CUARENTENA 1851

Art exhibition KunstRaum 53 Hildesheim 14/15/16 july



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-WHAT IS "CUARENTENA1851"?

"Cuarentena1851" is the name for the exhibition.
"Cuarentena" is the spanish name for quarantine and 1851 is the code of the subject that is also relationated because is the final project.
All came when we, the three erasmus students, we went to see the exhibition recomended. Xiana said "why not if we ask for a place to show what we do?".

I remember that i thought "you're crazy, nobody will let us do it. We're nobody". And she replied to me saying "c'mon, you have more than 20 paintings at least in your room that you did all this quarantine, i think we can try".

So yes, all this idea came from the motivation of Xiana. So since there, we three, worked as a team, managing different roles. Xiana asking, sending emails, me, making the posters and post it in the city, Ana taking care for the keys of the room...

During this quarantine, spend it here in Germany meanwhile all the people that we know, in one point or another, went to their countries, was no easy.

So the unique way of scape was doing art. Since that, we starting to collect material from the street that the people of Hildesheim left.

I collected tables from different closets, chairs... and making a new life to them, painting it.

Xiana collected different random staffs like a TV, toys from the street...

So at the end was something interesting because there are two process:

The process of go to the street and search for the material, bring it home and the process of painting it, giving to them a new life.

So at the end in the exhibition you can see since tyres from cars, TV, tables, desks, toys...

A lot of different stuffs that we collected this quarantine.

-WHY THIS PROJECT FOR ART IN QUARANTÄNE?

For us, as students, can have a room is really incredible. For us being in Germany is a dream come true, but have the possibility that somebody can come and see it and like it, is really exciting.

With different texts of the weekly task like "do you think corona will give a chance to new artist to create new art?" we thought that this was the deal. We thought "okay, art in quarantäne... makes sense do something with it, we have a lot of stuff...why not?

-WHAT CAN YOU FIND IN "CUARENTENA1851"?

Different art from different material from the street. We have since photography (Ana's been shooting photos when she went back to Spain during the quarantine to the people in the city),

sculpture (Xiana has sculpture ready made, painted as her style) and paintings.

-HOW CAN CONTACT WITH US?

For it, we opened an instagram account: @cuarentena1851. There, we will be uploading photos of the experience, videos, and the people can share their photographies with us for make a really conected experience.

We're going to make a live stream during these days for the exhibition and also, we're going to make different live streams from our personal accounts for our friends from Spain can have the chance to see what's happening.

Also there will be a workshop for the people, we have the help of Mattis, who will be shooting photos and recording for a posterior video.

-WHAT DAYS, WHAT TIME & WHERE?

Since 14th of July at 17 h. until 21:30 h. The same on 15th and 16th. It's going to be in Kunst Raum 53. OttostraBe 7. We hope that this information can make it all clear and we hope see you there for have a talk and join the experience.