

Fourteen Days Beneath the Surface

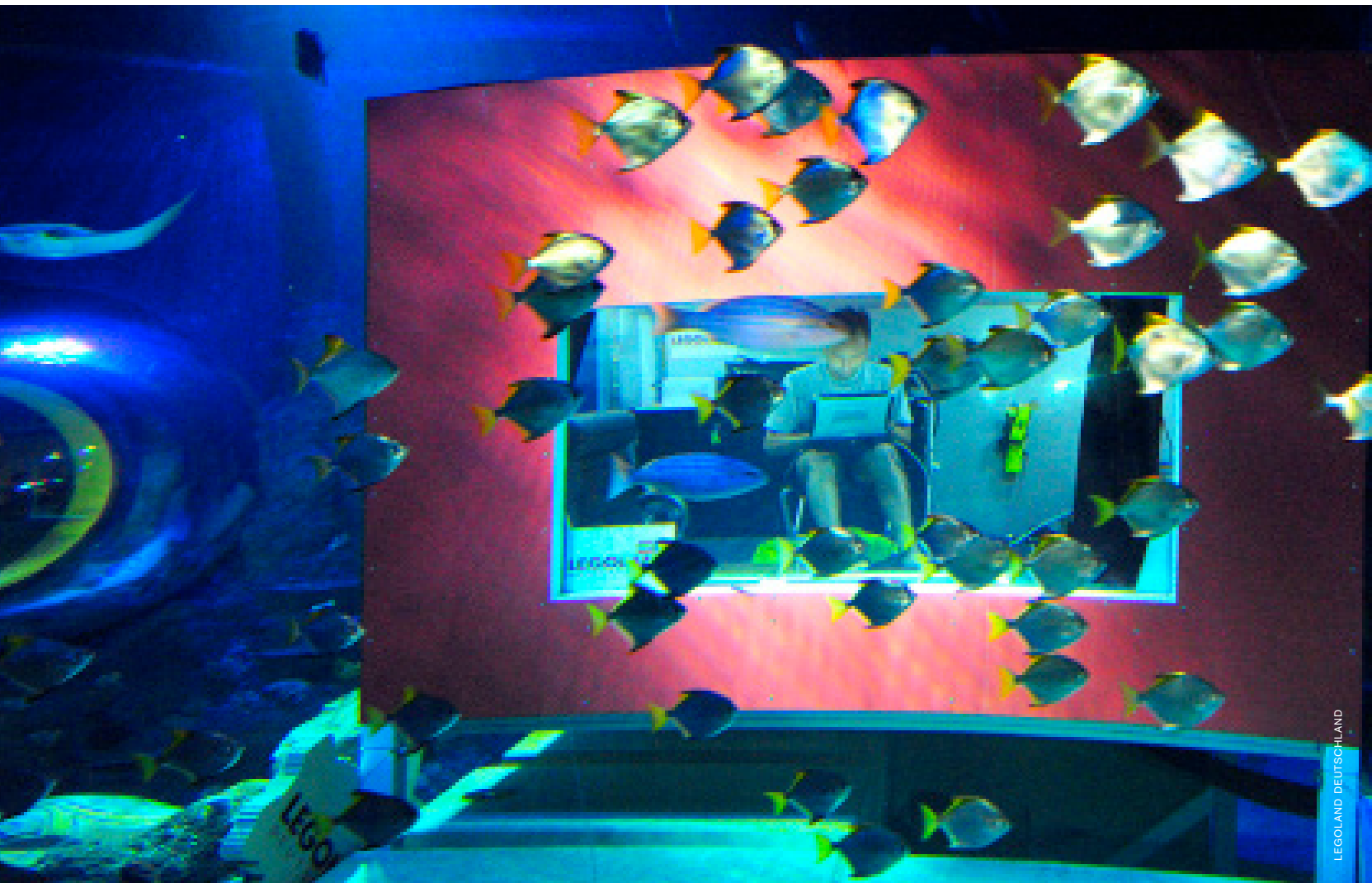
How do people work under water? The question sparked the interest of a NASA researcher and medical doctors. Australian marine biologist **LLOYD GODSON** tried it out for two weeks – watched by a large audience.

Locked up for two weeks underwater: That may sound like the plot of a Hollywood movie, but it was actually an attempt in Bavaria to set a new world record. In late March, the Australian marine biologist and diver Lloyd God-

son entered an underwater container at the Legoland Deutschland amusement park in Günzburg. In 336 hours, he planned to pedal his way to 2,500 watt-hours of power on a bicycle generator – inside a container submerged in an aquar-

ium that provided no more than 2.5 x 1.6 meters of floor space.

Crazy? Maybe, at least a little bit. Godson would rather describe himself as enthusiastic. Why did he do it? To raise awareness of an alternative style of liv-



A man among fish: Lloyd Godson worked in an underwater container with a floor space of about four square meters.