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Upcycling Workshop Options



Upcycling Workshops

What is included?

- _Workshop by hand or machine
- _Support by 2 designers from our community
- _+/- 6 to 15 participants
- _3 hour session, depending on the workshop
- _Materials included
- _At DE STEEK or other location of your choice

Example of Possibilities

- _Workshop with (custom) upcycled item.
- _Solution for deadstock collection/materials.
- _Simple alterations/customizations or starting from scratch.

See options on the next slides >>

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Jeans Side Panel

For this workshop, participants can bring their own pair of old pants that fit well around the hips but aren't wide enough for them. You'll learn how to insert a spacer to adjust the width of the pants to your desired length.

You're also welcome to bring a piece of fabric you have lying around at home or we can arrange everything for this workshop.

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Upcycled Shirt

During this workshop, you'll learn various techniques to breathe new life into your blouse. For example, we'll teach you smocking to add texture to your oversized blouse. Or choose the option to create a tunnel on the inside of your blouse so you can thread it.

Participants can bring their own blouse, or we can pre-assemble a few upon request.

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Upcycled Denim Bag

In this 3 hour beginner friendly sewing workshop, you'll learn to make your own, fully lined, slouchy hobo bag from old jeans – so bring a pair or two along together with lining fabric (or purchase via De Steek) and let's get to it!

You will (learn to) work with the sewing machine and overlocker.

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Dením utility belt

During this activation we will re-use old jeans or samples to make a utility belt. Participants can customize their belt with different carabiners and clips or create a strap using longer denim scraps.

Participants can bring their own old pair of jeans, or we can use dead stock jeans or denim scraps.

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Patchwork Top or T-shirt

Create your own upcycle top from jersey off-cuts!
In just three hours you'll bring new life to off-cuts or other upcycled jerseys. You can choose between two types of tops, with or without sleeves, from our upcycle collection.

For this workshop you can bring your own off-cuts, or you can use ours (or a mix of both).





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Upcycle Your Wardrobe

During this session, one of our upcycling specialists will freestyle with participants using items they've brought from their wardrobes!

We'll explore the potential of each item and find ways to breathe new life into it.

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Bag Charm From Waste

To create this Macrame bag charm, we use old jeans, shirts or bed-lining and cut them into long strokes. During the workshop, the participants cut the fabric so they experience the full process and pick and mix their preferred colors.

After this they learn macrame knots to make their keychain or bag charm.



Custom workshop or activation

What is included?

Do you have your own plan for an activation?

Let's chat!

Example of Possibilities

- _Workshop with a custom (upcycled) item.
- _Solution for deadstock collection/materials.
- _Other textile related concepts, like a brand activation, swap or a special custom (upcycling) station on your event.

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