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Until now, the medical helicopter landed in Bulgaria only during training flights. However, very soon, in June, or at least we hope so, we will be able to rely on him for real rescue actions. As the Transport Minister has announced that as of today all pilots have completed their training. The Ministry of Health announced that this is coming for the medical teams. In the coordination headquarters of the Air Emergency Center in Sofia, there are already prepared personnel who will decide when and where to send an air ambulance. One doctor and four nurses will be on duty in each dispatch shift. The decision on where and when to send a helicopter will be made by the medic. Although the helicopter is ready for action, the medics are still not prepared.



The Samsung Galaxy A34 is a pretty awesome phone. The design is cool and modern, and it feels nice in your hand, and it fits in your pocket. Also, there are 4 colors to choose from.

That's helpful for people who like colorful stuff! The screen is clear and bright, perfect for watching videos or playing games. The battery life is impressive, lasting all day with regular use and even more! The camera is great too! You can take awesome pictures with your friends! Plus, it has plenty of storage for all your apps and photos. Overall, the Galaxy A34 is a good choice if you want a reliable phone without paying an absurd amount of money.

AN EVENT REVIEW



When the moon comes out at night, "Lunar" lights up Sofia! It's like magic - the buildings, parks, and squares all turn into a giant light show! The Festival of Lights happened from May 9 to May 12, 2024, for four amazing nights. Artists from everywhere used cool 3D stuff and lights, called "mapping", to tell stories and make us go "Wow!" The festival was put on by MP-STUDIO, with help from the Festival of Lights International, the European Parliament, the European Commission, Sofia Municipality, the Ministry of Tourism, and the National Culture Fund of Bulgaria for making it happen! It was epic! We hope that it happens again in 2025!

INTERVIEW WITH MARIN PETKOV

For this interview, we chose Marin Petkov, organizer of "Lunar" and "MP-STUDIO". He told us how the magic happens, how he got inspiration, and how he decided to do mapping.

How did you decide to do mapping?

I had seen a laser installation in Munich and a very simple installation in Hamburg, which impressed me a lot. The installation in Hamburg was with a projector and then I got very excited and wanted to learn too and started experimenting.

How do you always manage to come up with interesting stories for the shows?

Sometimes it is very difficult to come up with the story in such a way that it is interesting to the audience. Some shows are 30-40 minutes long and accordingly, the story unfolds a bit like a movie. Then we develop scenarios and storyboards in great detail.

How did the idea of "Lunar" come to your mind?

Ever since we won the first video mapping championship in 2015, I was captivated by the idea of a light festival and how happy it makes people. Thus, we managed to realize the first one only in 2022. But I think the right time to do that was just then.

What happens behind the scenes of "Lunar"?

Behind the curtains of LUNAR is the work and effort of great people and teams. Artists, technicians, and many other specialists piece together the "puzzle" to turn "Lunar" into what it is now.

What do you think of your job now?

We've done over 750 shows in the last 16 years in over 33 countries, and sometimes I feel like we've accomplished almost nothing. There are so many more things I want us to achieve and experiment with. Many more crazy ideas to implement.

So now you know what he has done to achieve so cool stuff!

