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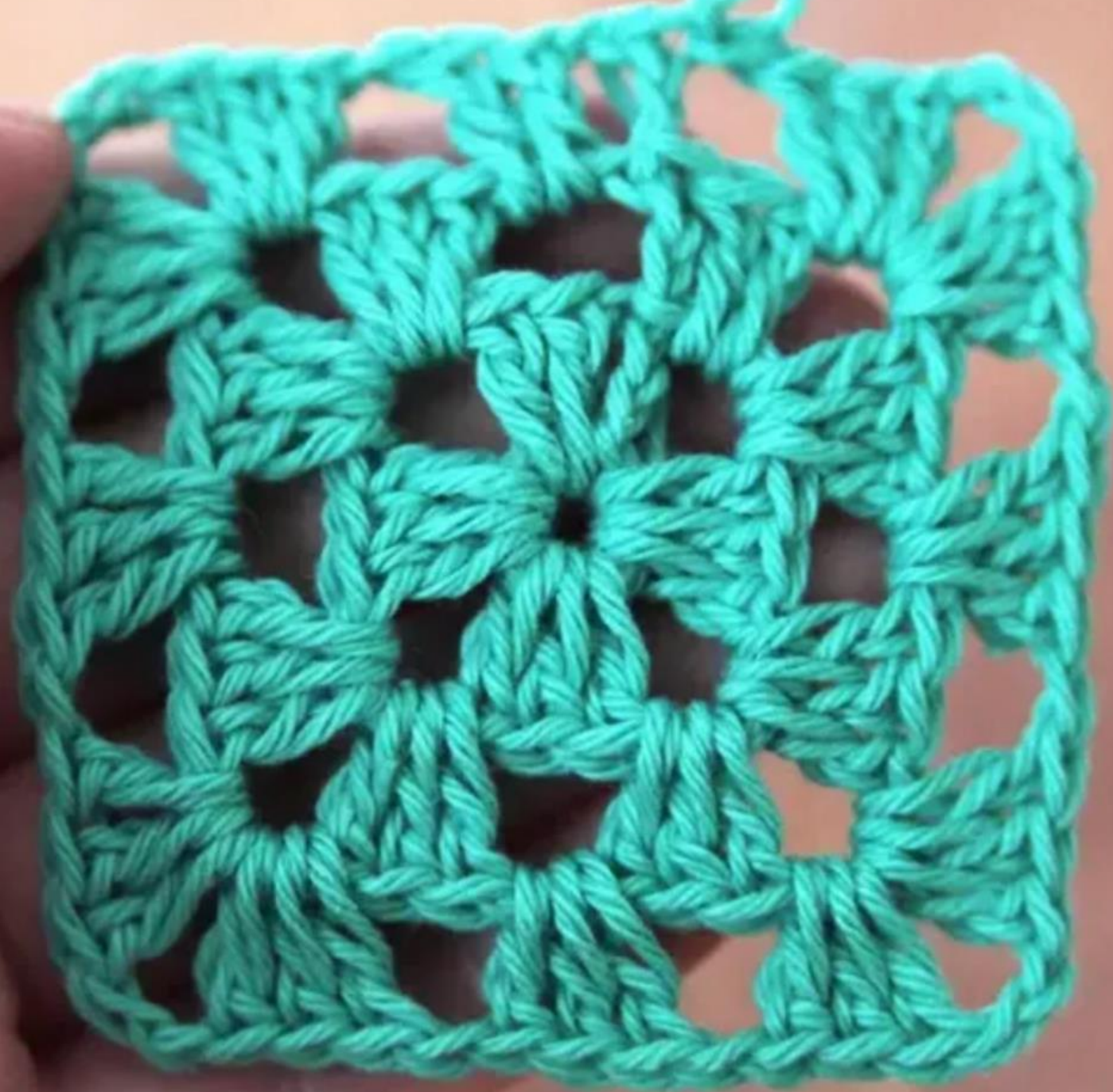
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**EU Design Day
May 25th 2023**

Sjoerd Bootsma, artistic director

Leeuwarden-Friesland, European Capital of Culture 2018





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25.000m²



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May - August, 2022

- **Legacy Leeuwarden-Friesland 2018**
- **Every three year a cultural manifestation of a 100 days**
- **Expositions, performances, collective action and radical imagination**
- **In 2022: 800.000+ visits, 10.000 active participations**
- **100+ events: from professional artists to community led**

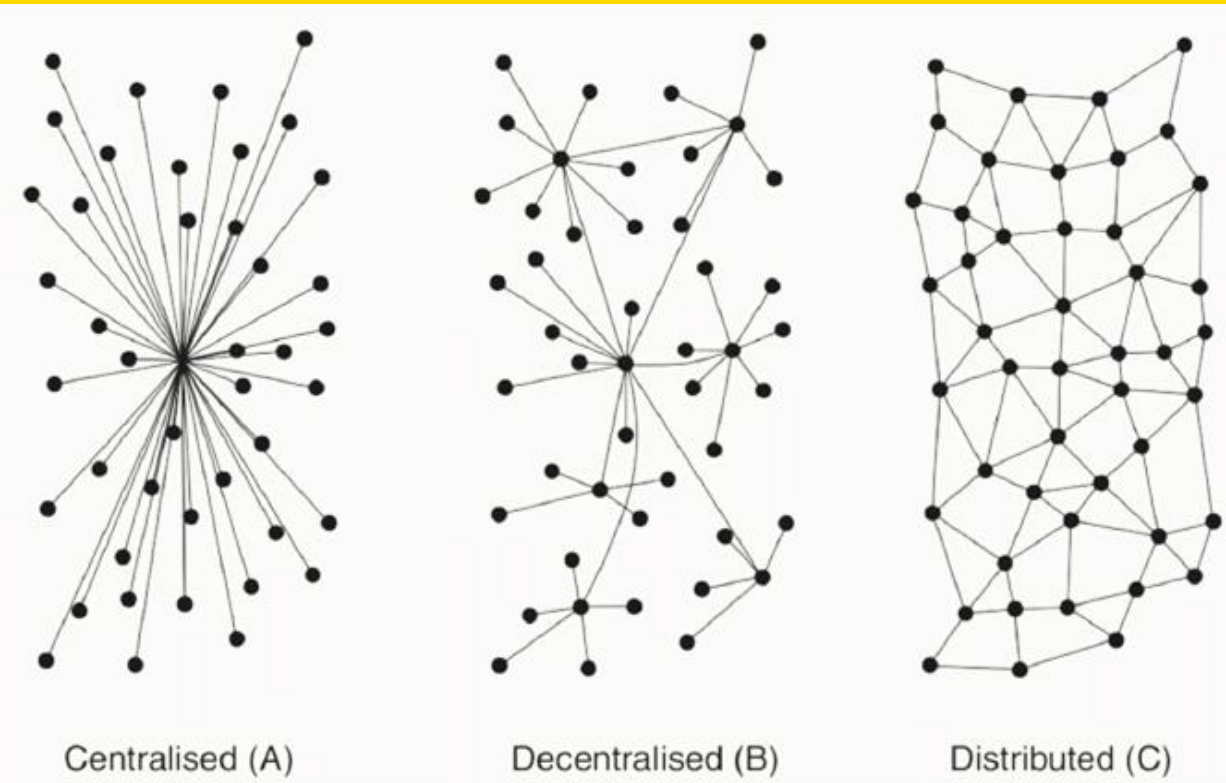
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- **Culture = the result of our behaviour, it's who we are**
- **Art = a method to reflect on our culture**
- **Transitions need a change of behaviour: heart -> head -> hands**

- **2022 theme: “How are we good ancestors?”**

‘A Networked society is a strong society’



Criss-crossing communities to expand comfort zones

Europe | Ecology | Experience | Empowerment | Entrepreneurship



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