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# **EUROPEAN HERITAGE FOR AN ACTIVE EUROPEAN CITIZENSHIP THROUGH INTERCULTURAL DIALOGUE**

**Instituto de Enseñanza Secundaria San José (Cuenca)**

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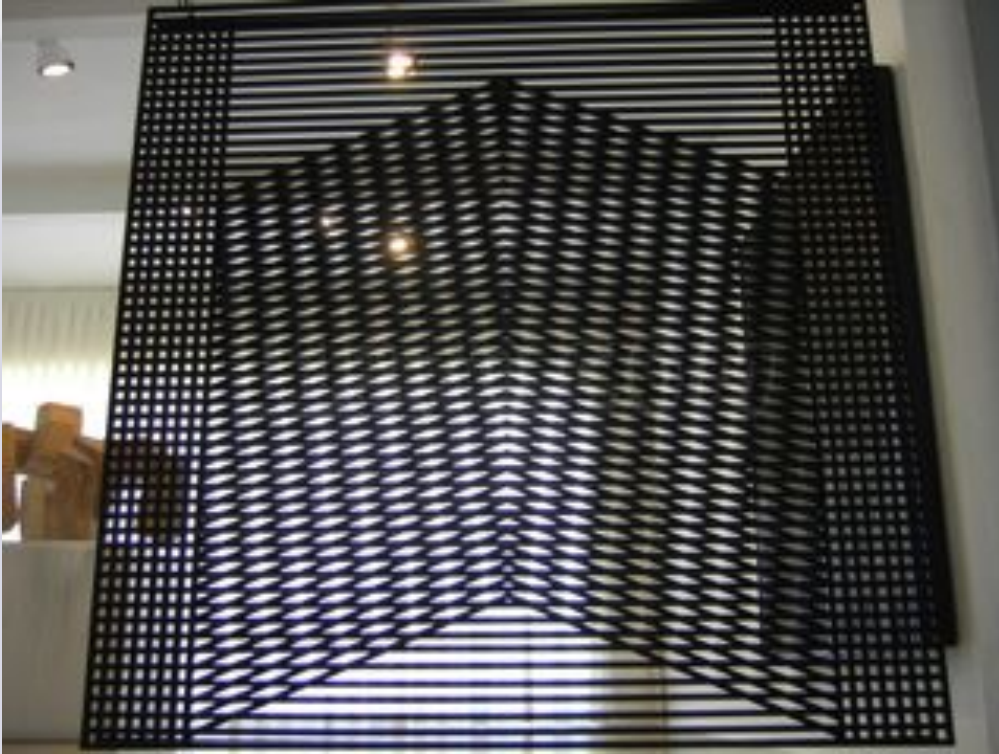




# Abstract Art Museum



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# Antonio Pérez Foundation



# Castilla La Mancha Science Museum





# Traditions and Festivals: Holy Week





# Traditions and Festivals: San Mathew's





# Handicrafts

Pottery is the most traditional local handicraft. It has a decorative purpose today but it used to have a practical characteristic in the past: pitchers, bowls, urns, and large earthenware jars. The most typical ceramic piece is the “Iberian Bull”, inspired by the head of a small Iberian bull discovered in the village of Huete and currently on display in the Museo de Cuenca.



# Handicrafts

The second half of the twentieth century saw the development of “Cerámica de Autor”, also known as “Contemporary Ceramics”. The ceramic works of each artist came to be known for their own particular qualities. In this sense, the most well known school is that of Pedro Mercedes. Other famed ceramists from Cuenca are Luis del Castillo, Adrián Navarro and Fernando Alcalde.





# Handicrafts

Worth mentioning are the handmade wrought iron grilles as well as wicker and glassworks



# Handicrafts

Wicker-bike-basket



Carry Handle



# Handicrafts

Rose Window  
Stained glasses



# Active Tourism





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# Local Cuisine

## Ajoarriero

This dish is a puree prepared with potatoes, cod, olive oil and garlic and is eaten with bread, garnished with slices of hardboiled egg. Its origins come from a time when cod was the only type of fish that could be brought inland.



## Morteruelo

The most famous local dish in Cuenca is a hot paté made with game (hare, rabbit, partridge, hen, ham and liver) and prepared with cloves and other spices.





# Local Cuisine

## Grilled Lamb Chops

They are prepared over red hot coals, and are seasoned with rosemary. Their excellence comes from the quality of the lamb from this area.



# Local Cuisine

## Zarajos

Its main ingredient is lamb intestine. It is usually served in balls wound around vine shoots or in slices. It can be served hot or cold from the grill.



## Gazpacho pastor

It is made in the form of an omelette (tortilla) accompanied by grapes. Its ingredients are game (rabbit, hare or hen) and gazpacho flat bread.





# Local Cuisine

## Alajú

It is an Arab cake. A dessert made of honey, nuts and dried fruits, cinnamon, and grated orange and lemon, all of which is prepared and placed between two wafers.



## Resoli

It is the typical drink in Cuenca. It is made with coffee, cinnamon, anisette, spirits and grated orange skin. This popular Easter drink has a sweet taste.







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