

FINDING THE ECHO IN ECHO PARK

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In an effort to find the original echo that gave Echo Park its name. I walked throughout Elysian Park making sounds into a dictaphone

The captured sounds were then installed via dictaphone in one of the trees in the park – becoming a source of echoes regardless of my success in finding the original one.

Transplanted from their original context the sounds and their reflections are given a new life, free to interact with the surrounding space and park goers.

Unfortunately, the newly inserted echoes didn't last long, as the player was stolen roughly two days later.

Silent echoes.



Another tape player installation with a second preserved copy of the echos can be found in a tree in Elysian Park on **Sunday October 24th, 2010** until again it dissapears.

Finding the Echo in Echo Park filmed January 3, 2010, screens at EPMoA Visitor Center at LACE October 13 - December 19 and documents my attempt to source the 'echo' of Echo Park

