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Cali, Colombia
We come from

- It born from a need to make visible problems in the public space, such as the physical holes on the foundational square of the city of Cali, this visible actions was accompanied by a petition addressed to the mayor's office about the deplorable state of the soil there.

- Collect the public opinion about this problem that affects a significant number of pedestrians who walk everyday this main place in the city.

- We use a methodology that breaks with "normality" and captures the attention of passers-by, on the public space (this is also called as wool bombing, yarn storming, guerrilla knitting, kniffiti, urban knitting, or graffiti knitting.)

- We look for: Breaking gender stereotypes such as that knitting is only for older ladies, but also for children and young people knitting.

- Ways to do collective work searching good common.
VESTIR EL ESPACIO PÚBLICO
OUR DEFENSES

- Pedestrians and cyclists (mainly people in conditions of difficulty to move)
- Children and youth
- Good condition of the platforms
- Safe spaces for all people, mainly women and girls
EL DÍA DE LA BICI-CALI
**HOW?**

*Promoción de espacios más seguros, visibles, habitables, para que más mujeres se suban a la bici, caminen seguras, jueguen sin sensaciones de riesgo.

*Acciones colectivas que involucren a la población vecina a través del tejido de actividades conjuntas

*Busca más actividades en el espacio público

*Apoyar promoción de plazas para la estancia y permanencia
PLAZA CAYCEDO
WHAT HAVE WE ACHIEVED?

• The inclusion of activities in the public space at the main square.

• Visibly confront occupations that have been marked by gender stereotypes.

• Visibility actions in public spaces.
PARK-LETS
WHAT WILL WE KEEP DOING?

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• Reconquest of spaces safer and friendly for pedestrians and cyclists

• Promotion of NO PARKING ON ROAD signal (road safety)

• More spaces for "stay"