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With a number of branches across the region, sustainability is a key focus for us. With a changing world, so our DNA needs to change, as we constantly look for innovative ways to reduce our footprint and leave a legacy for those who follow.

Below we have expanded on a number of sustainable programs that we have been rolled out for our clients.



City Hall Hardenberg

The trees that were cut down for the creation of the Town Hall have been re-purposed, they have been made into tables that will be used internally at the Council.



Alliander Duiven

An outstanding Breeam project. In addition to meeting all the Breeam requirements, they reused 300 doors from the old building, in creating the substructure for the new furniture.



Nike

From coffee grounds to coffee tables.

Their new coffee tables were made from “wooden boards”, that were made from recycled coffee grounds and recycled skate boards.



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Woonbedrijf Eindhoven

All counter material in the restaurant consists of wooden residual products glued together to form a sustainable surface.

The coffee corners are covered with residual materials from the old stocks of Woonbedrijf such as tiles and multiplexes.

Many recycled components have been used throughout the interior project; the doors to meeting rooms and frames are from renovation projects at Woonbedrijf. The old telephone booths have been converted into used call cells to facilitate privacy.

The history of Woonbedrijf is that it was built on the old location of the local newspaper, as a gesture to this history, we developed a special veneer from pressed newspapers to cover the furniture in the entry area.



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Afvalverwerking Rijnmond (AVR)

The reception counter base was constructed from reclaimed bricks; the bricks were selected from the waste disposal site of AVR. Textile wall coverings were rendered with recycled bio-based textiles, which gave the walls a soft finish and acoustic damping properties. The use of locally felled oak units, which equates to minimal transport, was used throughout the construction.

The additional Eco-boards and carpets from Studio Wae; were produced from old uniforms reclaimed from AVR.



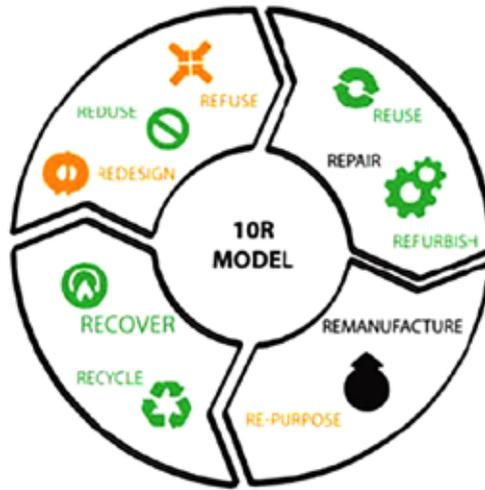
Circular coffee bar in Leuven

A pilot project for the Flemish Government; engineering and realization of a coffee bar that embraces the principal of Cradle2Cradle as much as possible; the result was a coffee bar with more than more than 80% of Cradle2Cradle possibly products.



MarinHome Tiny Eco

The materials used in the construction of our "smallest" houseboat have been chosen to ensure that they are the best in the market when it comes to sustainability and reflects the WELL Building standards. With the integration of solar panels, induction heating, electric drive and Bio based water treatment, the boat is currently under construction and will to be presented at the Dutch Design Week 2019, during the Embassy of Sustainability at the Powerhouse on Strijp-S.



10R model

PWC

PWC have converted all their offices to activity based working concept in the last 4 years. The objective for the meeting center and the Plaza was to create a provisional design and us, as far as possible, existing materials that are present in the building and if additional materials are needed, these need to be sourced from the waste facilities at Gielissen. Only after these resources have been exhausted, will the use of new materials be allowed. If new materials are to be used, they must be of sustainable Cradle2Cradle grade. The use of unhealthy materials are not reused in this project and are disposed of in a safe manner. A database is made of the materials on site and a material passport per material type was created. Gielissen works according to the 10R concept (see image above) and have devised a flow chart to guide to illustrate the route with the client and production team