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We look forward to welcoming you at the German MIFA booth # C.12



FEATURE FILMS IN COMPETITION

LA SIRÈNE THE SIREN

Sepideh Farsi | France, Germany, Luxembourg, Belgium | 2022 | 100'

1980. Abadan, Iran. The residents hold out against an Iraqi siege. Among them, 14-year-old Omid decides to stay in the city with his grandfather until his older brother returns. Omid finds an abandoned boat in Abadan's port. Could this be the way to save his family?

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FEATURE FILMS CONTRECHAMP IN COMPETITION

JOHNNY & ME – EINE ZEITREISE MIT JOHN HEARTFIELD

JOHNNY & ME – A JOURNEY THROUGH TIME WITH JOHN HEARTFIELD

Katrin Rothe | Germany, Austria, Switzerland 2023 | 103'

Graphic designer Stefanie has a crisis: Boring advertising assignments and a boss who doesn't value her work. In a museum, she's drawn to the satirical photomontages of the famous Nazi opponent John Heartfield. Suddenly she magically turns up in his studio.

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SHORT FILMS IN COMPETITION

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Vuk Jevremovic | Croatia, Germany 2022 | 5'

Three masterful footballers. They perform wonders during a match and score impossible goals, but what goes on in their heads when they are about to take a penalty kick?

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OFF LIMITS SHORT FILMS IN COMPETITION

DAS FEINE ZIRPEN EINER DUNKELZIFFER SILENT CHIRPING OF INVISIBLE DIGITS

Vera Sebert | Austria, Germany 2023 | 10'

Like a single film frame, insects flash for a fraction of a second, only to immediately withdraw from the field of vision again.

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PERSPECTIVES SHORT FILMS IN COMPETITION

BAIGAL NUUR – LAKE BAIKAL

Alisi Telengut | Germany, Canada 2023 | 9'

The formation and history of Lake Baikal in Siberia are reimagined, featuring the voice of a Buryat woman who is still able to recall some words in her endangered Buryat-Mongolian language.

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YOUNG AUDIENCES SHORT FILMS IN COMPETITION

PRINZESSIN AUBERGINE PRINCESS AUBERGINE

Dina Velikovskaya | Germany 2023 | 8'

A king and a queen have almost everything, but something is missing. Desperate as they are, they search for the perfect seed to grow a child, but the only thing flourishing is their garden.

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GRADUATION SHORT FILMS IN COMPETITION

DODO

Yi Luo | Germany 2023 | 13'

Dodo's father is a big blue bird. One day he flies out of the window and doesn't come back. From that day onwards Dodo stops growing up.

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GRADUATION SHORT FILMS IN COMPETITION

MAKULATOUR

Tim Markgraf | Germany 2023 | 6'

Based on a four-on-the-floor beat and a Wall of Sound. On top of that is a landscape full of motion and colour, which offers a new perspective.

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COMMISSIONED FILMS IN COMPETITION

HIDDEN HEROES

Anna Levinson | Germany 2022 | 2'

This sensitive short film about child poverty tells the story of three children, of different origins, family and living conditions and their everyday struggles.

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COMMISSIONED FILMS IN COMPETITION

POTATO FALLS - DER KURZFILMTAG POTATO FALLS - THE SHORT FILM DAY

Janina Putzker | Germany 2022 | 1'

"We're not gonna make a short film about potatoes..." - "Just fry and stop me!", said the potato. So, we made a short film about potatoes.

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COMMISSIONED FILMS IN COMPETITION

RIP TXL - DJ PIPER

Raman Djafari | Germany 2022 | 4'

Five friends growing up in Berlin Spandau experience the surrealism of adolescence with all its magic, emotion and adventure.

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VR WORKS IN COMPETITION

FROM THE MAIN SQUARE

Pedro Harres | Germany 2022 | 19'

A compact illustration of social disruption. A civilization blossoms, with all its contradictions, only to become a danger to itself.

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WORK IN PROGRESS - FEATURE

SULTANA'S DREAM

Isabel Herguera | Spain, Germany

Inés stumbles upon Rokeya Hossain's science fiction story 'Sultana's Dream' about Ladyland, a utopia ruled by women while men live in seclusion and are responsible for household chores. Fascinated by the story Inés embarks on a journey across the country to search for the one place where women can live in peace.

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WORK IN PROGRESS - XR

EMPEROR

Marion Burger, Ilan Cohen | France, Germany

An interactive and narrative virtual reality experience that invites the user to travel inside the brain of a father who is suffers from aphasia. Alongside his daughter, we journey into the father's mental space - imagined as a hand-drawn, monochrome landscape - as she seeks to learn more about his inner self, now obscured by illness.

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MIFA PITCHES - TV SERIES AND SPECIALS

NUR EIN TAG JUST ONE DAY

Verena Fels & Martin Schmidt | Germany

A fox and a boar are sitting by their lake as every day. Yet today, they encounter a mayfly as it hatches. She's tough, smart and funny, but her life is so short! To explain his sadness, the boar claims that the fox is the one who has only one day to live. The mayfly comes up with a plan: to make it the best day of his life.

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