

*This Moment Now* is a charmingly intellectual but resolutely playful exploration of space time and how we experience it in the here and now. Using gravity, twin theory and the conceit of “performance time”, Rimat skypes, dances and counts us through an exact(ish) hour of our time mixing Einstein’s theory of relativity with quixotic personal anecdotes, filmed interviews and the persistent beat of a drum.

From the overt to multiple winking sub-texts, *This Moment Now* speeds (and sometimes slows down) through literal, poetic and philosophical references to time encompassing a displaced cockerel, wide-eyed children at the beginning of their lives and a wise old lady with gentle, aching intimations of mortality. Halfway through(ish), we break for a nice cup of tea and watch time travel backwards.

For the uninitiated, the piece has many reassuring hand-holds and the audience is invited to take part in this perfect little time piece by setting watches, sipping tea and counting out minutes and seconds. Whether you are a mathematician, a musician, midway through your life or an over-optimistic time-keeper, *This Moment Now* contains some subtly planted gems to make you smile in recognition. Well worth just over an hour of anybody’s time.

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