

Scandinavia House

THE NORDIC CENTER IN AMERICA

Finnish Documentary Film Week

Thursday, June 9 through Monday, June 13, 2011

Individual tickets: \$10 (\$7 ASF Members); Film week pass: \$100 (\$75 ASF Members)

DocPoint, Helsinki's documentary film festival and the largest documentary film festival in the Nordic countries, celebrates its 10th birthday in 2011 and returns to New York with a comprehensive program of new Finnish films, as well as a cross-section of films and programs.

Finnish Documentary Film Week takes place in various cinemas across New York including Scandinavia House, MoMA, UnionDocs, and 92YTribeca. Scandinavia House joins as a co-presenter and will host a series of screenings. Please visit www.docpoint.info/en for a complete schedule and more details.

DocPoint Screenings & Programs @ Scandinavia House

For full film synopses, please visit <http://tour.docpoint.info/films>

THURSDAY, JUNE 9:

2 pm:

Crow/Varis

Dir. Esa Nissi, Finland, Norway, 2004. 37 min.

Screening with

The Dawn/Sarastus

Dir. Pekka Uotila, Finland, 2002. 49 min.

4 pm:

About a Farm/Hiljainen tila

Dir. Mervi Junkkonen, Finland, 2005. 54 min.

Screening with

No Man Is an Island/Ei kukaan ole saari

Dir. Sonja Lindén, Finland, 2006. 40 min.

Director Sonja Lindén will be present.

6 pm:

Panel Discussion: DocPoint Encounters in NYC with Kelly DeVine

Kelly DeVine is a content consultant with the Tribeca Film Institute's Reframe Collection and formerly of IFC TV Acquisitions.

8 pm:

The Future Is Not What It Used to Be/Tulevaisuus ei ole entisensä

Dir. Mika Taanila, Finland, 2002. 52 min.

Screening with

Y in Vyborg/Hetket jotka jäivät

Dir. Pia Andell, Finland 2005. 50 min.

FRIDAY, JUNE 10:

12 pm:

DOKKINO

A program of creative short documentary films for youth

2:30 pm:

Artist's Life/Taiteilijaelämää

Dir. Lasse Naukkarinen, Finland, 1999. 59 min.

6 pm:

Documentary Salon: Doc Power

A lively conversation about the role of documentary film in a changing world. Co-presented by the Flaherty Seminar, DocPoint, and Scandinavia House.

8 pm:

War Children

Dir. Erja Dammert, Finland, 2003. 93 min.

Director Erja Dammert will be present.

SATURDAY, JUNE 11:

1 pm:

DOKKINO

A program of creative short documentary films for youth

3 pm:

Artist's Life/Taiteilijaelämää

Dir. Lasse Naukkarinen, Finland, 1999. 59 min.

5 pm:

The Face of Death/Kuoleman kasvot

Dir. Kiti Luostarinen, Finland, 2003. 53 min.

7:30 pm:

Screaming Men/Huutajat

Dir. Mika Ronkainen, Finland, Denmark, 2003. 76 min.

9 pm:

War Children

Dir. Erja Dammert, Finland, 2003. 93 min.

Director Erja Dammert will be present.

SUNDAY, JUNE 12:

1 pm:

Helsinki, Forever/Helsinki, ikuisesti

Dir. Peter von Bagh, Finland, 2008. 74 min.

3 pm:

The 3 Rooms of Melancholia/Melancholian 3 huonetta

Dir. Pirjo Honkasalo, Finland, 2004. 106 min.

5 pm:

Borderland Bachelors/Rajaseudun poikamiehet

Dir. Erkki Lyytinen, Finland, 2003. 66 min.

Director Erkki Lyytinen will be present.

Screening with

Magic Night/Taikayö

Dir. Jouni Hiltunen, Finland, 2006. 15 min.

7 pm:

Travelling/Matka - Nedarma

Dir. Anastasia Lapsui & Markku Lehmuskallio, Suomi, 2007. 77 min.

MONDAY, JUNE 13:

1 pm:

The 3 Rooms of Melancholia/Melancholian 3 huonetta

Dir. Pirjo Honkasalo, Finland, 2004. 106 min.

3 pm:

Student Short Films 1

Including Lilli (Dir. Oliwia Tonteri, Finland, 2007. 26 min.); Petit mal – Little Fits/Petit mal – lieviä kohtauksia (Dir. Mari Clusius, Finland, 2003. 16 min.); The Seal/Hylje (Dir. Miia Tervo, Finland, 2005. 8 min.); and Summerchild/Kesän lapsi (Dir. Iris Olsson, Finland, 2007. 60 min.).

Directors Oliwia Tonteri and Iris Olsson will be present.

5 pm:

Student Short Films 2

Including Barbeiros (Dir. Mervi Junkkonen, Finland, 2001. 12 min.); The Dry Dock/Telakka (Dir. Tuukka Hari, Finland, 2002. 12 min.); How to Pick Berries/Miten marjoja poimitaan (Dir. Elina Talvensaari, Finland, 2010. 19 min.); Paradise–Three Journeys in This World/Paratiisi – kolme matkaa tässä maailmassa (Dir. Elina Hirvonen, Finland, 2007. 51 min.)

Director Elina Talvensaari will be present.

7 pm:

Shadow of the Holy Book/Pyhän kirjan varjo

Dir. Arto Halonen, Finland, 2007. 90 min.

Director Arto Halonen will be present.

9 pm:

Travelling/Matka - Nedarma

Dir. Anastasia Lapsui & Markku Lehmuskallio, Suomi, 2007. 77 min.

Film reservations are for ASF Members only. Please call 212.847.9746 or email film_reservation@amscan.org. All films are subtitled in English. Theater doors open 30 minutes prior to the start of the film.

Screenings are held in Victor Borge Hall, named in honor of the legendary Danish entertainer and in recognition of his generosity to Scandinavia House.

Please visit our www.scandinaviahouse.org & our Facebook page for a complete, updated schedule of cultural programs!

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