"Three Millennia of Mexican Art" slide show to be shown

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The inaugural showings of "Three Millennia of Mexican Art," called "a visual presentation of incredible beauty," will be given Thursday and Friday, May 15 and 16, in the Mandeville Auditorium at the University of California, San Diego.

The multi-media production, which features 18 slide projectors, three wide-angle screens and sound, will be shown at 8 p.m. Thursday and 2 p.m. Friday in the 800-seat auditorium. Both showings are free and open to the public.

The production is being presented on the UC San Diego campus by the Banamex Cultural Foundation of Mexico City in connection with the "Images of Mexico" art show currently on display on the campus. It surveys 3,000 years of Mexican art and culture in a breath-taking array of slides and images controlled by computer.

The UC San Diego showing is the first public presentation anywhere of "Three Millennia of Mexican Art." It is scheduled for presentation this October at an international conference on anthropology at the Museum of Anthropology in Mexico City. A spanish language version of the production is also being produced.

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