PHILADELPHIA INDEPENDENT FILM FESTIVAL 14

Official Selection Philadelphia Independent Film Festival

May 10-15, 2021
Web,Mobile,Live

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PIFF #14 - Best of... & Underground Film Forum Selections

Best of... SHORT ~ Best of... FEATURE & Underground Film Forum

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MEDIA BUREAU

SHORT FILM :

Barrells	Jaquan Williams	US	22
Last Summer on Bainbridge Street	Jessica Q Moore	US (NY)	12
Breton and the Muse: A Midnight in Paris	Michael Brown, Conrad De La Torres III	US (Florida)	
Loss	Hector Tapia Aguilar	Mexico	7
Amidst the Daze	Dakota Ticheli	US/NY	15
Razor Tail	Mr. Salad	US (Portland, OR)	14
Decolonizing The Narrative	Tukufu Zuberi	US	30

ANIMATION :

Mate	Rusty Eveland	US (Philadelphia, PA)	6
Pork Chop	Katherine Guggenberger	US (Delaware)	2
The Ephemeral Orphanage	Lisa Barcy	US (Chicago)	15
Sad Beauty	Arjan Brentjes	Netherlands	10
Lairs	Emma Penaz Eisner	US	1:36

DOCUMENTARY :

We Want The Airwaves	Scott Ryan	US (LA)	82
Following the Thread	Kathy Brew	California, USA	20
Fisher Queen - Women vs Nature	Jeonghwa Shin	Republic of Korea	52
Voice of Glaciers	Sindre Kolbjørnsgard	Norway	20
The Welles Raft	Firmino Holanda, Petrus Cariry	Brazil	75
Before Things Fell Apart	Tukufu Zuberi	US (Philadelphia, PA)	64
Philly Uknown - The Documentary	Justin Michud	US/PHL	55

MUSIC DOCUMENTARY :

While We Live	Andrea Voets, co-director: Myrto Papadogeorgou	Netherlands	80
The Piano Man	Christopher W. Hurst	US (PHL)	52

WEB SERIES :

Decolonizing the Conversation	Tukufu Zuberi	US
TORINAOSHI	Yusuke Kitaguchi	US (Virginia)
The Fae	Shelton Lindsay (show runner), Nessa Norich	US (Rhode Island)
Interview Philly Episode 203 "The Next Level"	Abrham Bogale	US
Les Chroniques de Gliwensbourg	EMILIE TOMMASI	France

Best Local Feature :

The Lost Thoughts of Midnight	Miguelangelo Hexylvania	Havertown, PA	81
The Karma Effect	Jimmy Desaint	Philadelphia, PA	66
All American Boy	Ian Liberatore	US	110

Best Local Short :

Cueball	Brandon C Lay	US (Philadelphia, PA)	14
Cursed Angel	Yuri Brown	US (Philadelphia, PA)	36
The Good Life	Carolyn Wilson	US (Cheltenham, PA)	30
Contact High	Scarlet Reedmond	US (LA/NJ)	10
Hungry Ghost	Mark Borkowski	US (Philadelphia, PA)	18

Best 1st Time Filmmaker :

The Take Out Move	Andrew Simonian	US (LA/PHL)	74
Forgive Me, Father (Verzeih mir, Vater)	Jona Schlosser	Germany	25
The Ice Cream Stop	Raul Perez	US	20
The Horror Crowd	Ruben Pia	US (LA)	89
Cursed Angel	Yuri Brown	US	35
End Game	Noa Cohen	Canada	18



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SCI FI :

The Last Touch	Melissa Mars	US	
Total Darkness	Dylan Gallimore	US (Phl)	
Lost Treasures of the Valley	Robert Husted	US	
Remembrance	Shane Joseph Willis	Australia	
Save Me	Michael Coppola	UK	

HORROR :

Country of Hotels	Julio Maria Martino	UK	105
Spellbound	Patrick Mueller	Germany	5
Bad Candy	Scott Hansen, Desiree Connell	US (GA)	102
Sisters	Sophia Paulmier	US (NY)	35
Threshold	Patrick R Young, Powell Robinson	US (CA)	77

THRILLER :

Basenji	Ian Scott Clement	Nepal	80
The New Tenant - الساكن الجديد	Youssef Hesham	US/Egypt	20
Lady Usher	George Adams	US	79
The Dark Web	Andres Di Bono	US	28
Garrish	A.J. Gribble	US	52
THE LOST THOUGHTS OF MIDNIGHT	Miguelangelo Hexylvania	US (PA)	81
Darkness At The Open Cut	Sasha Santiago	US (Seattle)	18

POLITICAL :

The Mastersingers of Nuremberg	Selcuk Zvi Cara	Germany	111
The Process	Sergey Kalvarksiy	Russia	22

FOREIGN FILM :

Savage Days	David Lanzmann	France	80
Basenji	Ian Scott Clement	Nepal	80
Repossesion	Goh Ming Siu, Scott C. Hillyard	Singapore	96
Your Color (Deine Farbe)	Maria Diane Ventura	US (NY)	82

DRAMA :

The Colour of Spring	Paul Andrew Kimball	Canda	94
The Color Happy	Dale Fabrigar	US (LA)	17
O+	Hassan Abolhassani	Iran	01:27
Downeast	Joe Raffa	US (LA)	86
The Ice Cream Stop	Raul Perez	US	20
Execution	Stavit Allweis	US (NY)	45
A Poets Life	Brandon S. N. Butler	US (LA)	26
Playdurizm	Dem Geger	US/ Czech Republic	88

COMEDY :

Act the Script	Jerry and Joe Long	US (Allentown, PA)	27
Fortunate Son	Mark Manjardi	US (LA/PHL)	71
The Take Out Move	Andrew Simonian	US (LA/PHL)	74
Electric Jesus	Chris White	US South Carolina	01:47
Yelling Fire in an Empty Theater	Juston Zuckerman	US (NY)	71
Simple Sense	Mark Datuin	Canada	5

MUSIC VIDEO :

The Moon in the Water	Team DR (Dongyong Lee & Jong-rock Kim)	Korea
Waveson - Totem Poles	Matt Andrew Lewis	Canada
HUMAN	Kathleen Sheehan	US (Philadelphia, PA)
Knocking On Your Door	Michael Vincent Finazzo	US (Philadelphia, PA)
Keralam: The Signature of God	Thomas Sebastian	India
La Vita Olistica	Esme Hand-Halford , Sidonie Hand-Halford	UK
I Need Hope	Cyrus James Griffin	US (Philadelphia, PA)

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