



SHAREPAIR

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SHAREPAIR AS PART OF LEUVEN'S CIRCULAR STRATEGY

WHAT DOES THE FUTURE HOLD?

Leuven on a mission
to climate neutrality



Circular Economy
important objective
in mission

CIRCULAR STRATEGY

circular entrepreneurship

circular construction

share | repair | reuse

circular consumption

policy | knowledge

Growing e-waste
+ *depletion resources*
+ *energy consumption*
+ *production*
+ *transport*

A STRONG LOCAL COMMUNITY

REUSE



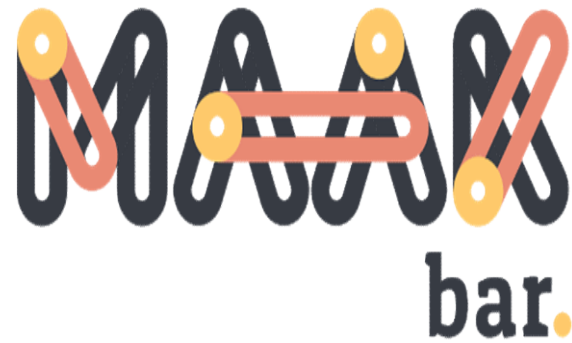
REPAIR



RECYCLE



A STRONG LOCAL REPAIR COMMUNITY



LEUVEN



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essential to scale up repair:

- community based initiatives & repair volunteers
- part of the solution for barriers to repair

cost of professional repair vs buying new products, easy local access for citizens, ...

repair community part of a broader circular ecosystem

- new collaborations with local partners via pilot projects such as Sharepair
local waste management, professionals, materials bank, social economy, local retail,...
- leads to new partnerships in other domains & waste streams



scaling up repair
through Urban Resource Centre

SCALING UP REPAIR THROUGH URBAN RESOURCE CENTRE

URBAN REPAIR-CENTRE



Stakeholders:

- Citizens
- Companies
- Local shops
- Repair community
- Professional repairers

New business models:

- Repair-as-a-service
- Collaborate with local shops
- Collaborate with social economy

Waste streams:

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- Textile
- Wood (eg, furniture)
- Built material

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Bedankt!

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URC: breeding ground to scale up local circular economy

- business models towards sustainability
- strong local ecosystem of value chain stakeholders
- incubator for innovative approaches

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