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After graduating from Mechanical Engineering and Industrial Design, I quickly joined the Low-tech Lab's team. First in Bangladesh, cradle of the organisation, on a volunteering mission aiming at diversifying, prototyping and promoting technical applications of most famous local natural fibre: jute. My job was first to raise awareness among students through a concrete project, then I took a good part in a international collaborative R&D project focusing on hand-crafted ways to manufacture natural fibre based components for appropriated vehicles. For almost 3 years now I was conducting a new exploratory project called the Investigations of the Low-tech Lab, which main goal was to understand, document and spread social organizational models able to really generalize the low-tech way of thinking, doing, and living.