

PERMACULTURE DESIGN COURSE - THE CITY OF THE FUTURE

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The Erasmus Intensivprogram project "Permaculture Design Course" continues this year in Neusiedl am See with an additional topic "The city of the future". We want to explain for the city the kind of living which means 2tCO₂/per person by 2050 - instead of 7 - 11 CO₂ t/per person/a - at the moment within industrial countries. That means a residential area or an urban region, which, with the use of intelligent green technologies, will become a "zero emission city" or "sustainable urban region" where the people will live sustainably.

We've never had more tools at hand for changing how cities are built. With radical new architectural designs, we're capable of making structures that use 90 % less energy than the ones the last generation built. For the advanced economies of the western world, prosperity without growth is no utopian dream. It is a financial and ecological necessity.