

MANDALAKI PRESS KIT

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HALO EXPEDITIONS @ MOREL MILANO

A site-specific installation in a new Milanese location worth to be discovered, Morel Milano in Via Privata Gradisca (Certosa area).

Halo Expeditions is a hypnotic audio-visual experience that takes visitors to a primordial level. A short film made through the use of drones and sophisticated technologies that is presented for the first time on the big screen together with light and material installations.

For the 2023 Milan Design Week, Mandalaki presents Halo Expeditions: an artistic project that experiments the perception of Halo light in extreme and remote environments, in search of an ancestral connection between man and nature. Mandalaki illuminates natural elements with sophisticated flight and optics systems designed specifically for the project, which allowed them to reach previously inaccessible places and observe the world from a new perspective.

A hypnotic audio-visual experience that transports visitors to a parallel, primordial and dreamlike world, connecting us back to our Earth and to the innate desire for discovery in our nature. The installation, designed within Morel architectures, former shoe cotton components manufacturer since 1930, at the gates of Milan, will include an exclusive projection on big screen of the short film "Dolomites" - between light and matter - first place of experimentation for the Mandalaki team and site specific installations that exploit the uniqueness and architectural characteristics of the space. Halo Expeditions is a project that combines art, technology, and nature to create a mystical experience that invites us to reflect on the meaning of our existence and helps us rediscover our bond with nature.

HALO EXPEDITIONS

c/o Morel, Via Privata Gradisca 18, Milan

Sunday 16/04 press preview from 4 pm to 8 pm

Open to the public upon registration from Monday 17/04 to Saturday 22/04 from 2 to 7 pm.

DOLOMITES

46.4831° N, 12.0542° E

The Dolomites are a breathtakingly beautiful mountain range that enchants everyone who looks at them. These mountains are inhabited by a mysterious energy that has inspired fascinating legends and stories for centuries. Their wild beauty and the peace that reigns in these places have inspired many to seek a deeper meaning in their existence.

Through the use of drones and sophisticated optical technologies, we retrace a visionary exploratory journey, crossing steep paths, impenetrable streams and flying over the top of trees and peaks in search of the mystical connection that binds us to this special place.

Large projections transform these primeval places into surreal dimensions in which to be captivated, rediscovering the connection with nature and universe.

The short film describes the process of research by the Mandalaki Studio that experiments with the perception of Halo Edition light within the Dolomites park and tries to convey the emotions experienced in those unique and unrepeatably moments through this new immersive point of view.

Heading to remote places at sunset means living an experience in which all our senses are activated at 360 degrees: being surrounded by natural elements only, with sounds and noises sometimes unrecognizable, and randomly encountering the creatures that live in these places may be scary, but the feelings of wonder in listening to echoes and rustles and sharing the natural spaces with those who inhabit them nullify any fear or sense of confusion, projecting the user into a state of peace and awe consistent with the world that surrounds him, making him feel part of the entire ecosystem.

Music is designed to evoke such feelings and sensations in order to transport the listener to a new dimension: from a timbre perspective, it is a meeting between organic and electronic elements. The line between the two worlds becomes blurred and this allows the creation of a hybrid that exploits the potential of both natural and technological realities: abstract sounds that give voice to the magical and dreamlike aspects of images are contrasted with more refined and relaxed sounds where textures, colors and electronic rhythms are added, by reinterpreting elements of nature in a modern key.

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