

**A Rocha Lebanon**

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A Rocha Lebanon moved its office and accommodation to Mekse, in the surrounding of the Conservatory Garden. No war nor crisis can impact any longer our work.



A new place is also an opportunity for land restoration in this overgrazed area



# Land Restoration

*Mekse Garden*

Our cow, keystone species of Mekse garden









Initiation of  
terrace cultivation  
of chickpea





A seedbank, weapon for autonomy





# Biodiversity

Larvae of ground beetles and their molting stage. Larvae molt from 7 to 10 times before entering the pupal stage



Life awakes from hibernation



Together with our gardener Hamzeh al-Uqla and thanks to his large nest, we began a survey on the passerines of Mekse.







First bees:  
*Xylocopa  
violacea*. Beans  
(*Vicia faba*)  
blossom early  
and develops  
closed flowers  
protected from  
cold, then  
require strong  
bees.





Here an  
*Anthophora  
nigriceps*, also  
an early  
solitary bee.



Toward the exhibition:

# Bees of Lebanon

another eye

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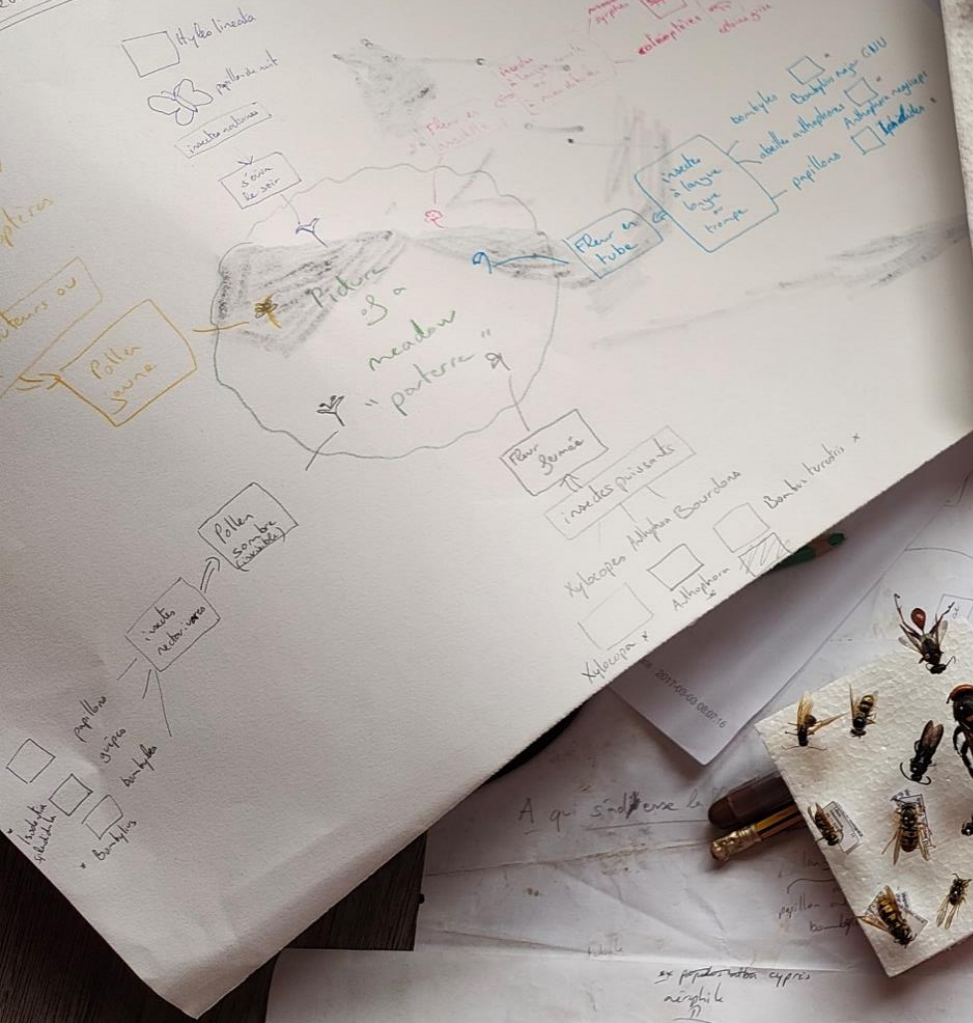


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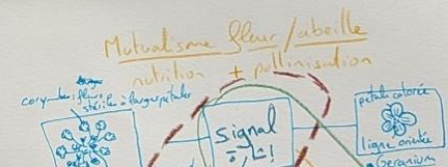
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Le TRIANGLE de la POLLINISATION

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See you next month...

