Jianamani Visitor Centre

Location: Yushu, Qinghai, China

Architect: Atelier TeamMinus
Owner: Yushu City
Year of completion: 2013
Climate: Alpine Subarctic Climate
Material of interest: Masonry
Application: Exterior

Properties of material: The Jianamani Visitor Center is mainly built by local construction techniques. The stone masonry is done by local masons, using the same kind of local rock from which Mani stones are carved. The railings around the roof terrace and the observation decks are made of wood, with some parts recycled from earthquake debris.

Sources:
Architect Website: http://www.archdaily.com/office/teamminus