

Innovating Communities

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is a LEADER cooperative project offering free training and mentoring in Design Thinking to empower communities to work together and overcome Challenges in their areas



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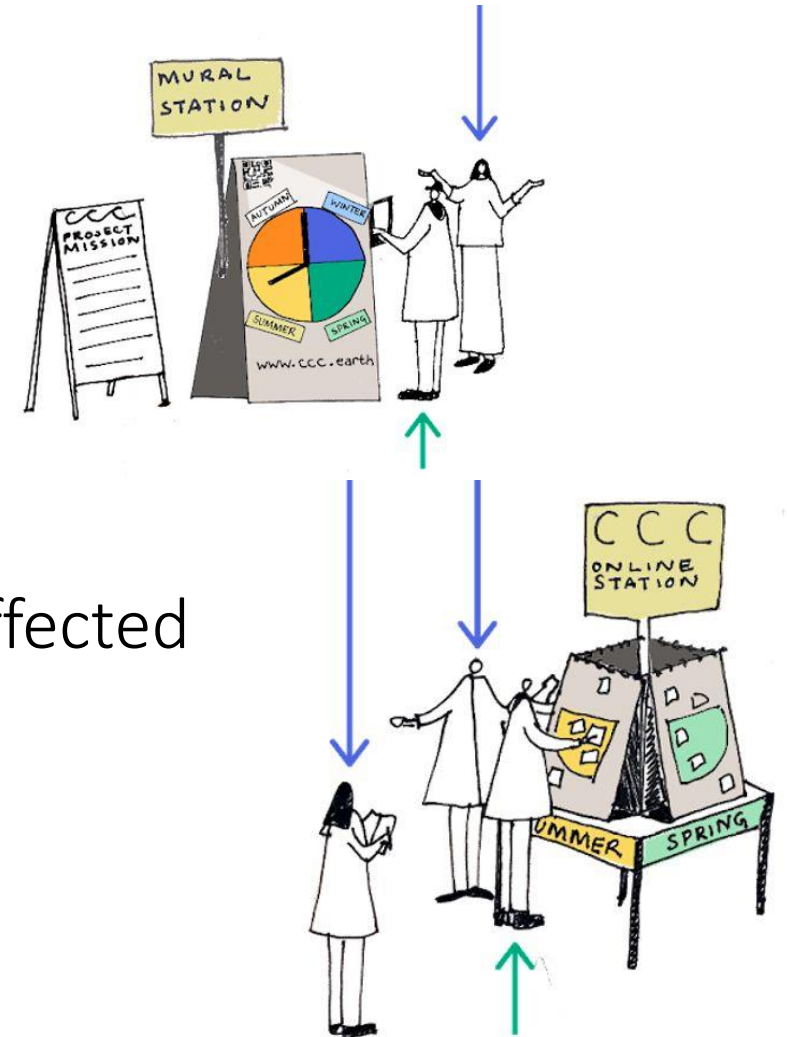
Empathise Define Ideate Test & Iterate Materialise



Design Thinking = Creative Problem Solving

It is a 5 stage process;

1. You learn how to **EMPATHISE** with the people affected
2. **DEFINE** the challenge
3. Develop **IDEAS**
4. **TEST** the ideas
5. **MATERIALISE** solutions





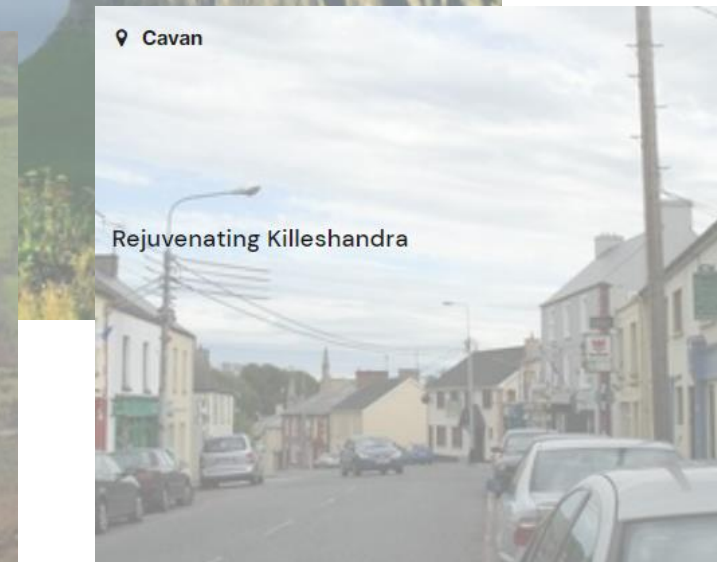
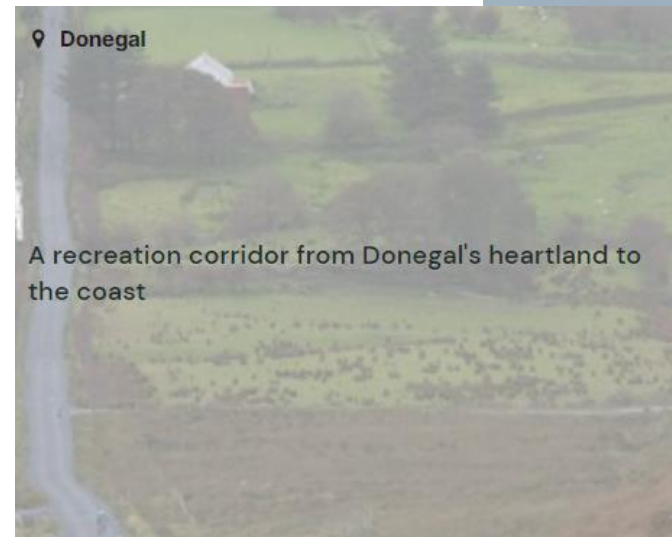
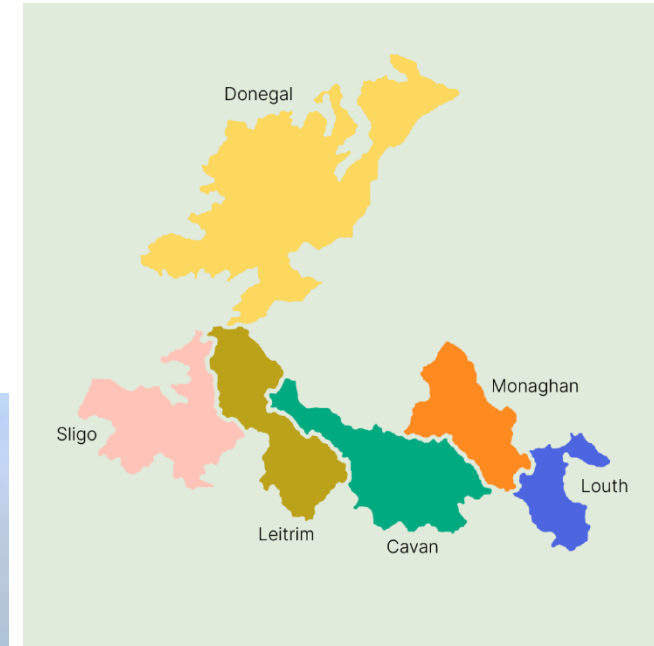
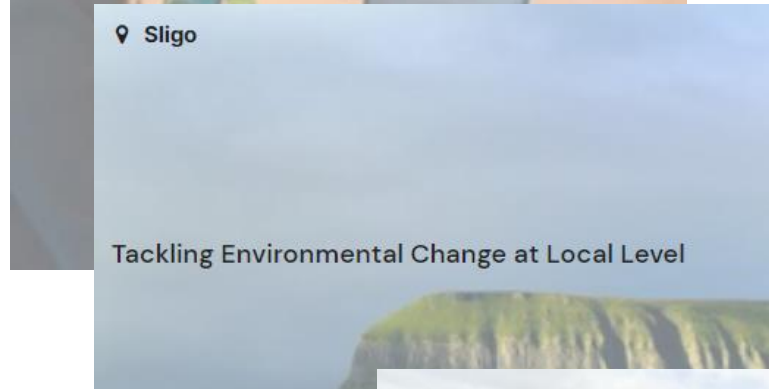
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The project aims to strengthen resilience, local development and community-led action

Deliver Courses to over 900 people across 6 partner counties

as Design Sprints (21 hours) / Design Marathons (42 hours)

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