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Tadej Droljc: Melting Borders

9 December 2022–7 January 2023

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You are cordially invited to the opening of the new installation by **Tadej Droljc**, which will take place on **Friday, 9 December 2022, at 7 p.m. in the KiBela space for art.**

On Earth, something is always burning. In his latest installation, Tadej Droljc takes up this statement in both its literal and metaphorical sense. The fires, which are started by a laser on a large-scale panel or in an abstracted »global landscape«, simulate the fires that have spread across the globe in the last twenty years (data taken from NASA Earth Observatory). Roughly speaking, these fires can be divided into natural fires, which are mainly the result of global warming and other kinds of climate change in recent decades, and deliberate fires: on the one hand, controlled burns of arable farmland, and on the other hand, those resulting from the exploitation of natural resources and terraforming carried out by international corporations and countries. It is not only forests and other ecosystems that are burning – in the Anthropocene and the Capitalocene, the »burning issues« are continuous crises – humanitarian, ecological, economic and social. Inherently linked, they are transforming the world and its borders as we know them.

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