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8TH ANNUAL CHELSEA FILM FESTIVAL ANNOUNCES ITS 2020 SHORT NARRATIVE & DOCUMENTARY FILM LINEUP

Chelsea, NY — The 8th Annual Edition of Chelsea Film Festival is releasing the list of films that are selected at this year's edition. **103 short narrative and documentary films** have been selected in the 2020 Official Lineup.

11 countries are represented this year: Canada, Costa Rica, France, Ireland, Japan, Martinique, Netherlands, Portugal, United Kingdom, United States and Uzbekistan.

104 short films are in competition for the Chelsea Film Festival Petite Prix.

The Official List of Films is below, which also includes the Run Time, Genre, Country of Origin and Director(s).

The **Chelsea Film Festival** program will highlight international feature-length, short films and documentaries from independent or emerging filmmakers through regular screenings and world premieres.

The **Eighth Edition of the Chelsea Film Festival** will introduce **American and foreign films to the public.**

As Ingrid Jean-Baptiste, Founder of The Chelsea Film Festival, stated:

“Making the World a Better Place by Giving a Voice to the Unheard”

The **Chelsea Film Festival (CFF)** will hold its eighth edition virtually on **FilmFestival+** (also accessible through AppleTV) from October 15-19, 2020.

SHORT FILMS

#PRINCESSPROBLEMS By Maritza Gomez

19 min | Comedy, Drama | United States | 2019

1 BLOCK By Jordan Cody Brandon

6 min | Drama, LGBTQ | United States | 2019

36 HOURS IN NEW YORK By Alberto Fabbretti

12 min | Drama, Crime | United States | 2020

A GIRL NAMED MARA By Jaime Zevallos

14 min | Drama, Mystery | United States | 2020

A HOME IN THE COUNTRY By Julia Valen

9 min | Drama, Comedy | United States | 2020

A NEW CHAPTER By Sussana Wolk

10 min | Drama | United States | 2020

A NEW PRESENT By Marieke Niestadt

20 min | Drama, Sci-Fi | Netherlands | 2020

A RISING STAR By Jamel Zaouche

20 min | Comedy, Drama | France | 2019

ALI'S CIRCLE By Antoine Beauvois-Boetti

15 min | Drama | France, Uzbekistan | 2019

ALL BLOOD RUNS RED By Paul Mignot

11 min | Drama, Action | France | 2020

AT THE TIME By Nathan Johnson

10 min | Drama | United States | 2019

BACKBEAT By Martin Blank

3 min | Romance, Drama | United States | 2019

BEAUTY BOYS By Florent Gouelou

18 min | Drama, LGBTQ | France | 2019

BELIEVE IN YOUR DREAMS By Esteban Quesada

45 min | Documentary | Costa Rica | 2020

BIG NEWS By Tim Shelburne

9 min | Drama | United States | 2019

BLOOD AND GLORY By Satinder Kaur

12 min | Drama | United States | 2019

BUILD-A-BABY By Chelsea Laufer

9 min | Drama | United States | 2020

BUILDING MEMORIES By Geno Andrews

9 min | Drama, Coming of Age | United States | 2020

CHICKEN OF THE DEAD By Julien David

10 min | Animation, Horror, Comedy | France | 2019

CHLOE By Martina Savoca-Guay

7 min | Drama | United States | 2019

COMPASSIONATE RELEASE: THE RAVAGES OF TIME By Lynn Dow

20 min | Drama | Drama | United States | 2019

CRAZY KINDA LOVE By Larry Rosen

6 min | Comedy, Romance | United States | 2019

CYCLONE By Austin Tsung-Fu Chang

12 min | Drama | United States | 2020

D'URN IT! By Joseph A. Eulo

15 min | Comedy, Drama | United States | 2019

DAME By Foster Wilson

8 min | Drama | United States | 2020

DAYBREAK By Eric Whitten

19 min | Drama, Comedy, Thriller | United States | 2019

DEATHLESS By Jenna Kanell & Katie Carpenter

11 min | Drama, Action | United States | 2020

DISPLACED By Mojdeh Ghanbri

11 min | Drama | United States | 2019

DO YOU FOR YOU By Patricia Gloum

4 min | Music | United States | 2020

DO: XYZ By Myles Evans

12 min | Crime, Romance | United States | 2019

DTRAIN By Yudelka Heyer

15 min | Drama, Comedy, Romance | United States 2019

ECCLESIASTES By Lola Rùì

4 min | Sci-Fi, Fantasy | United States | 2020

EL CAVIL By Evgeniya Radilova

6 min | Comedy | United States | 2020

ELEANOR By Natalie Schwan

3 min | Drama | United States | 2019

ESTHER'S CHOICE By Alia Azamat Ashkenazi

23 min | Drama, Thriller | United States | 2020

EXT By Adrian Bobb

9 min | Drama, Sci-Fi | United States | 2019

FOR THE BENEFIT OF MR. WINSTON By André Vauthey & Matthew Gerrish

19 min | Drama, Music, Romance | United States | 2019

GABRIELLE By Nicola Rose

13 min | Comedy, Drama | United States | 2019

GIFTS OF LIFE By Michael David Drucker

13 min | Documentary | United States | 2019

GIRL BOXER By Lauren McCann

20 min | Action, Crime | United States | 2019

GLIMPSES - A DAY IN A LIFE By Alan Del Tufo

7 min | Drama | United States | 2020

HAPPY BIRTHDAY By Al Sutton

11 min | Comedy | United States | 2019

HIGH SCORE By Serena Ryen & Ethan Itzkow

16 min | Drama | United States | 2020

HOLY BATH By Bruno Saraiva

20 min | Drama, Thriller | Portugal | 2019

I DON'T THINK SO By Jorge Abreu Jr.

14 min | Drama, Thriller | United States | 2019

IF I TOLD YOU By Dominique Nieves

4 min | Drama | United States | 2019

IN ORBIT By Katie McNeice

17 min | Drama, LGBTQ | Ireland | 2019

IN THE STILL NIGHT By Jean-Baptiste Braud

16 min | Drama, Comedy | France | 2019

IN THE STILLNESS OF THE SUMMER By Clyde Baldo

3 min | Romance | United States | 2020

INTROVERT'S GUIDE TO ACTIVISM By Simone Kisiel

15 min | Dramedy | United States | 2019

JANET By Wendi Tang

11 min | Drama | United States | 2019

JEW(ISH) By Rachel Eddy & Bobby Eddy

17 min | Comedy | United States | 2020

JO By Natalie Schwan

2 min | Drama | United States | 2019

KARATE CATHARSIS By Sayako Akutsu

19 min | Drama | Japan | 2020

LA K-Z By Enricka MH

14 min | Drama | Martinique, France | 2019

LAVANDE By Alexandra Naoum

13 min | Drama | France | 2019

LEGIT By Jordan Elizabeth Gelber & Thomas Kohut

15 min | Drama, Comedy | United States | 2019

LESS By Sam Ramirez

11 min | Drama | United States | 2020

LIKE DAUGHTER, LIKE MOTHER By Clyde Baldo

18 min | Comedy | United States | 2019

LITTLE FRENCH FISH By Eva Lanska

13 min | Drama, Romance | United Kingdom, France | 2019

MARTY'S CALLING By Toni De Palma

10 min | Comedy | United States | 2020

MICKY HARDAWAY By Marcellus Cox

19 min | Thriller | United States | 2020

MISFIT M. By Austin Ball, Sarah Hempinstall

14 min | Drama, Thriller | Canada | 2019

MOM'S DAY OFF By David Ebert

9 min | Comedy | United States | 2019

MORNING MEAL By Jamal Hodge

20 min | Drama, Thriller | United States | 2019

MY FATHER'S FABULOUS FUNERAL By Mark Stolzenberg

15 min | Drama | United States | 2019

NOW YOU SEE US By Romina Schwedler

11 min | Comedy | United States | 2019

OLD BLUE EYES By Christian J. Parkinson

18 min | Drama | United States | 2019

ONE DAY IN JUNE By Johnny Sweet

21 min | Documentary | United States | 2020

OPIOIDEMIC By Ilja Willems

13 min | Documentary | Netherlands, United States | 2019

PANDEMIC ZOOM By Julianna Pitt

7 min | Comedy | United States | 2020

PEOPLE LIKE YOU By Blake Winston Rice

17 min | Drama, Thriller | United States | 2019

POSTAL By Naaji Adzimah

5 min | Drama | United States | 2019

RIZO By Jeanette Dilone

15 min | Drama | United States | 2020

SELF-SURRENDER By Barry Rowen

9 min | Drama | United States | 2019

SHINY HAPPY PEOPLE By Mathilde Petit

20 min | Drama, Comedy | France | 2019

SMOKING WET By Michael Hilf

20 min | Drama | United States | 2020

STREETSIDE FLOWER By Robert Anthony Agard

16 min | Drama | United States | 2020

SURVIVOR! 98 SECOND STORIES By Elizabeth Tobias

14 min | Documentary | United States | 2019

TESTIFY By Sasha Krane

6 min | Drama, Crime | United States | 2019

THE BEAST By Luke Howe

13 min | Comedy, Fantasy | United Kingdom | 2020

THE BEE FARMERS By Steve Utaski

7 min | Documentary | United States | 2020

THE BLESSING By Liann Kaye

6 min | Comedy | United States | 2019

THE BOOK OF RUTH By Becca Roth

14 min | Drama | United States | 2019

THE CEREMONY By Jeremy Stewart

7 min | Thriller, Horror | United States | 2019

THE DINE-N-DASH DATER By Quinn Cavin, Ryan Cairns
14 min | Drama | United States | 2020

THE JOURNEYMAN By Pamela Perrine
11 min | Drama | United States | 2019

THE LONG COMMUTE By Miguel Garzón Martínez
18 min | Drama | United States | 2019

THE SECRET By Michael Ruotolo
7 min | Crime, Mystery | United States | 2020

THE SHALLOW END By Cynthia Silver
10 min | Comedy, Coming of Age | United States | 2019

THE TRESPASSED By Michelle Bossy
13 min | Western, Adventure | United States | 2019

THE WINDS OF HEAVEN By Jake Laurence
20 min | Drama | United States | 2019

THE WITCHES OF BUSHWICK By Catherine Delaloye
19 min | Drama | United States | 2019

THE WORST DAY OF MY LIFE By Jaret Martino
13 min | Drama | United States | 2019

THREE MINUTES TO GO By Alan Barr
5 min | Comedy | United States | 2019

TOKYO HUES By Kazu Okuda
7 min | Romance, Drama | Japan, United States | 2019

TRIBE By Hamza Zaman
12 min | Sci-Fi, Thriller | United States | 2020

TWO SPIES By Jesse Feldberg
3 min | Drama | United States | 2020

UNCOVERED By Eleni Athena
5 min | Drama | United States | 2019

UNICORNS By Candice Carella
15 min | Drama | United States | 2019

VIDA MIA By Melissa Espinosa
7 min | Drama | United States | 2020

WATCH OUT By Leonel Severino
5 min | Drama | United States | 2019

WILL BE BOYS By Brit Bucklee
6 min | Drama, Coming of Age | United States | 2019

ZANMI By Nadia Charlery
10 min | Drama | Martinique, France | 2019

CFF was founded by actresses Ingrid & Sonia Jean-Baptiste to give voices to the unheard by providing a platform to independent films and discovering new talents.

Chelsea Film Festival Board of Directors consists of renowned industry insiders: Paul Calderon, Elizabeth Kemp, and John Patrick Shanley.

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Our Mission:

The Chelsea Film Institute is a registered 501(c)(3) non-profit cultural organization that will help expose the underprivileged youth in Chelsea, NYC to the arts. Throughout the year, CFI will offer free Arts classes to these economically disadvantaged children.

Chelsea Film Festival (CFF) is an international film festival, enlightening the work of emerging filmmakers, producers, and actors. It offers a wide range of films, such as shorts, documentaries, and feature-length pieces. It empowers the work of risk-taking storytellers and remains committed to its mission to discover and develop independent artists and audiences around the world.

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