

International Film Festival Rotterdam

25 January – 4 February 2024

SHORT AND MID-LENGTH FILM CONTACT LIST

In order of country

Argentina

Seven Fragments of Her Life

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: RTM <u>Director(s)</u>: Bárbara Varassi Pega, Mauricio Martínez, Omar Martínez Gianoli <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Argentina, Netherlands <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 9 <u>Contact</u>: Bárbara Varassi Pega <u>Email</u>: bvarassi@yahoo.com <u>Logline</u>: A woman drawing the city of Rotterdam uncovers new colours through connection with her surroundings.

Materia vibrante

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Pablo Marín <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Argentina, Spain <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 7 <u>Contact</u>: Pablo Marín <u>Email</u>: pblmrn@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: The intersection of architecture and landscape; the intersection of structures and sculptures; the intersections themselves. <u>Trailer: https://youtu.be/L34dKcNI57A</u>

Austria

Pistoleras

International premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Natalia del Mar Kašik <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Austria <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2023 <u>Length</u>: 2 <u>Contact</u>: Gerald Weber <u>Email</u>: gerald@sixpackfilm.com <u>Logline</u>: **This feminist play on the word pistoleras is a courageous confrontation with self-image.**

The Electric Kiss

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Rainer Kohlberger <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Austria, Germany <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 18 <u>Contact</u>: Gerald Weber <u>Email</u>: gerald@sixpackfilm.com <u>Logline</u>: An experience that overwhelms the senses, exploring the constructions of reality from a dystopian perspective.

Belgium

Beautiful Men

International premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Nicolas Keppens <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Belgium, France, Netherlands <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2023 <u>Length</u>: 19 <u>Company</u>: Miyu Productions, Animal Tank, Ka-ching Cartoons <u>Contact</u>: Luce Grosjean Email: festival@miyu.fr Logline: A trio of balding bothers visit Istanbul for a hair transplant in this comedic stop-motion. Trailer: https://youtu.be/BkYjLMZgUpk

Silent Panorama

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Nicolas Piret <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Belgium <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 5 <u>Contact</u>: Sophie Sherman <u>Email</u>: diffusion@zorobabel.be <u>Logline</u>: **Meticulous animation about a search through the Ardennes, drawn on a single piece of paper.** <u>Trailer: https://youtu.be/ktd6a6mQpSQ</u>

Zanatany, L'empreinte des linceuls esseulés

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Hachimiya Ahamada <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Belgium <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 27 <u>Company</u>: The Blue Raincoat <u>Contact</u>: Manon Coubia <u>Email</u>: production@theblueraincoat.com <u>Logline</u>: Ali faces a difficult decision at the sudden onset of an uprising in 1976 Madagascar.

Brazil

The Silence of Iron

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Mariana de Melo <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Brazil <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 15 <u>Company</u>: Piranha Filmes <u>Contact</u>: Daniela Cambraia <u>Email</u>: dadacambraia@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: An exploration into the impact of the mining industry on the identity of Minas Gerais.

Trailer: https://youtu.be/WeNcugw6N8o

Potenciais à deriva

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Tiger Short Competition <u>Director(s)</u>: Leonardo Pirondi <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Brazil, United States <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 11 <u>Contact</u>: Leonardo Pirondi <u>Email</u>: lp.pirondi@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: The reassembled fragments of a film that never was, reflecting on exile from Brazil from distant lands.

Trailer: https://youtu.be/szP7ega6J4k

Um tropeço em cinco

movimentos

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Valentina Rosset <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Brazil, United States <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 15 <u>Contact</u>: Valentina Rosset Email: valentina.rosset@gmail.com Logline: A visual poem inspired by TŌru Takemitsu's composition 'Corona for Pianist(s)'. Trailer: https://voutu.be/JEcJ7iijidE

If I'm Here It Is by Mystery

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Clari Ribeiro <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Brazil <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 22 <u>Contact</u>: Clari Ribeiro <u>Email</u>: ribeirosclarissa@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: A flamboyant clan of supernatural beings assemble in the Rio de Janeiro of the future.

Cambodia

Golden Dragon

European premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Boren Chhith <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Cambodia <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2023 <u>Length</u>: 17 <u>Company</u>: Anti Archive <u>Contact</u>: Daniel Mattes <u>Email</u>: daniel.mattes@antiarchive.com <u>Logline</u>: Waking up in a coastal town hospital, Vicheka has to navigate his dreams and memories.

Canada

I. / II. / III.

European premiere Programme section: Short & Mid-length Director(s): Alexandre Larose Prod. Countries: Canada, France, Iceland Prod. Year: 2023 Length: 40 Contact: Alexandre Larose Email: alexandre.larose.1@gmail.com Logline: A triptych portrait of the filmmaker's father done in his ineffable style.

Teen Girl Fantasy

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Tiger Short Competition <u>Director(s)</u>: Marisa Hoicka <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Canada <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 10 <u>Contact</u>: Marisa Hoicka <u>Email</u>: marisa.hoicka@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: A marching band of hormones, desire and the oppressive formative influence of the male gaze. <u>Trailer</u>: https://youtu.be/7kah1sohalc

Am I Human?

International premiere Programme section: Short & Mid-length Director(s): Gladys Lou Prod. Countries: Canada Prod. Year: 2022 Length: 2 Contact: Wanda vanderStoop Email: wandav@vtape.org Logline: Lou hurls images of herself against torrents of loading files, digital code and media imagery.

A Man Imagined

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Melanie Shatzky & Brian M. Cassidy <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Canada <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 62 <u>Contact</u>: Élise Labbé, Danielle Viau <u>Email</u>: festivals@nfb.ca, d.viau@nfb.ca <u>Logline</u>: A tender and enduring glimpse into Lloyd's life on the margins of society. <u>Trailer</u>: <u>https://youtu.be/dVBx2c_ZBgl</u>

Chile

lessons on flight

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Cecilia Araneda <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Chile <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 5 <u>Contact</u>: Cecilia Araneda <u>Email</u>: cecilia@ceciliaaraneda.ca <u>Logline</u>: A poetic study of a hummingbird in flight captured and eco-processed on 16mm. Trailer: https://woutu.bo/014c8d50450

Trailer: https://youtu.be/0UycRdSNtCc

China

Break no.1 & Break no.2.

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Tiger Short Competition <u>Director(s)</u>: Lei Lei <u>Prod. Countries</u>: China <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 18 <u>Contact</u>: Lei Lei <u>Email</u>: milk527@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: A dreamy journey through a nostalgic collage contemplates the intangibility of images and memories.

East Coker

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Wang Hanxuan <u>Prod. Countries</u>: China <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 20 <u>Contact</u>: Wang Hanxuan <u>Email</u>: hw2905@columbia.edu <u>Logline</u>: **An elderly woman holds an unshakeable faith in the return of her deceased father.**

Colombia

El tercer mundo después del sol

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Analú Laferal, Tiagx Vélez <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Colombia <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 20 <u>Company</u>: Crisálida Cine <u>Contact</u>: Tiagx Vélez <u>Email</u>: tiagxvelez@gmail.com Logline: A time-travelling fetish film that brings queer kink to the Colombian jungle.

Croatia

I Would Rather Be a Stone

World premiere Programme section: Tiger Short Competition Director(s): Ana Hušman Prod. Countries: Croatia Prod. Year: 2024 Length: 24 Company: Studio Pangolin Contact: Ana Hušman Email: ana.husman@gmail.com Logline: A caring cinematic homage to the filmmaker's ancestresses, and the neglected region of their origin. Trailer: https://youtu.be/99rVZVMVjQM

Pain

World premiere Programme section: Short & Mid-length Director(s): Ivan Faktor Prod. Countries: Croatia Prod. Year: 2024 Length: 22 Contact: Jelena Duh Email: svegoreigore@protonmail.com Logline: Veteran experimental filmmaker manages his Parkinson's diagnosis by filming his physical decline. Trailer: https://youtu.be/ORDWORoZ2wk

Cuba

History Is Written at Night

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Tiger Short Competition <u>Director(s)</u>: Alejandro Alonso Estrella <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Cuba, France <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 20 <u>Company</u>: Estudio ST, La concretera producciones, Vega Alta Films <u>Contact</u>: Boris Prieto <u>Email</u>: bprieto@vegaaltafilms.com <u>Logline</u>: **Blackouts across Cuba set the stage for this eerie plunge into darkness.** <u>Trailer</u>: <u>https://youtu.be/nxTyI-3LVQ4</u>

Azul Pandora

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Alan González <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Cuba <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 12 <u>Contact</u>: Yamila Marrero Montero <u>Email</u>: yamila.m.montero@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: **Disillusioned by previous experiences, Pandora is reluctant to be courted by her admirer Roy.**

Curaçao

The Gap

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: RTM <u>Director(s)</u>: Helen Anna Flanagan <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Curaçao, Netherlands <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 14 <u>Contact</u>: Helen Anna Flanagan Email: helen_flanagan@live.co.uk Logline: Two queer people in Curaçao find a message in a bottle. How should they reply?

Czech Republic

3 MWh

World premiere Programme section: Tiger Short Competition Director(s): Marie-Magdalena Kochová Prod. Countries: Czech Republic Prod. Year: 2024 Length: 12 Company: Helium Film Contact: Agáta Kolářová, Marie-Magdalena Kochová Email: agata.kolarova@gmail.com, mmkochova@gmail.com Logline: An environmental parable on energy consumption in the form of a grim but beautiful film-poem. Trailer: https://youtu.be/xal4r84zL54

Ecuador

Los dos lados de la tortuga

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Tiger Short Competition <u>Director(s)</u>: Oscar Illingworth <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Ecuador <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 12 <u>Contact</u>: Oscar Illingworth <u>Email</u>: illingworthoscar@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: A sombre ode to the ancient and majestic tortoises of the Galapagos Islands. <u>Trailer</u>: <u>https://youtu.be/gi70v1t1anc</u>

Finland

Dossier of Tentacular

Dutch Premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Tuomas A. Laitinen <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Finland, United States <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2018 <u>Length</u>: 11 <u>Contact</u>: Tytti Rantanen <u>Email</u>: programme@av-arkki.fi <u>Logline</u>: A dense, shape-shifting scrapbook of ideas exploring the mechanisms of knowledge production.

Flower Show

World premiere Programme section: Tiger Short Competition Director(s): Elli Vuorinen Prod. Countries: Finland Prod. Year: 2024 Length: 9 Contact: Laure Goasguen Email: festival@miyu.fr Logline: Beautiful and slightly disturbing hand-drawn animation, in which multiple generations of women face different expectations.

<u>Trailer</u>: <u>https://youtu.be/rhwrbGt8HC0</u>

France

Molecular Delusions

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Quentin L'helgoualc'h <u>Prod. Countries</u>: France <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 27 <u>Company</u>: Le Fresnoy - Studio national des arts contemporains <u>Contact</u>: Natalia Trebik <u>Email</u>: ntrebik@lefresnoy.net <u>Logline</u>: *Molecular Delusions* is a tale of **illusion and an exploration of new, possible worlds.**

To Exist Under Permanent Suspicion

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Tiger Short Competition <u>Director(s)</u>: Valentin Noujaïm <u>Prod. Countries</u>: France <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 14 <u>Contact</u>: Christina Demetriou <u>Email</u>: oyster.films.info@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: A glimpse into the microaggressions that linger in the unemotional architecture of La Défense, Paris.

6000 mensonges

World premiere Programme section: Tiger Short Competition Director(s): Simon Rieth Prod. Countries: France Prod. Year: 2024 Length: 5 Company: Films du Poisson Contact: Ines Daien Dasi Email: ines@filmsdupoisson.com Logline: 6000 mensonges is an haunting testimony of a devastating experience told in a contemporary way. Trailer: https://youtu.be/EoUEP80OsD8

Flatastic

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Tiger Short Competition <u>Director(s)</u>: Alice Saey <u>Prod. Countries</u>: France, Netherlands <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 17 <u>Company</u>: Miyu Distribution, Keplerfilm , Spotted Bird <u>Contact</u>: Luce Grosjean <u>Email</u>: festival@miyu.fr <u>Logline</u>: Vibrant, colourful, hand-drawn animation in which a group of manta rays rise up against humankind.

French Guiana

Bonnarien

International premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Adiel Goliot <u>Prod. Countries</u>: French Guiana <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2023 <u>Length</u>: 21 <u>Company</u>: Post-genres productions <u>Contact</u>: Justine Mathieu <u>Email</u>: justine@post-genres.fr <u>Logline</u>: Mauricette Bonnarien tries to free herself from the colonial name imposed onto her ancestors.

Germany

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World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Deborah S. Phillips <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Germany <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 9 <u>Contact</u>: Deborah S. Phillips <u>Email</u>: Deborah S. Phillips <u>Logline</u>: **Deborah S. Philips' touching analogue collage is a tribute to her deceased mother.**

Being Strong Is Hard

International premiere Programme section: Short & Mid-length Director(s): Leyla Yenirce Prod. Countries: Germany Prod. Year: 2022 Length: 4 Contact: Darija Šimunović Email: ds@stiftung-imai.de Logline: A barrage of images of Kurdish women activists, journalists and fighters, scored to electronic music.

Know Your Stones

European premiere Programme section: RTM Director(s): Katarina Jazbec Prod. Countries: Germany, Netherlands Prod. Year: 2023 Length: 21 Company: Urbane Künste Ruhr, TENT FILM Contact: Flavio Armone, Katarina Jazbec Email: flavio.armone@lightsonfilm.org, jazbec.katarina@gmail.com Logline: The stones beneath our feet will bear testimony to our future in silence.

Hong Kong

A Brave New World

International premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Arnold Tam <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Hong Kong <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2023 <u>Length</u>: 9 <u>Contact</u>: Arnold Tam <u>Email</u>: arnoldtam36@hotmail.com <u>Logline</u>: **Thought-provoking cinematic vignettes constitute a present-day picture of the socio-political landscape in Hong Kong.** Trailer: https://voutu.be/zfgwowdw9C0

India

Leela

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Tanmay Chowdhary <u>Prod. Countries</u>: India <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 14 <u>Contact</u>: Tanmay Chowdhary <u>Email</u>: tanmay0601@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: **Two young women in a desolate village discuss the recent, mysterious vanishing of Leela.**

Ade (on a Sunday)

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Theja Rio <u>Prod. Countries</u>: India <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 17 <u>Company</u>: Winter Hymns Films <u>Contact</u>: Theja Rio Email: thejario@gmail.com Logline: Two young boys follow their curiosity as they skip Sunday school. Trailer: https://youtu.be/YuCRpgeIW5c Sold territories:

Indonesia

Storyboard Suli

International premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Anggun Priambodo <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Indonesia <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2023 <u>Length</u>: 16 <u>Company</u>: Gandrvng Films, Culap Culap Studio <u>Contact</u>: Suryo Wiyogo <u>Email</u>: suryowiyogo69@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: In this remarkable and slightly daft film, we watch a storyboard enriched with casual commentary.

Ireland

Man of Aral

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Helena Gouveia Monteiro <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Ireland, France, Portugal <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 7 <u>Contact</u>: Helena Gouveia Monteiro <u>Email</u>: helenagouveiamonteiro@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: Analogue film intervenes on digital time-lapse footage of the desiccation of the Sea of Aral.

Italy

Lose Voice Tool Kit

World premiere Programme section: Short & Mid-length Director(s): Adele Dipasquale Prod. Countries: Italy, Netherlands Prod. Year: 2024 Length: 19 Contact: Adele Dipasquale Email: adele.dipa@gmail.com Logline: In Lose Voice Tool Kit wordless children invent new forms of communication and play.

La Luce Romana vista da Ferraniacolor

Dutch Premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Cinema Regained <u>Director(s)</u>: Clemens Klopfenstein <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Italy <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2021 <u>Length</u>: 16 <u>Contact</u>: Clemens Klopfenstein <u>Email</u>: clemens@klopfenstein.net <u>Logline</u>: **Old film reels from 1970s Rome become a wistful reimagining.**

Daphne was a torso ending in leaves

World premiere (festival) <u>Programme section</u>: Tiger Short Competition <u>Director(s)</u>: Catriona Gallagher <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Italy, Greece <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2023 <u>Length</u>: 13 <u>Contact</u>: Catriona Gallagher <u>Email</u>: info@catrionargallagher.com <u>Logline</u>: **An unapologetic, witty and** feminist take on a famous myth, shot on gorgeous 16mm. <u>Trailer</u>: <u>https://youtu.be/dgsleG6aJk8</u>

The Watchman

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Tiger Short Competition <u>Director(s)</u>: Ali Cherri <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Italy, France <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 26 <u>Company</u>: Fondazione In Between Art Film, KinoElektron, The Vega Foundation, Galerie Imane Fares <u>Contact</u>: Lory Facchi <u>Email</u>: lory@kinoelektron.com <u>Logline</u>: *The Watchman* deconstructs the myth of duty, laying bare the absurdity of the war rhetoric.

Japan

Void

World premiere Programme section: Tiger Short Competition Director(s): Iwasaki Yusuke Prod. Countries: Japan Prod. Year: 2024 Length: 24 Company: NOTHING NEW inc. Contact: Yuuri Shimojo Email: y_shimojo@nothingnew.Itd Logline: In this unconventional horror, things around Asagi become increasingly absurd after her friend dies.

Light, Noise, Smoke, and Light, Noise, Smoke

European premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Nishikawa Tomonari <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Japan <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2023 <u>Length</u>: 6 <u>Contact</u>: Nishikawa Tomonari <u>Email</u>: tomonarinishikawa@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: Intriguing portrait of summer fireworks, in which delayed and separated sounds create a unique rhythm.

Kenya

Stero

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Tevin Kimathi, Millan Tarus <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Kenya <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 13 <u>Company</u>: LBx Africa <u>Contact</u>: Juliana Kabua <u>Email</u>: juliana@lbxafrica.com <u>Logline</u>: A defiant loner embodies the spirit of Bruce Lee to overcome his adversaries. <u>Trailer</u>: <u>https://youtu.be/4Ons341mWq8</u>

Kiowa Tribe of Oklahoma

Dau:añcut (Moving Along Image)

International premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Adam Piron <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Kiowa Tribe of Oklahoma <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2023 <u>Length</u>: 15 <u>Contact</u>: Adam Piron <u>Email</u>: adam.piron@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: **The filmmaker considers the war in Ukraine and the ongoing US occupation of his ancestral lands.**

Kosovo

Like a Sick Yellow

World premiere Programme section: Tiger Short Competition Director(s): Norika Sefa Prod. Countries: Kosovo Prod. Year: 2024 Length: 23 Contact: Mentor Shala Email: alash69@gmail.com Logline: A mesmerising account of the lives of women in Kosovo made from archival VHS footage.

Trailer: https://youtu.be/y1w1jJICBC0

Workers' Wings

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Tiger Short Competition <u>Director(s)</u>: Ilir Hasanaj <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Kosovo <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 Length: 19 Company: Unseen Contact: Ilir Hasanaj Email: ihasanaj@gmail.com Logline: A poetic experimental documentary about manual labourers who experienced accidents in their workplaces in Kosovo. Trailer: https://youtu.be/wWnybWFJJes

Lebanon

Msaytbeh, the elevated place.

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Rawane Nassif <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Lebanon <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 20 <u>Contact</u>: Rawane Nassif <u>Email</u>: rawane.nassif@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: A deeply affecting rumination on grief, memory and what no longer feels like home.

Mexico

Tierra en trance

Dutch Premiere Programme section: Focus: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos Director(s): Colectivo Los Ingrávidos Prod. Countries: Mexico, United States Prod. Year: 2022 Length: 38 Contact: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos Email: colectivolosingravidos@gmail.com Logline: A ceremony. A ritual. A dance. A pulsating energy. A 35mm screening.

Tear Gas

International premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Focus: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos <u>Director(s)</u>: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Mexico <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2019 <u>Length</u>: 1 <u>Contact</u>: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos <u>Email</u>: colectivolosingravidos@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: X-rays of chest cavities pulsate with laboured breaths to conjure the body in duress.

After América

International premiere Programme section: Focus: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos Director(s): Colectivo Los Ingrávidos Prod. Countries: Mexico Prod. Year: 2021 Length: 7 Contact: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos Email: colectivolosingravidos@gmail.com Logline: A voice guides you through a tour of an exhibition about the Americas while your eyes bring you to mars.

El neceser rojo

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Serge Garcia <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Mexico <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 15 <u>Company</u>: Trouble Pictures <u>Contact</u>: Serge Garcia <u>Email</u>: sergetown.tv@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: **The filmmaker's mother tells the story of her own relationship with her**

fiercely independent mother. Trailer: https://youtu.be/1GJPJDt7X9M

Sensemayá

International premiere Programme section: Focus: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos Director(s): Colectivo Los Ingrávidos Prod. Countries: Mexico, Norway Prod. Year: 2021 Length: 7 Contact: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos Email: colectivolosingravidos@gmail.com Logline: New spirits are evoked when old home movies are flipped onto themselves.

Notes for a Déjà Vu

International premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Focus: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos <u>Director(s)</u>: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Mexico <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2021 <u>Length</u>: 22 <u>Contact</u>: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos <u>Email</u>: colectivolosingravidos@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: Jonas Mekas waxes wistfully over images from a trip to Mexico that never happened.

Batalla

International premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Focus: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos <u>Director(s)</u>: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Mexico <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2019 <u>Length</u>: 4 <u>Contact</u>: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos <u>Email</u>: colectivolosingravidos@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: **A body thrashing through flowers** becomes a metaphor for the students massacred in Iguala, Mexico.

Colmillos

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Focus: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos <u>Director(s)</u>: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Mexico <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2023 <u>Length</u>: 11 <u>Contact</u>: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos <u>Email</u>: colectivolosingravidos@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: When the animal passes, the fangs are what remain. Through them spirits can be conjured.

Ritual

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Focus: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos <u>Director(s)</u>: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Mexico <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 15 <u>Contact</u>: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos <u>Email</u>: colectivolosingravidos@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: An invitation to see the unseeable: the sun, many suns, burning gloriously into our retinas.

Seeds

World premiere Programme section: Focus: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos Director(s): Colectivo Los Ingrávidos Prod. Countries: Mexico Prod. Year: 2023 Length: 10 Contact: Colectivo Los Ingrávidos Email: colectivolosingravidos@gmail.com Logline: The world-famous Mexican corn kernel, up close and personal, in all its glory.

Nepal

The Witness Tree

European premiere Programme section: Short & Mid-length Director(s): Niranjan Raj Bhetwal Prod. Countries: Nepal Prod. Year: 2023 Length: 14 Company: Simal Cinema Pvt. Ltd., Line Cross Movies, Naissance Phalanx, Arga Film Contact: Niranjan Raj Bhetwal Email: niranjanrajbhetwal@gmail.com Logline: On the threshold of adulthood, Shreedhar stumbles on a family secret hidden in his surroundings. Trailer: https://youtu.be/hkZsLRE5tUA

Netherlands

Dig It

World premiere Programme section: Short & Mid-length Director(s): Gabriel Lester Prod. Countries: Netherlands Prod. Year: 2024 Length: 24 Company: LestarFilm Contact: Theus Zwakhals Email: theuszwakhals@li-ma.nl Logline: A fictional ode to the friendship between The Jazz Baroness Nica and Thelonious Monk. Trailer: https://youtu.be/qf1_k/u-vt4

Lost on Arrival

Dutch Premiere Programme section: Short & Mid-length Director(s): PolakVanBekkum Prod. Countries: Netherlands Prod. Year: 2020 Length: 8 Contact: Edith van der Heijde Email: edithvanderheijde@eyefilm.nl Logline: A heartrending portrait of a consciousness losing its connections to the past and the world.

102 Narra

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Rafael Manuel, Tatjana Fanny <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Netherlands <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 22 <u>Company</u>: Idle Eye <u>Contact</u>: Rafael Manuel, Tatjana Fanny <u>Email</u>: ram.mendoza90@gmail.com, honeggertatjana@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: Daily life from a filmmaker's family home in Manila tenderly oscillates between personal and political. <u>Trailer</u>: https://youtu.be/F6tU3uPjznw

Martyrs of the Anthropocene

World premiere (festival) <u>Programme section</u>: RTM <u>Director(s)</u>: Timaeus <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Netherlands <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2023 <u>Length</u>: 9 <u>Contact</u>: Timaeus <u>Email</u>: info@timaeus.nl <u>Logline</u>: **This short, experimental animation questions the relationships between nature and people in the Anthropocene.**

Morgen doen we het beter

World premiere Programme section: RTM Director(s): Jottum Kok Prod. Countries: Netherlands Prod. Year: 2024 Length: 20 Company: 17film Contact: Emilia Lantink Email: emilia@17film.nl Logline: A daughter moves back with her mother in the sour aftermath of a relationship.

Grandmamauntsistercat

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Zuza Banasińska <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Netherlands, Poland <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 23 <u>Company</u>: Educational Film Studio in Łódź <u>Contact</u>: Jade Wiseman, Zuza Banasińska <u>Email</u>: jade@videopower.eu, jade@videopower.eu <u>Logline</u>: An emotive portrait of a multispecies matriarchal family composed using found footage from communist Poland. <u>Trailer</u>: <u>https://youtu.be/kwK_L4jl6NY</u>

Sold territories:

Venus

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Harbour <u>Director(s)</u>: Gonzalo Fernandez Carmona <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Netherlands <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 43 <u>Company</u>: Family Affair Films <u>Contact</u>: Chris Stenger Email: info@familyaffairfilms.nl Logline: After losing her boyfriend in a mass extinction event affecting men, Joyce seeks solace at Nostalgyl, a company helping women reconnect with past experiences. But when her emotional dependence turns into addiction, Joyce is swept into the dark recesses of a post-masculine world.

Where Do Ideas Come From?

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: RTM <u>Director(s)</u>: Joysi Olijhoek <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Netherlands <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 5 <u>Contact</u>: Joysi Olijhoek <u>Email</u>: joysiolyhoek@hotmail.com <u>Logline</u>: In split screen, the origin of ideas is investigated and a new one is born. <u>Trailer</u>: https://youtu.be/eWPImH8uKt8

The Clearing

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: RTM <u>Director(s)</u>: Marco Douma, Roel Meelkop <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Netherlands <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 8 <u>Contact</u>: Marco Douma <u>Email</u>: info@marcodouma.com <u>Logline</u>: **Time and space dissolve in this enigmatic short film with a haunting ambient score.**

Dear Shadow, My Old Friend

World premiere (Festival) Programme section: Short & Mid-length Director(s): Timoteus Anggawan Kusno Prod. Countries: Netherlands, Indonesia Prod. Year: 2023 Length: 13 Contact: Timoteus Anggawan Kusno Email: timoteus.a.k@gmail.com Logline: Penetrating black and white archival imagery paints a haunting picture of Dutch colonialism in Indonesia. Trailer: https://youtu.be/sm7CywkY1BY

NL-Alert

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Harbour <u>Director(s)</u>: Loïs Dols de Jong <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Netherlands <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 37 <u>Contact</u>: Suzan de Swaan <u>Email</u>: suzan@smarthouse.amsterdam <u>Logline</u>: **Struggling to get home to her stranded baby, a young mother in Amsterdam receives an emergency alert on her phone: a nuclear missile has been launched at the city and residents have forty-five minutes to evacuate.**

Ninfa fluida

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: RTM <u>Director(s)</u>: Ugo Petronin <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Netherlands <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 17 <u>Company</u>: UBELKA <u>Contact</u>: Ugo Petronin <u>Email</u>: ugopetronin@hotmail.com <u>Logline</u>: **The regeneration process of the** flatworm, set to the eighteenth-century myth of the Rotte river.

The Battle of the Empty Stomachs

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: RTM <u>Director(s)</u>: Diana Al-Halabi <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Netherlands <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 25 <u>Contact</u>: Diana Al-Halabi <u>Email</u>: dianahalabi.fk@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: Wearing their food and culture, a group of actors from the diaspora walk towards refuge.

space_invaders.exe

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Malaz Usta <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Netherlands, Turkey, Syria <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 11 <u>Contact</u>: Malaz Usta <u>Email</u>: malazusta@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: **This associative collage depicts the lived experience of displacement with a whiff of irony.** <u>Trailer</u>: <u>https://youtu.be/HPBC8a9zWVs</u>

Trees of Rotterdam

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: RTM <u>Director(s)</u>: Alice Ladenburg, Ollie Palmer <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Netherlands <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 12 <u>Contact</u>: Ollie Palmer, Alice Ladenburg <u>Email</u>: iffr@olliepalmer.com, aliceladenburg@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: *Trees of Rotterdam* is a portrait of the greenest inhabitants of the city of Rotterdam.

Trauma Porn Club

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Harbour <u>Director(s)</u>: Michael Middelkoop <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Netherlands <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 46 <u>Company</u>: Topkapi Films <u>Contact</u>: Max de Wolf <u>Email</u>: max@topkapifilms.nl <u>Logline</u>: Looking for more life experience, an aspiring artist stumbles into a world of dark fetishes.

Five Apples Don't Make a Pair

World premiere Programme section: RTM Director(s): Tim Wes Prod. Countries: Netherlands Prod. Year: 2024 Length: 19 Company: Together & Dedicated Contact: André Marques Email: andre@togetherdedicated.com Logline: A Japanese tea ceremony becomes an intense sensorial inward journey.

Pleasant Hell

International premiere <u>Programme section</u>: RTM <u>Director(s)</u>: Suzanne Koopstra <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Netherlands <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2023 <u>Length</u>: 17 <u>Contact</u>: Lisa Hagenbeek <u>Email</u>: lisa.hagenbeek@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: **Creative documentary about a young artist and his friends. They wander** through a pleasant hell, but connect through music.

Goldfish for Breakfast

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Specials <u>Director(s)</u>: Uriel Matahelumual <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Netherlands <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 20 <u>Company</u>: Fisuals <u>Contact</u>: Uriel Matahelumual <u>Email</u>: uriel@fisuals.com <u>Phone</u>: <u>Logline</u>: Currently not available

Preoperational Model

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Philip Ullman <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Netherlands <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 13 <u>Company</u>: Video Power <u>Contact</u>: Jade Wiseman <u>Email</u>: jade@videopower.eu <u>Logline</u>: An endearing animated portrait of two bizarre and battered beings.

Line of Sight

World premiere Programme section: Short & Mid-length Director(s): Ali Eslami Prod. Countries: Netherlands Prod. Year: 2024 Length: 23 Company: Alllesss Contact: Ali Eslami Email: alless0@outlook.com Logline: A displaced protagonist explores his fragmented sense of self in the digital Trailer: https://youtu.be/VCpli-X433M

Tisztás

realm.

World premiere Programme section: RTM Director(s): Zalán Szakács Prod. Countries: Netherlands, Romania Prod. Year: 2024 Length: 39 Contact: Zalán Szakács Email: zalan@zalansworld.com Logline: An exploration of the Transylvanian region, its residents, stories and how culture and nature interlace. Trailer: https://youtu.be/rcLWFc1hf3A

Wander to Wonder

Dutch Premiere <u>Programme section</u>: RTM <u>Director(s)</u>: Nina Gantz <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Netherlands, Belgium, France, United Kingdom <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2023 <u>Length</u>: 14 <u>Company</u>: Kaap Holland Film, Circe Films, Beast Animation, Les Productions de Milou, Blink Industries Pictanovo <u>Contact</u>: Wiepko Oosterhuis <u>Email</u>: wiepko@bantamfilm.nl <u>Logline</u>: A sinister stop-motion in which three TV stars fend for themselves after their creator's death.

You can't get what you want but

you can get me

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Samira Elagoz, Z Walsh <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Netherlands, Finland <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 13 <u>Contact</u>: Tytti Rantanen <u>Email</u>: programme@av-arkki.fi <u>Logline</u>: Photos and screenshots tell the story of how two transmasculine artists fall madly in love.

Blue Rock

World premiere Programme section: RTM Director(s): Lasse Jonas Rogie Prod. Countries: Netherlands Prod. Year: 2024 Length: 29 Company: Nahshon Film Contact: Boaz Schoevaars Email: boaz@nahshonfilm.nl Logline: Gevano and Pelle were best friends until losing touch. Years later, they reunite in prison.

Palestine

UNDR

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Kamal Aljafari <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Palestine, Germany <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 15 <u>Company</u>: Kamal Aljafari Productions <u>Contact</u>: Flavia Mazzarino <u>Email</u>: kamalaljafari.productions@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: **Employing archival footage**, <u>UNDR constructs an eerie narrative of</u> calculated incursion.

Portugal

O filme feliz :)

International premiere Programme section: Short & Mid-length Director(s): Duarte Coimbra Prod. Countries: Portugal Prod. Year: 2023 Length: 22 Company: Uma Pedra no Sapato Contact: Luís Lemos Email: pf@portugalfilm.org Logline: Funny, moving and cinematic, Duarte Coimbra captures the healing power of art with graceful fantasy. Trailer: https://youtu.be/_dZwewsmcSU

Water Hazard

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Alexander David <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Portugal, France <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 23 <u>Company</u>: Primeira Idade, Offshore <u>Contact</u>: Pedro Fernandes Duarte <u>Email</u>: pedro@primeira-idade.pt <u>Logline</u>: **Evocative and mellow**, *Water Hazard* explores queer identity with a delicate and empathetic eye.

On Plains of Larger River & Woodlands

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Miguel de Jesus <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Portugal, Australia <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 13 <u>Contact</u>: Miguel de Jesus <u>Email</u>: miguelpmartins@hotmail.com Logline: In suburban Tasmania, Imogen and Audrey reflect on isolation and explore new forms of intoxication.

Romania

Sleepy Heads

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Tudor Cristian Jurgiu <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Romania <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 16 <u>Company</u>: deFilm Production <u>Contact</u>: Radu Stancu <u>Email</u>: radu@defilm.ro <u>Logline</u>: Sorin stands by as Titi pushes his mother's love and patience to its extremes.

Russia

Magic & Propaganda

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Lilia Filina <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Russia <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 6 <u>Contact</u>: Lilia Filina <u>Email</u>: lilia.filina@mail.ru <u>Logline</u>: Mockumentary exploring the subject of magical rituals in the post-Soviet cultural space.

Singapore

The Inescapable Desire of Roots

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Mark Chua, Lam Li Shuen <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Singapore <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 6 <u>Company</u>: Emoumie <u>Contact</u>: Lam Li Shuen <u>Email</u>: emoumie@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: When hair begins to sprout all over a man's body, his only choice is resistance. <u>Trailer</u>: <u>https://youtu.be/WikUqHwNcRQ</u>

South Africa

Questioning the Existence of Alec

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Roger Horn <u>Prod. Countries</u>: South Africa, United States <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 5 <u>Contact</u>: Roger Horn <u>Email</u>: Rogerhorn77@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: Found 8mm footage muses chimerically on a friendship on the beaches of 1940s South Africa. Trailer: https://youtu.be/C1xp7_RozL0

South Korea

Peeper

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Han Changlok <u>Prod. Countries</u>: South Korea <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 17 <u>Contact</u>: Dabin Baek <u>Email</u>: film_dabin@daum.net <u>Logline</u>: The strange nature of storytelling is uncannily explored in this highly original South Korean short.

Spain

Ojitos mentirosos

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Elena Duque <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Spain <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 6 <u>Contact</u>: Elena Duque <u>Email</u>: elenaduque@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: Elena Duque eulogises the magic of film with architecture and the unique texture of 8mm. <u>Trailer</u>: <u>https://youtu.be/VZrBiOJPcXo</u>

Caballito

International premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Claudia Claremi <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Spain <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2023 <u>Length</u>: 4 <u>Contact</u>: Elena Lasala <u>Email</u>: elena@hamacaonline.net <u>Logline</u>: **Tender remembrance of the** filmmaker's dog, *Caballito*, on the last day of his life.

Alguén me chamou Serpe Negra

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Borja Santomé Rodríguez <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Spain <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 10 <u>Contact</u>: Alicia Albares <u>Email</u>: alicia@yaqdistribucion.com <u>Logline</u>: A film that captivatingly explores childhood curiosities and adult desires through analogue animation.

Sweden

Isblink

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Olga Krüssenberg <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Sweden <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 12 <u>Company</u>: Sisyfos Film Production <u>Contact</u>: Andreas Bertman <u>Email</u>: andreas.bertman@filmform.com <u>Logline</u>: A meticulous study of how climate change is reshaping the Norwegian island of Svalbard.

Trailer: https://youtu.be/do2-dM-UGUM

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Dutch Premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Lina Selander, Oscar Mangione <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Sweden <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2018 <u>Length</u>: 9 <u>Contact</u>: Anna-Karin Larsson Email: anna-karin.larsson@filmform.com Logline: Destroyed books and reconstituted state documents produce new knowledge in this densely associative political essay.

Switzerland

Schlafsand

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Elias Bötticher <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Switzerland <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 14 <u>Company</u>: Zürcher Hochschule der Künste <u>Contact</u>: Elias Bötticher <u>Email</u>: hello@eliasboetticher.ch <u>Logline</u>: Schlafsand uses pictorial beauty to address the political and social blindness surrounding climate change. <u>Trailer</u>: <u>https://youtu.be/JLHilCGuiaO</u>

Taiwan

When the Wind Rises

International premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Chen Hung <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Taiwan <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2023 <u>Length</u>: 18 <u>Contact</u>: Chen Hung <u>Email</u>: jimhung.chen@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: A lone activist's struggle against the local oil refinery plunges a village community into doubt. <u>Trailer</u>: <u>https://youtu.be/zU3OUnrS2r8</u>

Thailand

Spirits of the Black Leaves

International premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Thaweechok Phasom <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Thailand <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2023 <u>Length</u>: 30 <u>Contact</u>: Thaweechok Phasom <u>Email</u>: phasom.th@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: A woman struggling with feelings of powerlessness ventures into the night for a transformative experience.

Crazy Lotus

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Tiger Short Competition <u>Director(s)</u>: Naween Noppakun <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Thailand <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 15 <u>Contact</u>: Naween Noppakun <u>Email</u>: naween.noppakun@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: A new invention causes mysterious occurrences as people stroll around between infinite possibilities. <u>Trailer</u>: https://youtu.be/roLGvuAyDUU

Ukraine

Centre for Creativity

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: RTM <u>Director(s)</u>: Nick Thomas, Marta Hryniuk <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Ukraine, Netherlands <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 18 <u>Contact</u>: Marta Hryniuk <u>Email</u>: martahryniuk@gmail.com Logline: Tribute to the forces on the Ukrainian ground that prepare the daily bread that nourishes the soldiers.

United Kingdom

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Dutch Premiere Programme section: Focus: Rachel Maclean Director(s): Rachel Maclean Prod. Countries: United Kingdom Prod. Year: 2021 Length: 8 Company: Life To Live Films Contact: Ciara Dunne Email: ciara@rachelmaclean.com Logline: An animation about dualities: young and old, cute and grotesque, sweet and violent, up and down.

Baulera 12

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Mila Araoz, Amaru Villanueva Rance <u>Prod. Countries</u>: United Kingdom, Bolivia <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 30 <u>Contact</u>: Mila Araoz <u>Email</u>: mila.araoz@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: A loving and playful look into mortality and what one ultimately leaves behind.

Trailer: https://youtu.be/f4bCMsSwLGw

Dr Cute

Dutch Premiere Programme section: Focus: Rachel Maclean Director(s): Rachel Maclean Prod. Countries: United Kingdom Prod. Year: 2019 Length: 5 Contact: Ciara Dunne Email: ciara@rachelmaclean.com Logline: Dr Cute will explain the nature of cuteness, if she can resist succumbing to it.

A Radical Duet

International premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Onyeka Igwe <u>Prod. Countries</u>: United Kingdom <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2023 <u>Length</u>: 28 <u>Contact</u>: Onyeka Igwe <u>Email</u>: distribution@lux.org.uk <u>Logline</u>: Archives and histories come to life in this imagining of a radical anti-colonial play.

Is My Living in Vain

European premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Ufuoma Essi <u>Prod. Countries</u>: United Kingdom, France, New Zealand <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2023 <u>Length</u>: 40 <u>Contact</u>: Ufuoma Essi <u>Email</u>: ufuomaessi@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: Black churches in West Philadelphia and South East London offer a harbour for marginalised communities.

DUCK

World premiere Programme section: Focus: Rachel Maclean Director(s): Rachel Maclean Prod. Countries: United Kingdom Prod. Year: 2024 Length: 16 Company: Forest of Black Contact: Ciara Dunne Email: ciara@rachelmaclean.com Logline: A deep-fake remake of a classic spy thriller. Whodunnit? Depends how you look at it!

Descent

International premiere Programme section: Short & Mid-length Director(s): Syd Farrington Prod. Countries: United Kingdom Prod. Year: 2023 Length: 6 Contact: Syd Farrington Email: syd.farrington@me.com Logline: A possibility for reclamation as London's rapidly changing skyline is abstracted and freefalling on 16mm. Trailer: https://youtu.be/aT10LIPLcus

No Archive Can Restore You

Dutch Premiere Programme section: Short & Mid-length Director(s): Onyeka Igwe Prod. Countries: United Kingdom Prod. Year: 2020 Length: 6 Contact: Hanan Coumal Email: hanan@lux.org.uk Logline: An exploration into the 'sonic shadows' that colonial moving images continue to generate.

The Wool Aliens

International premiere Programme section: Short & Mid-length Director(s): Julia Parks Prod. Countries: United Kingdom Prod. Year: 2023 Length: 28 Company: Alchemy Film and Arts Contact: Julia Parks Email: juliaemilyparks@gmail.com Logline: A masterful ethnographic essay on the influence of the wool industry in spreading invasive plants. Trailer: https://youtu.be/e8bqsDeqdEA

United States

I Would've Been Happy

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Jordan Wong <u>Prod. Countries</u>: United States <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 9 <u>Contact</u>: Jordan Wong <u>Email</u>: okjordanwong@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: Reflections on migration and broken promises told using remarkably intricate quilting and tiles.

Loophole

International premiere Programme section: Short & Mid-length Director(s): Jordan Strafer Prod. Countries: United States Prod. Year: 2023 Length: 25 Contact: Jordan Strafer Email: jordanstrafer@gmail.com Logline: An erotic thriller interpretation of the Kennedy rape trial of the early 1990s.

Coral

International premiere Programme section: Short & Mid-length Director(s): Sonia Oleniak Prod. Countries: United States Prod. Year: 2023 Length: 18 Company: Lamella Films Contact: Sonia Oleniak Email: sonia@lamella.film Logline: A gathering of people who find themselves wakeful in the night, dreams set to music. Trailer: https://youtu.be/OTCIYh2AwNU

Keep Looking

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Ayo Akingbade <u>Prod. Countries</u>: United States, United Kingdom <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 15 <u>Contact</u>: Ayo Akingbade <u>Email</u>: assist@ayoakingbade.com <u>Logline</u>: A young filmmaker crosses the pond to hunt down film financing in the Big Apple.

To the spirits in the room

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Cate Giordano <u>Prod. Countries</u>: United States <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 2 <u>Contact</u>: Cate Giordano <u>Email</u>: categiordano@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: *To the spirits in the room*, will we meet again someday?

In Dreams

International premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Josh Shaffner <u>Prod. Countries</u>: United States <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2023 <u>Length</u>: 17 <u>Contact</u>: Josh Shaffner <u>Email</u>: shaffnerjosh@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: A surrealist sci-fi animation about a burn victim in an imagined future of healthcare. Trailer: https://youtu.be/ibJv7vR4rG4

Denials, Decoys

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Micah Weber <u>Prod. Countries</u>: United States <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 10 <u>Contact</u>: Micah Weber <u>Email</u>: mh.weber.contact@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: **Erasure of identity markers with razorblades; erasure of self within the cut of the frame.** <u>Trailer: https://youtu.be/OA5xf08keyM</u>

Digital Devil Saga

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Tiger Short Competition <u>Director(s)</u>: Cameron Worden <u>Prod. Countries</u>: United States <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 11 <u>Contact</u>: Cameron Worden <u>Email</u>: cameronwesleyworden@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: What if all of your shameful web searches were preserved on archival-grade

filmstock?

Trailer: https://youtu.be/BfKpytLyaIo

Holographic Will

European premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Mike Stoltz <u>Prod. Countries</u>: United States <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2023 <u>Length</u>: 5 <u>Contact</u>: Mike Stoltz <u>Email</u>: stoltz.mike@gmail.com <u>Phone</u>: stoltz.mike@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: **The home destabilised by outside forces of capital is accompanied by a relentless percussive rhythm.**

Flux

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Youjin Moon <u>Prod. Countries</u>: United States <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 6 <u>Contact</u>: Youjin Moon <u>Email</u>: youjin623@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: A visual poem about changing states, we move along from liquid to ice, to gas.

Trailer: https://youtu.be/_2WhtTrPurA

Terminal Island

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Tiger Short Competition <u>Director(s)</u>: Sam Drake <u>Prod. Countries</u>: United States <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 13 <u>Contact</u>: Sam Drake <u>Email</u>: samjedrake@gmail.com Logline: A portrait of ecological unravelling. All is not well in the City of Angels.

Dreams Under Confinement

Dutch Premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Christopher Harris <u>Prod. Countries</u>: United States <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2020 <u>Length</u>: 2 <u>Contact</u>: Emily Martin <u>Email</u>: emarti@vdb.org <u>Logline</u>: A sobering, chilling mash-up of frantic Chicago Police audio messages with sinister Google Maps imagery.

The Instability of Clouds

World premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Zazie Ray-Trapido <u>Prod. Countries</u>: United States <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 15 <u>Contact</u>: Zazie Ray-Trapido <u>Email</u>: zazieraytrapido@alum.calarts.edu <u>Logline</u>: A suburb in Southern California comes together to create a community and heal from loss. Trailer: https://youtu.be/t-7GKFWVn-I

Uzbekistan

Bull's Heart

International premiere <u>Programme section</u>: Short & Mid-length <u>Director(s)</u>: Margarita Bagdasaryan <u>Prod. Countries</u>: Uzbekistan, Ukraine, Russia, Germany <u>Prod. Year</u>: 2024 <u>Length</u>: 14 <u>Company</u>: Sestra Films <u>Contact</u>: Margarita Bagdasaryan <u>Email</u>: margo7337553@gmail.com <u>Logline</u>: **Hidden love is revealed in this surprisingly tender story about an Uzbek father and son.** Trailer: https://youtu.be/1p_wwbJuOYo

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