



ON THE ROOF / NA STRECHE

Bratislava, Slovakia



Neighbours and local stakeholders took central part in the transformation of the space. More than 130 volunteers helped to clean, built the planters, benches, a composter, waste sorting bins and planted the greens, in order to turn the terraces into a livable spot in the city.

All interventions were conceived to be easily constructed by non-professionals. 87 wooden raised boxes were built collaboratively on the spot. Most of them were used by the community gardeners to grow herbs, fruit and vegetables of their choice. The rest was used as 'edible commons' and study props during ethnobotanical workshops. More than 40 different species of flowers, fruit trees and herbs supported the educational aspect of the garden.