

1. KL KATEALEGAIA

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Special Employment Centre/ Worker-owned Company

KL katealegaia is a non-profit company with the mission to create and maintain employment opportunities in Gipuzkoa for people with disabilities at risk of social-occupational exclusion.

KL Katealeagia contributes to the social economy in two ways because, besides its nature as a special employment centre, it is also an initiative owned by people with disabilities (it is a worker-owned company in which they own 70% of the shares). The rest of the shares are distributed between Gipuzkoa Provincial Council, the ONCE Foundation, and the Gureak Group.

KL katealegaia's activity is the industrialisation, assembly, production and control of industrial assemblies for different sectors such as the automotive, energy, electronics, accessibility, elevation, and equipment goods sectors. KL katealegaia is an integral industrial collaborator performing different processes, such as electromechanical assemblies, the manufacture of coils for engines and generators, metalwork processes, different machining, manufacture of electronic circuits, pad printing and industrial serigraphy, visual inspection and quality control, and complementary logistics services. KL katealegaia has 12 industrial plants spread across the whole of Gipuzkoa, where 925 people work, of which 95% are people with different disabilities (intellectual, mental illness, physical disability, and sensory disability).



2. RED SOCIAL KOOPERA - Koopera Reusing Centre
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Workers' Cooperative; Social Integration; Solidarity Economy

KOOPERA Social Network is a second-level cooperative which includes Social Initiative Cooperatives and integration Companies, promoted by Cáritas. Its objective is the socialoccupational integration of people in a situation or at risk of social exclusion, through activities of environmental services, reuse and recycling, sustainable consumption, training, care of people and other activities that can help meet the objective.

KOOPERA Reusing Center is an automated management plant for clothing, footwear, books, toys and household appliances that enables objects to be reused in an automated way. It is the first state-level plant to develop the automated management of objects deposited by citizens in containers for recoverable waste. The building's 4,500 square metres allow the useful life of these objects to be extended.

- Preparation Plant for Reuse (where applicable with a network of Koopera Stores (Fernández del Campo 16, Bilbao) to promote Sustainable Consumption, and integration itineraries).

- The interoperation project of the Koopera Social Network between social initiative cooperatives and integration companies.

- Cooperation with municipalities such as Bilbao and other municipalities through the reuse container and other activities.



3. BBK BILBAO GOOD HOSTEL Avenida Miraflores 16, 48004 Bilbao www.bbkbilbaogoodhostel.com

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BBKBilbaoGoodHostel, a project developed by BBK and the Lantegi Batuak Foundation, is a fully accessible urban youth hostel, with a capacity of 100 beds, with the main objective of promoting social and occupational integration of people with disabilities.

For Lantegi Batuak it is another step towards diversification in the services sector, which currently represents 5% of the GDP in the Basque Country. They are highly visible jobs. In short, tourism can also generate employment opportunities for people with disabilities and be a tool for training and integration, as well as in catering.

The innovative hostel is a European reference in adapted tourism, which until now was a somewhat neglected segment in the city of Bilbao.



4. BBF- BILBAO BERRIKUNTZA FAKTORIA Uribitarte 6 - 48001 Bilbao www.bbfaktoria.com	BBF	Bilbao Berrikuntza Faktoria Innovation Factory	
An ecosystem for innovation an entrepreneurship			
The BBF Project- Bilbao Berrikuntza Faktoria- (BBF) is a pioneering learning, innovation and entrepreneurship project located in Bilbao, Spain, and promoted and management by MONDRAGON UNIBERTSITATEA and the Grupo init, in cooperation with the Municipality of Bilbao. The model on which the project is based consists of 3 layers: a centre of innovation and advanced entrepreneurship, a university, and a centre of innovative companies. The 3 layers comprise an integrated system with shared objectives, strategies, and actions. It brings together in one space and in complete coordination, university education and a community of people who provide innovative business initiatives. It creates the necessary conditions to allow learning, creativity and collaboration between them to occur in a natural way. The enabling environment created at Bilbao Berrikuntza Faktoria promotes the development of new business projects. Actually the community are composed of over 300 people, 11 innovative companies, 30 projects in business launch phase, being promoted by over 50 entrepreneurs and 150 university students attending their courses.			