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Room I of FiFo 1929: Moholy-Nagy's scenic manifesto

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A lecture about Bauhaus and Photography: new curatorial and art historical research in the legendary "Film und Foto" exhibition, Stuttgart 1929. The presentation includes a Virtual Reality reconstruction of the exhibition, which sheds new light on how curators like Moholy-Nagy worked as well as on the typology of modernist exhibitions.

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