

Winter 2023



NOTES ON A SUMMER
by Diego Llorente
Spain 2023 | 83 min
Debut, drama, romance

In a lazy summery mood, a film about lust, love and decisions to be made (or not).

World Premiere in IFFR Tiger comp.
30 Jan 12:45 de Doelen(P&I)
31 Jan 20:30 Pathé 5
01 Feb 13:30 Pathé 5
02 Feb 16:15 Cinerama 1
03 Feb 09:15 de Doelen

EFM screening
16 Feb 12:40 CinemaxX 14



FRANKY FIVE STAR
by Brigitte Möller
Germany, Finland 2023 | 114 min
Romance, fantasy, youth

Franky has a hotel in her head, inhabited by four weird but lovable characters who can switch into her body in the real world by using the elevator. When she falls for the lover of her best friend things get out of control.

A quirky love comedy about finding your true self (or more than one).

EFM screening
20 Feb 16:40 DFFB Kino



THE ACCIDENT
by Bruno Carboni
Brazil 2022 | 95 min
Debut, drama, LGBT, youth, cycling

In a traffic accident between a driver and a cyclist, an expected bond is created between the two families involved.

"A merged tale of human disconnection" "Calls into question the hopeless nature of an ego-fueled society" VARIETY

Rio IFF, Tallinn Black Nights IFF (comp), Torino IFF (comp) a.o.

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OCTOPUS SKIN

by Ana Cristina Barragán
EC, GR, DE, MX, FR, IT 2022 | 95 min
Drama, youth, LGBT

Teen twins Iris and Ariel live isolated on a rocky island with their mother and younger sister, in a sibling relationship that surpasses the limits of normal intimacy. "A reflection on the search for the feminine being" "Barragán sought to show the young woman's sexual awakening in a natural way, far from film clichés." FRANCE24 San Sebastian IFF (comp) a.o.



MEN OF DEEDS

by Paul Negoescu
Romania, Bulgaria | 105 min
Dark comedy

A village policeman tries to build a modest comfortable life for himself, but his past choices and a chain of violent events combine to pressure him into a very dark place.

"The most hilarious Mexican standoff in recent cinema history" CINEVUE Sarajevo FF (comp.), FIDFF Namur (Best Actor), Cottbus FF (Best Actor), Arras IFF (Best Film) a.o.



THE FOREST MAKER

by Volker Schlöndorff
Germany 2022 | 87 min
Documentary, environment

A portrayal of the Australian agronomist Tony Rinuado and the farmers who are revolutionising our idea of agriculture and forestry in Africa, thus calling conventional reforestation into question. The new film by Oscar® winner Volker Schlöndorff. With integrated shorts by Idriss Diabaté, Alassane Diago, Nadia Beddiaf Tamisier and Laurene Manja Abdallah.