Media Excursion: German Coal & Hambach Forest

You are invited to visit Hambach Coal Mine and Forest.





The Hambach Opencast Mine emits close to 100 Mio tCO2/year. Activists have occupied the remaining Hambach Forest for the past five years.



Ende Gelände: massive civil disobedience shuts down coal infrastructure.

One of the biggest mines in the world is digging lignite (=brown coal) today, just one hour away from Bonn. To continue burning dirty coal, Germany destroys some of its most beautiful forests, home to endangered species. Experience the scale of coal mining first hand. Visit the tree houses of activists fighting against the destruction. Learn about Ende Gelände and civil disobedience to stop coal. Get the full picture as Germany decides about the future of coal in the formation of the new government in the days of COP23.

Departure: Every day during COP23 (November 6 – 19) at 9 am (return 2 pm) and 2 pm (return 7 pm) from Hambach Forest Information Point in Bonn, next to COP23 Bula Zone Main entrance..

The excursion is free of charge and takes 5 hours. Donations are welcome. Spaces are given on a first come, first served basis. Priority is given to media. Reserve your spot today.

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