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## AN INTERGENERATIONAL, BIOCLIMATIC LIVING SPACE THAT MINIMIZES ITS ECOLOGICAL FOOTPRINT.

Structure : La Caminade



Lodève

Occitanie

Founded in 2015 by the local association [“Maisons Ecoé,”](#) the collective—now known as “La Caminade”—has developed an intergenerational, bioclimatic living space that minimizes its ecological footprint.

It chose to organize itself as a residents’ cooperative, the legal structure most consistent with its values: solidarity, pooling of resources, shared and self-managed governance, social diversity, and no real estate speculation.

Located in the Carmes neighborhood, the complex consists of three buildings and a community center on a large hillside lot:

- Three small new buildings, 17 units ranging from studios to four-bedroom apartments, 13 of which are PLS (Social Rental Loans)
- Multi-purpose indoor common areas: an activity room open to the neighborhood, a meeting room, a quiet room, shared guest rooms, a laundry room, a workshop...
- Shared outdoor spaces: garden, terraced natural areas with trees, vegetable garden...

## Liens

<https://lodeve.fr/la-caminade-habitat-participatif/>