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Curry Stone Design Prize Honoring 100 Social Design Practices in 2017

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The Curry Stone Design Prize, in celebration of its 10th Anniversary, is acknowledging a large group of the most influential socially engaged practices as this year's winners, being recognized as the Social Design Circle. Curry Stone Design Prize is one of the most recognized social impact design awards, celebrating socially engaged practitioners and the influence and reach of design as a force for improving lives and strengthening communities.

Each practice named to the Social Design Circle has helped define the Social Design movement over the last decade through the impact of their work. The Prize will name 100 practices over the next twelve months as part of the Circle. Each will receive a feature page dedicated to their work on the Prize's website. To further publicize the work of these extraordinary practitioners, the Curry Stone Foundation will also launch a new podcast: Social Design Insights.

"In the past ten years the Curry Stone Design Prize has been recognizing some of the most impactful and inspirational international practices," stated Emiliano Gandolfi, the Prize Director. "Their work is part of a larger movement of individuals and groups who see design as a necessary tool to make our societies more just, environmentally sustainable, and socially inclusive. We formed the Social Design Circle to illustrate the significance of this movement and to share with a wider audience the great potential of these transformative practices."