

L A H O R E & L A H O R I
Pockets Of The Free Space

ABSTRACT

Lahore, the city of hearts, has long been the agricultural, and cultural hub of the Indian Subcontinent, and The Canal running through the city has been it's spine, providing life to the fields, and soul to the city. The city's masses thronged to it's shaded banks in the oppressive summer days, diving into it's silty waters, lounging under a canopy of leaves, and practicing the art of storytelling. With time, the bank has become narrower, highways on either side have made it difficult for people to access it, and the government decorates it with floats and lights during the summer, a half-hearted attempt at celebrating it's glory days. The aim of our pavilion is to once again encourage the citizens of Lahore to take back it's canal, to nurture it's culture, to give voice to the stories that still echo in the rustling of the leaves and the rushing of it's waters.