

WORKSHOP IN INDIA

1:1 experimental building construction workshop

A baked-insitu MUD HOUSE

Background

An American Potter Ray Meeker, living in India has over several experiments pioneered a technology to bake life-size mud houses insitu to stabilize them by converting them to ceramic, thereby making them water resistant and lasting. The fuel consumption is optimised, as the space in the house is first used as a kiln to bake terracotta building materials produced along with the house, and the heat that would normally be lost into kiln walls are tapped for converting the house walls to ceramic.

Workshop Description

A prototype for a housing unit will be built in Pondicherry, India

Dates

1 -31. March. 2008

Cost

ca. 800 EUR for boarding, lodging and course material for one month while in India

Workshop led by

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Credits will be given to the workshop participants

LIMITED PLACES AVAILABLE

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