

# #Agronautas Agroestación Matadero

## Pezestudio

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### Project generating new, more sustainable, urban realities in Matadero-Madrid.

The Agrostation aims to generate New Urban Realities in the city of Madrid and reformulate sustainable practices through a citizen laboratory of creation and experimentation with ecological systems.

The Agroestation opens a new line of exploration as a prototype generated through collaborative working in public space. It involves producing creative tools which illustrate real situations and practices in urban areas and broadcast them to the collective imagination, while ensuring that they are reformulated in terms of sustainability and for the benefit of all. These circumstances become possible thanks to open-source, ecological equipment, which is innovative and self-assembled.

This experiments for increased self-sufficiency are considered as a connection between different nodes: regulated research spaces and accessible public spaces, transferring from one to another methodologies, practices and experiences with creative tools to generate open learning communities. It is about designing dynamics for the reinvention of sustainable and resilient practices, establishing places to learn, teach or transfer habits, skills or knowledge.

The Agrostation revolves around creating a space that encourages encounters and free research in order to reinvent the relationship of our natural surroundings. It aims to produce New Urban Realities through a citizen



laboratory for creating and experimenting with ecological systems in order to redevelop sustainable practices for saving energy and resources.

Its development consists of collaborative open sessions of construction work and design of its future management and evaluation, where a first creative network is generated. Once the production phase is completed, the station becomes a shared infrastructure as a common property, housed in the public space. And is aimed to be managed and used by interested community users (associations, groups of people, neighbours, etc.)

### About the team

Pezestudio is a creative cell of architects that created in 2006 that develops projects of Urbanism, Architecture, Design and Action-Research.

We design objects, tools, spaces and practices that promote minimum human impact on the environment, social development, research and production of innovative construction techniques and the generation of collaborative contexts.

We work around concepts such as ecology and society, rural and urban habitats and lifestyles, tradition and technology, reuse and standardization, crafts and do it yourself / do it together, Open source and participation.

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**Space typology** Community Space / Garden / Market / Park / Plaza / Street / Vacant plot  
**Intention** Celebrating / Educating / Enjoying / Exchanging / Experimenting / Gathering / Raising awareness / Reclaiming  
**Action** Cooking food / Eating food / Growing food / Recycling food / Serving food / Sharing food