

## Narrating Landscapes, a site to discover 100 of the most prominent cultural landscapes of Spain

LOCATION: Seville

**DURATION: 1'42"** 

**SUMMARY:** Narrating Landscapes is an interactive platform that distributes 100 of the most prominent cultural landscapes of Spain through videos, maps and articles that travel through the centuries of historical heritage. It is the result of two years of research by the Polytechnic University of Madrid which has formed the Seville company, Geographica. The initiative is sponsored by the Spanish Cultural Heritage Institute within the National Plan of the Cultural Landscape.

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A map of Spain and it's 100 landscapes to discover. This is the interactive platform Narrating Landscapes, the result of a two year study conducted by the Polytechnic University of Madrid, which has produced the Seville company Geographica.

Javier JAVIER ARAGÓN
Programmer Narrating Landscapes

"It's an informative tool that tries to show citizens what a cultural landscape is and achieves this through 100 samples of the peninsula and the islands."

Héctor García CEO of Geographical "We have been organising this information for 4-6 months to display it in a visual way."

JAVIER ARAGÓN Programmer Narrating Landscapes "Ultimately, it takes the abstract information that researchers have, and translates it into a website that is understandable by the end user."

The initiative is promoted by the Institute of Cultural heritage of Spain to convey the country's cultural landscapes. They do this through videos, pictures, maps and academic articles that reveal their evolution through the centuries.

JAVIER ARAGÓN Programmer Narrating Landscapes "There are many dynamic resources and as a result they are very attractive to the normal person, to the citizen who is not an expert in the subject."

But, it is not yet clear to us: what is a cultural landscape?

HÉCTOR GARCÍA CEO of Geographical "It is a space, a territory, it has a value that represents more than a landscape and is not only historical but has a mix of factors that make it important."

JAVIER ARAGÓN
Programmer Narrating Landscapes

"It is the relationship that exists between the natural environment and the actions of humans."

The project will continue to grow with the gradual incorporation of new content that will help us to understand an important part of Spain's historical heritage.