

KatAkrak

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Street art company specializing in **participatory installations.**

Founded in 2005. Since then, we have:

Performed **over 1000 shows.**

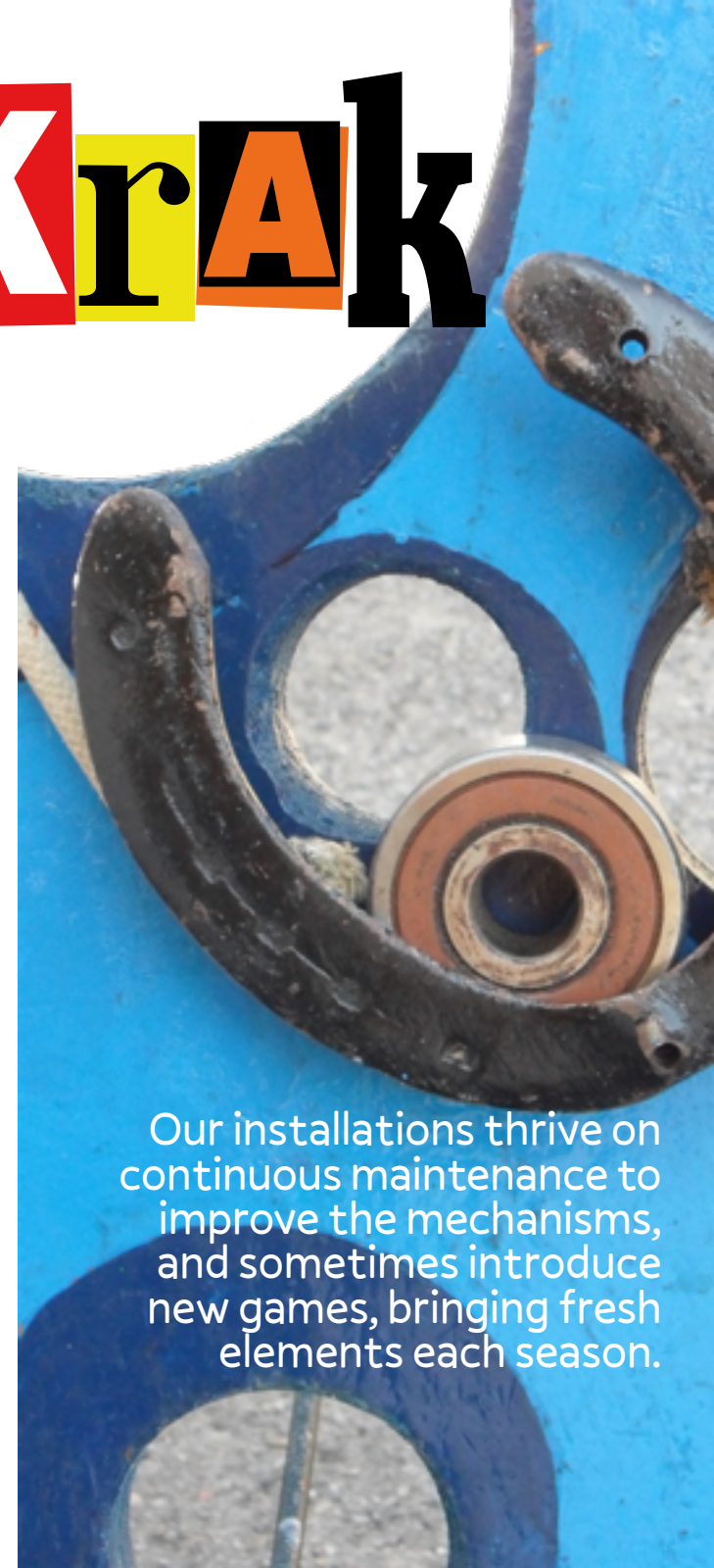
Created **5 touring participatory installations.**

Participated in several **projects and collaborations.**

Continue building games for Granja Ducazaux (Landes-France).

With our work, we aim to highlight that reusing, besides being one of the pillars for reducing waste, fosters creativity in everyday life and promotes a more self-sufficient way of living.

In our installations, active public participation is essential. This way, we reclaim our squares, parks, and streets as shared spaces for leisure and coexistence.



Our installations thrive on continuous maintenance to improve the mechanisms, and sometimes introduce new games, bringing fresh elements each season.



SOME OF THE OBJECTS WE THROW AWAY HAVE REBELLED. THEY REFUSE TO BE ABANDONED AND FORGOTTEN WHEN THEY GROW OLD.

From the scrap heap emerge shapes, colors, and unusual pieces, and we discover: a circuit on a refrigerator door, a frog-cork jumping off a piece of ski, blinds with colorful traps, a satellite dish guiding a ball, etc.

Want to play?



Els Recicloperats, interactive mechanical games.

This is an itinerant installation of 20 autonomous medium-sized games. Each one is the result of working with used objects or materials to turn them into original games.

The games challenge participants to solve small objectives using basic psychomotor skills along with some ingenuity and strategy.

In this collection, it is particularly surprising that the repurposed objects are easily recognizable, allowing us to create and share new imaginaries for everyday items with the audience.

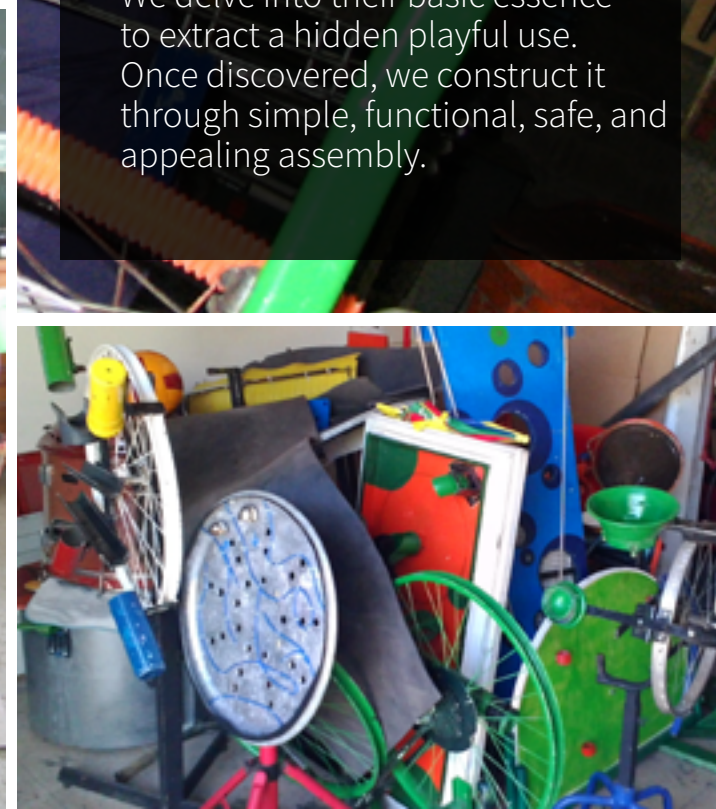
Recicloperats is probably the first step into Katakra's world.



Creation

During the creation process of “l’Animalada,” we came up with many interesting game dynamics, but it was hard to fit them into an animal aesthetic. This is how Recicloperats was born—games we have refined and expanded into a completely independent and meaningful installation.

In this project, where aesthetics are freer, we aim to make use of the aesthetic and mechanical possibilities offered by the objects and materials while keeping the found pieces as intact as possible. We delve into their basic essence to extract a hidden playful use. Once discovered, we construct it through simple, functional, safe, and appealing assembly.





Credits

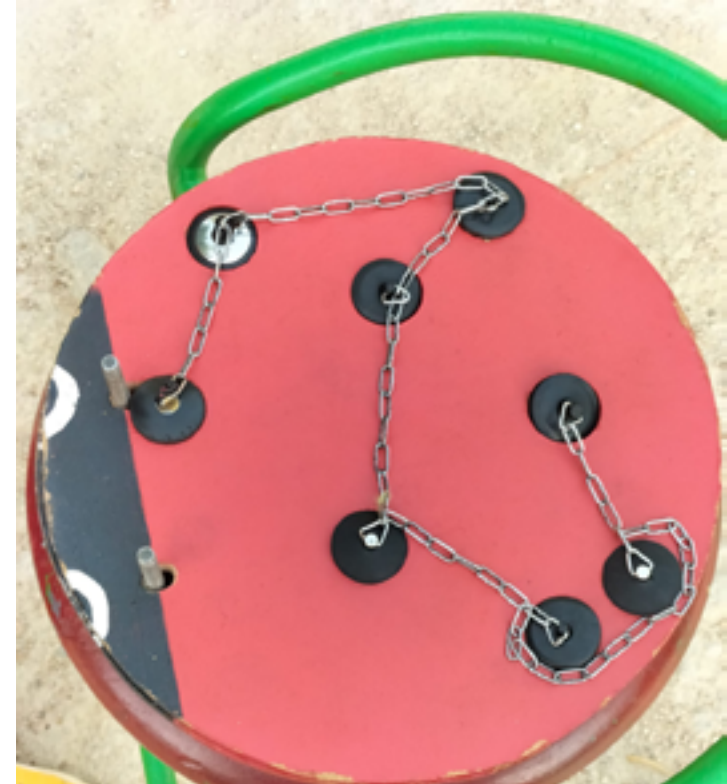
Premiere year:
2007

Idea and direction:
Sandra Sardà

Design and construction:
David González(2007-08), and
Sandra Sardà.

Maintenance:
Sandra Sardà, Margarita Jeanerett,
Sergi Jeronimo, among others.

Production:
Katakarak



Technical Requirements

Free participation installation.

Space:

Approximately 150 m², fairly flat
and without any slope.

Access for van and nearby parking.

Water source: to fill a 30L tank.

Set-up time: 45min.

Dismantling time: 30min.

Show duration: 3 to 6 h.



Highlight performances:

- 2023 Fête de l'Alchimie, Toulouse (FRANCE)
Aufgetischt St.Gallen (SWITZERLAND)
Fête du Jeu, Foix (FRANCE)
Fits Festival, Sibiu (RUMANIA)
- 2022 Posa't la Gorra, Lleida (CATALONIA)
Fira de Juliol, València (CATALONIA)
- 2021 Fira de la tardor, pagesia i artesanía a Vilablareix (Catalonia)
Cléon en Fête (France)
- 2020 Obrim Carrers, Barcelona
- 2019 Fête de l'environnement, Bruxelles (Belgique)
Festival 40 en paires, Mugron (France)
Al carrer! Gilet (València)
Programation "Illes de Cultura" en las Islas de Eixample, Barcelona (Catalonia)
- 2018 Évora i Serralves Em festa-Oporto (Portugal)
Festibal Bilboko Kalealdi. Bilbo (Eukal Herria)
Cap de setmana de Saint Nicolas, Nancy (France)
Parc de Nadal - Tarragona (Catalonia)

- 2017 Cidade Imaxinaria, Santiago de Compostela (La Coruña)
La fête du vélo, Pau (France)
Programa escolar "Escoles verdes" (Agenda21), Lleida (Catalonia)
Festival des arts de Rue, La Crau (France)
Expojove, València (Spain)
- 2016 Fira dels Comerciants de Berga (CATALONIA)
Festi' Luy Bournous (France)
Fira del Joc i la Família de Castell d'Aro (CATALONIA)
Festa final de curs a una escola de Tona
Recicloperats a la Setmana de la Natura a Girona
Recicloperats a Scene Nationale Alençon (FRANCE)
- 2015 Els Recicloperats a Sant Feliu de Guíxols
Pflasterzauber_Germany amb els Recicloperats
Mercat vell de Conesa amb els Recicloperats
- 2014 Barri de Sant Pere de Terrassa
- 2012 Vilarreal amb els Recicloperats
- 2011 Fira Trapezi de Reus (CATALONIA)

- Open Street ShowCase 2011, Montegranado (ITALY)
- 2010 Rambla del Raval, Barcelona (CATALONIA)
Parque del Mero, Burgos (SPAIN)
- 2009 Ciudad de los Niños, Madrid (MADRID - SPAIN)
- 2008 Festival de Juegos, Vitoria-Gasteiz (BASQUE COUNTRY - SPAIN)
Els Recicloperats visiten l'escola de Palafolls, al Gironès
Escola Forn d'Anells de Sarrià de Ter
Fira JocJoc, del Joc i la Joguina, Tona (CATALONIA)
- 2007 Parque de Orconera, Astilleros (ASTURIAS - SPAIN))
Parque Atlántico de las Llamas, Santander (CANTABRIA - SPAIN)
Bilbao (BASQUE COUNTRY - SPAIN)
Festes de la Mercè, Barcelona (CATALONIA)
Centro civico de Basauri
Gandia (VALENCIAN COUNTRY - SPAIN)
Supermercat Esclat de Vic (CATALONIA)
Avinguda Barcelona, Rubí (CATALONIA)

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