

Czech Republic

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1. NEB Community in Czech Republic

Community status	Total
NEB Partners	15
NEB Friends	7
NEB dedicated calls	2
NEB Prizes Winners	1

2. NEB National Contact Point

Ministry in charge of NEB: Ministry of Culture

NEB National Contact Point: [EU Affairs Department, Ministry of Culture of the Czech Republic](#)

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3. High Level Round Table

Advanced thinkers and practitioners in their field bringing inspiration and acting as community ambassadors for the New European Bauhaus.

Name	Job title
Mr Petr Škvařil	Global Partnerships & Programs Director at Impact Hub

4. NEB in Czech Republic

4.1 NEB projects funded by the EU

Lighthouse demonstrators

The six lighthouses will implement the New European Bauhaus principles of sustainability, aesthetics and inclusiveness on the ground in 13 countries. They will transform neighbourhoods in cities, look into rural development and link projects from different countries. Press release: https://ec.europa.eu/commission/presscorner/detail/en/IP_22_2780

Name of the project	Description
NEB-STAR (New European Bauhaus STAvanger)	NEB-STAR will showcase how territorial transformation plans can incorporate the principles and values of the NEB in Stavanger (NO), Prague (CZ) and Utrecht (NL). The project will tackle four emblematic challenges linked to climate-neutral cities, all considering local needs and concerns through co-creation with residents and stakeholders.

New European Bauhaus Calls

Projects supported by dedicated NEB Calls

Name of the project	Description	Type of NEB Call	Link
Craft Cities: Prague, Kladno, Kutná Hora, Písek	Prague, Kladno, Kutná Hora, Písek are part of 60 Craft Cities cohort. Prague is one of the 3 sandbox	Craft Creating Actionable Futures	craft-Factsheet.pdf (craft-cities.eu)

	cities along with Bologna and Amsterdam		
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4.2 Other NEB actions and initiatives on national, regional or local levels

Title	Description	Link	Date
Ministry of Culture of the Czech Republic	Working with NEB community		Continuously /Permanently
Ministry of Culture of the Czech Republic	Disseminating information about NEB initiative		Continuously /Permanently
Conference Creative industries: Czechs inspire Europe	Conference Creative industries: Czechs inspire Europe organized by Representation of the South Moravian Region to the EU, MEP Martina Dlabajová and the partners		12 July 2022
CZ PRES 2023	EU Task Forces 4 Ukrainian culture Heritage		1. half 2023
KUMST Brno	NEB Study trip: Brno Creative Region	https://www.kumstbrno.cz/studytrip/	21 and 22/10/2022
Czech Liaison Office for Education and Research in Brussels	Goals and opportunities of the New European Bauhaus.	Webinar	25/10/2022
Brno, Villa Tugendhat	New European Bauhaus: beauty, sustainability and cultural heritage through the prism of Villa Tugendhat	Personal high-level meeting	21/11/2022
PRAGUE CULTURAL FORUM 2023	Culture is an investment	Workshop	19/04/2023
KUMST Brno	New European Bauhaus in Slovakia and the Czech Republic	Seminar	20/06/2023
Ministry of Regional Development of the Czech Republic	NEB and its application in EU funds	Seminar	Planning / ASAP

4.3 NEB Prizes

To accelerate the green transition, contribute to the recovery and to ensure a better living together for all, we have to capitalise on the existing wealth of knowledge, experience and capacities as much as to call for new visions, new ideas and new solutions. The Prizes bring together those excellent examples and new ideas that could inspire the New European Bauhaus. The NEB Champions rewards existing completed examples and the NEB Rising Stars rewards concepts or ideas submitted by young talents aged 30 or less.

Website: https://new-european-bauhaus.europa.eu/get-involved/2024-prizes_en

Edition 2024 – Finalist

The NEB Prizes 2024 winners will be announced on 12 April, at the New European Bauhaus Prizes 2024 Ceremony in Brussels. The ceremony will be held as part of the New European Bauhaus Festival, taking place from 9-13 April Brussels. A complete list of finalists: <https://prizes.new-european-bauhaus.europa.eu/finalists>

Result	Strand	Category	Project Title	Town	Link
Finalist	Champions	Regaining a sense of belonging	Places from Spaces	Prague	Application

Edition 2023 – Finalist

The New European Bauhaus Prizes 2023 were awarded on 22 June 2023. You can find a complete list of finalists and winners here: <https://2023.prizes.new-european-bauhaus.eu/>

Result	Strand	Category	Project Title	Town	Link
Finalists	Champions	Regaining a sense of belonging	FUTUREUM: From Black Past to Green Futur	Moravian - Silesian Region Ostrava	Application

Edition 2022 – Runner-up

The New European Bauhaus prizes 2022 awarded, during the NEB Festival on 11th of June, nine young talents' ideas, as well as nine existing project (both including one public vote award). You can find the complete list of finalists and winners here: <https://2022.prizes.new-european-bauhaus.eu/>

Result	Strand	Category	Project Title	Town	Link
Runner-up	NEB Rising Stars	Regaining a sense of belonging	Reclaim Žižkov	Zasmuky	Application

5. NEB Festival 2024

5.1 Satellite events

Title	Location	Organisation	Description	Date (start and end)
Towards Sustainability	Prague	Design Center CzechTrade	Expert forum on Sustainability in Practice, led by a specialist in ESG, CSR, Green Deal and sustainability especially in industrial companies. The forum will introduce the audience to the key factors that assess a company's/company's impact on the environment, society and corporate governance. The event will highlight corporate social responsibility, the principle of incorporating social and environmental considerations into their strategies. The event is free of charge.	17/04/2024 17/04/2024
NEBourat! Aktivovat!	Prague	Institute of Planning and Development Prague (IPR Prague) - Center for Architecture and Metropolitan Planning (CAMP)	<p>When you hear Prague, people most often imagine layers of history and well-preserved architecture. A foreign visitor may also remember the good soldier Švejk, the archetype of cautious and even cunning Czechness that, in the face of adversity, prefers to avoid pain and wait out the storm. However, who will associate the Czech metropolis and the national character with fresh ideas, hunger for innovation and the courage to lead by example in difficult times?</p> <p>In Prague, five city organizations joined together to show how the New European Bauhaus can help solve the challenges ahead. Our goal is to contribute to public awareness of the new "mission", to talk about specific trends and pilot projects, and to create a stable meeting place for like-minded people and institutions. Learning by doing, we will refresh our thinking, methods and ambitions, and expand the network of collaborators. "NEBourat! Aktivovat!" is an event platform that connects the thirst for socio-economic innovations with the issue of empty buildings. By bridging the two, we will initiate a "renovation boom".</p> <p>"NEBourat! Aktivovat!" will combine the qualities of the Workshop, Site Visit, Idea Fair, Forum and all-day "Living Lab" with a strong narrative. From</p>	15/04/2024 15/04/2024

			<p>a practical point of view, the event will cultivate the discussion on the forms of "temporary use" and address a specific transformation area in Prague. By doing so, it will catalyse the paradigm shift: we embody the change, let's not demolish, let's analyze, recycle and activate for the growth of creativity, solidarity and entrepreneurship.</p> <p>The reasons for our focus are threefold:</p> <p>The Prague Innovation Institute (PII) states that Prague is indeed the Central European centre of education, research and business. However, its inhabitants do not see themselves as such and are not perceived as such even from the outside. The strategy also points out that the innovation environment is fragmented, offers little interdisciplinary overlap and suffers from a lack of communication platforms.</p> <p>When we look at data on sustainable development from the Institute of Planning and Development Prague (IPR Prague), we see the main challenges as follows: "applied research" (low utilization of public capacities for R&I), "knowledge economy" (slow development of infrastructure for a higher value-added economy) and "investment support" (lack of tools for investors to enter transformation territories).</p> <p>As revealed by the Czech Technical University in Prague (CTU) mapping, there are over 4,700 objects of industrial architecture in the Czech Republic. 381 of them are in the capital and 29 are empty, either cultural heritage or UNESCO zone buildings, suitable for immediate conversion. However, Prague does not have a clear concept according to which existing buildings would turn into the enabling infrastructure of regenerative initiatives and cultural-ecological transformation.</p>	
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5.2 Fair

Project title	NEB theme/category
Magistrála - The New Prague Boulevard	Prioritising the places and people that need it the most
AIR SQUARE	Prioritising the places and people that need it the most