



# CanNova II Eco-Innovation

## CONSTRUCTION CAMPING IN CATALONIA

### » **Organisation:**

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### » **Where:**

Farm house Mas d'En Ferrán - Alt Camp - Catalunya - 60km from Barcelona.

Mas d'En Ferrán is an authentic traditional Catalan building from the 17th century. The house contains 2 kitchens, 9 double/triple bedrooms, dining room and several extra workspaces. The surrounding area is around 6ha big, including a swimming pool and ample space for camping.

### » **What:**

CanNova is a Spanish NGO located in the Catalan mountains nearby Barcelona. We organize construction camps for teenagers and young adults who are interested in ecological materials and natural construction techniques. Assisted by two experts, the group will apply its new knowledge on a real-life project which will be a future external work space: an 8m round construction with a cupola roof.

The workshop includes topics such as:

- » straw, stone, mud, lime and bamboo as building material,
- » permaculture as human-nature ecosystems,
- » hand-made ceramics and oven skills,
- » energy efficiency with natural elements.

### » **Proposal:**

A 6 day holiday in a rural house in the Catalan mountains, with guided tours through the surroundings, a course on alternative building techniques, visit to Costa Brava and Barcelona, and typical Catalan food.

### » **Cost:**

Groups of min 15 persons: 250€ per person / 6 days  
Groups of min 25 persons: 220€ per person / 6 days

*Included:* Organization - instructors - food - location - local transport - guided tour in the mountains - visit to Barcelona - visit to the Costa Brava coast.

*Not included:* Transport to Barcelona. We can assist with travel arrangements, recommending flights and bus schedules. The sooner you book, the lower will be your travel expenses.

### » **When?**

Summer period: May, 2011 until September, 2011.

### » **For who?**

For young adults from all over Europe (age 15 to 30) who are interested in getting to know a different side of Catalonia, learning to use alternative construction methods. The workshops include visits to Barcelona and the Costa Brava.

» Building with Straw



» The place: Mas d'En Ferrán

