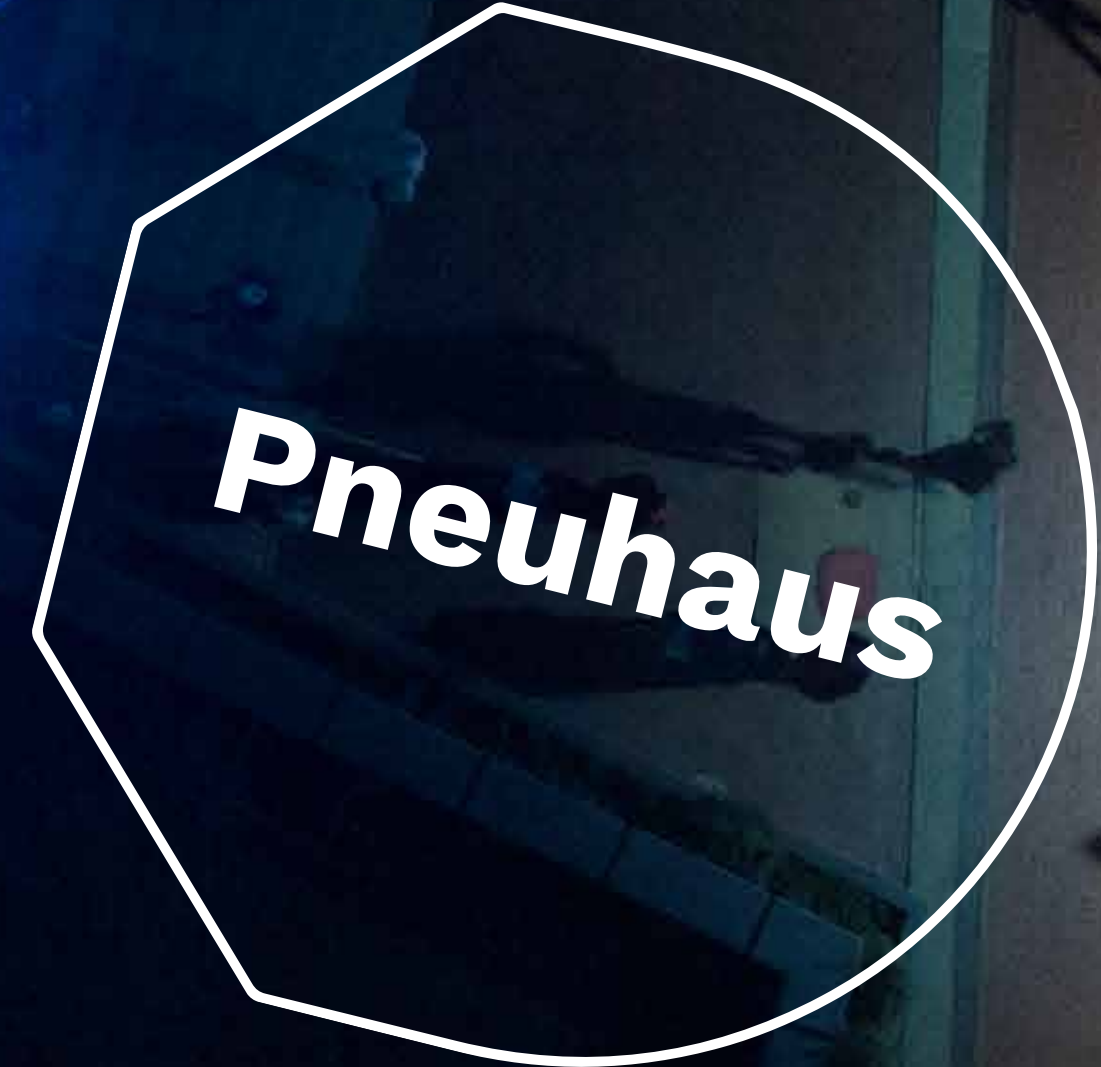


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Canopy is an interactive art installation that invites its visitors to power their own experience with bike-driven generators. As participants pedal they collectively transform a neon-colored grove of sculptural trees between them. Unlike traditional sculpture these inflatable forms were never meant to be still, instead their contours and colors have been designed to change continuously in time with the collective momentum of the bikers. As participants race together the field of plant-like pieces inflate, deflate, illuminate, and darken.

Inspired by ‘Crown Shyness’, a phenomena wherein a grove of trees grows together to create a continuous canopy while never touching or overcrowding, the individual sculptural pieces of **Canopy** each together at full inflation to create a unified luminous awning that stretches over both bikers and onlookers. In this way, the heart of the installation is the excitement held between the participants that then gets reflected by the artwork.

This marks the first collaboration between Baltimore-based experience design company Can-duit and the inflatable art collective Pneuhaus.

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