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Currents: Santa Fe International New Media Festival

EVENT From June 12 through June 28, 124 artists from 18 states and 21 countries will exhibit innovative, technology-centered works in Santa Fe as part of the sixth annual Currents: Santa Fe International New Media Festival.

"You can expect art videos, Web art, 3-D printed objects, and interactive installations with video and sound where your presence will alter the presentation," says Frank Ragano, co-executive director of Parallel Studios. The nonprofit, which aims to reinvigorate creativity in the arts by encouraging community participation, has been producing video installations in the City Different for 13 years and launched Currents in 2010.

The festival's opening weekend offers multimedia performances, installations, music, food, drink, and more at El Museo Cultural de Santa Fe and in Railyard Plaza. Additionally, Currents is partnering with Motion Conference 2015 (June 12–14), an annual event that brings together filmmakers, animators, VFX artists, and other visual storytellers.

For a complete list of events and venues, and to get a sneak peek at some of the works featured in the festival, go to currentsnewmedia.org.
—*Donna Schillinger*

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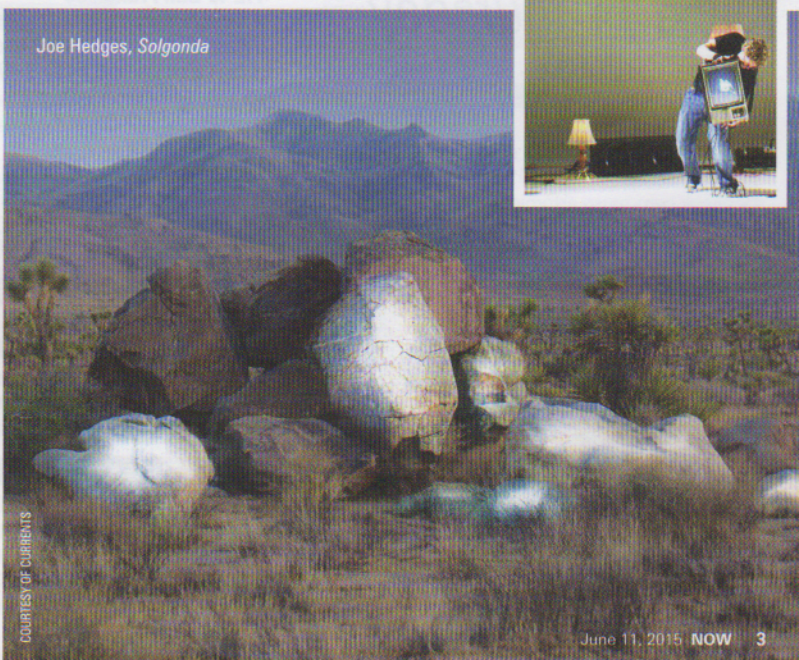
Kyle Evans, *de:Rastra*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