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Q&A with Director Rodrigo Reyes to follow



To commemorate the 500th anniversary of the Spanish Conquest of Mexico, director Rodrigo Reyes offers a bold, hybrid cinema experience, mixing non-fictional and performative elements with components of a road movie. Through the eyes of a ghostly conquistador, Reyes recreates Hernán Cortez's epic journey from the coasts of Veracruz to the Aztec capital of Tenochtitlan, now Mexico City. The filmmaker portrays the country's current humanitarian crisis as part of a brutal and unfinished colonial project, still in motion, 499 years later.



Director Rodrigo Reyes

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