

New and Upcoming Films

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Greek Productions

A BLAST [I Ekrixii] by Syllas Tzoumerkas

Drama | Greece | Germany | Netherlands | 2014 | 83'



2nd FEATURE FILM

LOCARNO IFF -
INT. COMPETITION

Screenplay: Syllas Tzoumerkas, Youla Boudali
Cast: Angeliki Papoulia, Vassilis Doganis, Maria Filini, Themis Bazaka

Production & International Sales: Homemade films, +30 213 0415200, info@homemadefilms.gr, www.homemadefilms.gr

Co-production: Unafilm (Germany), PRPL / Bastide Films (Netherlands)

International Sales: Patra Spanou, +49 15201987294, patra.spanou@yahoo.com, www.patraspanou.wordpress.com

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Maria is running away on the highway. She is alone in her roaring SUV. Behind her, fire and a case full of money. In front of her, the hopeless vastness of the motorway. Only a day before she was a caring mother, a loving wife, a responsible daughter. Today she has gone rogue.

7 KINDS OF WRATH [7 Thimoi] by Christos Voupouras

Drama | Greece | 113' | 2014



THESSALONIKI IFF

Cast: Maximos Moumouris, Nikos Gkelia, Sofia Kokkali, Haris Fragkoulis

Director of Photography: Kostis Gkikas
Production: Boo Productions, +30210 6100730, vicky.boo.productions@gmail.com, www.booproductions.gr

Co-Production: NERIT

International Sales: Outplay, 33148574997, info@outplay.fr, www.outplayfilms.com

Petros, an archaeologist living in the centre of Athens, experiences the exposed Greek paranoia, while coming into contact - out of choice or by coincidence - with 'different' people. For each encounter he has to pay the price. Sometimes the price is material, other times clearly emotional and existential. At times it is both. Will the gained Experience cover the loss? Humanism and the search for psychic balance through the realism of everyday life.

ANEMISTIRAS

 by Dimitris Bitos

Drama | Greece | 2014 | 97'



1st FEATURE FILM

THESSALONIKI IFF

Screenplay: Dimitris Bitos, Panagiotis Evangelidis
Cast: Danae Androulaki, Irini Drakou, George Valais
Production: ASIPKA, +306972385179, +306931159789, irinidra@gmail.com, asipkatheater.wix.com
Co-production and International Sales: Highway Productions, +30 2103314088-9, yorgos@highway.gr, www.highway.gr

A young girl – holding a grenade in her hands – directs her parent's relationship from scratch. A claim for an 'ideal' world through the harsh innocence of a child.

FOREVER

 [Gia Panda] by Margarita Manda

Drama | Greece | 2014 | 87'



2nd FEATURE FILM

IFF ROTTERDAM - OFFICIAL SELECTION

CAIRO IFF SILVER PYRAMID FOR BEST DIRECTOR

Screenplay: Margarita Manda
Cast: Anna Mascha, Kostas Filippoglou
Production: Faliro House, +30 210 9404762, info@falirohouse.com, www.falirohouse.com
International Sales: Heretic Outreach, +30 210 6005260, ioanna@heretic.gr, heretic.gr

Costas is an engine driver. Anna is a passenger who takes the same train to work every day. Costas and Anna are two lonely people living in Athens, a city which is dying for lack of love. Costas is secretly in love with Anna. She has no

idea. Until the day when Costas decides to take that decisive step: to approach Anna and to reach out to life and love.

At first, Anna resists, but in the end she decides to surrender to her own need for ever-lasting love. These two lonely people will meet in a desolate city, at the dawn of a bright new day.

FORGET ME NOT

 by Yannis Fagras

Road Movie, Adventure | Greece | 2014 | 102'



2nd FEATURE FILM

THESSALONIKI IFF INT. COMPETITION

Screenplay: Yannis Fagras
Cast: Yannis Stankoglou, Aliko Danezi-Knutsen, Elias Moraitis, Thor Gouker
Production: Doc Ltd., +30 2106511023, +30 6970146147, 2vasana@gmail.com
Co-production: NERIT
International sales: TwoStroke Films, twostrokefilms@gmail.com, +30 210 9346247, +30 6977977462, fb: Forget my not by Yannis Fagras

A road movie at sea and a love adventure. The story of two lovers at the world's edge. Shot on location in the North Pacific, the Bering Sea, Alaska and New Orleans. A myth that knows no borders, handmade on 35mm film.

MATRIARCHY [Mitriarhia] by Nikos Kornilios

Social | Greece | 2014 | 160'



ATHENS IFF

THESSALONIKI IFF

Screenplay: Nikos Kornilios, Evgenia Papageorgiou

Cast: 60 women

Production: Nikos Kornilios, ncornilios@gmail.com, www.matriarchythemovie.com,

International Sales: c/o Greek Film Centre, 210 3678500, info@gfc.gr, www.gfc.gr

Sixty Women. Seven Days. One World. A shelter is threatened by shutdown and demolition. 60 women of different ages, nationalities and social backgrounds gather in order to defend it, attempting to redefine their place in today's world. By day they discuss and clash over all matters concerning them. Society, sexuality, politics, relations, maternity, work. By night they let themselves free to express, dance, sing, confess their lived experiences to one another. What will come out of such an undertaking?

NORWAY [Norviyia] By Yiannis Veslemes

Fantasy - Arthouse Horror | Greece | 2014 | 74'



1st FEATURE FILM

KARLOVY VARY IFF - EAST
OF THE WEST COMPETITION

Screenplay: Yiannis Veslemes

Cast: Vangelis Mourikis, Alexia Kaltsiki, Daniel Bolda, Markos Lezes

Production: Horsefly Productions, +30 2106729179, info@horsefly.gr, www.horsefly.gr

Co-production: Faliro House, Nerit, Marni Films, Logline, Deepgreensea,

Tugo Tugo Productions, Two Thirty Five, Kostas Varipobiotis

International Sales: Reel Suspects, + 33 1 58 51 42 95, m@reelsuspects.com, www.reelsuspects.com

Photophobic Zano, arrives in the big city for the very first time. The year is 1984 and Athens beckons. A vampire and a fine dancer, Zano quickly gets devoured by the dark underbelly of the capital city. All he really wants is a "warm" girl.

THE SENTIMENTALISTS

[Oi Aisthimaties] by Nicholas Triandafyllidis

Film Noir | Greece | 2014 | 93'



HELLENIC FILM ACADEMY
BEST MUSIC AWARD

ATHENS IFF BEST
DEBUTANT ACTOR AWARD

Screenplay: Nicholas Triandafyllidis

Cast: Takis Moschos, Haris Fragoulis, Dimitris Lalos, Iliana Mavromati

Production and International Sales:

NiMa Artistic and Cultural Activities,
+30 2130248358, info@nima-productions.com,
www.nima-productions.com

Co-production: Marni Films, Spectral,
Stefi Films, Supernova, Telefilm

An aged, prosperous and above any suspicion, bourgeois by the nickname 'The Master', lives isolated in a luxurious beachfront villa with his teenage daughter who he has kept well pro-

protected from the mischief of the outside world. Behind the façade of the vigorous art lover, however, he prospers by illegally trading antiquities in the black market and a loan sharking. The 'Master' has two henchmen to do his 'dirty work', Hermes and John. Both will commit a fatal mistake: while Hermes falls for the daughter of his 'Master', John is obsessed with a prostitute. Both will pay a heavy price for being 'sentimentalists'...

International Co-productions

MODRIS

by Juris Kursietis

Drama | Latvia, Germany, Greece | 2014 | 98'



1st FEATURE FILM

TORONTO IFF

SAN SEBASTIAN IFF: SPECIAL
MENTION NEW DIRECTORS

TBILISI IFF: BEST DIRECTOR

LATVIAN NATIONAL FILM
AWARDS: PEOPLE'S CHOICE
AWARD, BEST DEBUT, BEST
SUPPORTING FEMALE ACTOR

Screenplay: Juris Kursietis

Cast: Kristers Piksa, Rezija Kalnina

Production: Red Dot Media LV, +371 67188440, arta.giga@reddotmedia.lv, www.reddotmedia.lv

Co-production: Sutor Kolonko (Germany), Boo Productions (Greece)

International Sales: Pluto Film, +49 30 8430 6166, www.plutofilm.de

When 17-year-old Modris pawns his mother's electric heater to squeeze a win from the slot machines, she decides to teach him a lesson. As his adventures with the Latvian justice system begin, Modris becomes determined to find the father he never knew.

THE ISLAND OF SECRETS

[Peripeteia sto Aigaio] by Taavi Vartia

Family adventure | Finland, Greece | 2014 | 86'



Screenplay: Taavi Vartia,

Karoliina Lindgren, Niklas Lindgren

Cast: Ifigeneia Tzola, Orfeas Avgoustidis,

Ioanna Triantafyllidou, Yiannis Zouganelis

Production: Inkas Film Productions, +30 210 8237467,

inkas@hol.gr, www.inkasfilms.com

Co-production: Yellow Films, Finland

International Sales:

EastWest FILMDISTRIBUTION GmbH, +43 152 493 1034,

office@eastwest-distribution.com,

www.eastwest-distribution.com

In the blue waters of the Aegean Sea, the carefree holiday of a family evolves unexpectedly in an adventurous treasure hunt that will bring to light well hidden secrets and will give birth to a new love. A fun adventure beset with known Greek actors, given with humor by the acclaimed Finnish director Taavi Vartia.

THE LESSON

by Kristina Grozeva and Petar Valchanov

Drama | Bulgaria, Greece | 2014 | 105'



1st FEATURE FILM

TORONTO IFF

IFF ROTTERDAM

SAN SEBASTIAN IFF: KUXTA -
NEW DIRECTORS AWARDS

WARSAW IFF: 1-2 AWARDS

TOKYO IFF:
SPECIAL JURY PRIZE

MOLODIST IFF:
FIPRESCI JURY'S AWARD

THESSALONIKI IFF: SPECIAL JURY AWARD, BRONZE
ALEXANDER, BEST SCREENPLAY AWARDS

CUENCA IFF: BEST FILM

BULGARIAN NATIONAL FF AWARD OF: CRITICS,
SPECIAL JURY, JOURNALISTS AT GOLDEN ROSE

Screenplay: Kristina Grozeva, Petar Valchanov

Cast: Margita Gosheva, Ivan Barnev

Production: Abraxas Film, + 359885733928, abraxasfilm@abv.bg, abraxasfilm.com

Co-production: Graal S.A. (Greece), Little Wing Productions (Bulgaria), Screening Emotions (Bulgaria)

International Sales: Wide Management, +33 1 53 95 04 64,
infos@widemanagement.com, www.widemanagement.com

In a small classroom in a small Bulgarian town, a small child has stolen a small amount of money - which adds yet another big problem to the already troubled life of teacher Nadezhda.

THE SKY ABOVE US by Marinus Groothof

Drama | Netherlands, Serbia, Greece | 2015 | 97'



1st FEATURE FILM

ROTTERDAM IFF
IFFR LIVE SECTION

Screenplay: by Marinus Groothof

Cast: Nada Šargin, Boris Isaković, Nikola Rakočević

Production: CTM Pictures, +31 (0)35 647 4040, pictures@ctm.nl, www.levpictures.com

Co-production: Entre Chien et Loup (Belgium), Art & Popcorn (Serbia), Heretic (Greece)

International Sales: Heretic Outreach, +30 210 6005260, ioanna@heretic.gr, heretic.gr/heretic-outreach/

As Belgrade silently gets ready for yet another night of NATO bombings, Ana, Bojan and Sloba try to retain their sanity while dealing with their fears.

Coming soon... ■◀

CHEVALIER by Athina Rachel Tsangari

Drama - Comedy | Greece



Screenplay: Athina Rachel Tsangari, Efthimis Filippou

Cast: Yorgos Kentros, Panos Koronis, Makis Papadimitriou, Yorgos Pyrpassopoulos, Vangelis Mourikis, Sakis Rouvas

Production: Faliro House, +30 210 9404762, info@falirohouse.com, www.falirohouse.com,

Haos Film, +30 210 3222466, info@haosfilm.com, www.haosfilm.com

Co-production: Nova

International Sales: The Match Factory, + 49 221 539 709 0, info@matchfactory.de, www.the-match-factory.com

In the middle of the Aegean Sea, on a luxury yacht, six men on a fishing trip decide to play a game. During this game, things will be compared. Things will be measured. Songs will be butchered, and blood will be tested. Friends will become rivals and rivals will become hungry. But at the end of the voyage, when the game is over, the man who wins will be the best man. And he will wear upon his littlest finger the victorious signet ring: the "Chevalier."

IN POST PRODUCTION

HEATWAVE

[Kafsonas] by Joyce A. Nashawati

Thriller | France, Greece | 90'



1st FEATURE FILM

ARAB FUND FOR ARTS
AND CULTURE AWARD

CNC AWARD AT DUBAI
FILM CONNECTION

Screenplay: Joyce A. Nashawati

Cast: Ziad Bakri, Laurene Brun, Giannis Stankoglou, Giorgos Gallos

Production: Good Lap Production, + 33 1 41 06 90 67 (France), contact@goodlap-production.com,
TBC productions +33 (0)1 822 842 10 www.tbcpod.com (France), BLONDE +30 210 6080650 fenia@blonde.gr,
www.blonde.gr (Greece)

Co-production: MPM film (France)

International Sales: c/o Greek Film Centre, +30 210 3678505/6, info@gfc.gr, www.gfc.gr

Greece. the sun is cruel and water is rare. Ashraf, a lonely drifter, guards an isolated villa which belongs to an expat family. On a dusty road, near a seaside resort, a bored policeman takes away his residence permit. Haunted by this encounter, Ashraf, alone in his air-conditioned aquarium, feels a presence watching him, a shadow following him, a creature that becomes more and more threatening...

IN POST PRODUCTION

KALASHNIKOV

by Constantine Giannaris

Drama | Greece | 90'



Screenplay: Constantine Giannaris, Maria Powell

Cast: Kontantinos Elmatzioglou, Dafni Patakia
Ioakimidou, Kostas Nikoulis, Aggelos Tsegia

Production: View Master Films S.A.,
+302106411992, viewmastefims@gmail.com,
www.viewmasterfilm.gr

Co-production: CL Productions

International Sales: c/o View Master Films S.A.

In a time of crisis, an armed gang of teenagers wreaks havoc in the leisurely seaside suburbs of Athens. "Kalashnikov" is a modern "Bonnie and Clyde" story, a mosaic of adolescent love, failed family lives, and youthful nihilism set against the backdrop of a dying city reeling under economic and social collapse.

IN POST PRODUCTION

THE LOBSTER by Yorgos Lanthimos

Romance, Comedy | Ireland, United Kingdom, Greece, France, Netherlands | 120'



CINEMART CO-PRODUCTION
MARKET - IFF ROTTERDAM-LE
PRIX ARTE INTERNATIONAL

Screenplay: Yorgos Lanthimos, Efthimis Filippou

Cast: Colin Farrell, Rachel Weisz, John C. Reilly, Léa Seydoux

Production: Element Pictures, +353 1 618 5032, info@elementpictures.ie, www.elementpictures.ie /

Scarlet Films: ceci@scarletfilmsltd.com / Limp Films, c/o Element Pictures, www.lanthimos.com

Co-production: Faliro House Productions (Greece), Haut et Court (France), Lemming Film (Netherlands)

International Sales: Protagonist Pictures, Tel: +44 207 734 9000, mike@protagonistpictures.com, www.protagonistpictures.com

An unconventional love story set in a dystopian near future where single people, according to the rules of the Town, are arrested and transferred to the Hotel. There they are obliged to find a matching mate in 45 days. If they fail, they are transformed into an animal of their choosing and released into the Woods. A desperate Man escapes from the Hotel to the Woods where the Loners live and there he falls in love, although it's against their rules.

IN POST PRODUCTION

STAGE FRIGHT by Yorgos Zois

Elevated Genre, Thriller | Greece, France, Croatia



1st FEATURE FILM

CINELINK - SARAJEVO IFF -
CNC DEVELOPMENT AWARD

TORINO FILM LAB FRAMEWORK
- PRODUCTION AWARD

L'ATELIER, CANNES IFF

Screenplay: Yorgos Zois

Cast: Alexandros Vardaxoglou, Maria Kallimani, Alexia Kaltsiki, Christos Stergioglou

Production: Pan Entertainment SA, Tel: +30 210 6985050, drandaki@pan.com.gr, www.pan.com.gr

Co-production: EZ Films (France), Nukleus Film (Croatia)

It's the opening night of the most anticipated avant-garde theatre play of the year. A modern day adaptation of a classic Greek tragedy. The guests take their seats and the play begins. Suddenly, seven young people, armed and dressed in black, stand up from their seats. They come up on stage and introduce themselves as the chorus of the tragedy. Then, they invite some guests from the audience to participate on stage. Gradually, the play is transformed into a collective performance which blends the boundaries between reality and fiction. The audience is captivated by the ambivalence, still not realizing if this is a true act or not. The new play will come to an end at the exact time that the premiere ends. Until then art will imitate life.

RECENTLY COMPLETED SHOOTING
IN EDITING

URSA MINOR

[Mikri Arktos] by Elissavet Chronopoulou

Drama | Greece | 86'



Screenplay: Elissavet Chronopoulou
Cast: Sofia Georgovassili, Yannis Kokiasmenos, Dioni Kourtaki
Production: Elissavet Chronopoulou, +302106454601, elissavet.ch@gmail.com
World Sales: c/o Elissavet Chronopoulou, Greek Film Centre, +30210 3678505, info@gfc.gr, www.gfc.gr

In a cheap by-the-hour hotel, a man is being arrested while the unconscious body of a woman is being transported to the hospital. Cruising the heart of Athens, in the back seat of the patrol car, on his way to the police station, the man is recalling the last few months. From the day he first met the girl, at the same hotel, until the dramatic end of their relationship, the morning of his arrest. In the meantime the effort of two people to love each other.

IN POST PRODUCTION

WEDNESDAY 04:45

[Tetarti 04:45] by Alexis Alexiou

Drama | Germany, Greece, Israel | 116'



Screenplay: Alexis Alexiou

Cast: Stelios Mainas, Dimitris Tzoumakis, Adam Bousdoukos, Giorgos Symeonidis, Mimi Branescu

Production: Twenty Twenty Vision Filmproduktion GmbH, +493061281750, office@twentytwentyvision.eu, www.twentytwentyvision.eu

Co-production: CL Productions (Greece), Pie Films (Israel)

International Sales: c/o Twenty Twenty Vision

Athens, today: 32 hours that will change the life of a night-club owner as the city and the whole country go up in flames.

IN POST PRODUCTION