

MoMA PS1

Stonemilker

March 23-May 17, 2015

On the occasion of *Bjork* at The Museum of Modern Art, MoMA PS1 presents *Stonemilker*, Björk's first foray into the world of virtual reality, in the VW Dome.

In a continuation of Björk's pioneering use of technology, *Stonemilker*, directed by Andrew Thomas Huang, explores the potential for virtual reality as a performance platform outside the scope of a traditional music video. Upon entering the VW Dome, the visitor is immersed in a panoramic view of an Icelandic landscape, projected using equipment provided by K2imaging Inc., while the ambient sounds of the landscape flood the space. Ten viewing stations are fitted with Freefly VR headsets and Bowers & Wilkins headphones, through which the audience can enter Björk's virtual world. The VR experience, which lasts for seven minutes, allows each visitor to interact with one of Björk's most raw and revealing performances to date, in a manner that is both intimate and confrontational.

To accommodate MoMA PS1's weekly Sunday Sessions program, the installation will not be on view on Sundays.

Stonemilker is organized by Klaus Biesenbach, Director, MoMA PS1 with Alex Sloane, Curatorial Assistant and Rosey Selig-Addiss, Associate Producer.

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MoMA PS1 Public Information:

MoMA PS1: 22-25 Jackson Ave at the intersection of 46th Avenue in Long Island City, Queens

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Hours: Noon-6:00 p.m. Thursday through Monday; closed on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

Admission: Admission is a \$10.00 suggested donation; \$5.00 for students and senior citizens; free for MoMA members and MoMA admission ticket holders. The MoMA ticket must be presented at MoMA PS1 within thirty days of date on ticket and is not valid during Warm Up or other MoMA PS1 events or benefits.