

Tales from Auroville

TALES FROM AUROVILLE

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Season 1.0 of Mythologies from the Future *

- :: an ethnography by children, the knowers and dreamers of a world fresh and different
- :: stories of Auroville collected and retold by children
- :: where the future is already present in the past

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PROGRAMME

1. Field Trips

field research conducted by children and led by facilitators to meet older people from the locality and collect stories, true, made-up, remembered, reimagined... in words, pictures, bits and pieces of many things.

:: debrief after every field trip to refresh impressions and glean immediate insights

:: recorded with handwritten notes, sketches, photos, voice and video recordings etc

2. Documentation

organisation and documentation of materials and information collected

3. Integration Workshop

with the gift of time lapsed and quieting down, a fully-embodied integration of 1 & 2 to allow for ideas, thoughts, impressions, sharing, anything arising

4. Editorial & Creative

starting off with storytelling and bookmaking workshops to acquire editorial, technical and organisational skills

5. Book

a book or variations of the form of a book to make the journey visible and relatable

6. Open Event(s)

possibility of exhibition, theatre, storytelling sessions to share with more people and to expand the journey into the future

LOCATIONS

0.0 Tales from the Himalayas

:: scene-setting

:: book published 2023, Auroville

1.0 Tales from Auroville**

2.0 Tales from the Azores

:: Ilha do Pico

:: Ponta Delgada (Quinta Bom Despacho)

3.0 Tales from Macau

**Season 1.0 (Auroville) will also be a train-the-trainers programme so that more facilitators will be trained up to conduct similar programmes in different localities in the future