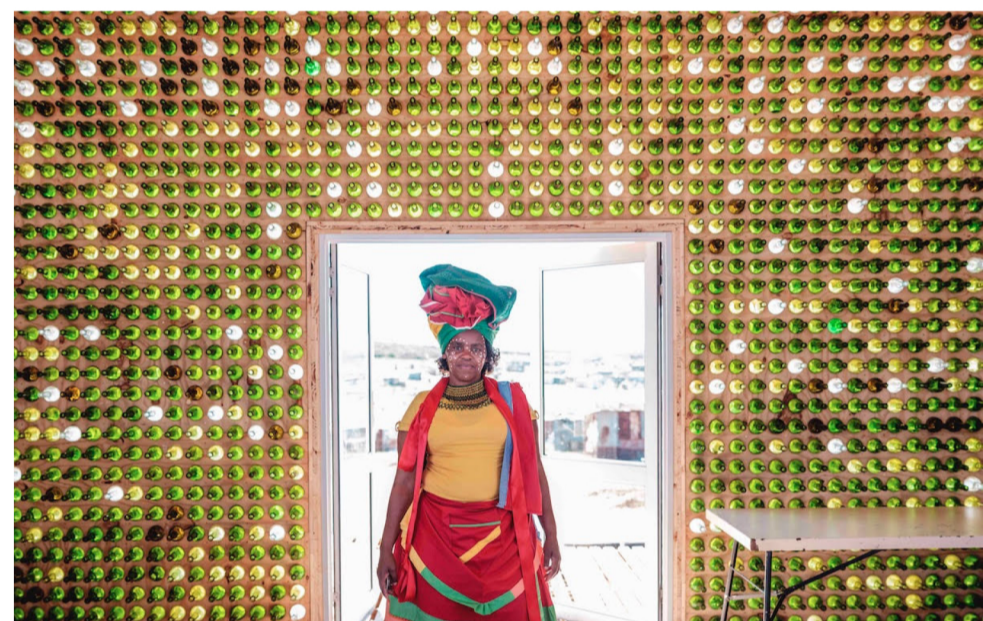
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Frugal Bauen

Frugal Bauen is interested in natural building materials, local techniques and other concepts of sustainable building, such as questioning our needs or reusing materials. Their projects are designed to rethink conventional ways of building and planning architecture and have a strong regional and seasonal approach.



Kevin M Kimwelle

Kimwelle's ambitious research development and innovation work engages several academic institutions in Africa, Europe and the US and his work emerges from the foundation of a people-centred design approach responding to the urgency towards social justice merging business, environment, and technical studies for a holistic application. His work explores alternatives in both design and development, grounding the green agenda in affordable and low-tech sustainable solutions.

SoPA is a young architecture studio, who understand architecture as a tool to improve life and society. Their work seeks to reinterpret the techniques and old skills, inspired by vernacular heritage, and fused with contemporary design practices to create unique work that engages the specificity of the site. Their international experience has allowed them to specialize in different building techniques and materials such as earth construction.



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