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## Wood exchange of practices

An exchange of best practices in Krakow on working with wood!

14-16 June 2023 - Krakow, Poland



Emmaus Europe and Emmaus Brat Albert are organising an exchange of best practices on working with wood and on the skills developed by the Emmaus groups on reusing and upcycling furniture.

This event will be held in Krakow **from Wednesday 14 to Friday 16 June.**

**Please register before the 1st of June!**

This meeting also represents an opportunity to find out more about the Brat Albert community whose companions are split across two sites, one of which is in Krakow.

The working languages for the event will be French and English (Spanish can also be provided by our interpreters if requested in advance).

The Krakow community is an alcohol-free space and this event will, therefore, be entirely alcohol-free!

The costs incurred by the participants in Krakow will be covered by Emmaus Europe, with support from

Emmaus Brat Albert. Each group will cover its own expenses of travel to and from Krakow.

To register for this event please get in touch with Emmanuel at: [emmanuel.rabourdin@emmaus-europe.org](mailto:emmanuel.rabourdin@emmaus-europe.org).

**Please note that there are only 15 spots available for this event.**

## Agenda for the exchange of practices on wood

The meeting will take place on **14-16 June 2023**, hosted by the Emmaus group Brat Albert, in Krakow, Poland. Two nights' accommodation (14 and 15 June) are covered by Emmaus Europe.

This meeting will be alcohol-free!

### Wednesday 14 June

#### From 16:00

Cultural visit and dinner in Krakow. A meeting point will be communicated to the participants

### Thursday 15 June

#### 09:00 - 12:30

1. Introduction: presentation of Emmaus Brat Albert, of the participants and expectations for the exchange of practices – *1h*
2. Choice from 4 different workshops – select one from the list below – *1h30*
  - How to design small objects made of wood
  - French Polish
  - Upcycling and painting on wood
  - How to create fences with hazel tree

**12:30 - 14:00** Lunch

#### 14:00 - 17:30

1. Choice from 4 different workshops – *1h30* – see list above
2. Choice from 4 different workshops – *1h30* – see list above

#### 17h30

Day ends, festive evening within the community

### Friday 16 June

#### 09:30 - 11:30

1. The place of Woodwork/wood processing within the Emmaus groups in Europe: *What story and what impact on the development of the groups, what future?* Share the challenges of your group – *2h*
2. Visit of Emmaus Krakow's shop – *1h30*

**13:00** Meeting ends & lunch



Please let the Emmaus Europe Secretariat know if you will be attending this meeting and advise us about your arrival and departure times so that we can make the necessary arrangements.  
For logistical reasons, this meeting is limited to a maximum of 15 participants.



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