



# Build your own TINY HOUSE

WORKSHOP

**24-28 AUGUST 2020**

**NORDIC FOLKECENTER FOR RENEWABLE  
ENERGY (DK)**

**Workshop leaders: Lars Keller, sustainable construction, Small Planet  
Jakob Rasmussen, ship carpenter, experience from all Danish buildings  
with the EcoCocon prefab system.**

Have you ever thought about building your own house? You  
have now the chance to do it!

A tiny house is a house which, although small, it can fulfill all  
the needs of its inhabitants. Not only! It is the perfect solution  
for students and retired people who do not want to have  
mortgages or spend excessive money in housing.

The workshop will combine theory and practice and it will  
conclude with a real tiny house being built.





# PROGRAM

The workshop will take place in Nordic Folkecenter for Renewable Energy and it will last 5 days. Participation to the workshop is open to everyone, but registration is required,

## The Workshop

The workshop will run daily from 07:30 to 21.00 and it will focus on the practical details to be considered when building the house, but also on the importance to select building materials. The tiny house will be built exclusively out of organic and recycled materials (straw, wood, clay and used doors and windows) and it will include a new building concept: the modular straw units provided by the company EcoCocon. In the middle of the week, a seminar presenting the different solutions will be held.

### Day 1:

- 07.30 - 09.30: Intro to Folkecenter, the location and the safety
- 09.30 - 10.00: Coffee break
- 10.00 - 12.00: Rising of the EcoCocon-modules
- 12.00 - 13.00: Lunch
- 13.00 - 18.00: Rising of the EcoCocon-modules -2
- 18.00 - 20.00: Dinner
- 20.00 - 21.00: Shared space (based on the needs of the participants)

### Day 2:

- 07.30 - 09.30: Wall top
- 09.30 - 10.00: Coffee break
- 10.00 - 12.00: Doors and windows
- 12.00 - 13.00: Lunch
- 13.00 - 18.00: Floor, under-roof, exterior finishing
- 18.00 - 20.00: Dinner
- 20.00 - 21.00: Shared space (Folkecenter's small wind turbines, the Sun Generator, solar- and wind-powered LEDs;)



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## Day 3:

- 07.30 - 09.30: Insulation
- 09.30 - 10.00: Coffee break
- 10.00 - 12.00: Insulation - 2
- 12.00 - 13.00: Lunch
- 13.00 - 18.00: Electricity and water in the tiny house
- 18.00 - 20.00: Dinner
- 20.00 - 23.00: Early evening/possibility to walk in the surroundings

## Day 4:

- 07.30 - 09.30: Windows frames, openings
- 09.30 - 10.00: Coffee break
- 10.00 - 12.00: Inner wall covering
- 12.00 - 13.00: Lunch
- 13.00 - 18.00: Inner wall covering -2
- 18.00 - 20.00: Dinner
- 20.00 - 21.00: Open space

## Dag 5:

- 07.30 - 16.00: Finishing

## Practical Details

Please, note that the maximum amount of participants allowed to the workshop is 18 and that the deadline for registration is August 17.

Registration can be done on [www.folkecenterevents.net](http://www.folkecenterevents.net).

**Participation fee:** 2000 DKK. The fee includes participation to the workshop, breakfast, lunch and dinner,

**Accommodation:** guest are welcome to bring their own sleeping bags, tents or camper-vans, in which case their stay will be for free.

Alternatively, some rooms might be available at 100 DKK/person/night. Guests which prefer another type of accommodation will have to organize it by themselves.



# PRACTICAL DETAILS

**Location:** Nordic Folkecenter for Renewable Energy, Kammersgaardsvej 16, Sdr. Ydby, 7760 Hurup Thy

**Language:** Mostly Danish. Please, contact us if you cannot speak the language

**The workshop fulfills the following UN goals:**



Nordic Folkecenter works for a 70% CO2 reduction in 2030



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for Renewable Energy

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