Official Opening of the Immersive Exhibition “Testimony of HELP”

The “Testimony of HELP” exhibition is currently open at the Central History Stop of the Institute of National Remembrance (IPN), located at 107 Marszałkowska Street in Warsaw. It tells the story of the Ulma family and of those who, in a world dominated by terror, managed to preserve their solidarity with others and find the courage to act. The exhibition’s official opening took place on 15 October and was attended by Dr Mateusz Szpytma, Deputy President of the Institute of National Remembrance, Magdalena Hajduk, Director of the New Technology Division, and invited guests.

The “Testimony of HELP” Exhibition at the Central History Point

The exhibition consists of two parts: an immersive virtual reality (VR) film and a physical exhibition. This two-part installation is housed in a specially designed space. Here, direct engagement with the exhibits is combined with an immersive historical experience made possible by new technologies, offering a multidimensional way to explore the stories of Polish heroes who helped those in need.

“Testimony of HELP” is an exhibition about memory, responsibility and humanity. It reminds us that great acts of courage are carried out by people like us. Through their stories, we can better understand the power of goodness born of courage and responsibility for others. Their experiences also serve as a timeless testament to the fact that, even in the most difficult times, one person can be a source of hope for another.

Admission to the exhibition is free.

Learn more about the exhibition and register your visit

Official Opening Ceremony

The opening ceremony was attended by Dr Mateusz Szpytma, Deputy President of the Institute of National Remembrance (IPN), Magdalena Hajduk, Director of the New Technology Division, and invited guests, including Anna Stupnicka-Bando, President of the Polish Society of the Righteous Among the Nations and a physician.

The ceremony began at 11 a.m. The IPN Press Spokesperson formally welcomed the guests. Anna Stupnicka-Bando then addressed the audience, expressing her gratitude that the memory of those who faced the threat of death while helping others continues to be preserved.

Dr Mateusz Szpytma, Deputy President of the Institute of National Remembrance, spoke next. In his address, he emphasised the heroism of Poles who, in a world dominated by terror, found the courage to help others. He also noted that much is said today about the potentially negative impact of technology on young people. The work of the New Technology Division, however, makes it possible to present inspiring stories of individuals who fought for Poland’s independence and to promote values and attitudes that can serve as an example for future generations.

Adrianna Paradowska, Deputy Director of the New Technology Division, then highlighted the importance of drawing inspiration from the exhibition’s protagonists: humble people guided by kindness and sensitivity to the suffering of others, who refused to remain indifferent to evil even in times of hardship and crisis. It is through their actions that goodness becomes visible and takes on particular significance.

Following the ceremony, guests were invited to visit the New Technology Zone, where the exhibition is located.

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The Exhibition Is Open – Admission Is Free

The exhibition is free of charge and can be visited at the Central History Point of the Institute of National Remembrance, 107 Marszałkowska Street, Warsaw.

Register your visit today



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Anna Stupnicka-Bando korzysta z VR.



Prezes Mateusz Szpytma przemawia podczas wernisażu.



Uczestnitcy wernisażu oglądają etiudę VR.



Anna Stupnicka-Bando przemawia podczas wernisażu.


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