

TUMBAO

THINK GLOBAL. ACT LOCAL

Our Mission

We believe that **quality and sustainability** should never be compromised for one another, and therefore we set out to work with the **leading craftsmen** in their given field to bring you the **highest quality product** all while being **environmentally and socially conscious**.

Our aim is to facilitate the **rediscovery of local crafts and techniques** from around the world and bring them to an international audience.



Community



Sustainability



Culture

We've partnered with **Desserto** in Mexico. Desserto is a highly sustainable **plant-based vegan leather** made from **cactus**, often distinguished by its great softness while offering great performance for a wide variety of applications and complying with the most rigorous quality and environmental standards.

The aim is to offer **cruelty free, sustainable alternative**, without any toxic chemicals, phthalates and PVC. The material is partially biodegradable with the objective of being completely biodegradable in the future.

Our Team

Mae White, Nicholas Saye, Ecab Amor and Federica Caso.



We are a group of students **passionate** about making a change in the world. Amongst the four of us, we share 7 nationalities: Russia, Mexico, USA, Singapore, Venezuela, UK and Italy.

Globalization is a double-edged sword, we're more connected than ever before and access to anything you want is just a click away, but we believe that it has left certain communities in the shadows. Hundreds of communities around the world have rich design histories and cultures, yet are struggling to keep up with the rapidly changing nature of our world. **How can we support these communities to bring their designs to the global market?**

Tumbao aims to be the link between these **local groups and the international community**. We believe that history shouldn't just stay in the past, but should be an inspiration for the designs of the future.