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Friday 11 July h. 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm

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The project required to intervene in urban areas in the city of Como, to retrain them and make them hospitable adopting strategies that support the demand for a different use from the past, more personalised. Which therefore require the use of different materials from those typical used, such as stone, iron, concrete, metal, glass. Materials capable of representing the idea of the "soft project": "the fabric, the color, the weather, the memory, the light, which touch the body without hurting him". This kind of perspective seems to find in the city of Como an ideal area for experimentation. On the one hand the strong identity of its territory, is tied to the history of its architecture and roman structure. On the other hand, the presence of an industrial tradition especially in high quality fabric production. It's a theme that whether in the past, and especially in the contemporary world, presents

achievements of great value, which is independent, just from their temporary character. In this case, the challenge was double, as addressed to verify not only the general potential of the textile material in urban installations, but also the possibility of an alternative use of the same materials produced by the local industry.

INSTALLATION SITES

"Museo Civico Paolo Giovio" courtyard, "Museo Garibaldi" courtyard, "Biblioteca Comunale di Como" courtyard, private courtyard via Volta 66, private courtyard via Volta 60/62 (A. Volta's birthplace).

MUSICAL PERFORMANCE h 5:00 pm
Museo Civico Paolo Giovio
Piazza Medaglie d'oro 1.

Sara Magon, chitarra.
Clara Zucchetti, percussioni.

MUSICAL PERFORMANCE h 6:00 pm
Palazzo Volta
via Volta 62.

Simona Belgeri, flauto.
Luca Indelli, chitarra.

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