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Mobile Workshop

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This journey begins in the historic center of Lisbon, between its oldest districts of Graça, Alfama, Mouraria and the Castle. Among these great structures that define the city, we visit specific urban agglomerations known as, "Vilas Operárias de Lisboa". With its own characteristics and cultural specificities, these small urban structures functioned as small "islands" in the urban center of the historical metropolis. This active itinerary, relates the great city and the small clusters that contained a specific life and culture. The origin dates back to the 19th century, although these buildings are inspired by the city's ancestral values, using a timeless language.

Duration: 4 hours

Difficulty: medium

Transport: subway plus walking