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# Open Call 2016

## Echt Alt / Original Old

### OPEN CALL – Original Old 2016

International Upcycling  
Fair & Exhibition

Status: open for submissions  
Deadline for submissions: 12 June 2016  
Exhibition dates: 20 – 23 October 2016

Echt Alt – Original Old is an international upcycling fair and exhibition initiated and organised by the Kunstkraftwerk Leipzig (KKW) in the context of the Grassmesse and Designers' Open.

Over the past several years an extremely vibrant design scene has taken root in the city of Leipzig. The Kunstkraftwerk seeks to create an international platform for upcycling in art and design. High-quality works with innovative designs will be selected for the exhibition.

The Kunstkraftwerk Leipzig Institution is housed in a former power plant, providing the ideal backdrop for this project. The event and exhibition spaces, with their visible remnants of the building's industrial past, are themselves the products of a large-scale up-cycling project.

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF ENTRY:

The call is open to regional, national and international designers, artists and craftspeople. Entries must include:

1. Short biography of the designer/artist/craftsperson (no more than 1000 characters)
2. A brief statement describing the work (no more than 1000 characters)
3. Three high-quality images in JPEG format (minimum size 8 MB) of the works.

The KKW reserves the right to use all submitted texts and images from accepted entries for promotional purposes after the fair/exhibition. By submitting your texts and images to the KKW, you declare to KKW that the texts and images will not infringe the copyright or any other rights of a third party. Entrants must ensure that any third party copyrighted material contained in a submitted work has already been cleared with the copyright holder and provide a copy of the clearance to KKW if requested. Submitted materials will not be returned to the entrants.

#### COSTS

Participants are expected to arrange and pay for the transport of the objects to and from the venue, as well as for their own travel, accommodation and meals.

The Kunstkraftwerk Leipzig ist insured for all exhibitions and events.

Standard entry fee: € 50

Student entry fee: free

The entry fee includes the exhibition space, promotional costs, flyers, supervision and other ancillary costs.

Your written confirmation of participation will act as confirmation that you agree to the terms and conditions of the fair and exhibition.

#### EXHIBITION STAND

Each exhibitor will be allocated an exhibition space of approx. 8 to 10 m<sup>2</sup>. Stackable EUR-pallets with smooth, white surfaces will be made available as raised platforms for displaying works, along with racks, in various formats. The aim is to give the exhibition spaces a uniform design.

Therefore, no additional presentation fixtures will be required.

#### LIABILITY

Both in the building and on the grounds of the Kunstkraftwerk, all participants must abide by the house rules. The exhibitor shall indemnify in full the Kunstkraftwerk for any damage to the building and/or to any permanent inventory of the building. Exhibitors are responsible for the safety of their stand. The Kunstkraftwerk shall not be liable for any loss or damage whatsoever caused to the exhibits. The exhibition rooms will be monitored by an alarm system outside of opening hours.

#### FAIR & EXHIBITION VENUE

Kunstkraftwerk Leipzig  
Saalfelder Straße 8b  
04179 Leipzig Germany  
[www.kunstkraftwerk-leipzig.de](http://www.kunstkraftwerk-leipzig.de)

#### DATES

The deadline for submissions is 12 June 2016. All entries should be submitted by email. The decision on participation will be announced by the end of June.

#### FAIR & EXHIBITION PROGRAMME

- 19 October: 9a.m. – 7p.m. Set-up of the exhibition stands
- 20 October: Doors open at 6:30p.m., 7p.m. Opening/Vernissage/Press
- 21 October: 10a.m. – 7p.m. Fair & Exhibition
- 22 October: 10a.m. – 7p.m. Fair & Exhibition
- 23 October: 10a.m. – 7p.m. Fair & Exhibition, After 7p.m. Take-down of the exhibition stands

#### SUBMISSIONS

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the curator Lilly M.Bozzo-Costa:

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