

## THE ART OF DETOUR(S) – MAY 20, 2022

### ABOUT THE CONFERENCE VENUE

#### **BANEGAARDEN - Copenhagen's Green Oasis**

In the middle of the city, Copenhagen, on the old railway terrain, between wild nature and train tracks, you will find nine wooden barns from 1909. For decades they have been quiet and untouched. Until now....

The plan is to turn BANEGAARDEN into an organic village, peaceful breathing space, and gastronomic gathering point - far away from the city noise, but still in the middle of Copenhagen.

The nine old wooden barns were built in 1909 by DSB (the Danish State Railways) for storing wood and materials for the rails. Since 1950, the barns have been quiet and nature has been growing wild and lush. The nine barns worthy of preservation are undergoing extensive restoration concerning sustainable materials and methods.

The restoration of the wooden barns is carried out on the principles: Recycling rather than consumption, craftsmanship rather than haste, natural building materials rather than synthetic, wood rather than concrete, and steel and tile rather than tiles.

**BANEGAARDEN's vision** is to help define the next chapter in sustainability.

"We want to inspire our guests to leave the world in a better state than we received it - through enthusiasm, experiences, and innovative communities. We run restaurants, cultural programs, food stalls, learning processes, farm shops, workshops, and much more."

### LIDT OM KONFERENCESTEDET

#### **BANEGAARDEN - Københavns Grønne Oase**

Midt i byen på det gamle baneterræn, mellem vild natur og togskiner, ligger ni træladere fra 1909. I årtier har de ligget stille og uberørt hen. Indtil nu....

Planen er, at gøre BANEGAARDEN til en økologisk landsby, et fredsfyldt åndehul og gastronomisk samlingspunkt – langt væk fra storbystøjen, men alligevel midt i byen

De ni gamle træladere blev opført i 1909 af DSB (de Danske Stats-Baner) til opbevaring af træ og materialer, der skulle bruges til skinner. Siden 1950 har laderne ligget stille hen, og naturen har fået lov til at gro vildt og frodigt. De ni bevaringsværdige lader gennemgår en omfattende restaurering med respekt for bæredygtige materialer og metoder.

Restaureringen af træladerne udføres ud fra principperne: Genbrug frem for forbrug, håndværk frem for hastværk, naturlige byggematerialer frem for syntetiske, træ frem for beton og stål og flis frem for fliser.

#### **BaneGaardens vision**

BaneGaarden er sat i verden for at være med til at definere det næste kapitel inden for bæredygtighed.

Vi vil inspirere vores gæster til at efterlade verden i en bedre tilstand end vi modtog den – gennem begejstring, oplevelser og nyskabende fællesskaber. Vi driver restauranter, kulturprogram, madboder, læringsforløb, gårdbutik, workshops og meget mere kommer til.