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Attending the country's largest film festival is exciting—and easy! Whether you're new to SIFF or an experienced festivalgoer, the information below will help you enjoy all that the festival has to offer, from movies to forums to galas.

## HOW TO SIFF IT UP

Movies take us to places we never thought possible. We're drawn into the story, wrapped up in the narrative, and are forever changed by the experience. We may laugh, cry, or scream in fear—or look away but want more. This is the undeniable force of cinema that infiltrates our psyche.

### 1 PICK THE FILMS YOU'D LIKE TO SEE

The mood groupings in this magazine will help you explore films depending on what mood you're in. Categorized by subject or theme, moods help you choose which films interest you so that you can create a personal cinematic itinerary. You can also go online for Programmers' Picks, or browse films by genre or country.

### 2 PURCHASE INDIVIDUAL TICKETS

Anyone can attend a film at the Festival! Tickets start at \$13, but there are always discounts for weekday matinees, students, seniors, and SIFF members. However, if you plan to see a lot of films during the festival, visit SIFF.net to learn about the perks and discounts of buying passes and ticket packages.

### 3 BRING YOUR TICKETS

Why wait in line? You can now print your tickets at home or bring your tickets on your smart phone. Will Call is still available for pick up at SIFF Box Office locations and at any SIFF venue on days that festival films are being shown. Arrive at least 30 minutes prior to showtime for a smooth experience. You're on your way.

### 4 GRAB YOUR POPCORN, SIT BACK, AND ENJOY!

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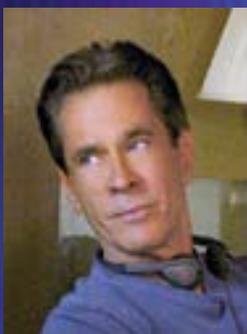
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### DAN IRELAND

SIFF is saddened at the loss of our Festival's co-founder, film director and producer Dan Ireland. His passion for bringing the fantastic, transformative, and beautiful spectrum of the cinematic experience to the world was unwavering. His continued support for the mission of our organization inspired us, and his smile brightened our Festival events annually. Dan will be greatly missed, but his legacy lives on as SIFF continues to shine a light in the dark as a leading presenter of all things film. A celebration remembering Dan will be held June 12, 1:30 PM at SIFF Cinema Egyptian.

The sweetest angel left us. Called his voicemail just to hear his voice once more. I'll miss you, baby. —[Jessica Chastain](#)

I will always remember his infectious smile, laugh, incredible wit and repartée. While there will never be another Dan Ireland in the world, I have some solace in the fact that he touched my life and forever changed me. —[Carl Spence](#)



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For over 40 years, SIFF has challenged, stimulated, and served our audiences by bringing them a vast variety of films from around the world. What's more, we offer classes, panels, and special events to help create and strengthen a community of cinema enthusiasts who are more informed, aware, and alive.



## SEATTLE INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL

SIFF is the largest film festival in the United States, with more than 150,000 people attending each year. The 25-day event is also the region's most accessible and critically acclaimed festival, renowned for presenting over 400 features, short films, and documentaries gathered from more than 80 countries.

## SIFF CINEMA

Over 175,000 people attend SIFF Cinema each year to see the best new feature films, one-of-a-kind special events, and mini-festivals celebrating cinema from around the world, including the beloved Noir City Film Festival, which returns in July 2016.

Our two classic movie houses, SIFF Cinema Egyptian and SIFF Cinema Uptown, are the perfect venues for movie lovers who enjoy a wide array of studio and independent films, foreign-language cinema, documentaries, and restored classics. Recent favorites include Jeff Nichols' sci-fi adventure *Midnight Special*, the Oscar®-nominated *Embrace of the Serpent*, Benedict Cumberbatch's *Hamlet*, the new 4K restoration of Akira Kurosawa's *Ran*, and a career-spanning retrospective of the work of Wim Wenders. The SIFF Film Center at Seattle Center is an intimate, state-of-the-art single-screen cinema showcasing new discoveries from around the world and community programs, and is also the home of SIFF's education programs.

SIFF Cinema also features unique programs that take you beyond the screen with filmmaker and panel discussions, "Stage to Screen" theater events, live music with silent films, monthly screenings of *The Rocky Horror Picture Show*, and interactive events like *The Clueless Make-Over Party* and *Willy Wonka & the Chocolate Factory in Smell-O-Vision*. That's right! Smell-O-Vision!

## SIFF EDUCATION

Our education programs are designed to train and strengthen the community of Seattle film lovers and filmmakers. **FutureWave** provides free access to films and filmmakers, hands-on training, and exceptional cinematic experiences for more than 13,000 students and educators a year. The **Catalyst** program offers training, forums, and workshops for aspiring filmmakers. **Film4All** offers informative and enlightening behind-the-scenes discussions and classes for cinema lovers of any age.



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## OPENING NIGHT GALA

### Café Society

Kristen Stewart and Jesse Eisenberg star in a sparkling new romantic comedy from Woody Allen about a movie-industry hopeful who arrives in 1930s Hollywood, falls in love, and finds himself swept up in the vibrant café society that defined the age.

#### North American Premiere

**(d: Woody Allen c: Jesse Eisenberg, Kristen Stewart, Blake Lively, Steve Carell, Parker Posey, USA 2016, 96 min)**

*Start the Festival off right by attending the Opening Night Gala, the best party of the year, at Marion Oliver McCaw Hall. The kick-off event is always a fabulous party, complete with hors d'oeuvres, desserts, and cocktails immediately following the screening.*

**THURSDAY, MAY 19, 7:00 PM**

**FILM: MARION OLIVER MCCAW HALL**

**PARTY: EXHIBITION HALL**



## CENTERPIECE GALA

### Gleason



Director Clay Tweel delivers a bold and moving portrait of beloved New Orleans Saints player Steve Gleason, who at age 34 was diagnosed with a neurodegenerative disease and courageously filmed his journey for the public eye.

**(d: Clay Tweel f: Steve Gleason, Michel Gleason, Rivers Gleason, USA 2016, 110 min)**

*Need to recharge halfway through the Festival? So do we! So we're throwing a party on Capitol Hill on June 4. Immediately after the screening of Gleason, the crowd will make its way over to the DAR Rainier Chapter House for music, dancing, hors d'oeuvres, desserts, and cocktails.*

**SATURDAY, JUNE 4, 5:00 PM**

**FILM: SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN**

**PARTY: DAR RAINIER CHAPTER HOUSE**

## CLOSING NIGHT GALA

### The Dressmaker



Kate Winslet, Liam Hemsworth, and Judy Davis star in this hysterically madcap adaptation of the beloved novel about a chic 1950s dressmaker who returns from Paris to her small Australian town to right the wrongs of the past and revolutionize the local couture.

**(d: Jocelyn Moorhouse c: Kate Winslet, Liam Hemsworth, Judy Davis, Hugo Weaving, Australia 2015, 118 min)**

*Give the month-long Festival a proper send-off by attending the Closing Night Gala at the Cinerama. Following the film, enjoy tasty hors d'oeuvres, desserts, and cocktails at MOHAI.*

**SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 6:00 PM**

**FILM: CINERAMA**

**PARTY: MOHAI**

# FILMS WITH PARTIES

## SATURDAY NIGHT PARTY

### Indignation



Frequent Ang Lee collaborator James Schamus steps into the director's chair to adapt Philip Roth's novel about an independent-minded college student (Logan Lerman, *The Perks of Being a Wallflower*) at odds with the mindset of 1950s America.

**(d:** James Schamus **c:** Logan Lerman, Sarah Gadon, Tracy Letts, Linda Emond, Danny Burstein, Ben Rosenfield, USA 2016, 110 min)

*It's Saturday night and time to party! SIFF features a screening of Indignation, followed by a party catered by Il Fornaio.*

**SATURDAY, MAY 21, 6:30 PM**  
**FILM: PACIFIC PLACE CINEMAS**  
**PARTY: PACIFIC PLACE**

## RENTON OPENING NIGHT

### My Blind Brother



Comedy dynamos Adam Scott, Nick Kroll, and Jenny Slate star in an unconventional screwball romantic comedy about a lovable slacker who falls in love with the girlfriend of his blind, narcissistic brother.

**(d:** Sophie Goodhart **c:** Adam Scott, Nick Kroll, Jenny Slate, Zoe Kazan, Charlie Hewson, Maryann Nagel, Greg Violand, USA 2016, 90 min)

*Get ahead of the curve with the Renton Opening Night party at the Renton Pavilion Event Center after the screening of My Blind Brother.*

**THURSDAY, MAY 26, 7:00 PM**  
**FILM: IKEA PERFORMING ARTS CENTER**  
**PARTY: RENTON PAVILION EVENT CENTER**

## SATURDAY NIGHT PARTY

### The Intervention



Actress Clea DuVall's directorial debut is a modern twist on *The Big Chill*, with a top-notch indie cast portraying a group of friends whose reunion getaway goes south when it is revealed that the trip was orchestrated as an intervention for one troubled marriage.

**(d:** Clea DuVall **c:** Melanie Lynskey, Cobie Smulders, Alia Shawkat, Clea DuVall, Natasha Lyonne, Ben Schwartz, USA 2016, 91 min)

*This is how we do it: it's Saturday night! SIFF features a screening of The Intervention, followed by a party at the Seattle Art Museum.*

**SATURDAY, MAY 28, 6:30 PM**  
**FILM: PACIFIC PLACE CINEMAS**  
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## KIRKLAND OPENING NIGHT

### Paul à Québec



Michel Rabagliati's celebrated graphic novel "The Song of Roland" comes to life in this charming, wryly funny, and uplifting tale of a graphic designer and his relationship with his dying father-in-law.

#### US Premiere

**(d:** François Bouvier **c:** François Létourneau, Gilbert Sicotte, Julie Le Breton, Louise Portal, Shanti Corbeil-Gauvreau, Canada (Québec) 2015, 98 min)

*We're pleased to celebrate our eighth year in Kirkland! A reception catered by Volterra will precede the 8:00 PM screening.*

THURSDAY, JUNE 2, 8:00 PM

FILM & PARTY: KIRKLAND PERFORMANCE CENTER

## GAY-LA

### Being 17



Bullying between two French boys turns into an erotic awakening in a remarkable collaboration between filmmakers André Téchiné (*Wild Reeds*) and Céline Sciamma (*Girlhood*), which explodes preconceptions about teenage males.

#### North American Premiere

**(d:** André Téchiné **c:** Sandrine Kiberlain, Kacey Mottet Klein, Corentin Fila, Alexis Loret, France 2016, 116 min)

*Always a wild, colorful time. Gay-La has become one of the Festival's most treasured events!*

THURSDAY, JUNE 9, 7:00 PM

FILM: SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN

PARTY: BALTIC ROOM

## SATURDAY NIGHT PARTY

### Frank & Lola



Michael Shannon (*Midnight Special*) and Imogen Poots (*Green Room*) share a sizzling chemistry in this romantic noir thriller about a Las Vegas chef whose increasing possessiveness sends him on an irrational quest for revenge, uncovering surprising details about his lover's past.

**(d:** Matthew Ross **c:** Michael Shannon, Imogen Poots, Michael Nyqvist, Justin Long, USA 2016, 88 min)

*Close out our awesome Fest at SIFF's final Saturday night party!*

SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 7:00 PM

FILM: PACIFIC PLACE CINEMAS

PARTY: HOTEL MONACO



## Oh, You Pretty Things!

### A David Bowie and Glam Rock dance party

Celebrate the work of rock icon (and movie star!) David Bowie and his legendary creation Ziggy Stardust as SIFF transports the Neptune Theatre back to the glory days of the glam-rock era—complete with sing-along music videos, Bowie-inspired burlesque, a live performance by tribute band Bowie Vision, and nonstop dancing to the best music of the gender-bending, hard-rocking '70s.

FRIDAY, MAY 27, 9:00PM – 1:00AM  
NEPTUNE THEATRE



## The Prince Sing Along

In tribute to the life and musical legacy of His Purple Highness, join us as we sing along with classic music videos from Prince, as well as surprise cameos from his protégés and musical allies.

SUNDAY, MAY 29, MIDNIGHT  
SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN

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## A Tribute to Viggo Mortensen

SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 1:30 PM  
 SIFF Cinema Egyptian

An actor, painter, poet, photographer, and jazz musician, Viggo Mortensen's combination of rugged exterior and reflective interior have infused his wide range of film roles with equal parts gravitas and compassion—from criminals to cowboys, lovers to lieutenants, post-apocalyptic survivors to sagacious psychoanalysts, and the rightful king of Gondor.

SIFF honors him this year with four film programs. On Saturday, June 11 at 1:30 PM Mortensen will be presented with the Seattle International Film Festival Award for Outstanding Achievement in Acting. After an onstage interview with film clips from his career, there will be a screening of his newest film, *Captain Fantastic*, directed by Matt Ross. Also, Special Presentation screenings of *Eastern Promises*, *The Lord of the Rings: The Return of the King*, and *A Walk on the Moon* will occur on, respectively, June 10, 11, and 12.



## Captain Fantastic

Tribute Presentation & Film Screening  
 SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 1:30 PM  
 SIFF Cinema Egyptian

Repeat Film Screening  
 SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 2:30 PM  
 SIFF Cinema Uptown

Viggo Mortensen stars in a heartfelt story of unconventional family values as the devoted father of a brood of six who live off the grid in the wilds of Washington state, until events lead them back to the outside world for the first time in decades.

**(d:** Matt Ross **c:** Viggo Mortensen, Steve Zahn, Missi Pyle, Kathryn Hahn, George MacKay, Erin Moriarty, Frank Langella, USA 2016, 120 min)

## Eastern Promises



Viggo Mortensen re-teamed with director David Cronenberg (*A History of Violence*) to give a daringly violent, emotionally nuanced, and critically praised performance as a bodyguard for a Russian crime family.

**(d:** David Cronenberg **c:** Viggo Mortensen, Naomi Watts, Vincent Cassel, Armin Mueller-Stahl, Canada 2007, 101 min)

FRIDAY, JUNE 10, 9:30 PM  
 SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN

## The Lord of the Rings: The Return of the King



Peter Jackson's landmark Lord of the Rings trilogy comes to a rousing conclusion, as the remaining members of the Fellowship converge upon Minas Tirith and Mount Doom for the final battle to destroy the One Ring. Winner of eleven Academy Awards®.

**(d:** Peter Jackson **c:** Elijah Wood, Ian McKellen, Liv Tyler, Viggo Mortensen, Sean Astin, Cate Blanchett, USA 2003, 201 min)

SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 11:30 PM  
 SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN

## A Walk on the Moon



With an all-star cast including Diane Lane, Viggo Mortensen, Liev Schreiber, and Anna Paquin, director Tony Goldwyn's romantic drama takes place over the summer of 1969 against the backdrop of the impending moon landing and Woodstock.

**(d:** Tony Goldwyn **c:** Viggo Mortensen, Diane Lane, Anna Paquin, Liev Schreiber, USA 1999, 107 min)

SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 11:00 AM  
 SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN

# An Afternoon with Molly Shannon

SUNDAY, MAY 22, 4:30 PM  
SIFF Cinema Egyptian



Molly Shannon's penchant for theatrical comedy inspired some of "Saturday Night Live"'s most famous characters from 1995-2001, including Mary Catherine Gallagher and Sally O'Malley. Shannon went on to appear in several films such as *Superstar*, *Wet Hot American Summer*, *Marie Antoinette*, last year's SIFF favorite *Me, Earl, and the Dying Girl*, and the TV series "Glee" and "Enlightened." Her ability to shift seamlessly from comic characters to more nuanced dramatic roles is something not many can match. On May 21, SIFF will welcome her to the stage for an interview featuring film clips from her career, followed by a screening of one of Shannon's latest films, *Other People*, directed by Chris Kelly. There will also be an opportunity for audience questions following the screening.



## Other People

Afternoon with Molly Shannon  
SUNDAY, MAY 22, 4:30 PM  
SIFF Cinema Egyptian

Repeat Film Screening  
MONDAY, MAY 23, 4:30 PM  
SIFF Cinema Uptown

A struggling gay comedy writer (Jesse Plemons) returns to his childhood home, and his eccentric family, to care for his ailing mother (Molly Shannon) in an emotional story of everyday life and death from "Saturday Night Live" and "Broad City" scribe Chris Kelly.

**(d:** Chris Kelly **c:** Jesse Plemons, Molly Shannon, Bradley Whitford, June Squibb, Maude Apatow, Zach Woods, Paul Dooley, USA 2016, 97 min)



## Miles

World Premiere

High-school senior Miles Walton, whose mother (Molly Shannon) is left broke after his father passes away, causes an uproar in his small Illinois town when he discovers an unusual college scholarship opportunity through a loophole that allows him to join the girls' volleyball team.

**(d:** Nathan Adloff **c:** Molly Shannon, Tim Boardman, Annie Golden, Paul Reiser, Ethan Phillips, USA 2016, 90 min)

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SATURDAY, MAY 21, 7:00 PM  
SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN  
SUNDAY, MAY 22, 1:30 PM  
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**(d:** Sun Yu **c:** Chen Yanyan, Zheng Junli, Li Lili, Liu Qiong, Jin Yan, China 1935, 104 min)

**TUESDAY, MAY 31, 7:00 PM**  
**FILM: SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN**

### Sonic Evolution: This Is Indie!

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Indie filmmaker Bill Morrison, known for his riveting collages of archaic footage with original scores, joins forces with famed Bang on a Can co-founder Michael Gordon for a one-of-a-kind evening. Morrison uses archival footage from Seattle's history as a backdrop for Gordon's electrified concerto for virtuoso pianist and multimedia artist Tomoko Mukaiyama. Then Brooklyn-based composer William Brittle offers a new work that features his intoxicating blend of classical artistry and indie-pop charm, and Seattle artists Fly Moon Royalty perform their unique mix of blues, hip-hop, and electronica with new orchestral backdrops.

**FRIDAY, MAY 13, 8:00 PM**  
**FILM: BENAROYA HALL**

### The Final Master



A Wing Chun master must singlehandedly take on a town full of martial-arts schools jockeying for dominance through realistic, bone-crunching hand-to-hand combat in this action-packed film from the writer of Wong Kar-wai's *The Grandmaster*.

**North American Premiere**

**(d:** Xu Haofeng **c:** Liao Fan, Song Jia, Jiang Wenli, Jin Shijie, Song Yang, China 2015, 109 min)

**SATURDAY, MAY 28, 6:00 PM**  
**FILM: SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN**  
**SUNDAY, MAY 29, 6:30 PM**  
**FILM: SHORELINE COMMUNITY COLLEGE**  
**MONDAY, MAY 30, 5:30 PM**  
**FILM: RENTON IKEA PAC**

### Our Kind of Traitor



Ewan McGregor and Naomie Harris star as a couple who find themselves as pawns in a game between the Russian Mafia and the British Secret Service in this gripping spy thriller based on the novel by bestselling author John Le Carré (*Tinker Tailor Soldier Spy*).

**(d:** Susanna White **c:** Ewan McGregor, Naomie Harris, Damian Lewis, USA 2016, 107 min)

**SUNDAY, MAY 29, 7:15 PM**  
**FILM: SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN**  
**MONDAY, MAY 30, 2:30 PM**  
**FILM: SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN**

### The Night Stalker



This penetrating psychological thriller from Seattle's Megan Griffiths (*Lucky Them*) features a spine-chillingly magnetic performance from Lou Diamond Phillips as death-row inmate Richard Ramirez, California's notorious serial killer.

**World Premiere**

**(d:** Megan Griffiths **c:** Lou Diamond Phillips, Bellamy Young, Chelle Sherrill, Benjamin Barrett, USA 2016, 89 min)

**SATURDAY, JUNE 4, 5:30 PM**  
**FILM: SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN**  
**SUNDAY, JUNE 5, 1:30 PM**  
**FILM: PACIFIC PLACE CINEMAS**

### Truman



A wise and tender ode to friendship of man and dog, two middle-aged men reunite in Madrid and spend four days taking unexpected detours, reflecting on loves, losses, triumphs, and regrets. Winner of five Goya Awards including Best Picture.

**(d:** Cesc Gay **c:** Ricardo Darín, Javier Cámara, Dolores Fonzi, Spain/Argentina 2015, 108 min)

**SUNDAY, MAY 29, 4:30 PM**  
**FILM: SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN**  
**MONDAY, MAY 30, 6:30 PM**  
**FILM: SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN**  
**FRIDAY, JUNE 3, 9:00 PM**  
**FILM: SHORELINE COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

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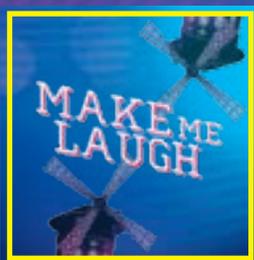
## QUICK GUIDE TO MOODS

With our handy moods groupings, we've made it easy to find the type of cinematic experience you're in the mood for. Instead of using traditional categories, we've aimed to connect films with you, the audience, by organizing them into eight areas that match your mood.



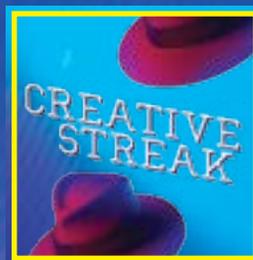
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## ROMANCE AND LOVE IN ALL ITS FORMS, PLEASURES, AND IDIOSYNCRASIES.

The theme of love has consistently made for some of the most classic and emotionally effective films of all time. This year SIFF is bursting with love not only for our audience, but for all of these inspiring stories of romance, passion, friendship, and loss. His presidency may be coming to a close, but the charm and magnetism of Barack Obama live on in a romantic retelling of his and Michelle's first date in Chicago in the summer of 1989 [*Southside with You*]. Outsider friendship and the consequence of forbidden love plague three Italian teenagers as they band together against the world [*One Kiss*], and one couple is faced with the logistics of "making it work" when they realize a weekend getaway is actually a call from friends to save their marriage [*The Intervention*]. The frenzy and confusion of adolescence is authentically depicted in a story of two strangers embarking on a violent *Bonnie & Clyde*-esque road trip [*Eternal Summer*], as are the struggles of a high-school girl who must reject her male friend's advances when she realizes she's in love with the most popular girl in school [*First Girl I Loved*]. Laugh, cry, and feel the butterflies in your stomach as these SIFF films take you out and woo you.



**Being 17** North American Premiere  
Bullying between two French boys turns into an erotic awakening in a remarkable collaboration between filmmakers André Téchiné [*Wild Reeds*] and Céline Sciamma [*Girlhood*], which explodes preconceptions about teenage males. **(d:** André Téchiné **c:** Sandrine Kiberlain, Kacey Mottet Klein, Corentin Fila, France 2016, 116 min)

THU	6/9	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
SUN	6/12	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**A Bride for Rip Van Winkle** North American Premiere  
Japanese director Shunji Iwai [*All About Lily Chou-Chou*] returns with a deceptively beautiful romance about a bored young woman obsessed with a new social-media site, where she makes a friend who encourages a series of questionable decisions. **(d:** Shunji Iwai **c:** Haru Kuroki, Go Ayano, Cocco, Japan 2016, 179 min)

TUE	5/24	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
THU	5/26	3:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**Café Society** North American Premiere  
Kristen Stewart and Jesse Eisenberg star in a sparkling new romantic comedy from Woody Allen about a movie-industry hopeful who arrives in 1930s Hollywood, falls in love, and finds himself swept up in the vibrant café society that defined the age. **(d:** Woody Allen **c:** Jesse Eisenberg, Kristen Stewart, Blake Lively, USA 2016, 96 min)

THU	5/19	7:00 PM	MCCAW HALL
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**Come What May**  
In May 1940, the residents of a small French village—including a schoolteacher, the mayor, a 10-year-old boy, and a musician—begin an intensely emotional journey when they flee the approaching Nazi forces, heading toward the coast by foot and carriage. **(d:** Christian Carion **c:** August Diehl, Olivier Gourmet, Mathilde Seigner, France 2015, 115 min)

SUN	5/22	5:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
MON	5/30	12:30 PM	SHORELINE CC



**Complete Unknown**  
From the director of *Maria Full of Grace*, this intelligent and romantic exploration of identity follows a married man (Michael Shannon) as he reconnects with an old flame (Rachel Weisz) who has repeatedly invented new personas for herself over the years. **(d:** Joshua Marston **c:** Rachel Weisz, Michael Shannon, Kathy Bates, Danny Glover, USA 2016, 90 min)

THU	6/2	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
FRI	6/3	6:30 PM	SHORELINE CC



**Eternal Summer** North American Premiere  
Two young lovers meet in Stockholm and begin a whirlwind romance that sends them on an impromptu road trip through northern Sweden, where their summer adventure turns criminal in this Swedish mix of *Bonnie & Clyde* with a soft touch of *Natural Born Killers*. **(d:** Andreas Öhman **c:** Madeleine Martin, Filip Berg, Torkel Petersson, Sweden 2015, 107 min)

FRI	5/27	7:00 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
SAT	5/28	1:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
SUN	5/29	6:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



**Finding October** World Premiere  
Two young men, traveling through the Pacific Northwest so one can propose to his longtime girlfriend, encounter road-trip fiascos, cold feet, and an enigmatic female drifter in this emotionally engaging chamber piece. **(d:** Nick Terry **c:** Michael Ward, Karin Terry, Nick Terry, USA 2016, 77 min)

MON	5/30	6:00 PM	SHORELINE CC
THU	6/2	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**First Girl I Loved**  
When 17-year-old Anne falls in love with the most popular girl in school, it's much to the chagrin of her male best friend, who harbors a secret crush. Featuring outstanding lead performances, this naturalistic teen drama won the 2016 Sundance NEXT award. **(d:** Kerem Sanga **c:** Dylan Gelula, Brianna Hildebrand, Mateo Arias, USA 2016, 90 min)

THU	5/26	7:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
SAT	5/28	4:15 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



**Growing Up Gay**  
From bullies to discos, tender first love to decades-old gay anthems, there is always a point of no return. (Short Film Program, 91 min)

SUN	5/29	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
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**Heaven Can Wait**  
Newly restored by the Film Foundation, Ernst Lubitsch's enchanting and witty Technicolor comedy opens in the art-deco waiting room of Hell, where a recently deceased lothario (Don Ameche) recounts his life and misdeeds to a bemused Satan. **(d:** Ernst Lubitsch **c:** Don Ameche, Gene Tierney, Charles Coburn, Marjorie Main, USA 1943, 112 min)

SAT	5/28	11:00 AM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
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**The High Sun**  
Three separate romances take place over three decades in a pair of war-torn Balkan villages, with the same actors changing characters for each story, for a moving illustration of the fragility, and enduring strength, of love. **(d:** Dalibor Matani **c:** Tihana Lazovic, Goran Markovic, Nives Ivankovic, Croatia/Slovenia/Serbia 2015, 123 min)

FRI	5/20	4:00 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
FRI	6/3	3:45 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
MON	6/6	9:00 PM	ARK LODGE



**Holding the Man** North American Premiere  
Based on Tim Conigrave's bestselling memoir, this passionate drama tells the story of a years-long romance between two men, from their awkward and forbidden teenage beginnings through the ups and downs of their longtime relationship. **(d:** Neil Armfield **c:** Ryan Corr, Craig Stott, Kerry Fox, Guy Pearce, Australia 2015, 127 min)

FRI	6/10	9:15 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
SUN	6/12	1:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



**Illegitimate** North American Premiere  
A seemingly happy Romanian family is torn apart by a series of revealed secrets after the father, a retired doctor, confesses that during the Communist regime he would unrepentantly report women seeking abortions to the authorities. (d: Adrian Sitaru c: Alina Grigore, Robi Urs, Bogdan Albuлесcu, Romania/Poland/France 2016, 89 min)

TUE	5/24	4:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	5/29	6:00 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
MON	5/30	9:15 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**Indignation**  
Frequent Ang Lee collaborator James Schamus steps into the director's chair to adapt Philip Roth's novel about an independent-minded college student (Logan Lerman, *The Perks of Being a Wallflower*) at odds with the mindset of 1950s America. (d: James Schamus c: Logan Lerman, Sarah Gadon, Tracy Letts, USA 2016, 109 min)

SAT	5/21	6:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
SUN	5/22	3:00 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE



**The Intervention**  
Actress Clea DuVall's directorial debut is a modern twist on *The Big Chill*, with a top-notch indie cast portraying a group of friends whose reunion getaway goes south when it is revealed that the trip was orchestrated as an intervention for one troubled marriage. (d: Clea DuVall c: Melanie Lynskey, Cobie Smulders, Alia Shawkat, Clea DuVall, Natasha Lyonne, USA 2016, 91 min)

SAT	5/28	6:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
SUN	5/29	3:30 PM	SHORELINE CC



**Ma Ma**  
Penélope Cruz delivers an extraordinarily emotional performance as a woman who forms a bond with a grieving father just after she is diagnosed with an advanced form of breast cancer in a stylishly melodramatic tale from the acclaimed director of *Sex and Lucia*. (d: Julio Medem c: Penélope Cruz, Luis Tosar, Asier Etxeandia, Spain/France 2015, 111 min)

WED	5/25	6:30 PM	MAJESTIC BAY
FRI	5/27	4:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**Moon in the 12th House** World Premiere  
When a pair of estranged Israeli sisters—one who stayed at the childhood home to care for their debilitated father, the other who left for a new life in Tel Aviv—are reunited, they must come to terms with the circumstances that tore them apart. (d: Dorit Hakim c: Yuval Scharf, Israel 2016, 110 min)

FRI	5/27	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	5/29	12:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**One Kiss** World Premiere  
In a small northern Italian town, a friendship is formed among three teenage outsiders—an athlete with a speech impediment, a colorful gay foster kid, and a girl trying to live down her past—until an unwelcome revelation tests their bond. (d: Ivan Cotroneo c: Rimau Grillo Ritzberger, Valentina Romani, Leonardo Pazzagli, Italy 2016, 102 min)

TUE	5/31	9:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
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**Other Girls** North American Premiere  
Based on the actual video diaries of teenage girls, this charming and energetic Finnish delight introduces four high-school girlfriends coping with romance, independence, trust, and self-acceptance as they near graduation and adulthood. (d: Esa Illi c: Sara Soulié, Ida Vakkuri, Misa Lommi, Bahar Tokat, Finland 2015, 80 min)

TUE	5/24	4:30 PM	MAJESTIC BAY
WED	5/25	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
MON	5/30	8:00 PM	RENTON IKEA PAC



**Other People**  
A struggling gay comedy writer (Jesse Plemons) returns to his childhood home, and his eccentric family, to care for his ailing mother (Molly Shannon) in an emotional story of everyday life and death from "Saturday Night Live" and "Broad City" scribe Chris Kelly. (d: Chris Kelly c: Jesse Plemons, Molly Shannon, Bradley Whitford, USA 2016, 97 min)

SUN	5/22	4:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
MON	5/23	4:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Our Little Sister**  
Three tightly knit sisters travel to the Japanese countryside for their father's funeral and form a maternal bond with their shy teenage half-sister in this warmhearted family drama from Japan's Hirokazu Kore-eda (*Like Father, Like Son*). (d: Hirokazu Kore-eda c: Haruka Ayase, Masami Nagasawa, Kaho, Japan 2015, 126 min)

FRI	5/20	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	5/21	8:30 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE



**Our Loved Ones**  
This vivid, hopeful, and rich family saga traces three generations of a Québécois family challenged by inherited mental illness and long-kept secrets that are finally overcome by a father's heartfelt relationship with his spirited daughter. (d: Anne Émond c: Karelle Tremblay, Maxim Gaudette, Valérie Cadieux, Canada (Québec) 2015, 102 min)

MON	5/23	4:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
TUE	5/24	8:30 PM	MAJESTIC BAY
SUN	5/29	8:00 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE



**Paul à Québec** US Premiere  
Michel Rabagliati's celebrated graphic novel *The Song of Roland* comes to life in this charming, wryly funny, and uplifting tale of a graphic designer and his relationship with his dying father-in-law. (d: François Bouvier c: François Létoirneau, Gilbert Sicotte, Julie LeBreton, Canada (Québec) 2015, 98 min)

THU	6/2	8:00 PM	KIRKLAND PC
SAT	6/4	11:00 AM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
SUN	6/5	5:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Rosita**  
When a Danish widower arranges for a mail-order bride from the Philippines to be his fiancée, he ropes his reluctant son in to act as translator and accidentally creates a fraught love triangle that threatens to break the family apart. (d: Frederikke Aspöck c: Mikkel Boe Følsgaard, Mercedes Cabral, Jens Albinus, Denmark 2015, 95 min)

SAT	5/21	9:30 PM	MAJESTIC BAY
TUE	5/24	6:30 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
WED	6/1	4:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



**A Scandal in Paris**  
This rarely seen period piece from Douglas Sirk, loaded with witty dialogue, sparkling set pieces, and a charming monkey named Satan, stars George Sanders as an 18th-century French con man who goes from stealing women's garters to becoming Paris' chief of police. (d: Douglas Sirk c: George Sanders, Signe Hasso, Carole Landis, United Kingdom 1946, 100 min)

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**The Scent of Mandarin** North American Premiere  
A classical and sumptuous love story of two broken souls, a widowed home-care nurse and a wounded cavalry officer, who begin an unlikely affair in final days of the Great War. (d: Gilles Legrand c: Olivier Gourmet, Georgia Scalliet, Dimitri Storage, France 2015, 110 min)

FRI	6/10	7:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
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SUN	6/12	4:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**Southside with You**  
Spend a disarmingly romantic 1989 summer afternoon with the future president of the United States, Barack Obama, as he woos his future First Lady on an epic first date across Chicago's South Side in a real-life version of *Before Sunrise*. (d: Richard Tanne c: Tika Sumpter, Parker Sawyers, Vanessa Bell Calloway, USA 2016, 80 min)

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**Spa Night**  
A young Korean-American (Joe Seo, in a Sundance-winning breakthrough performance) discovers his burgeoning sexual desires amid the steamy underground world of gay hookups when he takes a job at a spa in Los Angeles' Koreatown. (d: Andrew Ahn c: Joe Seo, Haery Kim, Youn Ho Cho, USA 2016, 93 min)

THU	6/2	9:30 PM	SHORELINE CC
FRI	6/3	7:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



### Summertime

A luminous lesbian romance begins in 1971 France when a young farm girl moves to Paris and becomes smitten with a charismatic radical feminist, only to discover that their love is not as easy, nor as accepted, when they return to the countryside. **(d:** Catherine Corsini **c:** Cécile de France, Izia Higelin, Noémie Lvovsky, France 2015, 105 min)

SAT	5/28	1:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
WED	6/1	7:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



### Sunset Song

Epic, emotional, and filled with both captivating period detail and painterly visual landscapes, the latest from director Terence Davies (*The House of Mirth*) looks back at the life of a peasant farm family's life in pre-WWI Scotland. **(d:** Terence Davies **c:** Agyness Deyn, Peter Mullan, Kevin Guthrie, United Kingdom 2015, 135 min)

FRI	5/20	4:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
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### Tanna

In this lush, visually breathtaking film, the first shot entirely on the island nation of Vanuatu, rebellious Wawa must choose between loyalty to her clan and her own heart when she is betrothed to a man from another tribe. **(d:** Martin Butler, Bentley Dean **c:** Marie Wawa, Mungau Dain, Marceline Rofit, Australia/Vanuatu 2015, 99 min)

FRI	5/20	1:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
MON	5/23	8:30 PM	MAJESTIC BAY



### Things We Do for Love

From hilarious to heartbreaking, never underestimate the power of the things we do for love. (Short Film Program, 90 min)

SUN	5/29	3:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
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### Truman

In this wise and tender ode to friendship of man and dog, two middle-aged men reunite in Madrid and spend four days taking unexpected detours and reflecting on loves, losses, triumphs, and regrets. Winner of five Goya Awards including Best Picture. **(d:** Cesc Gay **c:** Ricardo Darín, Javier Cámara, Dolores Fonzi, Spain/Argentina 2015, 108 min)

SUN	5/29	4:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
MON	5/30	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
FRI	6/3	9:00 PM	SHORELINE CC



### Up for Love

Jean Dujardin (*The Artist*) stars as an architect who charms a single lawyer over the phone into meeting for a first date, which takes an unexpected twist when it is revealed that he is only 4'6" tall, in this comedic French romance of mismatched coupling. **(d:** Laurent Tirard **c:** Jean Dujardin, Virginie Efira, Cédric Kahn, France 2016, 98 min)

FRI	6/10	8:30 PM	KIRKLAND PC
SAT	6/11	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
SUN	6/12	12:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### A Walk on the Moon

With an all-star cast including Diane Lane, Viggo Mortensen, Liev Schreiber, and Anna Paquin, director Tony Goldwyn's romantic drama takes place during the summer of 1969 against the backdrop of the impending moon landing and Woodstock. **(d:** Tony Goldwyn **c:** Viggo Mortensen, Diane Lane, Anna Paquin, Liev Schreiber, USA 1999, 107 min)

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### Where Have All the Good Men Gone

World Premiere  
Yearning to find the biological father she never knew, Sofia and her naïve half-sister Olivia search far and wide and come upon a PTSD-suffering soldier in this harrowing coming-of-age drama. **(d:** René Frelle Petersen **c:** Julie Brochorst Andersen, Simone Lykke, Alexandre Willaume, Denmark 2016, 93 min)

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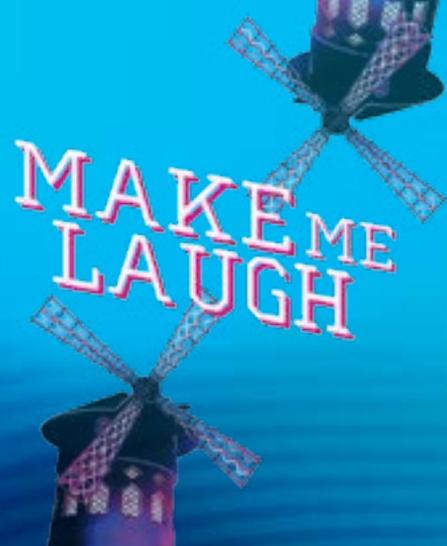
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Get ready to have your gut busted, your jaw drop, and your funny bone tickled in our comical offerings, from sweet to sour, bawdy to bitter, hardy to heartwarming. See the latest from some of our best comic stars: Adam Scott [*My Blind Brother*], Mike Birbiglia [*Don't Think Twice*], two veterans of "Mystery Science Theater 3000" [*The Mads are Back: Glen or Glenda*], and a brand-new restoration of a Buster Keaton classic [*The General*]. Get a load of Aubrey Plaza's recreational basketball team [*The Pistol Shrimps*], enter the world of competitive poultry [*Chicken People*], hack into God's computer [*The Brand New Testament*], and live off the grid in the forests of the Pacific Northwest [*Captain Fantastic*]. Join Microbe and Gasoline as they build a homemade house on wheels, get a taste of Jane Austen's *Love & Friendship*, and be a secret agent in the 1960s espionage-film sendup *Spy Time*. No matter your humorous taste—farical or witty, sidesplitting or wry—if you love to laugh, we've got what you crave.



**The Architect** World Premiere  
Parker Posey and Eric McCormack star in this bizarrely comic tale of love, obsession, and deceit as a couple who hires a modernist architect to build their dream house, not realizing he has every intent to follow his own design—and desires. **(d: Jonathan Parker c: Parker Posey, Eric McCormack, James Frain, John Carroll Lynch, USA 2016, 95 min)**

FRI	5/20	7:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
SAT	5/21	9:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



**The Brand New Testament**  
In this madcap religious satire from Jaco Van Dormael, all Hell breaks loose when the daughter of God—who turns out to be a cantankerous, vindictive slob living in Brussels—informs Earth's mortals of the exact dates of their demise. **(d: Jaco Van Dormael c: Benoît Poelvoorde, Yolande Moreau, Catherine Deneuve, Belgium/France/Luxembourg 2015, 112 min)**

FRI	6/3	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
SUN	6/5	2:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Burn Burn Burn** North American Premiere  
A female buddy-comedy road trip, aptly named after an excerpt from Kerouac's "On the Road," *Burn Burn Burn* joins Seph and Alex as they stow their late friend's ashes in Tupperware and take off to fulfill his last wishes of being scattered across the UK. **(d: Chanya Button c: Laura Carmichael, Chloe Pirrie, Jack Farthing, United Kingdom 2015, 106 min)**

FRI	6/3	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
SAT	6/4	2:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



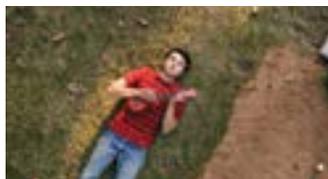
**Captain Fantastic**  
Viggo Mortensen stars in a heartfelt story of unconventional family values as the devoted father of a brood of six who live off the grid in the wilds of Washington state, until events lead them back to the outside world for the first time in decades. **(d: Matt Ross c: Viggo Mortensen, Steve Zahn, Missi Pyle, Kathryn Hahn, George MacKay, Frank Langella, USA 2016, 120 min)**

SAT	6/11	1:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
SUN	6/12	2:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Chicken People**  
Meet the colorful breeders, and even more colorful chickens, who dedicate their lives to preening, pecking, and prepping in hopes of winning Best in Show in the quirky, exotic, and unpredictably entertaining world of competitive poultry breeding. **(d: Nicole Lucas Haimes, USA 2016, 83 min)**

FRI	6/10	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
SAT	6/11	3:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Coconut Hero** North American Premiere  
A sweetly deadpan romance about a clever but depressed 16-year-old outcast who carefully plans a series of suicide attempts, yet somehow botches every one, until he slowly begins to appreciate the joys of life before it is too late. **(d: Florian Cossen c: Alex Ozerov, Bea Santos, Krista Bridges, Germany/Canada 2015, 101 min)**

THU	6/9	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	6/11	2:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	6/12	4:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Don't Think Twice**  
From the riotous mind of Mike Birbiglia (*Sleepwalk With Me*) comes a hilarious and heartfelt exploration of the bitterness, backstabbing, and lifelong friendships that occur behind the scenes with a struggling New York improv troupe. **(d: Mike Birbiglia c: Keegan-Michael Key, Gillian Jacobs, Mike Birbiglia, USA 2016, 92 min)**

FRI	6/10	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
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**The Dressmaker**  
Kate Winslet, Liam Hemsworth, and Judy Davis star in this hysterically madcap adaptation of the beloved novel about a chic 1950s dressmaker who returns from Paris to her small Australian town to right the wrongs of the past and revolutionize the local couture. **(d: Jocelyn Moorhouse c: Kate Winslet, Liam Hemsworth, Judy Davis, Hugo Weaving, Australia 2015, 118 min)**

SUN	6/12	6:00 PM	CINERAMA
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**Extremely Awkward and Incredibly Funny**  
An awkwardly awesome program of shorts with stories that would almost be embarrassing if they weren't so ridiculously hilarious. (Short Film Program, 88 min)

FRI	5/27	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
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**The Family Picture Show**  
Bring the whole family to the cinema for a playful set of animated, live-action, and documentary short films curated for the young and the young at heart. (Short Film Program, 91 min)

SAT	5/28	11:30 AM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
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**Folk Hero & Funny Guy**  
A struggling stand-up (Alex Karpovsky) becomes the opening act on tour with his rising-star musician friend (Wyatt Russell) in this refreshing indie road-trip buddy comedy filled with sparkling dialogue and original music. **(d: Jeff Grace c: Alex Karpovsky, Wyatt Russell, Meredith Hagner, Michael Ian Black, Melanie Lynskey, David Cross, USA 2016, 90 min)**

SAT	5/28	8:00 PM	RENTON IKEA PAC
FRI	6/3	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	6/5	12:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**The General**  
Buster Keaton's iconic slapstick comedy of an engineer who must pursue his beloved locomotive straight through enemy lines during the Civil War is presented in a new 4K restoration with an original symphonic score from Studio Ghibli composer Joe Hisaishi. **(d: Buster Keaton, Clyde Bruckman c: Buster Keaton, Marian Mack, Glen Cavender, USA 1926, 76 min)**

SAT	6/11	11:00 AM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
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**Girl Asleep** North American Premiere  
 Journey into the absurd, scary, and beautiful heart of a teenage girl's mind after a disastrous 15th-birthday party sends Greta Driscoll into an imaginative dreamworld that is weirdly erotic, a little bit violent, and thoroughly ludicrous. **(d: Rosemary Myers c: Eamon Farren, Bethany Whitmore, Tilda Cobham-Hervey, Australia 2016, 77 min)**

WED	5/25	7:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
SAT	5/28	12:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Hunt for the Wilderpeople**  
 The latest from New Zealand director Taika Waititi (*What We Do in the Shadows*) is a heartwarming adventure comedy about a "bad egg" foster kid who triggers a manhunt when he escapes into the forest with his cantankerous new guardian (Sam Neill). **(d: Taika Waititi c: Julian Dennison, Sam Neill, Rima Te Wiata, New Zealand 2016, 93 min)**

FRI	6/3	6:00 PM	KIRKLAND PC
SAT	6/4	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**Love & Friendship**  
 Whit Stillman (*Metropolitan, The Last Days of Disco*) delivers a marvelously witty take on Jane Austen's novella about cunning widow Lady Susan Vernon (Kate Beckinsale) who plots and flirts to find suitable husbands for herself and her daughter. **(d: Whit Stillman c: Kate Beckinsale, Chloe Sevigny, Xavier Samuel, Stephen Fry, USA 2016, 94 min)**

SAT	5/21	5:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	5/22	4:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



**The Mads Are Back: Glen or Glenda**  
 Frank Conniff and Trace Beaulieu, the B-movie-tormenting mad scientists of "Mystery Science Theater 3000," take to the stage for a live comedy riffing on Ed Wood Jr.'s confusingly told but heartfelt tale of a young transvestite struggling to find acceptance. **(d: Ed Wood Jr. c: Ed Wood Jr., Timothy Farrell, Dolores Fuller, Bela Lugosi, USA 1953, 120 min)**

SAT	5/21	MIDNIGHT	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
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**A Man Called Ove**  
 Based on the bestselling novel, Sweden's biggest hit of the year is an endearing, crowd-pleasing, and wonderfully curmudgeonly comedy about a grumpy old man who finds his caustic view of the world put to the test when a new family moves in next door. **(d: Hannes Holm c: Rolf Lassgård, Bahar Pars, Filip Berg, Sweden/Norway 2015, 116 min)**

SAT	5/28	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
SUN	5/29	1:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**Microbe and Gasoline**  
 Michel Gondry's wildly inventive and sweetly comic celebration of friendship joins two teenage misfits—Microbe, an artist, and Gasoline, a mechanic—on an unconventional road trip through the French countryside in a homemade house on wheels. **(d: Michel Gondry c: Audrey Tautou, Ange Dargent, Theophile Baquet, France 2015, 105 min)**

SAT	5/21	1:00 PM	MAJESTIC BAY
MON	5/23	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**Miles** World Premiere  
 High-school senior Miles Walton, whose mother (Molly Shannon) is left broke after his father passes away, causes an uproar in his small Illinois town when he discovers an unusual college scholarship opportunity through a loophole that allows him to join the girls' volleyball team. **(d: Nathan Adloff c: Molly Shannon, Tim Boardman, Annie Golden, Paul Reiser, Ethan Phillips, USA 2016, 90 min)**

SAT	5/21	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
SUN	5/22	1:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**My Blind Brother**  
 Comedy dynamos Adam Scott, Nick Kroll, and Jenny Slate star in an unconventional screwball romantic comedy about a lovable slacker who falls in love with the girlfriend of his blind, narcissistic brother. **(d: Sophie Goodhart c: Adam Scott, Nick Kroll, Jenny Slate, Zoe Kazan, USA 2016, 90 min)**

THU	5/26	7:00 PM	RENTON IKEA PAC
FRI	5/27	7:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



**News From Planet Mars** US Premiere  
 Belgian comic actor François Damiens stars as a beleaguered father whose eccentric, possibly psychotic houseguest sends his humdrum life spinning wildly out of control in an offbeat tale from director Dominik Moll (*With a Friend Like Harry*). **(d: Dominik Moll c: François Damiens, Vincent Macaigne, Veerle Baetens, France/Belgium 2016, 101 min)**

SAT	6/11	9:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
SUN	6/12	8:30 PM	KIRKLAND PC



**Oddball**  
 When a wild penguin sanctuary is threatened by hungry foxes, their only chance for survival might be an eccentric chicken farmer and his mischievous sheep dog in this Down Under family delight. **(d: Stuart McDonald c: Shane Jacobson, Sarah Snook, Alan Tudyk, Coco Jack Gillies, Australia 2015, 93 min)**

SAT	5/28	1:00 PM	RENTON IKEA PAC
SAT	6/4	11:30 AM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	6/5	1:00 PM	ARK LODGE



**The Pistol Shrimps**  
 In Los Angeles, the female basketball team Pistol Shrimps—including actress Aubrey Plaza and founder Maria Blasucci ("Drunk History")—come together for weekly matches filled with trash-talking, hard-fouling, wisecracking action. **(d: Brent Hodge c: Aubrey Plaza, Molly Hawkey, Angela Trimbur, Maria Blasucci, Canada/USA 2016, 75 min)**

WED	6/1	9:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
THU	6/2	4:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Radio Dreams** North American Premiere  
 Babak Jalali's wry comedy, inspired by the films of Aki Kaurismäki, depicts the Iranian immigrant experience as reflected through a scrappy Persian-language radio station in San Francisco, where Afghanistan's first rock band, Kabul Dreams, hopes to jam with the legendary Metallica. **(d: Babak Jalali c: Mohsen Namjoo, Boshra Dastournezhad, Iran/USA 2016, 97 min)**

SAT	5/21	6:00 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
SUN	5/22	6:00 PM	MAJESTIC BAY



**Spy Time**  
 In this rollicking sendup of 1960s spy films, sad-sack Adolfo is targeted by a group of thugs, leading him to discover that his sausage-maker father is actually a brilliant secret agent. Adapted from the classic Spanish comic strip by Manuel Vázquez Gallego. **(d: Javier Ruiz Caldera c: Imanol Arias, Quim Gutiérrez, Berto Romero, Spain 2015, 87 min)**

THU	5/26	6:30 PM	MAJESTIC BAY
TUE	6/7	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
THU	6/9	6:00 PM	KIRKLAND PC



**Thithi**  
 In this darkly comic gem, three generations of men—a cheap, cigarette-smoking old curmudgeon, his materialistic, duplicitous son, and a cocky lothario teen—converge at the "thithi" (a traditional funeral celebration) of their 101-year-old elder. **(d: Raam Reddy c: Abhishek H.N., Thammegowda S., Channegowda, India/USA/Canada 2015, 120 min)**

FRI	6/3	8:30 PM	KIRKLAND PC
SUN	6/5	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**Vanity**  
 "Euthanasia comedy" seems an odd descriptor, but the latest from Swiss director Lionel Baier (*Longwave*, SIFF 2014) is a blackly humorous Christmas tale about one man's absurd journey to die with dignity. **(d: Lionel Baier c: Patrick Lapp, Carmen Maura, Ivan Georgiev, Switzerland/France 2015, 75 min)**

THU	5/26	4:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
WED	6/1	7:00 PM	SHORELINE CC



**Warehoused** US Premiere  
 A hilarious and humane Mexican take on *Waiting for Godot* unfolds when a veteran warehouse supervisor and the rookie set to take his place develop a camaraderie while waiting for a delivery that may never arrive. **(d: Jack Zagha c: José Carlos Ruiz, Hoze Meléndez, Mexico 2015, 90 min)**

SUN	5/22	9:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
TUE	5/24	3:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	5/28	3:30 PM	RENTON IKEA PAC



**Welcome to Norway!** North American Premiere  
 A Norwegian loser comes up with a brilliant plan to save his family's fledgling ski resort—turn it into a state-funded refugee center—in this scandalous comedy from director Rune Denstad Langlo (*Chasing the Wind*). (d: Rune Denstad Langlo c: Anders Baasmo Christiansen, Henriette Steenstrup, Olivier Mukata, Norway 2016, 90 min)

TUE	5/24	6:30 PM	MAJESTIC BAY
WED	5/25	4:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
THU	5/26	9:00 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE

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SAT 5/21 10:00 AM SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Antonia**

North American Premiere

This sumptuous and dreamy biopic about posthumously celebrated Italian poet Antonia Pozzi explores the artist's passions, enlightenment, sexuality, and torments as a young girl in 1930s Milan as she struggles to find her own voice in her short life. (d: Ferdinando Cito Filomarino c: Linda Caridi, Filippo Dini, Alessio Praticò, Italy/Greece 2015, 96 min)

SAT 6/4 6:30 PM SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN  
SUN 6/5 2:30 PM SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Ants on a Shrimp**

US Premiere

Charismatic Copenhagen-based chef René Redzepi, whose NOMA has been hailed as one of the world's best restaurants, embarks on the thrilling, unprecedented challenge of relocating the restaurant and its entire staff from Denmark to Tokyo. (d: Maurice Dekkers f: René Redzepi, Lars Williams, Rosio Sanchez, Netherlands 2016, 88 min)

FRI 5/20 4:30 PM PACIFIC PLACE  
MON 5/23 7:00 PM PACIFIC PLACE



**Author: The JT LeRoy Story**

Uncover the fascinating truth behind wunderkind JT LeRoy, whose tough, sordid memoirs about life as a teenage male hustler captivated the literary world—until he was revealed to be a fictional creation of 40-year-old female writer Laura Albert. (d: Jeff Feuerzeig, USA 2016, 110 min)

MON 5/30 3:00 PM SHORELINE CC  
WED 6/1 6:30 PM SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**BANG! The Bert Berns Story**

Steven Van Zandt narrates the life of Bert Berns, the influential songwriter and producer behind such classics as "Twist and Shout" and "Piece of My Heart," whose 1960s record label launched the careers of Van Morrison and Neil Diamond. (d: Brett Berns, Bob Sarles f: Paul McCartney, Van Morrison, Ronald Isley, Solomon Burke, Ben E. King, USA 2016, 94 min)

MON 5/30 8:30 PM SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN  
WED 6/1 4:30 PM SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Cameraperson**

Documentary cinematographer Kirsten Johnson (*Citizenfour*, *Fahrenheit 9/11*) has spent decades traveling the world, amassing a treasure trove of footage that she has assembled into an insightful, visually bold memoir about the power of images. (d: Kirsten Johnson, USA 2016, 103 min)

WED 6/1 9:30 PM SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN  
THU 6/2 4:00 PM SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Ceviche's DNA**

North American Premiere

Prepare for a delectable gastronomical journey through the history of Peru's most famous dish, ceviche: a simple preparation of fresh fish marinated in citrus that began as pre-Columbian cuisine and continues to inspire modern gourmets. (d: Orlando Arriagada f: José Antonio del Castillo, Victor Pimentel, Ulla Holmquist, Canada/Peru 2015, 85 min)

MON 6/6 7:00 PM PACIFIC PLACE  
WED 6/8 4:30 PM PACIFIC PLACE



**Chimes at Midnight**

Unavailable for years and now back in a brilliant restoration, Orson Welles' groundbreaking adaptation blends five Shakespeare plays into a single gritty tale focusing on the character who was his lifelong obsession, the drunken rascal Falstaff. (d: Orson Welles c: Orson Welles, Keith Baxter, John Gielgud, Spain 1966, 116 min)

TUE 5/24 7:00 PM SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**Concerto - A Beethoven Journey**

Shedding new light on a classic composer and his relationship to modern orchestras, pianist Leif Ove Andsnes spends four years attempting to understand and interpret one of the greatest sets of works for piano ever written: Beethoven's five piano concertos. (d: Phil Grabsky f: Leif Ove Andsnes, Gustavo Dudamel, United Kingdom 2015, 92 min)

MON 5/23 6:00 PM SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN  
WED 5/25 4:00 PM SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Contemporary Color**

Ten of the country's elite color-guard teams—the flag-flipping, sequin-studded crème de la crème of the "sport of the arts"—sync-steps with musical luminaries from David Byrne to tUnE-yArDs for a bacchanalia of beats, saber-spinning, and glitter cannons. (d: Bill Ross IV, Turner Ross f: David Byrne, Ira Glass, Nelly Furtado, St. Vincent, Zola Jesus, USA 2016, 96 min)

THU 5/26 9:00 PM MAJESTIC BAY  
SAT 5/28 8:30 PM SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN  
MON 5/30 1:30 PM SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**Deconstructing Dani Garcia**

North American Premiere

A Spanish haute cuisine chef whose two-Michelin-star restaurant closes must reinvent himself through a creative journey that includes finding a new location, discovering talented chefs, and developing a delectable menu. (d: Iñigo Ruiz, Alfonso Cortés-Cavanillas, Spain 2015, 72 min)

TUE 6/7 6:00 PM KIRKLAND PC  
WED 6/8 7:00 PM PACIFIC PLACE  
FRI 6/10 1:30 PM PACIFIC PLACE



**Finding Babel**

North American Premiere

75 years after subversive Soviet writer Isaac Babel's execution for supposed criticism of the Communist Party, his grandson works to piece together the story of the grandfather he never knew and understand the author's unique artistic style. (d: David Novack f: Liev Schreiber, Andrei Malaev-Babel, Antonina Pirozhkova, USA/Ukraine/Russia/France 2015, 89 min)

SAT 6/4 7:00 PM PACIFIC PLACE  
SUN 6/5 11:00 AM PACIFIC PLACE  
WED 6/8 6:00 PM KIRKLAND PC



## FutureWave Shorts / Best of NFFTY

The next generation of filmmakers have extraordinary talent and share their own unique voices. These international shorts from filmmakers 18 and under point the way to an exceptional cinematic tomorrow. (Short Film Program, 85 min)

MON	5/30	3:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
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## Horizons

An observational documentary showcasing the discipline and dedication of three generations of Cuban ballerinas, including Alicia Alonso, the 93-year-old founder of the National Ballet of Cuba who refused to give up her work even after losing most of her eyesight. (d: Eileen Hofer f: Alicia Alonso, Viengsay Valdés, Amanda de Jesús Pérez Duarte, Switzerland/Cuba 2015, 70 min)

FRI	5/20	3:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
TUE	5/24	7:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



## Insatiable: The Homaro Cantu Story

Follow the journey of famed chef, inventor, and food activist Homaro Cantu, who rose from a childhood of poverty and abuse to open his first restaurant, Chicago's Moto, at age 27, revolutionizing molecular gastronomy. (d: Brett A. Schwartz f: Homaro Cantu, Richie Farina, Angela Cantu-Reeder, USA 2016, 98 min)

FRI	6/3	6:30 PM	ARK LODGE
SAT	6/4	2:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



## Maya Angelou and Still I Rise

Made over a four-year period, and featuring interviews with the iconic writer herself, this inspirational and informative documentary uses an effective chronological approach to celebrate beloved poet Maya Angelou and her work. (d: Bob Hercules, Rita Coburn Whack f: Maya Angelou, Diahann Carroll, Hillary Clinton, Common, USA 2016, 115 min)

THU	6/9	6:30 PM	ARK LODGE
SAT	6/11	4:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



## Mr. Gaga

This intimate documentary immerses us in the beauty of contemporary dance, and gives us an exclusive behind-the-curtain look at the mind of renowned choreographer Ohad Naharin, artistic director of the BatSheva Dance Company. (d: Tomer Heymann f: Ohad Naharin, Germany/Israel/Netherlands 2015, 100 min)

SAT	5/28	3:30 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
MON	5/30	6:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



## The Music of Strangers: Yo-Yo Ma and the Silk Road Ensemble

From the director of the Oscar®-winning documentary *Twenty Feet From Stardom* comes the delightful globe-trotting story of celebrated cellist Yo-Yo Ma and his multicultural collective of inspiring master musicians from around the world. (d: Morgan Neville f: Yo-Yo Ma, Wu Man, Kinan Azmeh, USA 2015, 96 min)

SAT	5/28	3:30 PM	SHORELINE CC
SUN	5/29	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



## Norman Lear: Just Another Version of You

A look at the life, work, and political activism of trailblazing writer and producer Norman Lear, who brought prime time into the modern era in the 1970s with a string of influential shows including "All in the Family," "Good Times," and "Sanford and Son." (d: Heidi Ewing, Rachel Grady f: Norman Lear, George Clooney, Bill Moyers, John Amos, USA 2016, 91 min)

FRI	5/20	11:00 AM	PACIFIC PLACE
SUN	5/22	1:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



## Presenting Princess Shaw

An inspirational true-life fairy tale about a talented black woman from a poor New Orleans neighborhood whose a cappella YouTube performances capture the attention of an Israeli music producer, turning her into an international singing sensation. (d: Ido Haar f: Kutiman, Samantha Montgomery, Israel 2015, 80 min)

FRI	5/20	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
SAT	5/21	1:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



## The Queen of Ireland

North American Premiere  
Outrageously entertaining drag queen Panti Bliss became an accidental activist after her comments about homophobia in Ireland, dubbed Pantigate, led to international attention that helped pave the way for Ireland's historic referendum on gay marriage. (d: Conor Horgan f: Rory O'Neill, Ireland 2015, 82 min)

THU	6/2	7:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
SAT	6/4	12:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



## Red Gringo

North American Premiere  
After signing with Capitol Records in the early 1960s, Colorado-born singer Dean Reed found success at home elusive, but became a pop sensation in Latin America. While touring Chile, he underwent a surprising political transformation that earned him the nickname "The Red Elvis." (d: Miguel Ángel Vidaurre f: Dean Reed, José Roman, Gonzalo Planet, Chile 2016, 67 min)

THU	6/9	7:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
SAT	6/11	6:00 PM	KIRKLAND PC



## Sam Choy's Poké to the Max

World Premiere  
Poké is a Hawaiian fish dish known around the world thanks to the "Godfather of Poké," Food Network chef Sam Choy, who was born into a family of cooks and turned his passion into a craze that is about to take over Seattle with a wave of food trucks. Screens with *Harlem On My Plate* (26 min.). (d: Terrence Jeffrey Santos, USA 2016, 40 min)

SAT	6/4	1:00 PM	ARK LODGE
SUN	6/5	5:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



## The Seasons in Quincy: Four Portraits of John Berger

North American Premiere  
This anthology of short films, including one directed by Oscar®-winning actress Tilda Swinton, examine the life and work of British painter and art critic John Berger, who abandoned his metropolitan artistic life to become a farmer. (d: Colin MacCabe, Tilda Swinton, Christopher Roth, Bartek Dziadosz, United Kingdom 2016, 89 min)

FRI	5/27	7:00 PM	SIFF FILM CENTER
SAT	5/28	7:00 PM	SIFF FILM CENTER



## A Song for You: The Austin City Limits Story

Take a sweet-sounding peek behind the music of the PBS series "Austin City Limits," the longest-running music show in television history, which has featured many of the greatest musicians of our time—from Willie Nelson to Radiohead, Ray Charles to Alabama Shakes. (d: Keith Maitland f: Stevie Ray Vaughan, Johnny Cash, Bonnie Raitt, Beck, Emmylou Harris, USA 2016, 96 min)

THU	6/2	9:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	6/4	3:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



## Sonita

Winner of the Sundance Grand Jury Prize, Sonita is a feisty teenage refugee and aspiring rapper from Afghanistan who, after her mother announces an arranged marriage, upends the foundations of documentary filmmaking with a bold request to her filmmaker: Will you buy me? (d: Rokhsareh Ghaem Maghami Iran/Germany/Switzerland 2015, 90 min)

THU	5/26	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	5/28	1:00 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
SAT	6/4	3:30 PM	SHORELINE CC



## Tiny: The Life of Erin Blackwell

World Premiere  
In the follow-up to *Streetwise*, the 1984 Academy Award®-nominated film about Seattle's homeless youth, director Martin Bell and photographer Mary Ellen Mark revisit the film's main character, Tiny, now a struggling mother with a brood of 10. (d: Martin Bell f: Erin Blackwell, Mary Ellen Mark, USA 2016, 86 min)

SUN	5/29	4:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
MON	5/30	11:00 AM	PACIFIC PLACE



## Uncle Howard

The nephew of filmmaker Howard Brookner, whose work captured the creative culture of '70s and '80s New York City, sets out to find the lost negative of a film on William S. Burroughs, uncovering his uncle's influence on a generation of artists along the way. (d: Aaron Brookner f: Madonna, Jim Jarmusch, Andy Warhol, USA/United Kingdom 2016, 96 min)

WED	5/25	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
THU	5/26	3:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
WED	6/1	6:30 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE



**Vintage Tomorrows**

Dive deep into the world of steampunk, the subgenre of science fiction inspired by 19th-century technology and aesthetics, in this documentary featuring appearances by authors William Gibson, China Miéville, and Cory Doctorow. **(d:** Byrd McDonald, USA/Canada/Czech Republic 2015, 67 min)

SUN	5/29	3:00 PM	RENTON IKEA PAC
FRI	6/3	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	6/5	1:00 PM	KIRKLAND PC



**The Violin Teacher**

A former child prodigy reluctantly begins teaching music to youth in a troubled São Paulo neighborhood and discovers the transforming power of music, passion, and purpose in this inspiring Brazilian film based on a true story. **(d:** Sérgio Machado **c:** Lázaro Ramos, Kaique Jesus, Elzio Vieira, Sandra Corveloni, Fernanda De Freitas, Brazil 2015, 100 min)

FRI	5/20	9:30 PM	MAJESTIC BAY
SAT	5/21	12:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
WED	5/25	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**We Are X**

Hugely influential in Japan but relatively unknown in the U.S., flamboyant hard-rock band X Japan ignited a musical revolution in the late '80s known as "Visual-Kei" before ending in a tragedy-fueled split. Now, enigmatic leader Yoshiki is staging a comeback. **(d:** Stephen Kijak **f:** Yoshiki, Toshi, Pata, Hiroshi, USA/Japan/United Kingdom 2016, 89 min)

SUN	6/5	8:30 PM	ARK LODGE
WED	6/8	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**Women He's Undressed**

Director Gillian Armstrong pays tribute to Australian Academy Award-winning costume designer Orry-Kelly, a little-celebrated hero of Hollywood's golden age who adorned the stars in such classics as *Some Like It Hot*, *Casablanca*, and *An American in Paris* and was scandalously linked to Cary Grant as his former lover. **(d:** Gillian Armstrong, Australia 2015, 99 min)

FRI	5/27	1:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
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# QUICK GUIDE TO PARTIES

At SIFF we do far more than watch films, we celebrate and honor them! Throughout the festival we present all manner of special events: tributes, galas, live music, and of course films with parties, to all within the SIFF community. Who doesn't like a party with fellow film enthusiasts? Relax, unwind, and discuss your favorite films with fans and filmmakers over delectable hors d'oeuvres and cocktails.

**A TRIBUTE TO VIGGO MORTENSEN**  
Screening of *Captain Fantastic*  
SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 1:30 PM  
SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN

**AN AFTERNOON WITH MOLLY SHANNON**  
Screening of *Other People*  
SUNDAY, MAY 22, 4:30 PM  
SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN

## GALAS

**OPENING NIGHT GALA · Café Society**  
THURSDAY, MAY 19, 7:00 PM

**SATURDAY NIGHT PARTY · Indignation**  
SATURDAY, MAY 21, 6:30 PM

**RENTON OPENING NIGHT · My Blind Brother**  
THURSDAY, MAY 26, 7:00 PM

**SATURDAY NIGHT PARTY · The Intervention**  
SATURDAY, MAY 28, 6:30 PM

**KIRKLAND OPENING NIGHT · Paul à Québec**  
THURSDAY, JUNE 2, 8:00 PM

**CENTERPIECE GALA · Gleason**  
SATURDAY, JUNE 4, 5:00 PM

**GAY-LA · Being 17**  
THURSDAY, JUNE 9, 7:00 PM

**SATURDAY NIGHT PARTY · Frank & Lola**  
SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 7:00 PM

**CLOSING GALA · The Dressmaker**  
SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 6:00 PM

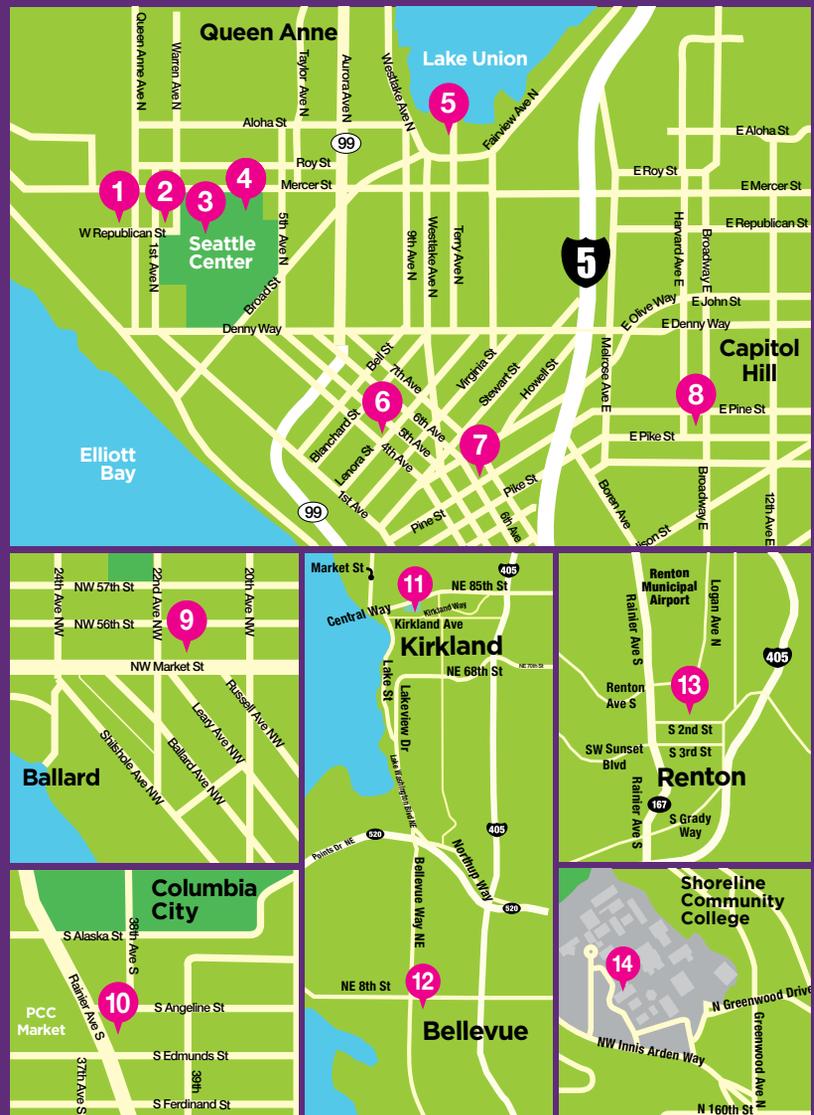
## LIVE MUSIC EVENT

**OH, YOU PRETTY THINGS!: A DAVID BOWIE  
AND GLAM ROCK DANCE PARTY**  
FRIDAY, MAY 27, 9:00 PM  
NEPTUNE THEATRE

## SPECIAL MUSIC EVENT

**THE PRINCE SING ALONG**  
SUNDAY, MAY 29, MIDNIGHT  
SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN

# VENUE MAP



- 1 **SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN**  
511 Queen Anne Ave. N.  
206.324.9996 · siff.net
- 2 **SIFF LOUNGE AT THE TRIUMPH BAR**  
114 Republican St.  
206.420.1791 · triumphbar.com
- 3 **SIFF FILM CENTER**  
Corner of Republican St. and Warren Ave. N.  
at Seattle Center  
206.324.9996 · siff.net
- 4 **MCCAW HALL**  
321 Mercer St. at Seattle Center  
206.733.9725 · mccawhall.com
- 5 **MOHAI**  
806 Terry Ave. N.  
206.324.1126 · mohai.org
- 6 **CINERAMA**  
2100 Fourth Ave.  
206.448.6680 · cinerama.com
- 7 **AMC PACIFIC PLACE 11**  
600 Pine St., 4th floor  
206.652.8908 · amctheatres.com
- 8 **SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN**  
805 E. Pine St.  
206.324.9996 · siff.net
- 9 **MAJESTIC BAY THEATRES**  
2044 N.W. Market St.  
206.781.2229 · majesticbay.com
- 10 **ARK LODGE CINEMAS**  
4816 Rainier Ave. S.  
206.721.3156 · arklodgecinemas.com  
Not ADA Accessible
- 11 **KIRKLAND PERFORMANCE CENTER**  
350 Kirkland Ave., Kirkland  
425.204.2409 · kpcenter.org
- 12 **LINCOLN SQUARE CINEMAS**  
700 Bellevue Way N.E., 3rd level, Bellevue  
425.450.9100 · cinemark.com
- 13 **RENTON IKEA PERFORMING ARTS CENTER**  
400 S. Second St., Renton  
425.204.2409 · rentonschools.us
- 14 **SHORELINE COMMUNITY COLLEGE THEATER**  
16101 Greenwood Ave. N., Shoreline  
206.546.5863 · shoreline.edu/theater

**OPENING NIGHT GALA**  
THURSDAY, MAY 19 – 7:00PM, MCCAW HALL  
**CAFE SOCIETY\***

**CENTERPIECE GALA**  
SATURDAY, MAY 24 – 5:00PM, EGYPTIAN  
**GLEASON\***

**CLOSING NIGHT GALA**  
SUNDAY, JUNE 12 – 6:00PM, CINERAMA  
**THE DRESSMAKER\***

**SATURDAY, JUNE 11 – 1:30PM, EGYPTIAN**  
**A TRIBUTE TO VIGGO MORTESEN\***

**SUNDAY, MAY 22 – 4:30PM, EGYPTIAN**  
**AN AFTERNOON WITH MOLLY SHANNON\***

**RENTON OPENING NIGHT**  
THURSDAY, MAY 26 – 7:00PM, RENTON ICKEA PERFORMING ARTS CENTER  
**MY BLIND BROTHER\***

**KIRKLAND OPENING NIGHT**  
THURSDAY, JUNE 2 – 8:00PM, KIRKLAND PERFORMANCE CENTER  
**PAUL A QUÉBEC\***

**OH YOU PRETTY THINGS!**  
FRIDAY, MAY 27 – 9:00PM, 1:00 AM MEETLINE  
**A DAVID BOWIE AND GLAM ROCK DANCE PARTY**

**SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN**

100 min.	4:30PM	Weiner	75 min.	3:30PM	Horizons
102 min.	7:00PM	The Patriarch	126 min.	6:00PM	Our Little Sister
100 min.	9:30PM	The Free World	91 min.	9:15PM	Rainbow Time
60 min.	11:30AM	3 Minute Masterpieces	89 min.	11:30AM	Ice and the Sky
100 min.	12:00PM	The Violin Teacher	102 min.	1:30PM	As Open My Eyes
85 min.	2:30PM	Rainbow Time	85 min.	4:30PM	Gold Balls
94 min.	5:00PM	Love & Friendship	108 min.	7:30PM	13 Minutes
97 min.	8:00PM	Full Court: The Spencer...	93 min.	11:30AM	Where Have All The ...
97 min.	1:30PM	Norman Lear... 97 min.	94 min.	2:00PM	SEED: The Untold Story
115 min.	5:00PM	Come What May	100 min.	6:00PM	Weiner
97 min.	8:00PM	The Violators	86 min.	9:00PM	Carnage Park
97 min.	3:00PM	Other People	103 min.	3:00PM	3000 Nights
104 min.	7:00PM	Angry Indian Goddesses	92 min.	6:00PM	Concerto - A Beethoven...
94 min.	9:30PM	The Lovers and the ...	90 min.	8:30PM	Closet Monster
89 min.	4:00PM	Illegitimate	112 min.	4:00PM	Aisha
85 min.	6:30PM	Little Men	103 min.	6:30PM	3000 Nights
92 min.	9:00PM	Tickled	92 min.	9:30PM	Motherland
92 min.	4:00PM	Concerto - A Beethoven...	80 min.	4:30PM	Welcome to Norway!
89 min.	7:00PM	Ice and the Sky	90 min.	6:30PM	Other Girls
115 min.	9:30PM	Honor Thy Father	94 min.	8:30PM	If There's a Hell Below
75 min.	3:00PM	Vanity	96 min.	3:00PM	Uncle Howard
98 min.	7:00PM	ShortsFest Opening Night	90 min.	6:30PM	Sonita
94 min.	9:30PM	Demon	105 min.	9:00PM	As You Are
115 min.	4:30PM	Coming of Age	89 min.	4:30PM	Coming of Age
89 min.	7:30PM	Action Commandante	90 min.	7:30PM	Action Commandante
88 min.	9:45PM	From Alar	93 min.	9:45PM	From Alar
90 min.	12:00PM	The Family Picture Show	87 min.	12:00PM	Girl Asleep
92 min.	2:30PM	The Tenth Man	80 min.	2:30PM	The Tenth Man
109 min.	5:30PM	Corty/Maravillosa	89 min.	5:30PM	Corty/Maravillosa
86 min.	8:30PM	Contemporary Color	96 min.	8:30PM	Contemporary Color
110 min.	12:30PM	Moon in the 12th House	110 min.	12:30PM	Moon in the 12th House
66 min.	4:00PM	The Memory of Fish	66 min.	4:00PM	The Memory of Fish
91 min.	7:00PM	The Music of Strangers...	97 min.	7:00PM	The Music of Strangers...
81 min.	9:30PM	Evolution	81 min.	9:30PM	Evolution
87 min.	11:30AM	Uncharted Territories	87 min.	11:30AM	Uncharted Territories
66 min.	3:00PM	The Memory of Fish	66 min.	3:00PM	The Memory of Fish
104 min.	5:30PM	Les Cowboys	104 min.	5:30PM	Les Cowboys
90 min.	8:30PM	BANG! The Bert Berns ...	94 min.	8:30PM	BANG! The Bert Berns ...
105 min.	9:00PM	Stranger	105 min.	9:00PM	Stranger

**MAJESTIC BAY**

4:30PM	Belle and Sebastian...	97 min.
7:00PM	The Last King	100 min.
9:30PM	The Violin Teacher	100 min.
1:00PM	Microbe and Gasoline	105 min.
3:30PM	Midsummer in Newtown	80 min.
6:30PM	Sunset Song	135 min.
9:30PM	Rosita	95 min.
1:00PM	Resilience	60 min.
3:30PM	How Most Things Work	93 min.
6:00PM	Radio Dreams	97 min.
8:30PM	The Olive Tree	98 min.
4:00PM	Zud	85 min.
6:30PM	The Weekend Sailor	74 min.
8:30PM	Tanna	99 min.
4:30PM	Other Girls	80 min.
6:30PM	Welcome to Norway!	90 min.
8:30PM	Our Loved Ones	102 min.
4:00PM	Hummus	70 min.
6:30PM	Ma Ma	111 min.
9:00PM	Little Men	85 min.
4:15PM	Home Care	92 min.
6:30PM	Spy Time	93 min.
9:00PM	Contemporary Color	96 min.

**LINCOLN SQUARE**

4:00PM	The High Sun	123 min.
6:30PM	Body	90 min.
8:30PM	The Blackcoat's Daughter	93 min.
1:00PM	The Lovers and the ...	94 min.
3:15PM	SEED: The Untold Story	94 min.
6:00PM	Radio Dreams	97 min.
8:30PM	Our Little Sister	126 min.
1:00PM	Long Way North	81 min.
3:00PM	Indignation	109 min.
6:00PM	Death by Design	73 min.
8:00PM	Chevalier	99 min.
6:30PM	13 Minutes	108 min.
9:00PM	AMAMA: When A Tree ...	103 min.
1:00PM	Foreeveryone.net	120 min.
6:00PM	Beyond My Grandfather...	100 min.
8:30PM	The 1,000 Eyes of Dr. ...	65 min.
7:00PM	I Am Belfast	84 min.
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**PACIFIC PLACE**

11:00AM	Norman Lear: Just ...	91 min.
1:30PM	Tanna	99 min.
4:30PM	Ants on a Shrimp	88 min.
7:00PM	The Architect	94 min.
9:30PM	Demon	95 min.
11:00AM	Long Way North	81 min.
1:00PM	Presenting Princess ...	80 min.
3:30PM	The If Project	88 min.
6:30PM	Indignation*	109 min.
9:30PM	The Architect	95 min.
11:00AM	The IF Project	88 min.
1:30PM	A Scandal in Paris	100 min.
4:00PM	Love & Friendship	94 min.
6:30PM	Sustainable	96 min.
9:00PM	Warehoused	90 min.
4:30PM	Our Loved Ones	102 min.
7:00PM	Ants on a Shrimp	88 min.
9:00PM	A Monster With ...	75 min.
4:30PM	Lily Lane	91 min.
7:00PM	Horizons	75 min.
9:30PM	Body	90 min.
4:30PM	The Wounded Angel	112 min.
7:00PM	Girl Asleep	87 min.
9:00PM	Alone	99 min.
4:30PM	If There's a Hell Below	94 min.
7:00PM	First Girl I Loved	90 min.
9:30PM	The Eyes of My Mother	77 min.
11:00AM	While the Women are ...	103 min.
1:30PM	Women He's Undressed	99 min.
4:00PM	As You Are	105 min.
7:00PM	My Blind Brother	90 min.
9:30PM	Geat	96 min.
11:00AM	Searchdog	88 min.
1:30PM	Eternal Summer	107 min.
4:15PM	First Girl I Loved	90 min.
6:30PM	The Intervention*	91 min.
9:00PM	Equals	101 min.
11:00AM	Seasons	95 min.
1:30PM	From Alar	93 min.
4:00PM	The Life of Erin ...	86 min.
6:30PM	Eternal Summer	107 min.
9:15PM	Sparrows	99 min.
11:00AM	Tiny: The Life of Erin ...	86 min.
1:30PM	Evolution	91 min.
3:30PM	Summer of '92	80 min.
6:00PM	Mr. Gaga	100 min.
8:30PM	The Bodyguard	99 min.

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4:00PM	Ma Ma	111 min.
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3:30PM	The Music of Strangers...	96 min.
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3:30PM	Warehoused	90 min.
5:30PM	Honor Thy Father	115 min.
8:00PM	Folk Hero & Funny Guy	90 min.
1:00PM	Long Way North	81 min.
3:00PM	Vintage Tomorrows	67 min.
5:30PM	The Final Master	109 min.
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5:30PM	Honor Thy Father	

TUE 5/31	4:00PM Sparrows 6:30PM Last Cab to Darwin 9:15PM Zoom	3:30PM Finding Kim 6:00PM Tsukiji Wonderland 9:00PM The Wounded Angel	82 min. 110 min. 112 min.	3:00PM Mekko 7:00PM The Big Road 9:30PM A Monster with a ...	89 min. 104 min. 75 min.	7:00PM Seasons 9:30PM Kilo Two Bravo	95 min. 106 min.	4:00PM Eye of the Storm 7:00PM Sleeping Giant 9:30PM One Kiss	101 min. 90 min. 102 min.	7:00PM Therapy for a Vampire 9:00PM Battledream Chronicle	87 min. 106 min.	6:00PM Aisha 8:30PM Alone	112 min. 99 min.
WED 6/1	3:30PM One Kiss 6:00PM The Olive Tree 8:30PM Murmur of the Hearts	4:00PM Checks and Balances 6:30PM Author: The JT LeRoy ... 9:15PM Under the Sun	97 min. 110 min. 106 min.	4:30PM BANG! The Bert Berns ... 7:00PM The Sound of Trees 9:30PM Cameraperson	94 min. 92 min. 102 min.	7:00PM Morris from America 9:30PM Zoom	89 min. 96 min.	4:30PM Rosita 7:00PM Summertime 9:30PM The Pistol Shrimps	95 min. 105 min. 75 min.	7:00PM Vanity 9:00PM The Eyes of My Mother	75 min. 77 min.	6:00PM Whistleblower 8:00PM Transpecs	75 min. 87 min.
THUR 6/2	4:30PM The Pistol Shrimps 7:00PM The Innocents 9:30PM The Bride	4:00PM Cameraperson 6:30PM Tower 9:00PM A Song For You...	102 min. 82 min. 96 min.	3:30PM The Sound of Trees 6:00PM Whistleblower 8:30PM Finding October	92 min. 75 min. 77 min.	4:30PM Morris from America 7:00PM Complete Unknown 9:30PM Tag	89 min. 90 min. 85 min.	4:30PM Sleeping Giant 7:00PM The Queen of Ireland 9:30PM While the Women are ...	90 min. 82 min. 103 min.	7:00PM A New High 9:30PM Spa Night	100 min. 93 min.	<b>KIRKLAND</b>	
FRI 6/3	4:00PM The Paradise Suite 7:00PM Folk Hero & Funny Guy 9:45PM Transpecs	3:30PM The Queen of Ireland 6:00PM A Song For You... 6:30PM Antonia 9:00PM Mountain	122 min. 77 min. 67 min.	3:45PM The High Sun 6:30PM A Copy of my Mind 9:30PM Paralytic	123 min. 116 min. 87 min.	3:30PM Creepy 6:30PM Burn Burn Burn 9:30PM The Brand New ... MIDNIGHT Under the Shadow	130 min. 106 min. 112 min. 84 min.	11:00AM Sand Storm 1:30PM The Bride 4:00PM Tower 7:00PM Spa Night 9:30PM Ovarian Psycos	87 min. 95 min. 82 min. 93 min. 72 min.	<b>ARK LODGE</b>		6:00PM Hunt for the Wilderpeople 8:30PM Thithi	93 min. 120 min.
SAT 6/4	11:30AM Oddball 2:00PM Burn Burn Burn 5:30PM The Night Stalker 8:00PM Lo and Behold...	12:30PM The Queen of Ireland 3:00PM A Song For You... 6:30PM Antonia 9:00PM Mountain	82 min. 96 min. 96 min. 83 min.	12:00PM Mekko 2:00PM Insatiable: The Homaro ... 6:00PM Atlantic Heart 8:30PM Before the Streets	89 min. 98 min. 87 min. 101 min.	11:00AM Paul à Québec 2:00PM The Bitter Stems 5:00PM Gleason 8:30PM Hunt for the Wilderpeople 11:00PM B-Movie Bingo ...	98 min. 90 min. 110 min. 93 min. 120 min.	11:00AM Bugs 1:30PM The Land 4:00PM A Copy of My Mind 7:00PM Finding Babel 9:30PM Stranger	76 min. 97 min. 116 min. 89 min. 105 min.	1:00PM Sam Choy's Poké... 3:00PM The Pretty Ones 5:30PM The Complexity of... 8:00PM Ovarian Psycos	66 min. 77 min. 117 min. 72 min.	1:00PM Rainbow 3:30PM Murmur of the Hearts 6:00PM Battle of Sevastopol 8:45PM The Innocents	104 min. 119 min. 122 min. 115 min.
SUN 6/5	11:30AM Rainbow 2:00PM The Brand New ... 5:00PM Paul à Québec 8:00PM Summer of '92	12:30PM Folk Hero & Funny Guy 3:00PM Transpecs 6:00PM Between Sea and Land 8:30PM Body	90 min. 87 min. 96 min. 90 min.	12:00PM Before the Streets 2:30PM Antonia 5:30PM Sam Choy's Poké to ... 7:30PM The Girl Who Saved ...	101 min. 96 min. 66 min. 79 min.	11:00AM Secret 3* 1:30PM Gleason 4:30PM Naledi: A Baby ... 7:00PM Thithi 9:45PM Trivisa	90 min. 110 min. 90 min. 120 min. 97 min.	11:00AM Finding Babel 1:30PM The Night Stalker 4:00PM Bugs 6:30PM Big Soma 9:00PM You'll Never Be Alone	89 min. 89 min. 76 min. 90 min. 81 min.	1:00PM Oddball 3:00PM Battle of Sevastopol 6:00PM Aisha 8:30PM We Are X	99 min. 122 min. 112 min. 89 min.	1:00PM Vintage Tomorrows 3:00PM A Copy of My Mind 6:00PM Much Loved 8:30PM Dawn	67 min. 116 min. 103 min. 96 min.
MON 6/6	4:00PM Alone 7:00PM Murmur of the Hearts 9:30PM The Moblathers	3:00PM How Most Things Work 6:30PM Mekko 9:00PM The Paradise Suite	93 min. 90 min. 122 min.	3:30PM Atlantic Heart 6:00PM Immortal 8:30PM The Black Hen	87 min. 90 min. 90 min.	7:00PM Women He's Undressed 9:30PM Another Evil	99 min. 103 min.	4:30PM You'll Never Be Alone 6:30PM Ceviche's DNA 9:30PM The Academy of Misses	81 min. 85 min. 92 min.	6:30PM Battledream Chronicle 9:00PM The High Sun	108 min. 123 min.	6:00PM Naledi: A Baby ... 8:30PM While the Women are ...	90 min. 103 min.
TUE 6/7	4:00PM The Moblathers 7:00PM Spy Time 9:30PM Tag	4:00PM Between Sea and Land 6:30PM Rara 9:00PM Paralytic	96 min. 92 min. 87 min.	3:30PM Nakom 6:00PM Lamb 8:30PM The Curve	90 min. 94 min. 81 min.	7:00PM A New High 9:00PM The Complexity of ...	100 min. 117 min.	4:30PM Immortal 7:00PM Marzia, My Friend 9:30PM Kilo Two Bravo	90 min. 80 min. 108 min.	6:30PM Free in Deed 9:00PM The Black Hen	98 min. 90 min.	6:00PM Deconstructing Dani ... 8:00PM Creepy	72 min. 130 min.
WED 6/8	4:30PM The Academy of Misses 7:00PM Life, Animated 9:30PM Sand Storm	4:00PM Marzia, My Friend 6:30PM NUTSI 9:00PM Free in Deed	80 min. 79 min. 96 min.	3:30PM Rara 6:00PM Death By a Thousand ... 8:30PM The Bacchus Lady	92 min. 73 min. 110 min.	7:00PM Dragon Inn 9:30PM We Are X	111 min. 89 min.	4:30PM Ceviche's DNA 7:00PM Deconstructing Dani ... 9:30PM Under the Shadow	85 min. 72 min. 84 min.	<b>SIEFF IT UP</b> MAY 18 TO JUNE 16, 2015		6:00PM Finding Babel 8:00PM The Wounded Angel	89 min. 112 min.
THUR 6/9	3:00PM Mountains May Depart 6:30PM Phantom Boy 9:00PM They Call Me Jeeg Robot	4:30PM NUTSI 7:00PM Coconut Hero 9:30PM Nueva Venecia	79 min. 101 min. 80 min.	3:30PM The Curve 6:00PM Americana 8:30PM Claire in Motion	81 min. 81 min. 80 min.	4:30PM Life, Animated 7:00PM Being 17 9:45PM Battledream Chronicle	91 min. 116 min. 106 min.	4:15PM The Bacchus Lady 7:00PM Red Gringo 9:30PM Much Loved	110 min. 84 min. 103 min.	6:30PM Maya Angelou and Still... 9:15PM Family Film	115 min. 95 min.	6:00PM Spy Time 8:30PM Sand Storm	93 min. 87 min.
FRI 6/10	2:00PM Much Loved 4:30PM The Fits 7:00PM Don't Think Twice 9:30PM Eastern Promises	1:00PM Nueva Venecia 3:30PM Death By a Thousand ... 6:00PM AMAMA: When A Tree ... 8:30PM Awaiting	80 min. 73 min. 103 min. 96 min.	1:30PM Claire in Motion 4:00PM Americana 6:30PM All the Birds Have ... 9:00PM Middle Man	80 min. 81 min. 98 min. 101 min.	4:00PM A New High 7:00PM Chicken People 9:15PM Holding the Man MIDNIGHT The Greasy Strangler	100 min. 83 min. 127 min. 93 min.	11:00AM Dawn 1:30PM Deconstructing Dani ... 3:30PM TBA 7:00PM The Scent of Mandarin 9:45PM Mountains May Depart	96 min. 72 min. 96 min. 110 min. 131 min.			6:00PM Sustainable 8:30PM Up for Love	96 min. 98 min.
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SUN 6/12	12:00PM Up for Love 2:30PM Captain Fantastic 6:00PM Being 17 8:30PM The Greasy Strangler	11:00AM A Walk on the Moon 1:30PM We the People 2.0 5:30PM Arama 8:00PM TBA	107 min. 90 min. 84 min.	11:30AM Middle Man 2:00PM 1155 4:30PM Coconut Hero 7:30PM Last Cab to Darwin	101 min. 80 min. 101 min. 123 min.	11:00AM Secret 4* 1:30PM Remember Dan 4:30PM The Scent of Mandarin 7:00PM Southside with You 9:00PM TBA	90 min. 127 min. 110 min. 80 min.	11:00AM The Coop 1:30PM Holding the Man 4:00PM Stranger 6:30PM TBA	86 min. 127 min. 105 min. 93 min.	6:00PM Frank & Lola 8:30PM News from Planet Mars	88 min. 101 min.	6:00PM Sustainable 8:30PM Up for Love	96 min. 98 min.

## AFRICAN PICTURES

African Pictures showcases the best filmmaking happening in and about Africa today. This program, made possible through the generous support of the Academy of Motion Pictures Arts and Sciences, will bring shorts and features, documentaries and fiction films to American audiences who might never have the chance to see them otherwise. This is a not-to-be-missed opportunity to experience innovative and inspiring filmmaking from across the continent.

Best of all, we're bringing many of these filmmakers to the festival with their work. So come and meet them, see their films, and hear them talk about this new international hotspot of exciting filmmaking activity.

*Action Comandante*

*Aisha*

*As I Open My Eyes*

*Atlantic Heart*

*Checks and Balances*

*Eye of the Storm*

*Lamb*

*Much Loved*

*Nakom*

*The Revolution Won't Be Televised*

## THE SECRET HISTORY OF THE SECRET FESTIVAL

The Secret Festival is exactly what it says—all screenings are secret. What we can tell you is that you need to purchase a special Secret Festival pass to attend the screenings that occur on the four Sundays of the festival at 11 a.m. sharp. You are required to sign a legally binding non-disclosure document, also known as "the oath of silence." We do not disclose the titles of the films we show before the film screening or after. In fact, we will not confirm, reveal, or discuss the showing of any films in the Secret Festival, and we require the same standard from Secret Festival members. If you ask, we will deny! deny! deny! Why? Because we show films that we are not supposed to show, films that have legal issues and cannot be publicly screened, films that have been promised to premiere at festivals later in the year, films that people may have sent us by mistake! Our Secret Festival attendees also take it very seriously and will do whatever it takes to continue the tradition. You never know what you might see at the Secret Festival. It is well worth the risk and possible reward.

## CULINARY CINEMA

Popcorn is no longer king as the phenomenon of food culture has exploded into cinema. We've selected nine extraordinary films that explore different aspects of taste and the senses for the cinematically inclined.

*Ants on a Shrimp*

*Bugs*

*Ceviche's DNA*

*Deconstructing Dani García*

*Hummus*

*Insatiable: The Homaro Cantu Story*

*Sam Choy's Poké to the Max*

*Sustainable*

*Tsukiji Wonderland*

Join us for a special Dinner & a Movie pairing at Cantina Leña.

See [SIFF.net](http://SIFF.net) for more information.

## CHINA STARS

SIFF is proud to launch the China Stars Showcase series in Seattle during the 42nd annual Seattle International Film Festival, with support from WASA North American Group and Hainan Airlines.

With the purpose of fostering cross-cultural exchange and artistic vision, SIFF has collaborated with WASA North America Group to select five wonderful feature films from mainland China to screen as part of the 2016 showcase series. These films will screen before audiences in Seattle, Renton, Shoreline, and on the Eastside at Bellevue's Lincoln Square.

*The Big Road*

*Death by Design*

*The Final Master*

*Mountains May Depart*

*Paths of the Soul*

## FACE THE MUSIC

Four out of five SIFF programmers agree that regular exposure to music and film are essential to your overall well-being. With that in mind, this year's Face the Music program has been specifically designed to provide a holistic regimen for your audio-visual health. Taken together, these remedies are guaranteed to expand your visual and sonic parameters, as well as set you on the righteous path to living a more audio-visually conscious lifestyle, with optimal aural performance.

*BANG! The Bert Berns Story*

*Concerto - A Beethoven Journey*

*Contemporary Color*

*The Music of Strangers: Yo-Yo Ma and the*

*Silk Road Ensemble*

*Presenting Princess Shaw*

*The Prince Sing-Along*

*Red Gringo*

*A Song for You: The Austin City Limits Story*

*We Are X*

**REVEALING FILMS AND DOCUMENTARIES REVOLVING AROUND HISTORY, POLITICS, AND CONTEMPORARY EVENTS FROM AROUND THE WORLD.**

This year let SIFF open you up to new experiences and give you a behind-the-scenes look at lifestyles and ideas previously unfamiliar. Meet a Seattle man who spent years grappling with his identity before bravely taking on gender reassignment [*Finding Kim*]. Experience one baby elephant's fight for survival on the African savannah [*Naledi: A Baby Elephant's Tale*], and then spend spring, summer, fall, and winter up close and personal with a bevy of nature's most glorious creatures [*Seasons*]. Dive into the video diaries of 20-something Melisa and her friends as they dissect self-confidence, friendship, and dating in the millennial age [*The Pretty Ones*] before meeting the elderly players ruthlessly competing in a senior tennis competition [*Gold Balls*]. Open your eyes and ears this year at SIFF to a collection of films ready to challenge your ideas and expand your horizons.



**3000 Nights**

A simple good deed leads to an unimaginable nightmare when a Palestinian schoolteacher is arrested for unknowingly giving a ride to a teenage terrorist in this gripping tale of injustice, betrayal, and the triumph of the human spirit. **(d:** Mai Masri **c:** Maisa Abd Elhadi, Nadera Omran, Raida Adon, Karim Saleh, Abir Haddad, Rakeen Saad, Palestine/France/Switzerland 2015, 103 min)

MON	5/23	3:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
TUE	5/24	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**The Academy of Muses**

Eclectic Spanish filmmaker José Luis Guerin inventively explores the fine lines separating fact, fiction, art, and life through the story of an ethically dubious university professor who uses the precepts of ancient literature as an excuse for his dalliances. **(d:** José Luis Guerin **c:** Raffaele Pinto, Emanuela Forgetta, Rosa Delor Muns, Spain 2015, 92 min)

MON	6/6	9:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
WED	6/6	4:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Arianna**

A gentle and introspective look at intersexuality and emotional isolation from Italy telling the story of a young woman who, as she becomes more aware of her body and sexuality, also becomes more aware that something may be amiss. **(d:** Carlo Lavagna **c:** Ondina Quadri, Massimo Popolizio, Valentina Carnelutti, Italy 2015, 84 min)

SAT	6/11	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	6/12	5:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Beyond My Grandfather Allende**

Over 40 years after Chilean President Salvador Allende was deposed in a military coup that led to his suicide, his granddaughter embarks on a surprising and heartfelt journey to uncover the sometimes-painful memories that reveal the man behind the leader. **(d:** Marcia Tambutti Allende **c:** Salvador Allende, Mercedes Hortensia Bussi Soto de Allende, Chile/Mexico 2015, 100 min)

SAT	6/4	6:30 PM	SIFF FILM CENTER
SUN	6/5	6:00 PM	SIFF FILM CENTER



**Big Sonia**

Diva. Enigma. Holocaust survivor. Work in progress. Meet 90-year-old Kansas City tailor-shop owner Sonia Warshawski. She may be just shy of five feet tall, but her enormous, sparkling personality and stirring stories of survival have earned her the nickname "Big Sonia." **(d:** Leah Warshawski, Todd Soliday **f:** Sonia Warshawski, USA 2016, 90 min)

SAT	6/4	6:00 PM	SHORELINE CC
SUN	6/5	6:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



**The Complexity of Happiness**

Enrico is a persuasive "fixer" who'll do whatever it takes to convince incompetent executives to quit their jobs before they sink their own companies, until he meets a pair of teenage orphans who make him question his choices. **(d:** Gianni Zanasi **c:** Valerio Mastandrea, Hadas Yaron, Giuseppe Battiston, Italy 2015, 117 min)

WED	5/25	8:30 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
SAT	6/4	5:30 PM	ARK LODGE
TUE	6/7	9:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**Dawn**

US Premiere

This visually ravishing farcical homage to classic Soviet cinema, inspired by an unfinished project by Sergei Eisenstein, updates a mythic propaganda story about a young boy who betrays his father as an anti-Soviet, leading to a series of tragic repercussions. **(d:** Laila Pakalina **c:** Antons Grauds, Vilis Daudzins, Wiktor Zbarovskiy, Latvia/Poland/Estonia 2015, 96 min)

SUN	6/5	8:30 PM	KIRKLAND PC
FRI	6/10	11:00 AM	PACIFIC PLACE



**Death By a Thousand Cuts**

US Premiere

The violently charged relationship between the Dominican Republic and Haiti when it comes to natural resources is analyzed through the murder investigation of a Dominican park ranger by a Haitian charcoal producer. **(d:** Juan Mejia Botero, Jake Kheel, Dominican Republic/Haiti/USA 2015, 75 min)

WED	6/8	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
FRI	6/10	3:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Death by Design**

World Premiere

With the world addicted to constantly shrinking electronic devices, unintended consequences have come to the fore, including deadly environmental and health issues that are approaching the tipping point between consumerism and sustainability. **(d:** Sue Williams, China/Ireland 2016, 73 min)

SAT	5/21	12:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	5/22	6:00 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE



**Finding Kim**

World Premiere

Seattle transgender man Kim B. spent a lifetime of struggling with isolation, drug addiction, and identity issues before finally beginning to transition at age 50. Director Aaron Bear follows the process, crafting an intimate, heartwarming portrait. **(d:** Aaron Bear **f:** Kim B., Dan Savage, Buck Angel, Carmen Carrera, Calpernia Addams, USA 2016, 82 min)

MON	5/23	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
TUE	5/31	3:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**The Fits**

Toni is a young tomboy in a black Cincinnati neighborhood who joins an elite after-school dance group with a peculiar rite of passage known as "the fits," mysterious outbreaks of fainting and swooning spells, that make Toni question how far she will go to fit in. **(d:** Anna Rose Holmer **c:** Royalty Hightower, Makyla Burnam, Lauren Gibson, USA 2015, 72 min)

WED	6/8	6:30 PM	ARK LODGE
FRI	6/10	4:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**foreveryone.net**

World Premiere

Sir Tim Berners-Lee changed the world when he created the World Wide Web in 1989 with the unprecedented concept that it should be free and accessible to all; he now emerges to tell his story for the first time and discuss new threats to internet access as we know it. Screening followed by an in-depth discussion. **(d:** Jessica Yu, USA 2016, 35 min)

SUN	6/5	1:00 PM	SIFF FILM CENTER
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**Full Court: The Spencer Haywood Story** World Premiere  
Recently inducted into the Naismith Hall of Fame, Seattle SuperSonics legend Spencer Haywood overcame extreme poverty and racism to rise from picking cotton as a child in Silver City, Mississippi to changing the face of professional basketball. **(d: Martin Spirit f: Spencer Haywood, Charles Barkley, Pat Riley, Lenny Wilkens, Chuck D, USA 2016, 90 min)**

SAT	5/21	8:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	5/22	2:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Gleason**  
Director Clay Tweel delivers a bold and moving portrait of beloved New Orleans Saints player Steve Gleason, who at age 34 was diagnosed with a neurodegenerative disease and courageously filmed his journey for the public eye. **(d: Clay Tweel f: Steve Gleason, Michel Gleason, Rivers Gleason, USA 2016, 110 min)**

SAT	6/4	5:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
SUN	6/5	1:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**Gold Balls** World Premiere  
A growing group of active seniors are taking the sport of tennis to the next level with Ultra Senior tennis, where octogenarians train like young pros, travel like itinerant rock bands, and vie for the prize of the "Gold Ball" trophy, illustrating the agelessness of the human spirit. **(d: Kate Dandel, USA 2016, 85 min)**

SAT	5/21	4:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	5/22	12:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Home Care**  
This year's official Oscar® submission from the Czech Republic is the bittersweet tale of a home-care nurse with a variety of charmingly eccentric patients who is forced to step outside her comfort zone after realizing that she too could use some care. **(d: Slávek Horák c: Alena Mihulová, Boleslav Polívka, Czech Republic/Slovakia 2015, 92 min)**

TUE	5/24	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
THU	5/26	4:15 PM	MAJESTIC BAY
TUE	5/31	6:30 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE



**How Most Things Work** US Premiere  
When her father passes away, sheltered Celina takes over his job as a traveling encyclopedia salesperson, training with a veteran saleswoman and setting out on her first road trip in order to earn enough money to travel to Italy and find her mother. **(d: Fernando Salem c: Verónica Gerez, Pilar Gamboa, Marilú Marini, Argentina 2015, 93 min)**

SAT	5/21	5:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	5/22	3:30 PM	MAJESTIC BAY
MON	6/6	3:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**The IF Project** World Premiere  
A compassionate Seattle police officer creates a unique writing program along with a group of inmates at a maximum-security women's prison, challenging them to answer a simple question with a difficult answer: What if things had been different? **(d: Kathryn Horan f: Kim Bogucki, Renata Abramson, Tiffany Doll, USA 2016, 88 min)**

SAT	5/21	3:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
SUN	5/22	11:00 AM	PACIFIC PLACE



**The Innocents**  
French filmmaker Anne Fontaine's deeply moving new drama takes place in 1945 Poland, where a young French Red Cross doctor discovers an order of Benedictine nuns searching for help and redemption after a series of assaults by the "liberating" Red Army. **(d: Anne Fontaine c: Lou de Laâge, Agata Kulesza, Agata Buzek, Vincent Macaigne, France/Poland 2016, 115 min)**

THU	6/2	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	6/4	8:45 PM	KIRKLAND PC



**Life, Animated**  
A young autistic man emerges from his internal life after his father discovers that they can communicate through dialogue from beloved Disney films in a beautiful and remarkable story based on the best-selling book by journalist Ron Suskind. **(d: Roger Ross Williams f: Owen Suskind, Ron Suskind, USA 2016, 91 min)**

WED	6/8	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
THU	6/9	4:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**Little Men**  
Director Ira Sachs (*Love Is Strange*) explores the deepening friendship between two very different boys whose families enter into a heated and escalating battle over the rent of their shared brownstone in a quickly gentrifying Brooklyn. **(d: Ira Sachs c: Greg Kinnear, Jennifer Ehle, Theo Taplitz, Michael Barbieri, USA 2016, 85 min)**

TUE	5/24	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
WED	5/25	9:00 PM	MAJESTIC BAY



**Lo and Behold, Reveries of the Connected World**  
From the great Werner Herzog comes a beguiling philosophical exploration of how the internet and technology has changed humanity, featuring interviews with visionaries, scientists, hackers, and a group of forest dwellers recovering from "internet overdose." **(d: Werner Herzog, USA 2016, 98 min)**

SUN	5/29	1:00 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
SAT	6/4	8:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**The Memory of Fish** World Premiere  
Watching as the wild salmon he loved began steadily disappearing, retired mill worker-turned-conservationist Dick Goin decided to dedicate his life to restoring Washington's Elwha River by battling for the biggest dam-removal project in U.S. history. **(d: Jennifer Galvin, Sachi Cunningham n: Lili Taylor, USA 2016, 54 min)**

SUN	5/29	4:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
MON	5/30	3:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Midsummer in Newtown**  
In a testament to the healing power of art, a theater director unites the community of Newtown, Connecticut, one year after the tragic school shooting of 2012 to help produce a rock musical version of Shakespeare's *A Midsummer Night's Dream*. **(d: Lloyd Kramer, USA 2016, 80 min)**

SAT	5/21	3:30 PM	MAJESTIC BAY
SUN	5/22	5:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Morris From America**  
This nuanced and hilarious fish-out-of-water tale follows 13-year-old Morris, who fancies himself the next Notorious B.I.G. until his single father (Craig Robinson) moves them to Heidelberg, Germany, making him feel like a budding hip-hop star in an EDM world. **(d: Chad Hartigan c: Markees Christmas, Craig Robinson, Carla Juri, USA/Germany 2016, 89 min)**

WED	6/1	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
THU	6/2	4:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**Murmur of the Hearts**  
Taiwanese actress and filmmaker Sylvia Chang's tour-de-force family drama blends fantasy and reality for a stirring tale about two estranged siblings who reconnect through the shared memories of their mother's fairy tales of phantoms and mermaids. **(d: Sylvia Chang c: Isabella Leong, Joseph Chang, Lawrence Ko, Hong Kong/Taiwan 2015, 119 min)**

WED	6/1	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	6/4	3:30 PM	KIRKLAND PC
MON	6/6	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Naledi: A Baby Elephant's Tale** World Premiere  
More than a nature documentary, this tale of an orphaned baby elephant growing up in a Botswana rescue camp who does everything she can to survive against the odds is loaded with edge-of-your-seat moments, eye-opening information, and adorable animal footage. **(d: Ben Bowie, Geoff Luck, USA/Botswana 2016, 90 min)**

SUN	6/5	4:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
MON	6/6	6:00 PM	KIRKLAND PC



**Northern Tales**  
Teddy bears to taxis, grandmothers to growing up—these shorts from Seattle have it all. (Short Film Program, 98 min)

SUN	5/29	11:30 AM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
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### The People vs. Fritz Bauer

A riveting historical thriller in which a tenacious Jewish lawyer returns from his self-imposed exile in the aftermath of WWII, risking everything as he carefully organizes the prosecution of Germany's greatest war criminals. **(d: Lars Kraume c: Burghart Klaußner, Jörg Schüttauf, Lilith Stangenberg, Germany 2015, 105 min)**

THU	5/26	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
SAT	5/28	8:30 PM	SHORELINE CC



### The Pretty Ones

North American Premiere  
24-year-old filmmaker Melisa Liebenthal gathers her friends to reflect on modern societal pressures concerning beauty, friendship, and their uncomfortable relationships with their appearance and sexuality—especially in the age of selfies and social media. **(d: Melisa Liebenthal f: Melisa Liebenthal, Josefina Roveta, Victoria D'Amuri, Argentina 2016, 77 min)**

FRI	6/3	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	6/4	3:00 PM	ARK LODGE



### Rara

North American Premiere  
A young girl on the cusp of adolescence has her home life thrown into upheaval when her father, dismayed that his daughters are being raised by a lesbian couple, seeks to regain custody. **(d: Pepa San Martín c: Mariana Loyola, Agustina Muñoz, Julia Lubbert, Chile/Argentina 2016, 92 min)**

TUE	6/7	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
WED	6/8	3:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Resilience

Documentarian James Redford travels to San Francisco, New Haven, and Washington state as he continues to explore the cutting-edge research behind Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs), the focus of his SIFF 2015 film *Paper Tigers*. **(d: James Redford f: Nadine Burke Harris, Robert Anda, Vincent Felitti, USA 2016, 60 min)**

SAT	5/21	3:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	5/22	1:00 PM	MAJESTIC BAY



### Searchdog

Humans and canines work together to accomplish heroic acts in this doggie documentary, which follows an internationally renowned K9 Search and Rescue Specialist as he turns the "unadoptable" into the next generation of search dogs. **(d: Mary Healey Jamiel f: Matthew Zarrella, Abbe Chabot, Daniel O'Neil, USA 2016, 88 min)**

SAT	5/28	11:00 AM	PACIFIC PLACE
SUN	5/29	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Seasons

North American Premiere  
From Jacques Perrin and Jacques Cluzaud, the Oscar®-nominated creators of *Winged Migration* and *Oceans*, comes a history of Europe told through the paws, claws, and hooves of the animals that inhabit the continent. **(d: Jacques Perrin, Jacques Cluzaud, France/Germany 2015, 95 min)**

SUN	5/29	11:00 AM	PACIFIC PLACE
TUE	5/31	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



### SEED: The Untold Story

In the last century, a staggering 94% of Earth's seed varieties have disappeared, but a group of farmers, scientists, and indigenous seed stewards are waging a David and Goliath battle against the biotech industry to protect the diversity of our agricultural heritage. **(d: Jon Betz, Taggart Siegel f: Vandana Shiva, Jane Goodall, Andrew Kimbrell, USA 2016, 94 min)**

SAT	5/21	3:15 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
SUN	5/22	2:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Sparrows

The second feature from director Rúnar Rúnarsson (*Volcano*, SIFF 2012) follows the travails of 16-year-old Ari, who must grow up quickly when he is sent to the remote working-class Icelandic region of Westfjords to live with his deadbeat father. **(d: Rúnar Rúnarsson c: Atli Óskar Fjalarrson, Ingvar E. Sigurðsson, Rakei Björk Björnisdóttir, Iceland/Denmark/Croatia 2015, 99 min)**

SUN	5/29	9:15 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
TUE	5/31	4:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Sustainable

World Premiere

A vital investigation of the economic and environmental instability of America's food system, from the multiple crises we are facing—rising temperatures, drought, soil loss, chemicals, obesity—to the community of leaders who are determined to fix it. **(d: Matt Wechsler f: Marty Travis, Greg Wade, Rick Bayless, USA 2016, 96 min)**

SUN	5/22	6:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
FRI	6/10	6:00 PM	KIRKLAND PC
SAT	6/11	12:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### The Tenth Man

A genial and lighthearted affair in which a New York-based Jewish-Argentinian man returns to the Once district of Buenos Aires for Purim, reconnecting with his father, his faith, his native community, and his heart. **(d: Daniel Burman c: Julieta Zylberberg, Alan Sabbagh, Usher, Argentina 2016, 82 min)**

FRI	5/27	7:00 PM	SHORELINE CC
SAT	5/28	2:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Tippling Point

An impacting collection of shorts that will engage you with their deep emotional insight as they explore critical historical events and powerful cultural stories. (Short Film Program, 89 min)

SAT	5/28	3:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
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### Tsukiji Wonderland

World Premiere

Spend a day at Tokyo's Tsukiji Market, the biggest wholesale seafood market in the world, for a fascinating out-in-the-open view of the seafood business during the ramshackle 80-year-old complex's last year of operation. **(d: Naotaro Endo f: Jiro Ono, René Redzepi, Theodore C. Bestor, Japan 2016, 110 min)**

TUE	5/31	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
THU	6/2	6:30 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE



### Under the Sun

Despite continuous interference by government handlers, who are frequently captured on camera though they prefer to remain unseen, director Vitaly Mansky documents life in North Korea's capital of Pyongyang, and one family's training to be ideal patriots. **(d: Vitaly Mansky, Russia/Latvia/Germany/Czech Republic/North Korea 2015, 106 min)**

MON	5/30	1:00 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
WED	6/1	9:15 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Weiner

Sexts, lies, and Carlos Danger: Go behind the scenes for the most jaw-dropping political meltdown in recent history as Anthony Weiner mounts his audacious, ill-fated comeback campaign for New York City mayor. Winner of the Sundance Grand Jury Prize. **(d: Josh Kriegman, Elyse Steinberg, USA 2016, 100 min)**

FRI	5/20	4:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	5/22	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### We the People 2.0

World Premiere

Decades of toxic dumping, drilling, and mining have been destroying American small towns, and the residents have been powerless due to corporate government influence. Now, grassroots activists are leading a campaign to challenge the system head-on and save their communities. **(d: Leila Conners f: Thomas Linzey, Ben Price, Cathy Miorelli, Tish O'Dell, Doug Shields, USA 2016, 90 min)**

SAT	6/11	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	6/12	1:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



## SUSPENSE, THRILLS, AND ACTION—FILMS WITH A FASTER PACE THAT MIGHT ALSO SURPRISE YOU WHEN YOU LEAST EXPECT IT

Laughter may be the best medicine, but thrillers get the heart pumping. The hair-raising films in Thrill Me will have you on the edge of your seat: placing you along the lawless U.S./ Mexico border in *Transpecos*, the treacherous minefields of Afghanistan in *Kilo Two Bravo*, and the desert killing fields of *Carnage Park*. You'll learn more about the man who tried to kill Hitler [*13 Minutes*], serial killer Richard Ramirez [*The Night Stalker*], a nightmarish internet bogeyman [*Beware the Slenderman*], and an invisible 11-year-old [*Phantom Boy*]. Machete-wielding gang members battle for dominance, a ghost crashes a wedding, a 15-year-old Russian aristocrat goes on an adventure to find her grandfather in the Arctic wilderness, and in what is described as "Game of Thrones" on skis, two members of a 11th-century warrior clan raise swords and arrows to protect the infant heir to the throne. These films will always keep you guessing and never let you catch your breath. Don't look away or you might miss the twist!

Programmer  
**MEGAN LEONARD**



**13 Minutes** North American Premiere  
From the director of *Downfall* comes a breathtaking real-life thriller about resistance fighter Georg Elser, whose 1939 Hitler assassination attempt may have changed history—if not for a discrepancy of a few minutes. (d: Oliver Hirschbiegel c: Christian Friedel, Katharina Schüttler, Burghart Klaußner, Germany 2016, 108 min)

SAT	5/21	7:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
MON	5/23	6:30 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE



**All the Birds Have Flown South** World Premiere  
This unsettling psycho-thriller follows a disturbed man grieving for his mother who begins obsessing over a down-on-her-luck waitress (Joey Lauren Adams, *Chasing Amy*)—even taking care of her abusive, terminally ill husband. (d: Miles B. Miller, Joshua H. Miller c: Paul Sparks, Joey Lauren Adams, Dallas Roberts, USA 2016, 98 min)

FRI	6/10	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	6/11	11:30 AM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Alone** North American Premiere  
A young man finds himself trapped in a living nightmare where he is hunted down again and again in director Park Hong-min's bold, mind-altering psycho-thriller set amid the sprawling maze of alleyways and stairwells in Seoul's gritty shantytown district. (d: Park Hong-min c: Lee Ju-won, Song You-hyun, South Korea 2015, 99 min)

WED	5/25	9:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
TUE	5/31	8:30 PM	RENTON IKEA PAC
MON	6/6	4:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Americana** World Premiere  
Using the style of the paranoid nail-biters of the 1970s to tell a personal story of addiction and its consequences, this modern-day San Francisco noir shadows an alcoholic film editor as he struggles to uncover the truth about his sister's murder. (d: Zachary Shedd c: David Call, Kelli Garner, Frank Mosley, Peter Coyote, USA 2016, 81 min)

THU	6/9	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
FRI	6/10	4:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Battle of Sevastopol** North American Premiere  
An epic war biopic about Ukrainian sharpshooter Lyudmila Pavlichenko, who earned the nickname "Lady Death" for her prowess in battle, was sent by Joseph Stalin in 1942 to convince the U.S. to join the war, and formed a lasting friendship with Eleanor Roosevelt. (d: Sergey Mokritskiy c: Yuliya Peresild, Evgeniy Tsyganov, Joan Blackham, Ukraine/Russia 2015, 110 min)

FRI	6/3	3:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	6/4	6:00 PM	KIRKLAND PC
SUN	6/5	3:30 PM	ARK LODGE



**Belle and Sebastian, the Adventure Continues**  
In a new chapter of the beloved saga of Belle & Sebastian (SIFF 2014), the now-10-year-old hero and his brave, shaggy dog embark on an exciting adventure to rescue Sebastian's mom, who is lost after her plane crashes deep in the forest. (d: Christian Duguay c: Félix Bossuet, Tchény Karyo, France 2015, 97 min)

FRI	5/20	4:30 PM	MAJESTIC BAY
SUN	5/22	11:00 AM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	5/28	1:00 PM	SHORELINE CC



**Beware the Slenderman**  
An insightful, infuriating, heartbreaking, and gripping true-crime documentary delving into the brutal stabbing of a 12-year-old Wisconsin girl by her best friends, who claimed they were influenced by an internet bogeyman known as the "Slenderman." (d: Irene Taylor Brodsky, USA 2016, 114 min)

SAT	5/28	9:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	5/29	12:30 PM	SHORELINE CC
MON	5/30	12:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**The Bitter Stems**  
Guilt takes a toll on a down-on-his-luck journalist after he commits the perfect murder in a rarely seen Argentinian classic, restored in 35mm and introduced by Eddie Muller of the Film Noir Foundation—whose Noir City Film Festival returns to SIFF Cinema this July. (d: Fernando Ayala c: Carlos Cores, Aída Luz, Julia Sandoval, Argentina 1956, 90 min)

SAT	6/4	2:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
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**The Bodyguard** North American Premiere  
Hong Kong action legend Sammo Hung directs and stars as a retired bodyguard, struggling with the onset of dementia, who must take down the mob in order to save a compulsive gambler (Andy Lau) whose daughter he has befriended. (d: Sammo Hung c: Sammo Hung, Andy Lau, Zhu Yu Chen, Hong Kong/China 2016, 99 min)

FRI	5/27	8:30 PM	RENTON IKEA PAC
MON	5/30	8:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



**The Bride**  
A sumptuously shot adaptation of Garcia Lorca's timeless tragedy *Bodas de Sangre* (*Blood Wedding*) about a soon-to-be bride enmeshed in a passionate love triangle who must choose between following her obligations or her heart. (d: Paula Ortiz c: Carlos Álvarez, Inma Cuesta, Álex García, Spain/Turkey/Germany 2015, 95 min)

THU	6/2	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
FRI	6/3	1:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



**Carnage Park**  
A treat for lovers of the bloody grindhouse cinema of the '70s, this harrowing psycho-thriller stars Pat Healy (*Cheap Thrills*) as an unhinged sniper who terrorizes a bank-robbing duo and their hostage after they stumble into his desert killing fields. (d: Mickey Keating c: Ashley Bell, Pat Healy, Alan Ruck, USA 2016, 86 min)

FRI	5/20	MIDNIGHT	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
SUN	5/22	9:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**A Copy of My Mind**  
A bold hybrid of romance and political thriller unfolds in modern-day Jakarta after two lovers, a beauty-salon worker and a DVD pirate, find themselves on the run after uncovering evidence of high-level corruption. (d: Joko Anwar c: Tara Basro, Chicco Jerikho, Maera Panigoro, Indonesia/South Korea 2015, 116 min)

FRI	6/3	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	6/4	4:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
SUN	6/5	3:00 PM	KIRKLAND PC



### Demon

Weddings can be nightmarish enough without a ghost crashing the party and possessing the groom, which is exactly what happens in this darkly humorous and genuinely creepy Polish horror tale based in part on the Jewish legend of the dybuk. **(d: Marcin Wrona c: Itay Tiran, Agnieszka Zulewska, Tomasz Schuchardt, Poland/Israel 2015, 94 min)**

FRI	5/20	9:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
THU	5/26	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Disorder

Matthias Schoenaerts (*Rust and Bone*) gives a tightly wound performance as a veteran with PTSD hired as a bodyguard for a wealthy man's wife (Diane Kruger) in a sleek and tense thriller from Alice Winocour, writer of 2015 Oscar®-nominee *Mustang*. **(d: Alice Winocour c: Matthias Schoenaerts, Diane Kruger, France/Belgium 2015, 101 min)**

THU	5/26	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
FRI	5/27	4:00 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE



### Dragon Inn

One of the most influential and magnificent Chinese wuxia films of all time, director King Hu's 1967 classic returns in a dazzling 4K widescreen restoration exploding with stylized swordplay, kung fu action, and suspenseful intrigue. **(d: King Hu c: Jun Shi, Ling-feng Shang Kuan, Ying Pai, Taiwan 1967, 111 min)**

WED	6/8	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
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### Eastern Promises

Viggo Mortensen re-teamed with director David Cronenberg (*A History of Violence*) to give a daringly violent, emotionally nuanced, and critically praised performance as a bodyguard for a Russian crime family. **(d: David Cronenberg c: Viggo Mortensen, Naomi Watts, Vincent Cassel, Canada 2007, 101 min)**

FRI	6/10	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
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### The Final Master

North American Premiere  
A Wing Chun master must singlehandedly take on a town full of martial-arts schools jockeying for dominance through realistic, bone-crunching hand-to-hand combat in this action-packed film from the writer of Wong Kar-wai's *The Grandmaster*. **(d: Xu Haofeng c: Liao Fan, Song Jia, Jiang Wenli, China 2015, 109 min)**

SAT	5/28	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	5/29	6:30 PM	SHORELINE CC
MON	5/30	5:30 PM	RENTON IKEA PAC



### The Free World

Recently released after being falsely imprisoned, an ex-con (Boyd Holbrook) meets the troubled wife of a particularly nasty cop (Elisabeth Moss) and begins a sultry romance that sends his fresh start down a dark and dangerous path. **(d: Jason Lew c: Boyd Holbrook, Elisabeth Moss, Octavia Spencer, USA 2016, 100 min)**

FRI	5/20	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
MON	5/30	8:30 PM	SHORELINE CC



### If There's a Hell Below

An ambitious journalist and a nervous whistleblower meet to exchange secret information against the isolated backdrop of rural Washington in this atmospheric neo-noir of political intrigue in a post-Snowden world. **(d: Nathan Williams c: Carol Roscoe, Conner Marx, Mark Carr, Paul Budraitis, USA 2016, 94 min)**

WED	5/25	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
THU	5/26	4:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



### Kilo Two Bravo

A relentless, *Hurt Locker*-esque true story about a patrol of British paratroopers in Afghanistan who, while trying to disable a Taliban roadblock, are marooned in a minefield along the Kajaki dam. **(d: Paul Katis c: David Elliot, Mark Stanley, Scott Kyle, United Kingdom 2015, 108 min)**

SUN	5/29	7:30 PM	RENTON IKEA PAC
TUE	5/31	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
TUE	6/7	9:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



### The Land

Yearning to escape the mean streets of Cleveland, four teenage skateboarders turn to petty crime only to run afoul of a local drug queenpin. Featuring supporting work from Michael Kenneth Williams ("The Wire") and Grammy-winning singer Erykah Badu. **(d: Steven Caple Jr. c: Jorge Lendeborg Jr., Moises Arias, Erykah Badu, Michael Kenneth Williams, USA 2016, 97 min)**

FRI	6/3	9:00 PM	ARK LODGE
SAT	6/4	1:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



### The Last King

Set in the vast snowy wilderness of 11th-century Norway, this epic action adventure, based on historical legend, is like "Game of Thrones" on skis, as two members of a warrior clan raise swords and arrows to protect the infant heir to the throne. **(d: Nils Gaup c: Thorbjorn Harr, Jakob Oftebro, Kristofer Hivju, Norway 2015, 100 min)**

FRI	5/20	7:00 PM	MAJESTIC BAY
MON	5/23	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



### Les Cowboys

An inventive, dramatic update of *The Searchers* set amid France's rarely explored modern cowboy subculture, the directorial debut from the celebrated writer of *Rust and Bone* joins a father on a decades-long quest to find his runaway daughter. **(d: Thomas Bidegain c: François Damiens, Finnegan Oldfield, Agathe Dronne, John C. Reilly, France/Belgium 2015, 104 min)**

SUN	5/29	3:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
MON	5/30	5:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Long Way North

In this enchanting and epic animated adventure, a 15-year-old Russian aristocrat embarks on a harrowing and dangerous journey to the North Pole in a desperate search for her explorer grandfather and his famous ship. Dubbed in English. **(d: Rémi Chayé v: Chloé Dunn, Vivienne Vermes, France/Denmark 2015, 81 min)**

SAT	5/21	11:00 AM	PACIFIC PLACE
SUN	5/22	1:00 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
SUN	5/29	1:00 PM	RENTON IKEA PAC



### The Lord of the Rings: The Return of the King

Peter Jackson's landmark *Lord of the Rings* trilogy comes to a rousing conclusion as the remaining members of the Fellowship converge upon Minas Tirith and Mount Doom for the final battle to destroy the One Ring. Winner of 11 Academy Awards®. **(d: Peter Jackson c: Viggo Mortensen, Elijah Wood, Ian McKellen, USA 2003, 201 min)**

SAT	6/11	11:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
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### The Mobfathers

Brimming with bloody underworld intrigue, the latest from Hong Kong's Herman Yau chronicles the battle for supremacy among five power-hungry gangsters vying to replace the ailing, seemingly omnipotent triad Godfather (Anthony Wong). **(d: Herman Yau c: Chapman To, Gregory Wong, Anthony Wong, Hong Kong 2016, 94 min)**

MON	6/6	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
TUE	6/7	4:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### A Monster With a Thousand Heads

After medical care is refused for her terminally ill husband, a distraught woman fights the system in increasingly violent ways in this sociopolitical revenge thriller that tackles head-on the faceless bureaucracy and greed of the insurance industry. **(d: Rodrigo Plá c: Jana Raluy, Sebastian Aguirre, Emilio Echevarria, Mexico 2015, 75 min)**

MON	5/23	9:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
TUE	5/31	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### A New High

An inspiring documentary following ex-Army Ranger Mike Johnson, who enriches the lives of a group of recovering addicts at Seattle's Union Gospel Mission by encouraging them to join him on a mission of personal discovery and redemption—climbing to the 14,400-foot summit of Mt. Rainier. **(d: Samuel Miron, Stephen Scott Scarpulla, USA 2015, 100 min)**

THU	6/2	7:00 PM	SHORELINE CC
TUE	6/7	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
FRI	6/10	4:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**The Night Stalker** World Premiere  
This penetrating psychological thriller from Seattle's Megan Griffiths (*Lucky Them*) features a spine-chillingly magnetic performance from Lou Diamond Phillips as death-row inmate Richard Ramirez, California's notorious serial killer. **(d: Megan Griffiths c: Lou Diamond Phillips, Bellamy Young, Chelle Sherrill, USA 2016, 89 min)**

SAT	6/4	5:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	6/5	1:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



**Our Kind of Traitor**  
Ewan McGregor and Naomie Harris star as a couple who find themselves as pawns in a game between the Russian Mafia and the British Secret Service in this gripping spy thriller based on the novel by bestselling author John Le Carré (*"Tinker Tailor Soldier Spy"*). **(d: Susanna White c: Ewan McGregor, Naomie Harris, Damian Lewis, USA 2016, 107 min)**

SUN	5/29	7:15 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
MON	5/30	2:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Paralytic** World Premiere  
After being betrayed by a ruthless drug cartel, a high-end contract killer known as "The Ghost" plans to bring down their vast financial holdings, resulting in a mysterious puzzle that a small-town Washington sheriff must solve in order to stop untold horrors. **(d: Joey Johnson c: David S. Hogan, Darlene Sellers, Angela DiMarco, D'Angelo Midilli, USA 2016, 87 min)**

FRI	6/3	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
TUE	6/7	9:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Phantom Boy**  
The Academy Award®-nominated makers of *A Cat in Paris* introduce a new animated superhero: an 11-year-old boy who can leave his body as a ghostly apparition and helps a wheelchair-bound cop save New York City from a sinister mob kingpin. **(d: Jean-Loup Felicioli, Alain Gagnol v: Edouard Baer, Jean-Pierre Marielle, Audrey Tautou, France/Belgium 2015, 84 min)**

MON	5/30	11:00 AM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
THU	6/9	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Summer of '92** North American Premiere  
The Danish national football team, a group of ragtag underdogs already knocked out in the 1992 UEFA Euro playoffs, must pull themselves together in only a week when another country forfeits their spot in this *Full Monty* for footballers. **(d: Kasper Barfoed c: Ulrich Thomsen, Mikkel Boe Følsgaard, Denmark/United Kingdom 2016, 90 min)**

MON	5/30	3:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
SAT	6/4	1:00 PM	SHORELINE CC
SUN	6/5	8:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Transpecos**  
Three United States Border Patrol agents working at a remote desert checkpoint find themselves in a nail-biting situation and at odds with one another when a routine vehicle inspection reveals an insidious plot within their ranks. **(d: Greg Kwedar c: Johnny Simmons, Gabriel Luna, Clifton Collins Jr., USA 2016, 87 min)**

WED	6/1	8:00 PM	RENTON IKEA PAC
FRI	6/3	9:45 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	6/5	3:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Trivisa**  
A trio of directors helmed this noir about three notorious Chinese criminals who cross over into Hong Kong to make their fortune in the days leading up to the 1997 British handover of the territory. Produced by master filmmaker Johnnie To (*Drug War*). **(d: Frank Hui, Jevons Au, Vicky Wong c: Lam Ka Tung, Richie Jen, Jordan Chan, Hong Kong/China 2016, 97 min)**

SAT	6/4	8:30 PM	SHORELINE CC
SUN	6/5	9:45 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**While the Women Are Sleeping** North American Premiere  
The latest from Wayne Wang (*The Joy Luck Club*, *Smoke*) is a suspenseful psychological thriller in which a novelist stumbles upon a twisted plot when he makes fast friends with an aging voyeur (Beat Takeshi). **(d: Wayne Wang c: Beat Takeshi, Hidetoshi Nishijima, Shioli Kutsuna, Japan 2016, 103 min)**

FRI	5/27	11:00 AM	PACIFIC PLACE
THU	6/2	9:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
MON	6/6	8:30 PM	KIRKLAND PC



**Whistleblower** North American Premiere  
In this thriller in the tradition of Costa Gavras' *Z* and Ben Affleck's *Argo*, a Filipino accountant, adept at finding tax loopholes, turns the tables against her wealthy businesswoman employer in a far-reaching political scandal. **(d: Adolfo Alix Jr. c: Nora Aunor, Cherry Pie Picache, Angelica Panganiban, Philippines 2016, 75 min)**

WED	6/1	6:00 PM	RENTON IKEA PAC
THU	6/2	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



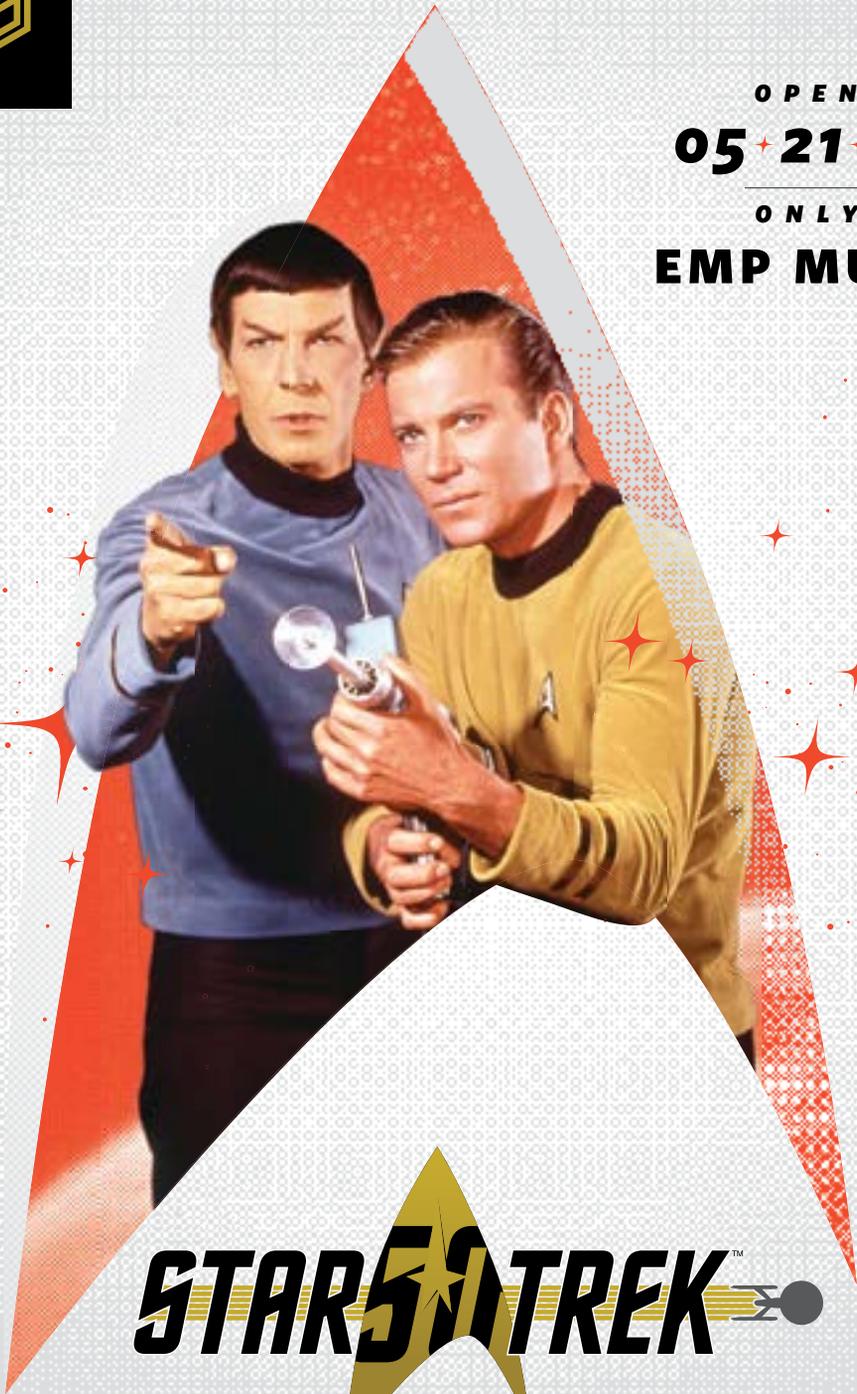
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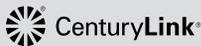


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The films of SIFF are ready to fill both your passport and your mind with stories from around the world. Bundle up and let scientist Claude Lorius teach you about Antarctic ice and the very real threat of global warming and climate change [*Ice and the Sky*] before embarking on a tense road trip through the country roads of Thailand [*The Island Funeral*]. Challenge traditions in rural Bangladesh as two children struggle to understand their place in the world [*Kingdom of Clay Subjects*], and witness what happens when modern beliefs and motherly conservatism clash in a quiet Turkish village [*Motherland*]. War-torn Nepal is the setting for an unlikely friendship between two children of different backgrounds as they set out to find a missing hen amid a fragile cease-fire [*The Black Hen*], then dip into a program of short films from Spain, covering friends, enemies, lovers and the Virgin Mary [*Corto y Maravilloso*]. By the end of this festival, you'll be a regular jet-setter.

Programmer  
**JUSTINE  
BARDA**



**AMAMA: When a Tree Falls**

The rustic Basque farming traditions of the *caserío* are lyrically explored via a family struggling to maintain their disappearing traditions in the wake of the inevitable change that comes when the lives of parents and children begin to diverge. **(d: Asier Altuna c: Iraia Elías, Kandido Uranga, Amparo Badiola, Spain 2015, 103 min)**

MON	5/23	9:00 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
FRI	6/10	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	6/11	3:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**As I Open My Eyes**

On the eve of the Jasmine Revolution, a young Tunisian woman must balance the expectations of her family, who would love to see her go to medical school, with her creative life as a singer in a politically charged rock band that is just beginning to get noticed. **(d: Leyla Bouzid c: Baya Medhaffer, Ghalia Benali, Montassar Ayari, Tunisia/France/Belgium/United Arab Emirates 2015, 102 min)**

FRI	5/20	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	5/21	1:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Atlantic Heart**

After losing their dog amid the chaos of Mardi Gras on the African island country of Cape Verde, teenage siblings Lucas and Telma begin a quest that leads them through bars, bordellos, and back streets, exposing them to the harsh realities of island life. **(d: Robbie McCallum c: Elton Medina, Aurizania Monteiro, Julio Brito, Cape Verde/United Kingdom 2016, 87 min)**

SAT	6/4	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
MON	6/6	3:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Between Sea and Land**

Winner of Best Film and Actor awards at the Sundance Film Festival, this breathtaking tour de force from actor and filmmaker Manolo Cruz is the tender story of a young man in a small Colombian village who may be immobile due to a neurological disorder, but is unbound in spirit. **(d: Carlos del Castillo c: Manolo Cruz, Vicky Hernandez, Viviana Serna, Colombia 2016, 98 min)**

SUN	6/5	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
TUE	6/7	4:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**The Big Road**

Significant for its progressive ideals, bold frankness, and striking musical interludes, this classic of Chinese silent cinema dives into life among a team of rough-and-ready itinerant highway builders. With a live score performed by Donald Sosin. **(d: Sun Yu c: Chen Yanyan, Zheng Junli, Li Lili, China 1935, 104 min)**

TUE	5/31	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
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**The Black Hen**

In a Nepalese village ravaged by civil war, two boys from different castes become close friends while bonding over raising an egg-laying hen, but find their plans derailed and their lives upended as they become caught in a clash between fighting forces. **(d: Min Bahadur Bham c: Khadka Raj Nepali, Sukra Raj Royaka, Jit Bahadur Malla, Nepal/Germany/France 2015, 90 min)**

MON	6/6	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
TUE	6/7	9:00 PM	ARK LODGE



**Checks and Balances**

North American Premiere

Experience firsthand the struggles and triumphs of fiercely independent Algerian newspaper *El Watan*, whose staff have been targets of attacks from both the government and Islamist insurgents, but who continue to fight for freedom of the press. **(d: Malek Bensmail f: Omar Belhouchet, Hacène Ouali, Hassene Moali, Algeria/France 2015, 97 min)**

MON	5/30	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
WED	6/1	4:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**The Coop**

World Premiere

In a Turkish mountain village in the 1950s, Saniye develops fatal tuberculosis and suggests her husband take another wife for the good of the family. Six months later she is mysteriously cured and returns to her family's home—and her husband's new wife. **(d: Ufuk Bayraktar c: Ufuk Bayraktar, Hasibe Eren, Selen Domaç, Turkey 2016, 86 min)**

SAT	6/11	8:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	6/12	11:00 AM	PACIFIC PLACE



**Corto y Maravilloso**

Friends. Enemies. Lovers. The Virgin Mary. Olé! (Short Film Program, 89 min)

SAT	5/28	5:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
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**The Curve**

North American Premiere

Three displaced souls—a reticent Palestinian, a talkative divorcee heading to Syria, and a Lebanese TV director—embark on a journey across Jordan in a VW minivan while discussing their troubled pasts, fears, and hopes for the future. **(d: Rifqi Assaf c: Ashraf Barhoum, Fatina Laila, Mazen Moudam, Jordan/France/Egypt/United Arab Emirates 2015, 80 min)**

TUE	6/7	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
THU	6/9	3:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Dead Slow Ahead**

Climb aboard the freighter ship *Fair Lady* on its two-month trip across the Atlantic, captured in a style that blurs the lines between cinéma vérité and dystopian science fiction for a meditative, fascinating, and lusciously cinematic voyage. **(d: Mauro Herce Spain/France 2015, 76 min)**

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SAT	5/21	9:00 PM	SIFF FILM CENTER
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**The Girl Who Saved My Life**

When a documentary filmmaker returns to his native Kurdistan to document the refugees fleeing ISIS, he happens upon an abandoned 11-year-old girl lying in pain in the scorching heat and makes a fateful decision, which ends up shaping both their lives. **(d: Hogir Hirori f: Souad, Besma, Wesila, Hanifa, Sweden 2016, 79 min)**

SUN	5/29	7:00 PM	SIFF FILM CENTER
SUN	6/5	7:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Hummus** World Premiere  
Travel around the world and across religious and cultural divides to discover the origins of the nutritious chickpea dish, and meet a diverse group of hummus disciples, including those vying to create the "World's Largest Serving of Hummus." (d: Oren Rosenfeld, Israel 2016, 70 min)

TUE	5/24	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
WED	5/25	4:00 PM	MAJESTIC BAY



**I am Belfast**  
Film essayist Mark Cousins (*The Story of Film*) enlists cinematographer Christopher Doyle (*In the Mood for Love*) for a cinematic love poem showcasing the everyday beauty of the dynamic, mythical city of Belfast, Northern Ireland. (d: Mark Cousins f: Helena Bereen, United Kingdom 2015, 84 min)

FRI	6/10	7:00 PM	SIFF FILM CENTER
SAT	6/11	7:00 PM	SIFF FILM CENTER



**Ice and the Sky**  
Oscar®-winning director Luc Jacquet (*March of the Penguins*) returns to Antarctica, this time with explorer and glaciologist Claude Lorius, to explore humanity's effect on the climate of the planet through air bubbles containing millennia-old clues. (d: Luc Jacquet c: Claude Lorius, France 2015, 89 min)

SAT	5/21	11:30 AM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
WED	5/25	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Immortal** North American Premiere  
In the deeply humane and gloriously cinematic tradition of Abbas Kiarostami, this story of a guilt-ridden old man and his grandson is also an affecting meditation on those things that make life worth living. (d: Hadi Mohaghegh c: Yadollah Shadmani, Iran 2015, 90 min)

MON	6/6	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
TUE	6/7	4:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



**The Island Funeral** North American Premiere  
Three Thai youth leave Bangkok to visit a long-lost aunt and end up on a mesmerizing, terrifying, and subversively genre-bending journey through the heavily militarized countryside that ends with the discovery of an unexpected new society. (d: Pimpaka Towira c: Heen Sasithorn, Aukrit Pornsumpunsuk, Yossawat Sittiwong, Thailand 2015, 105 min)

SUN	5/22	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
FRI	5/27	9:00 PM	SIFF FILM CENTER



**Kedi**  
Meet the most beloved residents of Istanbul: cats! For thousands of years these furry feline friends have had free rein over the streets and homes of this ancient metropolis, where the people revere them as spiritual creatures that bring joy and purpose. (d: Ceyda Torun, Turkey/USA/Germany 2016, 79 min)

SAT	5/21	11:00 AM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
SAT	5/28	3:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
MON	5/30	12:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Kingdom of Clay Subjects** World Premiere  
Set in rural Bangladesh, this humane look at the traditions of Indian society is shown from the point of view of 10-year-old Jamal, who is struggling to understand the ways that caste and gender affect the strong women in his life. (d: Biljon c: Mahmudur Anindo, Sheuly Aktar, Chinmoyee Gupta, Bangladesh/USA 2016, 88 min)

SAT	5/28	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	5/29	12:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Lamb**  
After he is sent to live with his uncle in a small farming village, 9-year-old Ephraim must protect his beloved pet lamb from a traditional holiday sacrifice. Meanwhile, his headstrong female cousin challenges customs in her own way. (d: Yared Zeleke c: Redial Amare, Kidist Siyum, Welela Assefa, Ethiopia/France/Germany/Norway/Qatar 2015, 94 min)

TUE	6/7	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
WED	6/8	8:30 PM	ARK LODGE



**Last Cab to Darwin**  
Proving that it's never too late to start living, this wryly comic road movie follows a 70-year-old taxi driver who, after discovering he has terminal cancer, embarks on an eye-opening journey across the Australian outback in search of a pioneering physician. (d: Jeremy Sims c: Michael Caton, Jacki Weaver, Ningali Lawford-Wolf, Australia 2015, 123 min)

TUE	5/31	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	6/12	7:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Marzia, My Friend**  
A Finnish documentarian befriends a young woman based in Kabul with big dreams but limited options, offering a window into the struggles of Afghan women and illustrating the possibilities and limitations of friendship. (d: Kirsi Mattila, Finland 2015, 80 min)

TUE	6/7	7:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
WED	6/8	4:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Motherland**  
The traditional Turkish community and the modern individual come face to face when a progressive young woman recovering from a divorce returns to her grandmother's village to finish her novel—and her conservative mother shows up uninvited. (d: Senem Tüzen c: Esra Bezen Bilgin, Nihal Koldas, Semih Aydın, Turkey/Greece 2015, 96 min)

SAT	5/21	7:00 PM	SIFF FILM CENTER
TUE	5/24	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
MON	5/30	3:15 PM	RENTON IKEA PAC



**Mountains May Depart**  
Masterful Chinese director Jia Zhangke (*A Touch of Sin*) returns with a decades-spanning drama about a young woman who marries for money, a parable of China's embrace of materialism and the ways it has affected the bonds of family and tradition. (d: Jia Zhangke c: Zhao Tao, Zhang Yi, Sylvia Chang, China/Japan/France 2015, 131 min)

THU	6/9	3:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
FRI	6/10	9:45 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



**Much Loved**  
Banned in Morocco due to its controversial content, *Much Loved* tells the stories of four sex workers in Marrakesh operating on the margins of society. From Nabil Ayouch, the Golden Space Needle Award-winning director of *Horses of God* (SIFF 2013). (d: Nabil Ayouch c: Loubna Abidar, Asma Lazrak, Halima Karouane, Morocco/France 2015, 103 min)

SUN	6/5	6:00 PM	KIRKLAND PC
THU	6/9	9:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
FRI	6/10	2:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Nakom**  
Talented medical student Iddrisu returns to his native Ghanaian village after his father's death only to be dragged back into family obligations in an intimate yet universal story of the struggles between tradition and progress, family and career. (d: Kelly Daniela Norris, TW Pittman c: Jacob Ayanaba, Grace Ayariga, Justina Kulidu, Ghana/USA 2016, 90 min)

MON	6/6	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
TUE	6/7	3:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Nueva Venecia** US Premiere  
A stunning, lyrical portrait of Nueva Venecia, a small fishing village perched on stilts above Colombia's Lake Tota, and the resilient citizens who have managed a spirited way of life despite tragedy and devastation. (d: Emiliano Mazza de Luca, Colombia/Mexico/Uruguay 2016, 80 min)

THU	6/9	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
FRI	6/10	1:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**The Olive Tree**  
A determined young woman journeys from Spain to Germany to retrieve a gnarled, thousand-year-old olive tree that is precious to her ailing grandfather after it has been sold to an energy company, in Iciar Bollain's earthy, bittersweet fable. (d: Iciar Bollain c: Anna Castillo, Javier Gutiérrez, Pep Ambrós, Spain/Germany 2016, 98 min)

SUN	5/22	8:30 PM	MAJESTIC BAY
SUN	5/29	5:00 PM	RENTON IKEA PAC
WED	6/1	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Paths of the Soul

Chinese auteur Zhang Yang follows a group of Tibetan villagers as they brave the elements, earthquakes, and indifferent truck drivers during their gripping 13,000-mile "bowing pilgrimage" to the holy city of Lhasa. **(d: Zhang Yang c: Yang Pei, Nyima Zadui, Tsewang Dolkar, China 2015, 115 min)**

THU	5/26	6:30 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
FRI	5/27	4:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### The Patriarch

North American Premiere

Director Lee Tamahori returns to the Maori culture of *Once Were Warriors* for a family saga about an outspoken teen who dares to challenge his elders. Based on a novel by Witi Ihimaera, the author of *Whale Rider*. **(d: Lee Tamahori c: Temuera Morrison, Akuhuta Keefe, Nancy Brunning, New Zealand 2016, 102 min)**

FRI	5/20	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	5/21	1:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
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### Peace in the Middle East

The exodus of Syrian and Iraqi refugees comes with lessons of cultural integration and acceptance. This program gives a glimpse into the sociopolitical issues riddling this region. From films made by refugees to sexuality in diverse Middle Eastern societies, these eclectic stories by Middle Eastern directors will grip your senses. (Short Film Program, 70 min)

THU	5/26	3:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
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### Rainbow

A sweet fairy tale about an unwaveringly optimistic 10-year-old girl and her blind younger brother as they travel across the Indian desert hoping to meet Shah Rukh Khan, a famous and charitable Bollywood star. **(d: Nagesh Kukunoor c: Krish Chhabria, Hetal Gada, Gulam Khan, India 2015, 103 min)**

MON	5/30	1:00 PM	RENTON IKEA PAC
SAT	6/4	1:00 PM	KIRKLAND PC
SUN	6/5	11:30 AM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Sand Storm

Two Bedouin women, a teenager and her mother, dare to defy polygamist marital traditions in southern Israel. Winner of the World Cinema Grand Jury Prize at the 2016 Sundance Film Festival. **(d: Elite Zexer c: Lamis Ammar, Ruba Blal-Asfour, Hitham Omari, Israel/France 2016, 87 min)**

FRI	6/3	11:00 AM	PACIFIC PLACE
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THU	6/9	8:30 PM	KIRKLAND PC



### ShortsFest Opening Night

It is our great pleasure to open our ShortsFest weekend with this collection of superb short films from around the world that exemplify the art of storytelling in all its variety. Comedy and drama, live action and animation—these films prove that short is truly sweet. (Short Film Program, 98 min)

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### ShortsFest Closing Night

SIFF's annual celebration of the short subject finishes with a dynamically varied program examining the breezy joy and tremendous complexity found in the best short films. (Short Film Program, 89 min)

MON	5/30	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
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### Stranger

Yermek Tursunov (*Kelin, The Old Man*) completes his trilogy about Kazakh identity, in which an orphaned young boy takes to the mountains and lives among a pack of wolves in the days before WWII. **(d: Yermek Tursunov c: Kuandyk Kystykbayev, Elina Abay Kyzy, Yerzhan Nurymbet, Kazakhstan 2015, 105 min)**

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### Uncharted Territories

From as far as South Africa to as near as your parent's backyard, these films cross boundaries in surprising ways. (Short Film Program, 87 min)

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### The Weekend Sailor

In 1973, an inexperienced Mexican captain named Ramon Carlin battled boating veterans, public mockery, and the deadly sea when he competed in the first nine-month around-the-world regatta. Narrated by Duran Duran's Simon Le Bon. **(d: Bernardo Arsuaga, Mexico/Canada 2016, 74 min)**

MON	5/23	6:30 PM	MAJESTIC BAY
WED	5/25	3:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Zud

North American Premiere

In order to pay off his family's mounting debts, an 11-year-old Mongolian boy enters a semi-wild horse race, braving the elements as he gallops across the frozen steppe in this thrilling ethnographic adventure filmed in stunning panoramic widescreen. **(d: Marta Minorowicz c: Batsaikhan Budee, Sukhbat Batsaikhan, Germany/Poland/Mongolia 2016, 85 min)**

MON	5/23	4:00 PM	MAJESTIC BAY
WED	5/25	6:30 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
FRI	5/27	9:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN

**THE MOST OUTRAGEOUS, MIND-BLOWING, AND UNEXPECTED TALES IN GENRE FILMMAKING THAT WILL STIMULATE YOUR BRAIN, KEEP YOU UP AT NIGHT, OR SIMPLY LEAVE YOU HAPPILY EXCLAIMING "WTF?!"**

One thing SIFF delights in is showcasing films that will really freak you out—whether horror, sci-fi, unbelievable documentaries, or over-the-top thrillers. Catch up with Dawn Wiener in Todd Solondz's *Wiener-Dog*, and experience so-bad-they're-good movies in a whole new way with a combo of live comedy, bingo, and a screening of an outrageous '80s Indonesian action film [*B-Movie Bingo presents Rambo: The Intruder*]. Embark on a roller-coaster of laughs and screams when a family hires a rookie ghost hunter to get rid of the entities haunting their house [*Another Evil*], and see what happens when a murderous cannibal covered in grease and oil terrorizes a small city in a film that would make John Waters cringe [*The Greasy Strangler*]. Three chefs travel the world and show that there's no shortage of the weirdness real life dishes out, as they try to find new ways of making insects into a delectable cuisine [*Bugs*], and an ad recruiting young males for a tickling competition sparks litigation, harassment, and a series of events too bizarre to make up [*Tickled*]. Experience the wild, the titillating, the fantastic, and more with SIFF's section of truly WTF films.



**The 1,000 Eyes of Dr. Maddin** US Premiere  
The films of Guy Maddin are as deliriously eccentric and mildly perverse as the man himself, whose singular career and cornucopia of influences are explored in interviews alongside kindred spirits like the Quay Brothers, John Waters, Udo Kier, and Isabella Rossellini. (d: Yves Montmayeur, France 2015, 65 min)

SAT	6/4	9:00 PM	SIFF FILM CENTER
SUN	6/5	8:30 PM	SIFF FILM CENTER



**Animation4Adults**  
This year's animated package travels space and time to bring you bold, startling, new visions. (Short Film Program, 91 min)

SUN	5/29	9:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
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**Another Evil**  
After discovering the undead living in their vacation home, a worried dad (Steve Zissis, "Togetherness") hires an "industrial-grade exorcist" (Mark Proksch) whose hilarious, unorthodox methods become unhinged as he descends into a demonic madness. (d: Carson Mell c: Steve Zissis, Mark Proksch, Jennifer Irwin, USA 2016, 92 min)

SAT	5/28	MIDNIGHT	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
MON	6/6	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**Battledream Chronicle**  
In a futuristic world where humans have been reduced to virtual-reality slaves, a young woman fights for her freedom in a dazzling and inventive sci-fi adventure, the first feature-length animated film from the Caribbean island of Martinique. (d: Alain Bidard v: Yna Boulange, Jacques Olivier Ensfielder, Steffy Glissant, Martinique 2015, 108 min)

TUE	5/31	9:00 PM	SHORELINE CC
MON	6/6	6:30 PM	ARK LODGE
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**The Blackcoat's Daughter**  
Dripping with gothic atmosphere and chilling performances from Emma Roberts ("American Horror Story") and Kiernan Shipka ("Mad Men"), this demonic horror tale is set at an all-girls prep school tormented by an evil, invisible force. (d: Osgood Perkins c: Emma Roberts, Kiernan Shipka, Lucy Boynton, USA/Canada 2015, 93 min)

FRI	5/20	8:30 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
SAT	5/21	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**B-Movie Bingo presents Rambo: The Intruder**  
Experience this utterly bizarre Indonesian *Rambo* rip-off while competing for one-of-a-kind prizes as the comedy team Wolf Choir presents a unique interactive blend of live comedy, high-stakes bingo, and the best in terrible action movies from the VHS era. (d: Jopi Burnama c: Peter O'Brian, Craig Gavin, Indonesia 1986, 120 min)

SAT	6/4	11:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
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**Bugs**  
A team of chefs from the Nordic Food Lab travel the world in search of the future of sustainable food—insects!—to showcase the versatility and deliciousness of grubs, ants, wasp nests, and crickets. Bee-larva ceviche, anyone? (d: Andreas Johnsen f: Ben Reade, Josh Evans, Roberto Flore, Denmark 2016, 76 min)

SAT	6/4	11:00 AM	PACIFIC PLACE
SUN	6/5	4:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



**Closet Monster**  
In this imaginative, sometimes shocking, and unexpectedly funny coming-of-age story, an aspiring special-effects makeup artist struggling with his sexuality and his fear of his macho father turns for advice to his pet hamster Buffy (named for a certain Vampire Slayer), who hilariously speaks to him in the voice of Isabella Rossellini. (d: Stephen Dunn c: Connor Jessup, Aaron Abrams, Joanne Kelly, Canada 2015, 90 min)

FRI	5/20	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
MON	5/23	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Creepy** North American Premiere  
Kiyoshi Kurosawa (*Pulse*) returns with a spine-tingling suspense thriller about a retired detective who begins investigating his new suburban neighbors after their daughter confesses to him that the man in their house is not really their father. (d: Kiyoshi Kurosawa c: Hidetoshi Nishijima, Yuko Takeuchi, Japan 2016, 130 min)

FRI	6/3	3:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
TUE	6/7	8:00 PM	KIRKLAND PC
SAT	6/11	8:45 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



**The Devil's Brood**  
From Hell itself, miniature masterpieces of terror, suspense, and the supernatural. (Short Film Program, 88 min)

FRI	5/27	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
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**Equals**  
In a future utopian society where crime has been eradicated through human genetic manipulation, two young worker drones (Kristen Stewart and Nicholas Hoult) find themselves afflicted with the "disease" of emotion and are forced to go on the run. (d: Drake Doremus c: Kristen Stewart, Nicholas Hoult, Guy Pearce, Jacki Weaver, USA 2015, 101 min)

SAT	5/28	9:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
THU	6/2	9:20 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE



**Evolution**  
Surreal and chilling, the latest from Lucile Hadžihalilović (*Innocence*) unfolds on a remote island where the children are subjected to strange medical tests, while each night their guardian "mothers" congregate on the beach for a strange ritual. (d: Lucile Hadžihalilović c: Max Brebant, Roxane Duran, Julie-Marie Parmentier, France 2015, 81 min)

SUN	5/29	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
MON	5/30	1:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



### The Eyes of My Mother

When a grinning lunatic attacks a Portuguese-American family living in a secluded farmhouse, it awakens dark desires in a young girl who begins to act on her psychotic impulses in this gorgeous, Lynchian horror fable shot in sinister black and white. **(d: Nicolas Pesce c: Kika Magalhães, Will Brill, Paul Nazak, USA 2016, 77 min)**

THU	5/26	9:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
WED	6/1	9:00 PM	SHORELINE CC



### The Greasy Strangler

A modern masterpiece of bad taste, this grotesquely hilarious exercise in juvenile depravity and cheesy gore introduces a pair of disco tour guides whose town is terrorized by a slimy maniac who crushes skulls and eats eyeballs. **(d: Jim Hosking c: Michael St. Michaels, Sky Elobar, Elizabeth De Razzo, USA 2016, 93 min)**

FRI	6/10	MIDNIGHT	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
SUN	6/12	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### In a Valley of Violence

A lone gunman (Ethan Hawke) and his devoted collie find themselves at odds with the hostile marshal of a small, dusty border town (John Travolta) in this hilariously bloody homage to classic Westerns from director Ti West (*The Inknoppers*). **(d: Ti West c: Ethan Hawke, Taissa Farmiga, Karen Gillan, John Travolta, USA 2016, 104 min)**

SAT	5/28	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
SUN	5/29	3:30 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE



### The Lure

A fanciful horror-tinged New Wave rock opera transpires when a pair of bewitching mermaids emerge from the sea to join a Warsaw nightclub act, then face some cruel, bloody choices when one of them falls in love with a handsome young bass player. **(d: Agnieszka Smoczyńska c: Marta Mazurek, Michalina Olszanska, Jakub Gierszal, Kinga Preis, Poland 2015, 92 min)**

FRI	5/27	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
SAT	5/28	4:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
SUN	5/29	9:15 PM	SHORELINE CC



### Middle Man

World Premiere

This hilarious and thrilling Coen Brothers-esque comedy of errors introduces a hapless wannabe comedian (Jim O'Heir, "Parks and Recreation") who finds himself caught up in a desert killing spree with an unexpected consequence—it greatly improves his stand-up. **(d: Ned Crowley c: Jim O'Heir, Andrew J. West, Josh McDermitt, USA 2016, 102 min)**

FRI	6/10	9:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	6/12	11:30 AM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### NUTS!

Inventive and wildly fun, filmmaker Penny Lane (*Our Nixon*) recounts the unbelievable true story of a Kansas doctor who became a sensation in Depression-era America after he claimed that he could cure impotence by transplanting goat testicles into men. **(d: Penny Lane, USA 2016, 79 min)**

WED	6/8	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
THU	6/9	4:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Rainbow Time

This provocative yet endearing comedy, produced by the Duplass brothers, introduces Shonzi (Linas Phillips), a developmentally disabled 40-year-old virgin obsessed with The Fonz, filmmaking, and getting laid, who may derail his brother's new relationship. **(d: Linas Phillips c: Melanie Lynskey, Linas Phillips, Timm Sharp, Lauren Weedman, USA 2016, 91 min)**

FRI	5/20	9:15 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	5/21	2:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Slash

Sexually questioning high-school freshman Neil (Michael Johnston, "Teen Wolf") discovers a new creative outlet when his new friend Julia (Hannah Marks, "Awkward.") takes him down the rabbit hole of online erotic fan fiction. **(d: Clay Liford c: Michael Johnston, Hannah Marks, Michael Ian Black, Missi Pyle, USA 2016, 101 min)**

FRI	5/20	4:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	5/21	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Tag

Gonzo Japanese director Sion Sono's latest starts when a busload of schoolgirls suffer a gruesome, darkly comic demise, sending the sole survivor into a nightmarish world of lake monsters, murderous wind, bloody weddings, and back-flipping pig men. **(d: Sion Sono c: Reina Triendl, Mariko Shinoda, Erina Mano, Japan 2015, 85 min)**

FRI	5/27	MIDNIGHT	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
THU	6/2	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
TUE	6/7	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Therapy for a Vampire

One night Sigmund Freud discovers a new patient on his couch, a mysterious count who has entered therapy because he can no longer bear his "eternally long" relationship with his wife, in this humorous mashup of vampire legend and neurotic obsessions. **(d: David RUEHM c: Dominic Oley, Cornelia Ivancan, Tobias Moretti, Austria 2014, 87 min)**

FRI	5/27	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
TUE	5/31	7:00 PM	SHORELINE CC



### Tickled

Male-on-male competitive endurance tickling competitions may sound like harmless fun, but a much darker truth is revealed when a documentary filmmaker uncovers the predatory tactics of an exploitative figurehead behind the bizarre yet surprisingly profitable viral videos. **(d: David Farrier, Dylan Reeve, New Zealand 2016, 92 min)**

SAT	5/21	4:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
TUE	5/24	9:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Under the Shadow

Set in Tehran during the Iran/Iraq war of the 1980s, a woman, trapped in her apartment during the bombing and chaos, worries that malevolent spirits have taken possession of her daughter, leading to a bone-chilling horror tale of paranormal and real-life terrors. **(d: Babak Anvari c: Narges Rashidi, Avin Manshadi, Bobby Naderi, United Kingdom/Jordan 2016, 84 min)**

FRI	6/3	MIDNIGHT	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
WED	6/8	9:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



### Wiener-Dog

Director Todd Solondz assembled an illustrious cast—including Julie Delpy, Greta Gerwig, Danny DeVito, and Ellen Burstyn—for a collection of bitingly comedic character studies as seen through the eyes of an adorable dachshund. **(d: Todd Solondz c: Greta Gerwig, Kieran Culkin, Danny DeVito, Ellen Burstyn, Julie Delpy, Zosia Mamet, USA 2016, 90 min)**

SUN	5/29	9:45 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
MON	5/30	4:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



### WTF?!

Think you know where you're going? Guess again. These quick flicks will make you ask WTF?! (Short Film Program, 86 min)

SAT	5/28	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
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### Zoom

A comic-book artist insecure about her chest size, an action-movie director lacking his cocksure advantage, and a melancholy Brazilian model-turned-novelist share an interconnected fantasy world in this delightfully meta comedy featuring original songs by Kid Koala. **(d: Pedro Morelli c: Gael Garcia Bernal, Alison Pill, Tyler Labine, Canada/Brazil 2015, 96 min)**

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Do you dare to take on these films? Provocative, incendiary, revelatory, these are the movies that will rock you to your core and change your world. In the documentary *The Lovers and the Despot*, a famous director and his actress wife are kidnapped and forced to work as the personal filmmakers of Kim Jong-il. In *Tower*, rotoscoped actors recreate every tense, frightening moment of the 1966 UT Austin shooting. Get dropped into the middle of fraternity hazing and male bonding in *Goat*, interview a former child soldier in *Eye of the Storm*, make trouble with the lakeside teens of *Sleeping Giant*, and experience four stories of Kazakh adolescence in *The Wounded Angel*. Enter the storefront churches of Memphis in *Free in Deed*, the Tulsa homeless camps of *Mekko*, and the ancient Jerusalem graveyard of *Mountain*. And in *The Revolution Won't Be Televised*, join the youth-led resistance against the standing president of Senegal. Ready to have your world challenged? Pick one of these films. Go on. We dare you.



**11:55**  
Featuring many of the best Latino actors working today, this affecting personal crime drama is set in an economically depressed factory town, where a recently discharged U.S. Marine must square off against the violent past he'd left behind. **(d: Ari Issler, Ben Snyder c: Victor Almanzar, Shirley Rumiak, Julia Stiles, John Leguizamo, USA 2016, 80 min)**

SAT	6/11	5:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	6/12	2:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Action Comandante** World Premiere  
The family and friends of South African anti-apartheid freedom fighter Ashley Kriel, who was shot and killed by police at age 20, reflect on how he became a symbol of youth resistance in the 1980s. **(d: Nadine Angel Cloete, South Africa/Lesotho 2016, 90 min)**

FRI	5/27	7:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	5/28	12:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Aisha**  
When a Tanzanian businesswoman experiences a brutal attack upon returning to her home village, she discovers that friends and family are willing to turn a blind eye to the abuse that women suffer and decides to fight for justice no matter the consequence. **(d: Chande Omar c: Godliver Godian, Adarusi Walii, Flora Nicholas, Tanzania 2015, 112 min)**

TUE	5/24	4:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
TUE	5/31	6:00 PM	RENTON IKEA PAC
SUN	6/5	6:00 PM	ARK LODGE



**ALT Shorts**  
History is taken out of context and the present is abstracted in this collection of shorts from the other side of cinema. (Short Film Program, 88 min)

THU	5/26	9:15 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
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**Angry Indian Goddesses**  
Riotous and refreshingly honest, this empowering female buddy comedy takes place during a beachside bachelorette party, where six women from diverse backgrounds examine what it means to be a woman in contemporary India. **(d: Pan Nalin c: Sarah-Jane Dias, Amrith Maghara, Rajshri Deshpande, India 2015, 104 min)**

MON	5/23	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
FRI	5/27	6:00 PM	RENTON IKEA PAC
SAT	5/28	6:30 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE



**As You Are**  
Two grungy male teenage loners form an immediate bond through their shared love of Kurt Cobain, pot-smoking, and skipping school, then add a female friend to the mix, in this atmospheric teen-angst drama-cum-mystery tale set in the early '90s. **(d: Miles Joris-Peyrafitte c: Owen Campbell, Charlie Heaton, Amanda Stenberg, USA 2016, 105 min)**

THU	5/26	9:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
FRI	5/27	4:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



**Awaiting** North American Premiere  
This poignant exploration of the emotionally fraught business of trans-national adoption follows a middle-aged Spanish couple on a journey to bring home an orphan from Lithuania, where the indifference and bureaucracy of the process puts a strain on their relationship. **(d: Daniela Fejerman c: Nora Navas, Francesc Garrido, Spain/Lithuania 2015, 96 min)**

FRI	6/10	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	6/11	1:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



**The Bacchus Lady** North American Premiere  
An elderly prostitute attracts johns in the wealthy parts of Seoul, arranging quickie motel trysts, in director E J-yong's sympathetic portrait that shines a light on the darker side of a real and growing underground industry in South Korea. **(d: E J-yong c: Youn Yuh-jung, Chon Moo-song, Yoon Kye-sang, South Korea 2016, 110 min)**

WED	6/8	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
THU	6/9	4:15 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



**Before the Streets** US Premiere  
Gripping and spiritual, the first film set among the Atikamekw communities of Québec, featuring an indigenous cast speaking in their native tongue, is the redemptive story of a young man who returns to his Native traditions after a robbery ends in tragedy. **(d: Chloé Leriche c: Rykko Bellemare, Jacques Newwashish, Kwena Bellemare Boivin, Canada (Québec) 2016, 97 min)**

SAT	6/4	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	6/5	12:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Body**  
The stories of a hardened coroner, his angsty teen daughter, and a supernaturally inclined therapist who claims she can communicate with the dead are intertwined for a complex tale of loneliness and belief, infused with a strong dose of black humor. **(d: Malgorzata Szumowska c: Janusz Gajos, Maja Ostaszewska, Juslyna Suwala, Poland 2015, 90 min)**

FRI	5/20	6:30 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
TUE	5/24	9:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
SUN	6/5	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Chevalier**  
While sailing together in the middle of the Aegean Sea, six male friends engage in a series of escalating contests of manhood—from assembling IKEA furniture to comparing erections—in an absurdist farce of male ego from the director of *Attenberg*. **(d: Athina Rachel Tsangari c: Yorgos Kendros, Panos Koronis, Vangelis Mourikis, Greece 2015, 99 min)**

SUN	5/22	8:00 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
WED	5/25	9:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



**Chucks**  
Live. Love. Dance. Now! A youthful romance, filled with humor, rebellion, and a killer electro-pop soundtrack, about a punky Vienna street artist who begins working at an AIDS center where she forms an unexpected bond with a patient. **(d: Sabine Hiebler, Gerhard Ertl c: Anna Posch, Markus Subramaniam, Thomas Schubert, Austria 2015, 93 min)**

TUE	5/24	8:45 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
MON	5/30	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Claire in Motion

An intimate thriller showcasing a powerful emotional performance from Betsy Brandt ("Breaking Bad") as Claire, a woman whose husband goes missing on a camping trip, leading to a search which forces her to question their life together. **(d: Annie J. Howell, Lisa Robinson c: Betsy Brandt, Anna Margaret Hollyman, Sakina Jaffrey, USA 2016, 80 min)**

THU	6/9	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
FRI	6/10	1:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Coming of Age

There is always a point in life when you choose a path to follow. (Short Film Program, 89 min)

FRI	5/27	4:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
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### Eye of the Storm

In a small African country, an idealistic lawyer reluctantly defends a rebel, and former child soldier, on trial for war crimes, and begins to understand the psychological ramifications and effects on adults who were brainwashed as youth. **(d: Sékou Traoré c: Maïmouna N'Diaye, Fargass Assandé, Issaka Sawadogo, Burkina Faso/France 2015, 101 min)**

SUN	5/29	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
TUE	5/31	4:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



### Family Film

North American Premiere  
Members of a Czech family find themselves lost at sea after a couple leave their children alone to go on vacation in this droll black comedy in which everyone, even the family dog, must face the dangers of independence. **(d: Olmo Omerzu c: Karel Roden, Vanda Hybnerová, Czech Republic/Germany/Slovenia/France/Slovakia 2015, 95 min)**

MON	5/30	8:30 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
THU	6/9	9:15 PM	ARK LODGE
SAT	6/11	12:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Frank & Lola

Michael Shannon (*Midnight Special*) and Imogen Poots (*Green Room*) share a sizzling chemistry in this romantic noir thriller about a Las Vegas chef whose increasing possessiveness sends him on an irrational quest for revenge, uncovering surprising details about his lover's past. **(d: Matthew Ross c: Michael Shannon, Imogen Poots, Michael Nyqvist, Justin Long, USA 2016, 88 min)**

SAT	6/11	7:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
SUN	6/12	6:00 PM	KIRKLAND PC



### Free in Deed

This provocative drama, Winner of Best Film in the Horizons competition at the Venice Film Festival, takes place in the rarely seen world of Memphis' storefront churches, where a single mother and a faith healer struggle to cure her autistic son. **(d: Jake Mahaffy c: David Harewood, Edwina Findley, Rajay Chandler, USA/New Zealand 2015, 98 min)**

TUE	6/7	6:30 PM	ARK LODGE
WED	6/8	9:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### From Afar

A wealthy man seeks young men and pays them just for their company until he meets a teenage street thug, beginning a complex and riveting relationship based on constantly fluctuating power, obsession, and sexual desire. Winner of the Golden Lion Award at the Venice Film Festival **(d: Lorenzo Vigas c: Alfredo Castro, Luis Silva, Jericó Montilla, Venezuela/Mexico 2015, 93 min)**

FRI	5/27	9:45 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	5/29	1:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



### Goat

This realistic psychological drama is a brutal portrait of college masculinity that follows a 19-year-old boy as he pledges a fraternity and is swept up in a series of hazing rituals that become more and more insidious. Co-starring James Franco and Nick Jonas. **(d: Andrew Neel c: Ben Schnetzer, Nick Jonas, Virginia Gardner, James Franco, USA 2016, 96 min)**

FRI	5/27	9:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
SAT	5/28	9:00 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE



### Honor Thy Father

US Premiere

A thrilling suspense tale unfolds when a married Filipino couple is held responsible for perpetuating a Ponzi scheme, bilking millions of dollars out of the parishioners of their church, who immediately begin plotting violent revenge against the family. **(d: Erik Matti c: John Lloyd Cruz, Meryll Soriano, Tirso Cruz III, Philippines 2015, 115 min)**

WED	5/25	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	5/28	5:30 PM	RENTON IKEA PAC
WED	6/1	9:00 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE



### Lily Lane

North American Premiere

In this Hungarian tale evoking the enigmatic styles of Terrence Malick and Andrei Tarkovsky, a mother living on the edge entertains her young son with dark recollections of her past that blur the lines between fantasy and reality. **(d: Bence Fliegauf c: Angéla Stefanovics, Bálint Sótónyi, Miklós B. Székely, Hungary 2016, 91 min)**

SUN	5/22	9:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN
MON	5/23	9:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
TUE	5/24	4:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



### The Lovers and the Despot

A real-life espionage thriller about a famous South Korean director and his actress wife who planned a daring escape after being kidnapped and forced to work as the personal filmmakers of North Korean dictator Kim Jong-il. **(d: Robert Cannan, Ross Adam, United Kingdom 2016, 94 min)**

SAT	5/21	1:00 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
MON	5/23	9:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Mekko

In this uncompromising thriller set against the streets of Tulsa, a Muscogee Indian is released from prison and falls in with the homeless "street chiefs" at the edge of the city, struggling to find shelter, hope, and redemption among the local Native population. **(d: Sterlin Harjo c: Rod Rondeaux, Zahn McClarnon, Wotko Long, USA 2015, 84 min)**

TUE	5/31	3:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	6/4	12:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Mountain

An Orthodox woman finds her world turned upside down by the discovery of a nocturnal marketplace for sex and drugs in an ancient Jerusalem graveyard in this graceful exploration of yearning, featuring a breakthrough performance from Shani Klein. **(d: Yaelle Kayam c: Shani Klein, Avshalom Pollak, Haitham Ibrahem Omari, Israel/Denmark 2015, 83 min)**

MON	5/23	3:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
MON	5/30	6:00 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
SAT	6/4	9:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Ovarian Psychos

The Ovarian Psychos Cycle Brigade, a new generation of women of color in East Los Angeles, confront the violence in their lives, redefine identity, and build community by putting their feminist ideals in motion with raucous, irreverent activism. **(d: Joanna Sokolowski, Kate Trumbull-LaVelle, USA 2016, 72 min)**

FRI	6/3	9:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
SAT	6/4	8:00 PM	ARK LODGE



### The Paradise Suite

Set in modern-day Amsterdam, this narrative mosaic follows the interwoven lives of six immigrants, whose homelands range from Africa to Bulgaria, as they search for a better life in a world that seems determined to exploit them. **(d: Joost van Ginkel c: Anjela Nedyalkova, Boris Isakovi, Issaka Sawadogo, Netherlands/Sweden/Bulgaria 2015, 122 min)**

FRI	6/3	4:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
MON	6/6	9:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### The Revolution Won't Be Televised

US Premiere

In a campaign to unseat president Abdoulaye Wade, three young Senegalese rappers began a protest movement called "We Are Fed Up," taking their message across Dakar to spread a message of freedom and emphasizing the importance of voting through their rap music. **(d: Rama Thiaw, Senegal 2016, 110 min)**

THU	5/26	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
FRI	5/27	3:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Sleeping Giant

A cast of talented young newcomers star as three young boys—sheltered city kid Adam and wild cousins Nate and Riley—who spend summer vacation on the shores of Lake Superior testing limits with rebellious acts of stolen liquor, cliff-jumping, and infighting. **(d: Andrew Cividino c: Jackson Martin, Reece Moffett, Nick Serino, Canada 2015, 89 min)**

MON	5/30	3:30 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
TUE	5/31	7:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
THU	6/2	4:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



### The Sound of Trees

US Premiere

A raw, poignant, finely detailed portrait of a Québécois teenager who, over one long summer, will do anything—drugs, girls, theft—to escape his bucolic life and evade his fate to inherit his father's sawmill. **(d: François Péloquin c: Antoine l'Ecuyer, Roy Dupuis, Willia Ferland-Tanguay, Canada (Québec) 2015, 78 min)**

WED	6/1	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
THU	6/2	3:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### They Call Me Jeeg Robot

North American Premiere

This Italian superhero movie is no glossy Marvel blockbuster, but instead explores the grittiness of the organized crime world, this generation's obsession with celebrity, and the responsibility that comes with privilege. **(d: Gabriele Mainetti c: Claudio Santamaria, Luca Marinelli, Stefano Ambrogi, Italy 2015, 112 min)**

FRI	5/27	9:45 PM	LINCOLN SQUARE
THU	6/9	9:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### Tower

Winner of the Grand Jury and Audience Award at SXSW, this suspenseful documentary shrewdly animates several eyewitness accounts to provide a moment-by-moment chronicle of the 1966 massacre at the University of Texas, America's first mass school shooting. **(d: Keith Maitland, USA 2016, 82 min)**

THU	6/2	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
FRI	6/3	4:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



### The Violators

A teenaged girl struggling to support her siblings in a dingy British housing project gets the news that her abusive father is about to be paroled in this gritty tale of adolescence evoking the teen narratives of Andrea Arnold and Pawel Pawlikowski. **(d: Helen Walsh c: Lauren McQueen, Brogan Ellis, Stephen Lord, United Kingdom 2015, 97 min)**

SUN	5/22	8:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
WED	5/25	6:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



### The Wounded Angel

North American Premiere

Award-winning director Emir Baigazin (*Harmony Lessons*) returns with a quartet of poignant and nuanced tales about teenage boys in impoverished 1990s Kazakhstan struggling to find their way in a world of moral uncertainties. **(d: Emir Baigazin c: Nurlybek Saktaganov, Madiyar Aripbay, Madiyar Nazarov, Kazakhstan/France/Germany 2016, 112 min)**

WED	5/25	4:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
TUE	5/31	9:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
WED	6/8	8:00 PM	KIRKLAND PC



### You'll Never Be Alone

US Premiere

When his cross-dressing teenage son suffers a brutally violent attack, a mannequin-factory manager desperately seeks help and, when none can be found, is forced to take matters into his own hands. Based on a true story. **(d: Alex Anwandter c: Sergio Hernández, Andrew Bargstead, Gabriela Hernández, Chile 2016, 81 min)**

SUN	6/5	9:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
MON	6/6	4:30 PM	PACIFIC PLACE

## SIFF EDUCATION

### Camps & Youth Programs FUTUREWAVE

#### School Break Camps

SIFF Education hosts filmmaking camps for young filmmakers of all experience levels during select school breaks. Each multi-day camp is taught by a master film educator and multiple supporting mentors.

#### SIFF Youth Juries

SIFF Education annually selects seven children (ages 8-12) for our Films4Families Jury and seven teenagers (ages 13-18) for our FutureWave Jury.

#### Crash Kids & Crash Student

Crash Kids (ages 9-12) affords beginning to advanced youth the opportunity to work with a professional media educator for a day-long experience in filmmaking. In Crash Student (ages 13+), young filmmakers are assigned an experienced peer filmmaker from NFFTY

and SIFF to produce a short film using randomly chosen creative elements.



#### Cinema Education for Film Lovers

### FILM4ALL

#### Cinema Dissection

Cinema Dissection is a monthly event that affords film lovers an exciting opportunity to dig deeper into the films that they love. Over six hours, an expert facilitator will share the stage with audience observations as they work scene-by-scene through a great film.

#### Appreciation Classes

At SIFF, film experts (often professors and critics) expand film experiences with a deeper appreciation on a wide variety of film-related topics. These classes may

be single or multi-day opportunities to explore the films of specific filmmakers, genres, countries/continents, or historical periods.

#### Crash Filmmaking Challenge

SIFF Crash Cinema is a bi-monthly non-competitive filmmaking challenge, taking participants (beginning to experienced) from concept to screening in eight hours. It is about having fun, making a movie, and seeing it on the big screen. Come with a team or find a team at SIFF.

#### Professional Development for Filmmakers

### CATALYST

#### Master Classes

Designed for industry insiders and other professionals, SIFF hosts visiting and local filmmakers for master classes that illuminate and inspire.

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Our Festival Forums set the stage for engaging discussions, extraordinary demonstrations, and hands-on workshops for a variety of ages and experience levels. Deepen your connection to the art of cinema! Visit [siff.net](http://siff.net) for further information on Forums events.

## FORUM HIGHLIGHTS

**1st Weekend [May 21 & 22]**

**Master Class with James Schamus** James Schamus explores what he has learned about the film industry as a producer, studio head, sales agent and now director.

**Light the Set Up** The art of cinematography is illuminated by a panel of professionals representing the variety of jobs on a film crew.

**Getting It Done: Taking Documentaries From Idea to Audience** A conversation with

attending documentary filmmakers about the craft of documentary filmmaking today.

### Scoring the New Storytelling Frontier

This composer panel will explore the new challenges that composers face with the variety of new storytelling platforms.

**2nd Weekend [May 27 - 30]**

### ShortsFest Weekend Panels

#### State of the Short With Kathleen McInnis

From the (short film) front: five key reasons why "finding your audience" should mean more to you than just filling seats in the theater.

#### Short Film Happy Hour and Networking Panel

Make the most of SIFF 2016 and any other festivals through learning techniques from seasoned filmmakers and industry professionals on how to connect with others at the Festival.

#### Developing Audience on Social Media

Meeting your audience where they are engaging with social media is important.

#### The Art of Writing a Short

Screenwriting experts share their knowledge about taking the narrative foundation of your future short

to the next level or amplifying your short into a feature.

**4th Weekend [June 11]**

### Catalyst Film Panels

**Catalyst Screenplay Competition** A live read of the winning script with local and visiting actors.

**Can Critics Save the Movies?** It can be easy to assume that everyone's a critic. Gone are the days in which two thumbs could determine the fate of any single movie. At the same time, there is a greater need than ever for a signal in the noise that defines today's media landscape.

**Who Should Release My Movie?** All filmmakers dream of reaching an audience. Sometimes that audience is in the theater, but these days they're just as likely to stay home. In an age defined by on-demand viewing habits and the golden age of television, what's the best way for movies to find their way into the world?

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## As I Open My Eyes

On the eve of the Jasmine Revolution, a young Tunisian woman must balance the expectations of her family, who would love to see her go to medical school, with her creative life as a singer in a politically charged rock band that is just beginning to get noticed. Ages 15+ (d: Leyla Bouzid c: Baya Medhaffer, Ghalia Benali, Montassar Ayari, Tunisia/France/Belgium/United Arab Emirates 2015, 102 min)

FRI	5/20	6:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SAT	5/21	1:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



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US Premiere

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SAT	6/4	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN
SUN	6/5	12:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



## First Girl I Loved

When 17-year-old Anne falls in love with the most popular girl in school, it's much to the chagrin of her male best friend, who harbors a secret crush. Featuring outstanding lead performances, this naturalistic teen drama won the 2016 Sundance NEXT award. Ages 13+ (d: Kerem Sanga c: Dylan Gelula, Brianna Hildebrand, Mateo Arias, Jennifer Prediger, USA 2015, 91 min)

THU	5/26	7:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
SAT	5/28	4:15 PM	PACIFIC PLACE



## Girl Asleep

North American Premiere

Journal into the absurd, scary, and beautiful heart of a teenage girl's mind after a disastrous 15th-birthday party sends Greta Driscoll into an imaginative dreamworld that is weirdly erotic, a little bit violent, and thoroughly ludicrous. Ages 15+ (d: Rosemary Myers c: Eamon Farren, Bethany Whitmore, Tilda Cobham-Hervey, Australia 2016, 77 min)

WED	5/25	7:00 PM	PACIFIC PLACE
SAT	5/28	12:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA UPTOWN



## Hunt for the Wilderpeople

The latest from New Zealand director Taika Waititi (*What We Do in the Shadows*) is a heart-warming adventure comedy about a "bad egg" foster kid who triggers a manhunt when he escapes into the forest with his cantankerous new guardian (Sam Neill). Ages 13+ (d: Taika Waititi c: Julian Dennison, Sam Neill, Rima Te Wiata, Rachel House, Oscar Kightley, New Zealand 2016, 93 min)

FRI	6/3	6:00 PM	KIRKLAND PC
SAT	6/4	8:30 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN



## Microbe and Gasoline

Michel Gondry's wildly inventive and sweetly comic celebration of friendship joins two teenage misfits—Microbe, an artist, and Gasoline, a mechanic—on an unconventional road trip through the French countryside in a homemade house on wheels. Ages 13+ (d: Michel Gondry c: Audrey Tautou, Ange Dargent, Theophile Baquet, Diane Besnier, France 2015, 105 min)

SAT	5/21	1:00 PM	MAJESTIC BAY
MON	5/23	7:00 PM	SIFF CINEMA EGYPTIAN

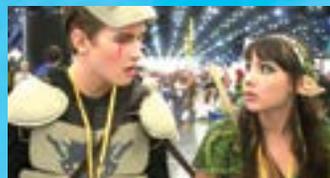


## Other Girls

North American Premiere

Based on the actual video diaries of teenage girls, this charming and energetic Finnish delight introduces four high-school girlfriends coping with romance, independence, trust, and self-acceptance as they near graduation and adulthood. Ages 13+ (d: Esa Illi c: Sara Soulié, Ida Vakkuri, Misa Lommi, Bahar Tokat, Finland 2016, 80 min)

TUE	5/24	4:30 PM	MAJESTIC BAY
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## Slash

Sexually questioning high-school freshman Neil (Michael Johnston, "Teen Wolf") discovers a new creative outlet when his new friend Julia (Hannah Marks, "Awkward.") takes him down the rabbit hole of online erotic fan fiction. Ages 17+ (d: Clay Liford c: Michael Johnston, Hannah Marks, Michael Ian Black, Missi Pyle, Jessie Ennis, USA 2016, 101 min)

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## Belle and Sebastian, the Adventure Continues

In a new chapter of the beloved saga of Belle & Sebastian (SIFF 2014), the now-10-year-old hero and his brave, shaggy dog embark on an exciting adventure to rescue Sebastian's mom, who is lost after her plane crashes deep in the forest. Subtitled. Ages 7+ (d: Christian Duguay c: Félix Bossuet, Tchéky Karyo, Thierry Neuvic, France 2015, 97 min)

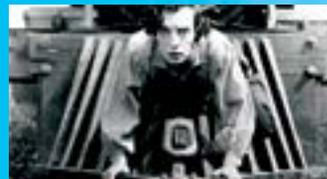
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## The Family Picture Show

Bring the whole family to the cinema for a playful set of animated, live-action, and documentary short films curated for the young and the young at heart. All Ages (Short film program, 91 min)

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## The General

Buster Keaton's iconic slapstick comedy of an engineer who must pursue his beloved locomotive straight through enemy lines during the Civil War is presented in a new 4K restoration with an original symphonic score from Studio Ghibli composer Joe Hisaishi. (d: Buster Keaton, Clyde Bruckman c: Buster Keaton, Marian Mack, Glen Cavender, USA 1926, 76 min)

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## Long Way North

In this enchanting and epic animated adventure, a 15-year-old Russian aristocrat embarks on a harrowing and dangerous journey to the North Pole in a desperate search for her explorer grandfather and his famous ship. In English. Ages 6+ (d: Rémi Chayé v: Chloé Dunn, Vivienne Vermes, Peter Hudson, Antony Hickling, France/Denmark 2015, 81 min)

SAT	5/21	11:00 AM	PACIFIC PLACE
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## Oddball

When a wild penguin sanctuary is threatened by hungry foxes, their only chance for survival might be an eccentric chicken farmer and his mischievous sheep dog in this Down Under family delight. Ages 5+ (d: Stuart McDonald c: Shane Jacobson, Sarah Snook, Alan Tudyk, Coco Jack Gillies, Richard Davies, Dave Lawson, Frank Woodley, Australia 2015, 93 min)

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## Phantom Boy

The Academy Award®-nominated makers of *A Cat in Paris* introduce a new animated superhero: an 11-year-old boy who can leave his body as a ghostly apparition and helps a wheelchair-bound cop save New York City. Subtitled. Ages 8+ (d: Jean-Loup Felicioli, Alain Gagnol v: Edouard Baer, Jean-Pierre Marielle, Audrey Tautou, France/Belgium 2015, 84 min)

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## Rainbow

A sweet fairy tale about an unwaveringly optimistic 10-year-old girl and her blind younger brother as they travel across the Indian desert hoping to meet Shah Rukh Khan, a famous and charitable Bollywood star. Subtitled. Ages 9+ (d: Nagesh Kukunoor c: Krish Chhabria, Hetal Gada, Gulfam Khan, Vipin Sharma, Suresh Menon, India 2015, 103 min)

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## Seasons

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From Jacques Perrin and Jacques Cluzaud, the Oscar®-nominated creators of *Winged Migration* and *Oceans*, comes a history of Europe told through the paws, claws, and hooves of the animals that inhabit the continent. Minimal subtitles. Ages 5+ (d: Jacques Perrin, Jacques Cluzaud, France/Germany 2015, 96 min)

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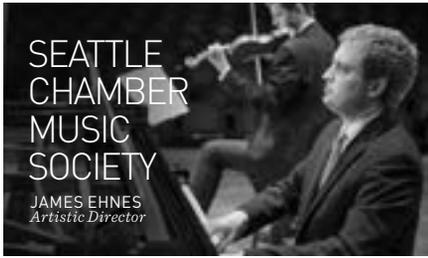
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