

# Pozu Santa Bárbara in Mieres opens immersive installation FRAMERATE: Pulse of the Earth by ScanLAB Projects art studio

\_Next October 15, PZSB will open its doors to the immersive installation FRAMERATE: Pulse of the Earth, created by London-based art studio ScanLAB Projects ().

\_FRAMERATE: Pulse of the Earth is an immersive multi-channel video installation created with 3D LiDAR time-lapse data that documents a changing planet, inviting us to reflect on human action in the natural environment and the passing of time.

\_Free admission to the exhibition until January 7. Free guided tours in October, November, and December with prior registration.

The Pozu Santa Bárbara (PZSB) Center for Artistic Experiences in Mieres (Asturias), located in La Rebaldana, Turón, is the first mining shaft in Spain to be recognized as an Asset of Cultural Interest (BIC) with the highest level of heritage protection since 2008. Since 2021, it has evolved into a benchmark for contemporary artistic interventions. Next October 15 it will show a new and unique artistic experience: the immersive installation *FRAMERATE: Pulse of the Earth*, created by London studio ScanLAB Projects. The exhibition has been organized by the Town Council of Mieres and curated by L.E.V. (Laboratorio de Electrónica Visual)

**FRAMERATE:** Pulse of the Earth is a work created with 3D LiDAR time-lapse data that documents a constantly changing planet. Through a stunning, large-format audiovisual montage, the work invites us to reflect on the relationship between human action, the forces of nature, and the passing of time. The installation fills the space with multiple screens, surrounding and immersing us in a digital landscape created from real images. In this

immersive environment, the changing landscapes reveal processes of destruction, growth,

erosion, and change.

Besides its aesthetic power, this work is characterized by having been developed with great

scientific precision. It is made up of millimetre-precise 3D scans of British landscapes, taken

daily over periods up to a year. So it is a pioneering tool for scientific research. The data

collected allows for the observation of changes imperceptible to the naked eye.

According to its creators, this work is: "a living tribute, a research tool, and an invitation to

contemplate the world with new eyes." Because this work proposes a transformative

experience that involves pausing in time, expanding perception, and becoming receptive to

new ways of observing the present and future of the planet.

The internationally acclaimed installation has been showcased at prestigious events and

galleries including the Venice Biennale, SXSW, BFI London Film Festival, Tribeca

Festival, Taiwan Creative Content Festival, PHI Centre in Montreal, and Elektron in

Luxembourg. More recently, it toured various cities in the United Kingdom with the support of

Arts Council England.

With this opening, Centro de Experiencias Artísticas Pozu Santa Bárbara (PZSB) in Mieres,

curated by L.E.V., establishes itself as a leading cultural space, hosting projects that

combine art, science, and technology in dialogue with the industrial and natural heritage.

About ScanLAB Projects

ScanLAB Projects ScanLAB Projects is an artist-led studio that explores the world through

machine vision technologies. It was founded in 2010 by Matt Shaw (born in 1983) and

William Trossell (born in 1985). The studio is known for its evocative and ambitious collection

of highly precise physical and digital artworks, which reveal and reflect on beauty, fragility,

and resilience. ScanLAB's works invite and challenge us to explore our collective future.

Their innovative use of 3D scanning and their signature point cloud aesthetic have taken

them all over the world, creating a seminal body of work that reflects on society and the

natural world.

Arranged by: Mieres Town Council

Curated by: L.E.V. Laboratorio de Electrónica Visual

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#### > FREE GUIDED TOURS:

Within the framework of the exhibition, the center offers several free guided tours for the months of October, November and December that will allow the public to immerse themselves in the piece and discover its creation process, as well as learn about the history of the space that houses it and its surroundings, heritage, and history.

#### Dates:

Sunday, October 26, 4:30 p.m. Saturday, November 1, 4:30 p.m. Saturday, November 15, 4:30 p.m. Saturday, November 29, 4:30 p.m. Saturday, December 6, 4:30 p.m. Sunday, December 7, 12:30 p.m. Saturday, December 27, 4:30 p.m.

Prior registration is essential at: www.mieres.es

**Location:** Pozu Santa Bárbara. La Rebaldana, Turón (Mieres, Asturias)

Duration of visit: 1 hour 30 minutes

## Limited places

#### > USEFUL INFORMATION

Location: Pozu Santa Bárbara, La Rebaldana, Turón (Mieres, Asturias)

**Dates:** From October 15 to January 7

Schedule: Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays: 4:00 PM to 8:30 PM

Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays: 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM and 4:00 PM to 8:30 PM

\*Closed December 24, 25, and 31, January 1.

### Free entrance

Recommended transport:

Public bus Emutsa. Stop PZSB: La Rebaldana (down) <u>+INFO</u>

By car (free parking)

Access by foot or bicycle Senda Verde de Turón P.R. AS-100.1 <u>+INFO</u>