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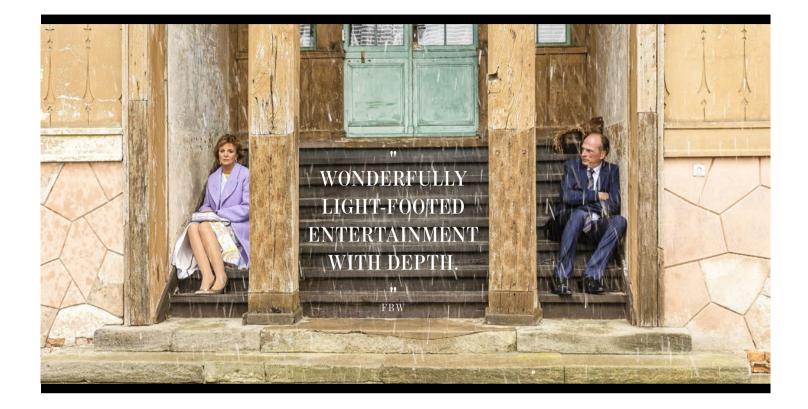
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SIMPLY COMPLICATED

THE STORY

What to do if the biological clock is ticking louder and far and wide, there is no suitable partner in sight? Karla is thirty-nine, the radio host of a nightly music show and once again single. She longs to have a child and to finally start a real family, but finding a suitable partner under time pressure is not so easy. So she decides to fulfill her desire for children on her own. And suddenly everyone has an opinion: her divorced parents, her siblings, her friends, even her neighbors, even though all of them are entangled in their own complicated life situations. Only her best friend Senay supports her with help and advice and the right questions. And then fate intervenes when Karla meets the "much too young" Ole, who doesn't quite fit into her future plans and turns everything upside down.





ROMANTIC COMEDY German / 116 min / completed

ORIGINAL TITLE	Einfach mal was Schönes
DIRECTOR	Karoline Herfurth
SCREENPLAY	Monika Fässler, Tim Hebborn, Karoline Herfurth
DOP	Daniel Gottschalk Mechanic: Resurrection
CAST	Karoline Herfurth Perfume: The Story of a Murderer Aaron Altaras Unorthodox, Wild Republic Nora Tschirner Rabbit Without Ears Milena Tscharntke Jungle Child Jasmin Shakeri The Magic Flute
PRODUCERS	Lothar Hellinger, Christopher Doll
PRODUCED BY	Hellinger Doll Filmproduktion, Warner Bros. Film Productions Germany
TERRITORIES AVAILABLE	World excluding German-speaking territories, Portugal and Spain.

THE DIRECTOR

Born in Berlin in 1984, Karoline Herfurth was discovered in school at the age of fifteen. In 2008 she graduated from the renowned Ernst Busch Academy of Dramatic Arts. Since then, she has appeared in more than thirty films and is one of the most popular and successful actresses in Germany. But Herfurth is not only one of the outstanding actresses of her generation. In 2012, she presented her first directorial work, the short film Mittelkleiner Mensch, at the Hofer Filmtage. With her feature film debut Text for you (2016), she established herself as one of the most successful young directors in German-speaking cinema. This was followed in 2019 by the comedy *Sweethearts*, in which she starred again alongside Hannah Herzsprung. Her third feature film Wonderfully Beautiful came to German Cinemas in 2022 and attracted a record breaking number of 1.6 million viewers. Simply Complicated is Herfurth's fourth film as director and coauthor while also starring as the lead actress.

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DIRECTOR'S NOTE

The kind of story I like is one that alternates between humorous, playful and very emotional moments. Stories can be very sad and conflicts very big, but as long as you have moments where you can breathe and laugh, where the tears are washed away by humor, everything is okay. If you can laugh with the people on the screen, it opens your heart, you get much closer to them, they touch you in a completely different way. Even if the situations are funny and absurd and completely crazy things happen, you have to never lose sight of the characters, never make fun of them or look down on them from above. I love all my characters, every one of them! This love for each individual character and for each point of view is extremely important to me because truth is usually multifaceted and is always found in the interplay of different possibilities. In most perspectives, there is at least a true core. A very clear 'That's how it is and that isn't' is rare. It's important to me that you can understand all the characters, that you can really empathize with them!

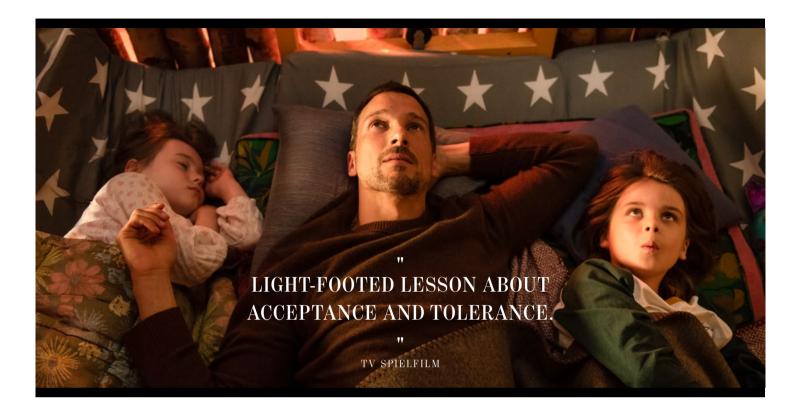
OSKAR'S DRESS

A heartwarming story about an overwhelmed father who runs up against his own limits of acceptance with his child's fundamental search for identity. Told with courage, honesty, and humorous nuances.

BY HÜSEYIN TABAK

EXCEPTIONALLY CHARMING, CLEVERLY CONSTRUCTED AND OFTEN VERY FUNNY. "

DER SPIEGEL





TUE 16 May 16:30 PM Riviera 1 MARKET PREMIERE THU 18 May 13:45 PM Riviera 2 MARKET PREMIERE

OSKAR'S DRESS

THE STORY

Ever since Ben has been living apart from his ex-wife Mira and their children Oskar and Erna, his life has fallen apart. Alone in his semidetached house, he drags himself through sleepless nights and starts the day with muesli and beer. Unexpectedly, Ben gets a second chance to prove that he can be a good father: when the heavily pregnant Mira is in hospital, his children temporarily move in with him. However, things don't go quite according to plan. Ben realizes as he opens the suitcases. Because there it is: Oskar's dress. And with this innocent dress, Ben and his conventionally messed-up family embark on an adventure at the end of which everything is different - and no one is the same anymore.

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FEEL GOOD DRAMA	German / 102 min / completed
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ORIGINAL TITLE	Oskar's Kleid
DIRECTOR	Hüseyin Tabak
SCREENPLAY	Florian David Fitz
DOP	Daniel Gottschalk Mechanic: Resurrection
CAST	Laurì Florian David Fitz <i>Vincent Wants to Sea</i> Senta Berger <i>Welcome to Germany</i> Burghart Klaußner <i>The People Vs. Fritz Bauer</i>
PRODUCERS	Dan Maag, Daniel Sonnabend, Marco Beckmann
PRODUCED BY	Pantaleon Films, Warner Bros. Film Productions Germany, in co-production with ERFTTAL Film
TERRITORIES Available	World excluding German-speaking territories, Portugal and Spain.

THE DIRECTOR

Hüseyin Tabak was born in Germany in 1981 as the child of Turkish guest workers and studied directing and screenwriting at the Vienna Film Academy. He then went on to direct his feature film debut *The Horse on* the Balconv (2012) and Your Beauty Is Worth Nothing (2012) winner of the Turkish Film Award, the Austrian Film Award in five categories and dozens of international prizes. In 2017 his documentary The Legend of the Ugly King screened at the Toronto IFF and at the Hof Film Festival, where it won the Award for the Best Documentary Film. In 2020, his critically acclaimed boxing drama Gypsy Queen won the Austrian Film Award, the German Film Award and the Günther Rohrbach Film Award.

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DIRECTOR'S NOTE

Oskar's Dress tells the story of the constant search for identity and one's place in life. In addition, it's about the question of which social norms exist, and whether they are appropriate or outdated. What is accepted? What is tolerated? It's a big topic about a small child who is 'normal' in his actions, while all the adults are going crazy. Charged with prejudices and full of emotions - this is how those who should know better present themselves. In contrast, Oskar shows himself to be much more mature! Florian David Fitz's idea was so emotional and poignant even before the first screenplay was written that it swept me off my feet. It is the story of a father, and also of a boy, who both want acceptance and respect. Every director has his strengths in order to tell about such inner conflicts. Some visually, others more emotionally. As for myself, I'm more an example of the latter. This is why I'm very happy that I had the opportunity to direct this story.

OUR PAY FOR TONIGHT, GUYS. A DOZEN EMPANADAS ... AWESOME..

> " JULIO

> > A subtle and charming tragicomic story set admits the political upheaval of the economic crises. Inspired by the real tragic events that shook Argentina in late 2001, helmed by the director of the award-winning documentary *Our Last Tango* that delighted audiences around the world.

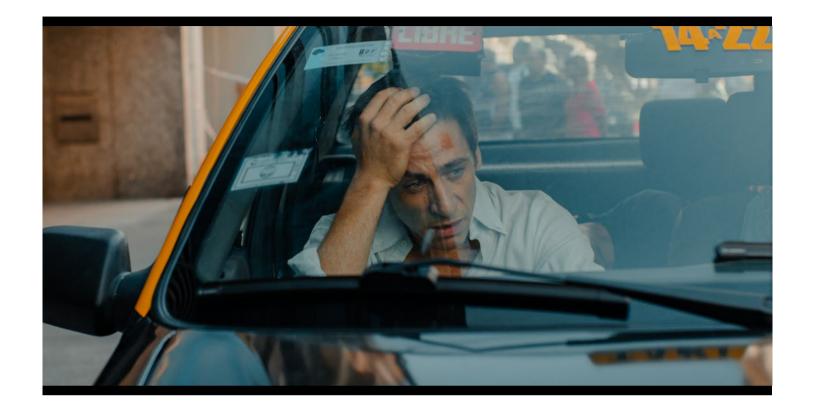
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ADIÓS BUENOS AIRES

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BY GERMAN KRAL





ADIÓS BUENOS AIRES

STONES NORMA SINK, BUT II YOU BELIEV (SOMETIMES) THEY EVEN DANCE **ON THE WATER**

THE STORY

Buenos Aires, November 2001. Argentina is embroiled in crisis. The country's economy is stagnating, while the anger and distrust of the Argentinian people towards their corrupt government is growing steadily. During these troubled times, the Vecinos de Pompeya - a five-piece tango band - are trying to keep their heads above water. They usually perform in a small, poorly attended pub and are often paid with empanadas instead of pesos. Julio the bandoneon player plans to emigrate to Germany together with his daughter Paula and his mother Dorothea. Julio sets about taking care of his last affairs in Buenos Aires - but he can't get away from the city so easily.

SOCIAL COMEDY Spanish / 93 min / completed

ORIGINAL TITLE	Chau Buenos Aires
DIRECTOR	German Kral Our Last Tango, Música Cubana
SCREENPLAY	Stephan Puchner Fernando Castets German Kral
DOP	Jo Heim
CAST	Diego Cremonesi, Marina Bellati, Regina Lamm, Manuel Vicente, Rafael Spregelburd, Carlos Portaluppi
PRODUCERS	Nils Dünker, Dieter Horres, German Kral
PRODUCED BY	Lailaps Films, German Kral Filmproduktion
TERRITORIES AVAILABLE	World excluding German-speaking territories, Switzerland and former Yugoslavia.

THE DIRECTOR

German Kral was born in Buenos Aires in 1968. He graduated from the Munich Film School and has worked as a film writer and director ever since. Kral first worked with Wim Wenders between 1993 and 1996 on the film A Trick of the Light. His film Música Cubana (2004), a fiction documentary feature, executive produced by Wim Wenders, had its international premiere at the 2004 Venice Film Festival. Kral's latest film, Our Last Tango (2015), coproduced by Wim Wenders, had its World Premiere at the Toronto Film Festival. It won several awards, including The Bavarian Film Award for Best Photography, as well as the Audience Award at both the Washington DC Film Festival and the Bolzano Film Festival.

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DIRECTOR'S NOTE

Adiós Buenos Aires is a very important project for me. It unites two of my greatest loves: Buenos Aires, my hometown, and tango, the music in my veins. During the long process of writing the script with my two co-authors. Stephan Puchner and Fernando Castets, the characters of the film grew so close to me, that I had the feeling that they were friends. Friends living inside me and asking to be freed from the white page of the script to live on the cinema screen.

I am extremely happy that after many years of development we were finally able to shoot and complete the film! One of the most beautiful aspects of making a film is that you get to work with lots of wonderful people. I feel only gratitude to all the artists in front and behind the camera, who gave parts of themselves to make this adventure and this film possible. I believe that cinema must both entertain and touch the hearts of audiences. I want people in the cinemas to laugh and cry - preferably at the same time! I hope that happens to you, when you watch Adiós Buenos Aires.



SUPERBLY CAST ... LOVINGLY SHOT ... VERY AUTHENTIC... AN ENTERTAINING PLEASURE.

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MIRIAM LEONE IS IRRESISTIBLE.

** LA STAMPA



WHEN WILL IT BE AGAIN LIKE IT NEVER WAS BEFORE

The charming, funny and deeply moving film about growing up in a very special family was one of the most popular films at this year's Berlin Film Festival. It is based on Joachim Meyerhoff's internationally bestselling novel.

BY SONJA HEISS



REQUEST TRAILER

FRI 19 May 12:00 PM Palais G MARKET SCREENING

THE STORY

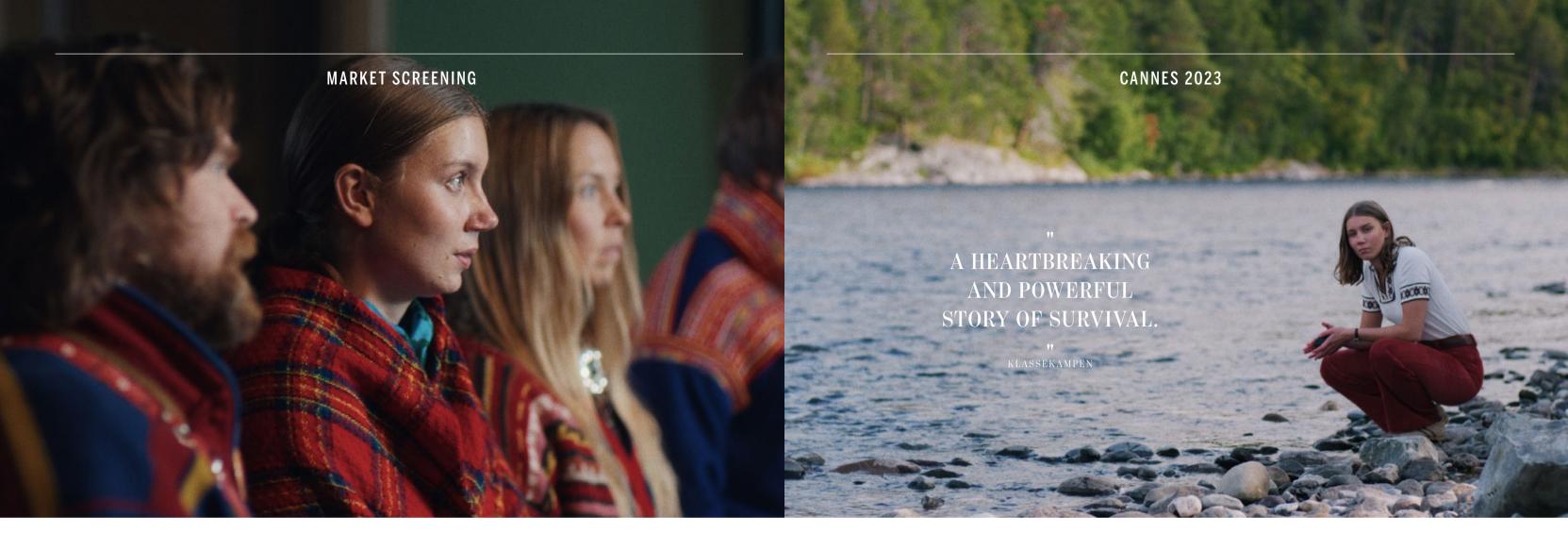
Growing up on the grounds of a large psychiatric hospital is somehdifferent. For Joachim, the director's youngest son, the patients are family. They are also much nicer to him than his two older brothers who drive him into fits of rage. His mother, painting watercolors, lo for Italian summer nights instead of constant German rain, while h father secretly, but not discreetly enough, goes his own way. But wh Joachim slowly grows up, his world, not only through the loss of his love, gets more and more cracks.

THE DIRECTOR

Screenwriter, novelist and director Sonja Heiss attended Munich Film School while working as casting director for commercials, going on to direct commercials as well. Her student films *Karma Cowboy* and *Christina Without Kaufmann* won numerous awards and were invited to international festivals. Her first feature film, *Hotel Very Welcome*, premiered at the Berlin Film Festival 2007, winning numerous prizes including the First Steps Award. *Hedi Schneider is Stuck* (2015) also premiered at the Berlin Film Festival in the renowned Forum section at was screened at numerous international festivals, winning the Hessian Film Prize. Heiss was nominated for the German Film Prize in the screenwriting category.

COMEDY, DRAMA German / 111 min / completed

how -	ORIGINAL TITLE	Wann wird es endlich wieder so, wie es nie war
re like ·s,	DIRECTOR	Sonja Heiss Hedi Schneider is Stuck
ongs his /hile	SCREENPLAY	Sonja Heiss, Lars Hubrich based on the novel by Joachim Meyerhoff
is first	DOP	Manu Dacosse (SBC)
Film	CAST	Devid Striesow All Quiet On The Western Front Laura Tonke The Baader Meinhof Complex Camille Loup Moltzen Spencer Arsseni Bultmann Robby & Toby's Fantastic Voyager Merlin Rose Dark
n nd	PRODUCERS	Janine Jackowski, Jonas Dornbach, Maren Ade
ted e,	PRODUCED BY	Komplizen Film, Frakas Productions
zes, 10 n and	TERRITORIES AVAILABLE	World excluding German-speaking territories, former Yugoslavia and Taiwan.



LET THE RIVER FLOW

A gripping and moving portrayal of Europe's last indigenous people's struggle for survival. Based on real events that inspired a whole generation of young Norwegians to stand up for their rights.

BY OLE GIÆVER



THE STORY

During summer 1979, Ester moves to Alta in Northern Norway to begin teaching at an elementary school. Like many Sámi at the time, she is ashamed of her heritage and conceals her ethnicity. Ester goes to great lengths to fit in, even joining in with the derogatory joke When her cousin Mikkhal takes her to a camp by the Alta River where people are demonstrating against the building of a dam, Ester learns how the fight for the river is also a revolt against the years of brutal racism and discrimination against her people. After a major confrontation with the police, Mikkhal and some other Sámi decide to go to Oslo to hunger strike in front of the Parliament. Knowing wh is at stake, Ester realises it is time to make a stand.

THE DIRECTOR

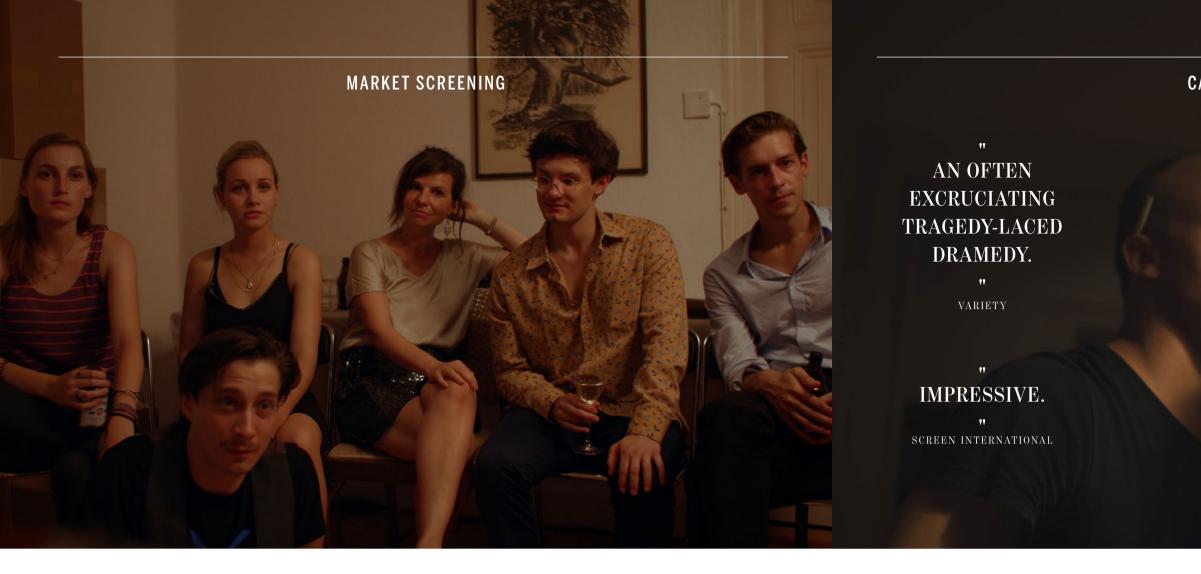
Ole Giæver is a Tromsø born director and actor. His feature debut The Mountain premiered at Berlinale in 2011. His second feature Out Of Nature screened at numerous film festivals worldwide, including the Berlinale and Toronto FF and went on to win the Label Europa Cinemas, The Best Actor and Best Producer Awards in Trondheim. During the pandemic, he directed From the Balcony. Let The River Flow was a box office hit in Norway and took the Audience Awards in Tromsø and Göteborg, among other awards.

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DRAMA Nor	wegian, Sámi / 123 min / completed	

	ORIGINAL TITLE	Ellos eatnu - La elva leve
2,	DIRECTOR	Ole Giæver The Mountain, Out of Nature
kes.	SCREENPLAY	Ole Giaever
er	DOP	Marius Matzow Guldbrandsen
or	CAST	Ella Marie Hætta Isaksen, Gard Emil, Sofia Jannok, Beaska Niillas, Marie Kvernmo
rhat	PRODUCER	Maria Ekerhovd
	PRODUCED BY	Mer Film in co-production with Bufo, Zentropa Sweden, Helmet and Knudsen Pictures
	TERRITORIES Available	World excluding Scandinavia, Spain, former Yugoslavia, Australia and New Zealand.
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ONE LAST EVENING

Anxiety, humor and poignancy resonate across generational and any other borders in this amazingly accomplished and inventive debut.

BY LUKAS NATHRATH



THE STORY

In the standstill of the pandemic summer, a young couple wants a fr start, moving from the province to the capital, Berlin. Lisa is an onrise doctor bracing herself for a new position, Clemens is a talented unsuccessful singer-songwriter crippled by self-doubts. To say good bye, they host a dinner party in their now empty flat. But good frien cancel — and uninvited guests show up. As the attendees start eyin each other's achievements, the evening slowly escalates, leading to a emotional crash that uncovers misunderstandings, rivalries, animos and anxieties.

THE DIRECTOR

Lukas Nathrath studied directing at the Hamburg Media School. Hi graduation film *Kippa* screened at over 50 international film festival and received the Studio Hamburg Young Talent Award and the Euro CIVIS Media Prize. *One Last Evening*, for which he received Locarn Festival's First Look Award and the Max Ophüls Award as Best Dir is his feature film debut. Lukas was one of the seven talents selecte to German Film's "Face to Face" showcase at the Berlinale in 2023.

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TRAGICOMEDY German / 91 min / completed

fresh	ORIGINAL TITLE	Letzter Abend
1-the- 1d but	DIRECTOR	Lukas Nathrath
d- ends	SCREENPLAY	Lukas Nathrath, Sebastian Jakob Doppelbauer
ing an	DOP	Philip Jestädt
osities	CAST	Sebastian Jakob Doppelbauer, Pauline Werner, Susanne Dorothea Schneider, Nikolai Gemel, Isabelle von Stauffenberg, Valentin Richter, Julius Forster, Nils Rovira-Muñoz, Amelle Schwerk, Pascal Houdus
Iis als	PRODUCERS	Lukas Nathrath, Linus Günther, Sebastian Jakob Doppelbauer
ropean no Film	PRODUCED BY	Klinkerfilm
irector, ed	TERRITORIES AVAILABLE	World excluding Germany, Austria, Benelux, Poland and former Yugoslavia.



DIABOLIK GINKO ATTACKS!

Part two of the stylish, 1960s Bond style crime action, starring international super-stars Giacomo Gianniotti (*Grey's Anatomy, Marvel's Avengers*) and the Grand Dame of Italian cinema, Monica Bellucci. Based on the book series, which sold over 150 million copies worldwide.

BY MANETTI BROS.

THE STORY

Diabolik takes a shot, without imagining that it is a Ginko trap. The inspector, following the signalman into the stolen jewels, surprises Diabolik and Eva in their shelter. The king of terror, forced to flee, leaves the stolen goods of him. While on the run, Eva gets hurt. Diabolik, mercilessly, abandons her. A furious Eva makes a proposa to Ginko: she will bring Diabolik to him in exchange for a safe conduct for abroad. Ginko, forced by the interior minister, reluctant accepts the pact, and collaborates with Eva in the capture of Diabol

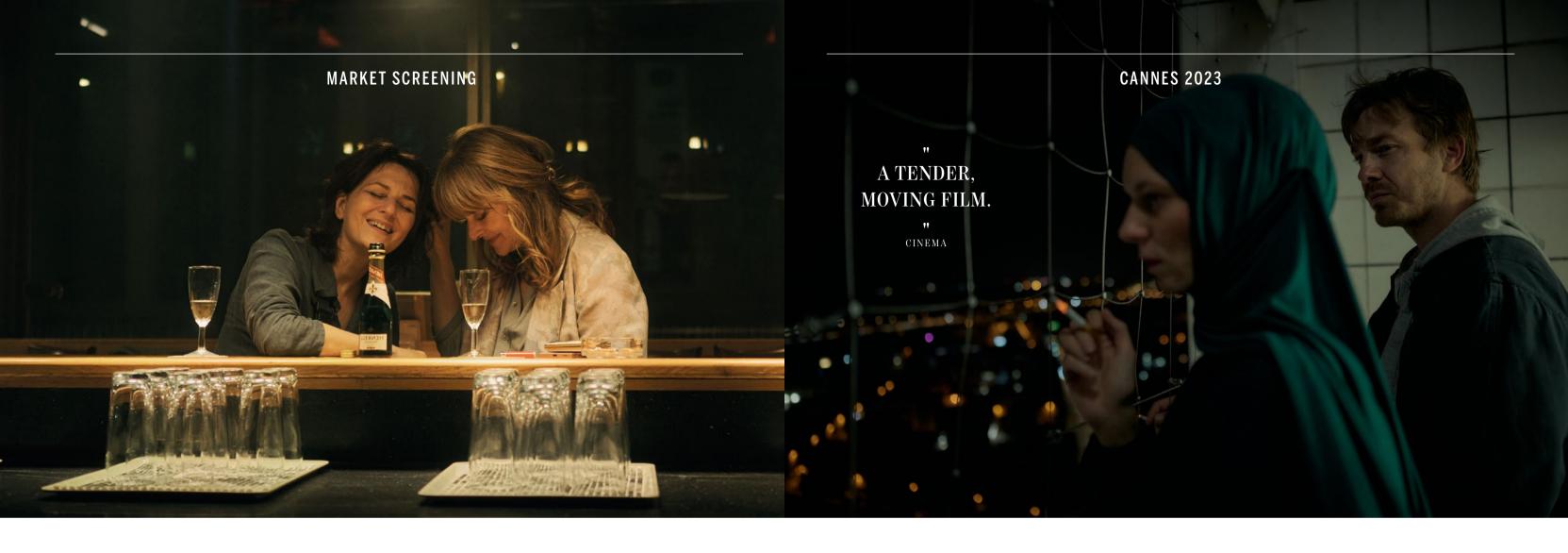
THE DIRECTORS

Both directors and screenwriters, Marco and Antonio Manetti made their directorial debut in 1995 with an episode in the film *De Generar*. Their film *Zora la Vampira* was released in 2000, followed by *Piano 17*. *Paura 3D* and *L'Arrivo di Wang*. In 2013, they received unanimous co from the critics and public with *Song 'e Napule*. In 2017 their film *Ammore e Malavita* was presented at Venice Film Festival. The film v many awards such as the David di Donatello Award for Best Picture Among others, the Manetti bros. also directed the cult television se *L'Ispettore Coliandro*.

WATCH TRAILER

CRIME Italian / 120 min / completed	CR	IMF	Italian	/ 120 min	/ completed
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e	ORIGINAL TITLE	Diabolik – Ginko all'attacco!
	DIRECTOR	Manetti bros.
al	SCREENPLAY	Manetti bros., Michelangelo La Neve
	DOP	Angelo Sorrentino
itly blik. de <i>uzione</i> .	CAST	Giacomo Gianniotti Grey's Anatomy, Marvel's Avengers Miriam Leone Diabolik, Love Under House Arrest Valerio Mastandrea Perfect Strangers, Nine Monica Bellucci Matrix, The Appartment
17, ponsent	PRODUCERS	Carlo Macchitella, Manetti bros., Pier Giorgio Bellocchio
won re.	PRODUCED BY	Mompracem in co-production with Rai Cinema, in association with Astorina and Bleidwin
eries	TERRITORIES AVAILABLE	World excluding North America, Italy, France, Spain, German-speaking territories and former Yugoslavia.



DARK SATELLITES

Three stories about the impossibility of love, which focus on quiet hopes, hidden desires and suppressed cravings, from the acclaimed director of *In the Aisles*. Featuring an exceptional stellar cast led by Nastassja Kinski (*Paris, Texas*) and Albrecht Schuch (*All Quiet on the Western Front*).

BY THOMAS STUBER

THE STORY

A snack bar owner smokes with his Muslim neighbor in the stairwell of their apartment building at night. Her husband is his good friend. They draw closer to one another as the nights go on. A security guard watches over Objekt 95, a satellite town with a residential complex which many foreigners call home. While on patrol at night, he gets to know a young Ukrainian woman who fled her home country when the war broke out. A woman from the train cleaning service drinks in a train station bar after her night shift. There, she meets a hairdresser. The two of them become friends and spend many nights together in the station. Every night, her desire grows even greater for this woman who is exactly as lonely as she is.

THE DIRECTOR

Thomas Stuber is a German director and screenwriter. His thesis film *Of Dogs and Horses* was awarded a Silver Student OSCAR* in 2012. In 2015, his film *A Heavy Heart* premiered in Toronto at TIFF and was later awarded the Silver German Film Award for Best Theatrical Film. His breakthrough theatrical effort *In the Aisles* was selected to compete at the Berlinale in2018 and won the top prize from the German Film Guild as well as the Ecumenical Jury. At the German Film Awards, the film was nominated in four categories and won the Lola for Best Actor.

WATCH TRAILER

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ORIGINAL TITLE Die Stillen Trabanten

	Die Seilen Prusaiten
DIRECTOR	Thomas Stuber In the Aisles
SCREENPLAY	Thomas Stuber, Clemens Meyer Based on the short stories by Clemens Meyer
DOP	Peter Matjasko A Heavy Heart, In the Aisles
CAST	Martina Gedeck, Nastassja Kinski, Albrecht Schuch, Lilith Stangenberg, Adel Bencherif, Andreas Döhler, Charly Hübner, Peter Kurth, Irina Starshenbaum
PRODUCERS	Jochen Laube, Fabian Maubach, Sophie Cocco
PRODUCED BY	Sommerhaus Filmproduktion in co-production with Warner Bros. Filmproductions
TERRITORIES AVAILABLE	World excluding German-speaking territories, Former Yugoslavia and Korea.



ADAPTED FROM A WORLD-BEST-SELLING NOVEL **BY ICELAND'S** MASTER OF CRIME, ARNALDUR INDRIÐASON.



OPERATION NAPOLEON

The gripping English-language thriller is based on the eponymous best-selling novel by Iceland's master of crime, Arnaldur Indriðason and features a stellar cast, led by Icelandic newcomer Vivian Ólafsdóttir and Iain Glen, best known as Ser Jorah Mormont in Game of Thrones.

BY ÓSKAR ÞÓR AXELSSON



WATCH TRAILER

WED 17 May 11:30 AM Lérins 2 MARKET SCREENING

THE STORY

Young Icelandic lawyer Kristin gets drawn into the vortex of an int national conspiracy when she receives grainy footage of an old airp ne wreck, recently revealed by the melting of one of Iceland's large glaciers. The old German World War II plane not only brings ruthle criminals onto the scene, but also CIA vice director William Carr, w had already been secretly trying to remove the wreck for a long tim Kristin places herself in great danger, refusing to rest until the key been discovered that will solve the riddle of Operation Napoleon. Ad from a world-best-selling novel by Iceland's master of crime, Arnal Indriðason.

THE DIRECTOR

Óskar Þór Axelsson is an Icelandic writer and director, born in 1973 He graduated from NYU's Film Department and worked on numer commercials before his short film Misty Mountain was nominated for Student Academy Awxards and won three Craft Awards at NYU's Run Film Festival. His feature film debut Black's Game was a break at the box office, becoming the second-highest grossing Icelandic m in history. His second feature I Remember You was highly successful Iceland, too and sold to UK, North America, Japan, Germany and other territories.

	THRILLER	English, Icelandic/ 102 min / completed
ter- pla-	DIRECTOR	Óskar Þór Axelsson Black's Game, I Remember You
est less who	SCREENPLAY	Marteinn Þórisson <i>Silent Witness, Jack Taylor</i> Based on the novel by Arnaldur Indriðason
me. y has	DOP	Árni Filippusson <i>Fangar, Gullregn,</i> The Midnight Sky
dapted ldur	CAST	Iain Glen <i>Resident Evil, Game of Thrones</i> Jack Fox <i>Riviera, Sandition, Cheaters</i> Vivian Ólafsdóttir <i>It Hatched</i> Wotan Wilke Möhring <i>Valkyrie, Sløborn</i> Ólafur Darri Ólafsson <i>The Minister, True Detective</i>
73. erous	PRODUCERS	Tinna Proppé, Hilmar Sigurðsson, Anita Elsani, Dirk Schweitzer
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HAMMARSKJÖLD (WT)

Iconic actor Mikael Persbrandt (In A Better World, Sex Education) stars in the gripping true story of the man John F. Kennedy once called "the greatest statesman of our century".

BY PER FLY

BETA CINEMA

THE STORY

In 1961, Dag Hammarskjöld has one year left as Secretary-General of the United Nations. The Cold War is at its peak, and its epicenter is the newly formed Democratic Republic of Congo. Hammarskjöld takes it upon himself to create a unified and peaceful nation out of the chaos left behind by Belgium. At the same time Hammarskjöld's life is turned upside down when an old friend unexpectedly shows up in New York. He realizes that he has missed out on an important part of life - and that it might be too late. This throws him into a battle between his sense of duty to the United Nations and a true friendship. In the Congo, UN peacekeepers are killed in open battle by mercenaries paid for by the mining industry, which is conspiring against Hammarskjöld's plans for national unity. In September 1961, he boards a plane in the Congo in a final desperate attempt to resolve the conflict, unknowingly embarking on the most dangerous journey of his life.

REQUEST PROMO

POLITICAL THRILLER English, Swedish / in post-production

ORIGINAL TITLE	Hammarskjöld
DIRECTOR	Per Fly
SCREENPLAY	Ulf Ryberg and Per Fly
DOP	John C. Rosenlund
CAST	Mikael Persbrandt, Francis Chouler, Cian Barry, Hakeem Kae-Kazim, Colin Salmon, Richard Brake, Sara Soulié, Thure Lindhardt
PRODUCER	Patrick Ryborn
PRODUCED BY	Unlimited Stories in co-production with Nordisk Film, SVT, C More, Film i Väst, Nordsvensk Filmunderhållning, Maipo Film and Meta Film
TERRITORIES AVAILABLE	World excluding Scandinavia, Italy, Spain and former Yugoslavia.

WHEN HAMMARSKJÖLD LAUNCHES THE UN'S AMBITIOUS **DE-COLONIZATION PROGRAM IN LATE 1959. HE INITIATES** A FIGHT WITH THE MOST POWERFUL FORCES IN THE WORLD.

THE DIRECTOR

Per Fly, born in 1960, is a multi-award-winning and internationally renowned danish director and screenwriter. Fly's feature film The Bench (2000), won him both a Bodil and a Robert award for Best Director and Best Film. Fly is the director behind internationally acclaimed and award-winning feature films such as The Inheritance (2003), Manslaughter (2005), and *Monica* Z (2013). Fly wrote and directed the feature film Backstabbing for Beginners (2018), produced by A24, with Theo James and Ben Kingsley in the leading roles. In 2022 he directed the BAFTA winning TV Series Borgen.

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PER FLY

DIRECTOR'S NOTE

I have been fascinated by the mysterious character of Dag Hammarskjöld for years. He was a fearless idealist who wanted a strong UN based on the recently established concept of human rights. His goal was to create an international society in which all countries would work together. An extensive collection of poems that he had written over the course of his lifetime was found after his death. In his own words, these poems are the one and only key to the truth about his life. Hammarskjöld was very secretive about everything regarding his personal life, which led to a lot of speculations about his sexuality. That kind of allegations could serve as weapons in the political wars. When he launches the UN's ambitious de-colonization program in late 1959, he initiates a fight with the most powerful forces in the world, and the last nine months of his life become a thrilling drama about greed, violence, and longing, played out in the frightening world of the Cold War.



FROM HILDE WITH LOVE

The stirring new film by multi-award-winning German auteur Andreas Dresen (Stopped on Track, Cloud 9, Grill Point) features Babylon Berlin-star Liv Lisa Fries in an all-consuming performance.

BY ANDREAS DRESEN

THE STORY

It was the most beautiful summer in Hilde's life. With it came the love she had never really believed in. When the last strawberries ripened in the garden, she was arrested - she was eight months pregnant. In the women's prison she gives birth to her son. Hilde suspects what might happen, but it is still a devastating blow when she receives her death sentence. When she first met her husband Hans, she is smitten while she still wonders if she can love him. Hans is politically active against the Nazis, has been in prison before and is still so strong and unbroken. With him, Hilde now also gets more involved in the far-flung, illegal group of artists, intellectuals and workers that will later be called the "Red Orchestra." But while Hans and the others do foolhardy things, radio the Soviet secret service and help the persecuted, Hilde only writes a few letters now and then, she is just a little light, she thinks. But in prison, they see her differently.

REQUEST SCRIPT

DRAMA German / in post-production			
ORIGINAL TITLE	In Liebe, Eure Hilde		
DIRECTOR	Andreas Dresen Stopped on Track, Cloud 9		
SCREENPLAY	Laila Stieler		
DOP	Judith Kaufmann Corsage		
CAST	Liv Lisa Fries <i>Babylon Berlin</i> Johannes Hegemann Lisa Wagner <i>The Pool</i> Alexander Scheer <i>Gundermann, Rabiye Kurnaz</i> Vs. George W. Bush		
PRODUCERS	Claudia Steffen, Christoph Friedel		
PRODUCED BY	Pandora Film Produktion in co-produktion with rbb and arte in association with Ziegler Film, Iskremas Filmproduktion		
AVAILABLE	World excluding German-speaking territories.		

THE DIRECTOR

Born in Gera, Germany in 1963, Andreas Dresen subsequently studied directing at the University of Film & Television Konrad Wolf in Potsdam-Babelsberg. His film Grill Point was a worldwide success and won awards including the Silver Bear at the 2002 Berlinale. Cloud 9 (2008), an improvised drama about love and sexuality in older age, won several prizes including the Coup de Coeur jury prize in the 'Un Certain Regard' section at the Cannes Film Festival and the German Film Award Bronze Best Film. In 2011 Stopped on Track won the 'Un Certain Regard' Award at the Cannes Film Festival. In 2019, Gundermann won six German Film Awards, including Best Film. Rabive Kurnaz Vs. George W. Bush, his fourth film in the Berlinale Competition 2022, won the Silver Bear for Best Leading Performance and the Silver Bear for Best Screenplay, as well as three German Film Awards.

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ANREAS DRESEN

DIRECTOR'S NOTE

No, no more well-lit resistance drama immersed in sepia, no equipment and costume battle, no orchestral music, no enraptured and enrapturing reconstruction of history, no historicizing distance. The story of Hilde and Hans is touching, precisely because it seems so tangible and normal. The two are very young, filled with a longing for love and, yes, normality. Only times are not like that. Hilde does not join the resistance because of a political mission, but out of decency. She intuitively does what seems right to her. Giving the parents of the missing soldiers news of their survival or helping to transport a radio - that's necessary and normal right now, isn't it? Because of their great love, the two sometimes forget the danger. It's a story of love and death. It starts in the middle, going forward to the abyss and backward to happiness. In the end there is the hope and beauty of a beginning love that extends to the present, because Hans, the little son of the two, luckily survived these dark times. It's been so long. So short.



FAMILIAR

After Child's Pose and Ana, Mon Amour, multiple award-winning Romanian director Călin Peter Netzer shows his distinctive signature again in this intimate, rapturous drama.

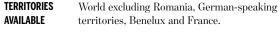
BY CĂLIN PETER NETZER

THE STORY

Dragoş, a Romanian film director in his forties decides to make a movie about his family's emigration to Germany in the 80s that followed his mother's extramarital affair. Because the emigration was done under suspicious conditions, Dragos investigates undercover, with help from his former girlfriend, Ilinca. The collaboration brings the two closer together, however complicating things with his fiancee. As Dragos delves deeper into his family's past, secrets come to light, leading to revelations about certain ties with the Secret Service. Trapped in his own story and with his fiancée announcing her pregnancy, Dragos must make a decision that will impact the future of everyone involved.

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DRAMA Rom	nanian / in post-production
ORIGINAL TITLE	Familiar
DIRECTOR	Călin Peter Netzer
SCREENPLAY	Călin Peter Netzer, Iulia Lumânare
DOP	Barbu Bălăsoiu, Andrei Butică
CAST	Emanuel Pârvu <i>Graduation, Miracle,</i> Iulia Lumânare , Ana Ciontea, Adrian Titieni , Victoria Moraru, Vlad Ivanov
PRODUCERS	Călin Peter Netzer, Oana Iancu
PRODUCED BY	Parada Film, Cinéma Defacto, Gaïjin, Volos Films
TERRITORIES	World excluding Romania, German-speaking





ON THIS ROAD, DRAGOS DOESN'T LET THE VOICE OF HIS OWN GUILT STOP HIM FROM HURTING PEOPLE HE CARES ABOUT. IF HE WOULD DO SO, THEN HE COULDN'T USE THEM ANYMORE.

THE DIRECTOR

Călin Peter Netzer was born in 1975 in Petrosani, Romania. His first feature film Maria (2003) was screened in prestigious festivals, won three main categories in Locarno, and was nominated for the EFA Awards. His second feature, Medal of Honor (2009), was selected in more than 30 festivals. Child's Pose (2013) received the Golden Bear thus becoming the first Romanian film to ever receive this prize. In 2017 Călin returned to the Official Selection in Berlinale with Ana, Mon Amour, and received a Silver Bear for Outstanding Artistic Contribution. His films have been very well received by the public, setting box office records in Romania, and securing worldwide sales and theatrical releases.

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CĂLIN PETER NETZER

DIRECTOR'S NOTE

The film is built with the thoroughness of a detective investigation, and I invite the spectator to be a witness to the intolerable intimacy of the Binder family, a witness who always seems to be on the tail of the characters and of what they know and hide. Playing the part of the culprit, the director recreates the love triangle his parents once had formed - Valeria, Emil, Stern - which had led to the never reconciled disruption of the family. Unaware of himself, he re-enacts the past through the present, while he himself takes up the role of his mother – the culprit who doesn't acknowledge guilt and who never admits to anything without a concealed reason. On this road, Dragos doesn't let the voice of his own guilt stop him from hurting people he cares about. If he would do so, then he couldn't use them anymore. And he needs to use them to find the truth about himself and ultimately to make the movie. Painfully, he must first sacrifice everyone around him, before he may finally sacrifice himself.



BLACK BOX

A pot-boiler about gentrification, prejudices and power play set in the microcosm of a Berlin apartment building. Directed by the multiple award-winning director of *Men on the Bridge*, co-produced by Jean-Pierre and Luc Dardenne.

BY ASLI ÖZGE

THE STORY

For undisclosed reasons, the entrances and exits of a Berlin apartment building are blocked for the time being. No one gets in or out. Left in the dark by the police, the residents start to speculate. First they assume there may be a bomb planted right outside the door. Then a rumour about a criminal hiding in the courtvard spreads. Suspicion turns into insecurities which turn into aggression. Prejudices bring polarisation, old conflicts come to light again and the residents start to suspect and denounce one another. In this situation of existential danger, they lose their mask of human decency. They start to show their real faces and each one of them pursues their own interests in this play of power and capitalism.

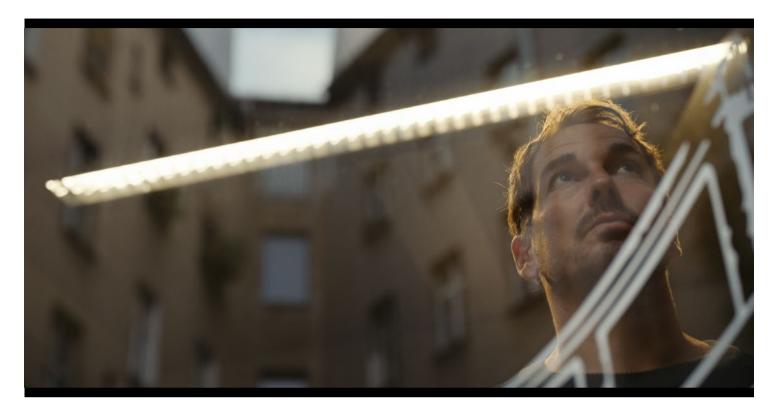
DRAMA German, English, French, Russian, Turkish / in post-production

ORIGINAL TITLE Black Box

- WRITTEN AND Ash Özge Men on the Bridge, Lifelong, DIRECTED BY All of a Sudden
- Emre Erkmen DOP

AVAILABLE

- CAST Luise Hever, Felix Kramer, Christian Berkel, Timur Magomedgadzhiev, Manal Issa, André Szymanski, Sascha Alexander Geršak, Anne Ratte-Polle, Jonathan Berlin, Inka Friedrich, Anna Brüggemann, Marc Zinga
- PRODUCED BY Zeitsprung Pictures, Les Films du Fleuve in co-production with gilles mann filmproduktion, ZDF, Port au Prince Film & Kultur Produktion, VOO and Be Tv TERRITORIES
 - World excluding German-speaking territories.



WE FEEL THAT ANYTHING COULD HAPPEN AT ANY TIME. ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD. THIS LEADS TO INCREASED POLARIZATION BETWEEN SOCIETIES, POPPING NATIONALISM.

THE DIRECTOR

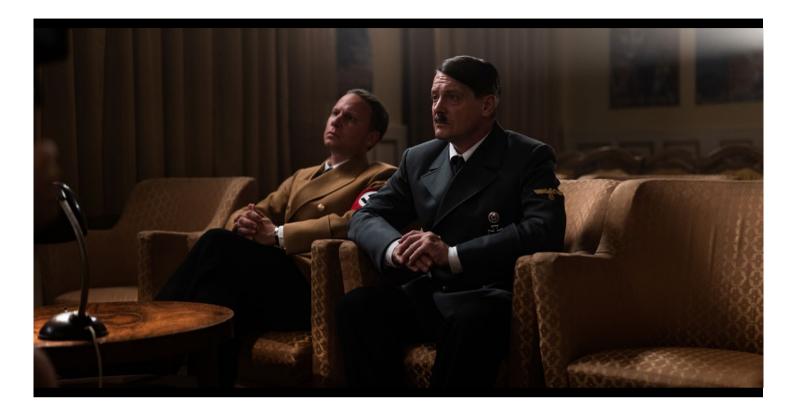
Aslı Özge was born in Istanbul and lives in Berlin since 2000. She graduated from Marmara University Faculty of Fine Arts Film & TV. Her first theatrical feature Men on the Bridge (2009) premiered internationally at the Locarno and Toronto Film Festivals and won many awards. The film was shown more than 40 film festivals worldwide and was released in several countries, amongst them Germany, UK, USA. Her second feature Lifelong (2013) and the German-language All of a Sudden (2016), both of which premiered at Berlin Film Festival; the latter feature won both Europa Cinemas Special Label and Fipresci Awards. In 2019 Özge directed a mini-series *Dunkelstadt*, in Belgium for German TV ZDF-Neo. Black Box had been selected to Cannes Film Festival's L'Atelier in 2018.

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ASLI ÖZGE

DIRECTOR'S NOTE

Under the influence of one of the plagues of our time, fear, and the insecurity resulting from it, our societies grow more anxious, with everybody mistrusting everybody else. We feel that anything could happen at any time, anywhere in the world. This leads to increased polarization between societies, popping nationalism. It's exactly in that context, in a Berlin courtyard that "Black Box" is set. A group of people with different nationalities, languages, religions are forced to spend an entire day locked inside the courtyard together due to an insecure situation on the outside. I have imagined the courtyard as a mirror image of a "country". I wanted to make a film in which rulers and subjects, the powerful and the weak, meet and collide, where separation into small groups causes separatism and where people in a position of power use said position for personal gain. Contrary to what governments try to make us believe, the danger in this film, just like in real life, may not come from outside but from inside, from each other.



FUHRER AND SEDUCER

Director Joachim A. Lang (Mack the Knife) puts an end to the underestimation and trivialization of Goebbels' Nazi propaganda without ever diminishing the responsibility of millions of Germans for the crimes of the Third Reich.

BY JOACHIM A. LANG

THE STORY

Joseph Goebbels, the Minister of Propaganda, accompanies Hitler during the seven years from the "Anschluss" of Austria in March 1938 to the murder and suicide in the Fuhrerbunker in May 1945. While Hitler is at the height of his power, Goebbels is the creator of the pictures of the flag waving crowds and of the anti-Semitic films "Jud Süß" and "Der ewige Jude", that prepare the people for the mass murder of the Jews. After the defeat at Stalingrad and the situation becoming increasingly hopeless in late 1944. Goebbels plans the most radical propaganda act, his last staging. with Hitler's suicide, the murder of his family and his own suicide. The dramatic narrative is accompanied by short statements in which Holocaust survivors describe the consequences of Hitler's and Goebbels' horrifying acts: Margot Friedländer, Elly Gotz, Ernst Grube, Charlotte Knobloch, Eva Szepesi, Eva Umlauf and Leon Weintraub. They all know and support the concept of the film and want to open the viewer's eyes so that the past is not repeated.

REQUEST SCRIPT

HISTORICA	HISTORICAL DRAMA German / in post-production		
ORIGINAL TITLE	Führer und Verführer		
DIRECTOR	Joachim A. Lang		
SCREENPLAY	Joachim A. Lang		
DOP	Klaus Fuxjäger		
CAST	Robert Stadlober <i>Summer Storm, Das Boot</i> Fritz Karl <i>Sisi</i> Franziska Weisz <i>The Swarm, Stations of the Cross</i>		
PRODUCERS	Till Derenbach, Michael Souvignier		
PRODUCED BY	Zeitsprung Pictures in coproduction with SWR		

TERRITORIES AVAILABLE

World excluding German-speaking territories.



TO FIND ANSWERS, I BELIEVE THAT WE MUST **EXAMINE THE PERSPECTIVE OF THE PERPETRATORS** AND DELVE INTO THEIR APPARATUS OF POWER.

THE DIRECTOR

Joachim A. Lang, Prof. Dr., is an author and director. He studied German and history at the universities of Heidelberg and Stuttgart. In his early days, he produced documentaries and features and directed television programs, shows and films. In 2013, he realized the German Television Award-winning film George. In 2018, he presented Mack the Knife - Brecht's Threepenny Film, one of the most important German-language films of the year. Lang's work has been awarded numerous film and television prizes, including the German French Journalism Prize, Golden Lion, Bavarian Television Prize, Eurovisioni, German Television Prize, World Gold Medal at the New York Film Festival and the Special Golden Prague Award.

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JOACHIM A. LANG

DIRECTOR'S NOTE

About 80 years ago, the world witnessed the biggest crimes in human history: the Holocaust and World War II. I was born 14 years after the fall of the Nazi regime, and all my life, I have been grappling with the question of how the perpetrators succeeded in committing such unimaginable atrocities. To find answers, I believe that we must examine the perspective of the perpetrators and delve into their apparatus of power. This is breaking taboos, but it is indispensable because it helps us to tear the masks off their faces and make the mechanisms of demagogy transparent. In doing so we can also unmask and disarm the agitators of the present. All the dialogues in my film are based on actual quotations. The perpetrators spoke in this manner or very similarly. They were able to execute their murderous plans with the help of countless Germans who followed them. Today, we are again witnessing the rise of populists, right-wing extremists, and anti-Semitic acts of violence. With my film, I want to help ensure that what happened never happens again.



ONE FOR THE ROAD

A deeply touching and distinctively authentic story about a young man finally facing his addiction to alcohol, set between Berlin's famous bars and sober therapy rooms. Lead actor Frederick Lau (Victoria) delivers an outstanding performance.

BY MARKUS GOLLER

THE STORY

Although in self-denial about his drinking problem, Mark seems to have easily mastered life between his demanding job as a construction manager and rambunctious forays into Berlin's nightlife. That is, until he is stopped by the police one night, loses his license until he has passed a medical -psychological examination. Mark bets his best friend Nadim that he won't drink any alcohol until he gets his driving license back, but he hasn't reckoned with meeting "partner in crime" Helena during the examination. At first Mark is confident of victory, but soon disillusionment follows in the truest sense of the word. Does Mark have to admit to himself that he has a more serious problem than he thought?

REQUEST SCRIPT

DIRECTOR	Markus Goller 25 km/h, Friendship!
SCREENPLAY	Oliver Ziegenbalg
DOP	Philip Peschlow, bvk
CAST	Frederick Lau <i>Victoria, The Wave</i> Nora Tschirner, Burak Yiğit, Friederike Becht, Godehard Giese
PRODUCERS	Markus Goller, Oliver Ziegenbalg, Quirin Berg, Max Wiedemann
CO-PRODUCERS	Jan Gallasch, Tobias Herrmann, Stefan Gärtner
PRODUCED BY	Sunny Side Up Film in co-production with Pictures In A Frame, Sevenpictures Film, Deutsche Columbia Pictures
TERRITORIES Available	World excluding German-speaking territories.



WE TRIED TO MAKE A MOVIE THAT IS ENTERTAINING BUT NEVER BETRAYS THE ADDICTIVE AND DESTRUCTIVE SIDE OF ALCOHOL.

THE DIRECTOR

Markus Goller began his career in the early 1990s as a freelance editor for short films, commercials and documentary films worldwide. His first feature film Mask Under Mask in 2001 marked the revival of the B-movie Genre in Germany. Several outstanding boxoffice hits followed: Friendship! was the most successful German film of the year 2010 with 1.6m admissions and Mrs. Ella (2013), My Brother Simple (2017) and 25 km/h (2019) all sold more than a million tickets at the box office. 25 km/h, starring Lars Eidinger (White Noise, Personal Shopper), also was nominated for the national film awards and became a cultfilm in Germany. In 2020, Markus Goller was attached as director and co-writer to the X-Filme produced adventure-drama-series Wild Republic. One For The *Road* is his most recent film.

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MARKUS GOLLER

DIRECTOR'S NOTE

In One For The Road our goal was to set light on the every day topic of alcohol use, misuse and the effects that it has on us, our families, our friends and our society really. We tried to make a movie that is appealing for many, that gets seen, were people can identify and talk after the movie to friends and family about possible issues with alcohol. We tried to make a movie that is entertaining but never betrays the addictive and destructive side of alcohol.

I am especially proud of our main actor Frederick Lau (Victoria) who performed in such an authentic manor, who gave everything into this role and created a MARK that we all know, that most of us is very close to, who is seduced by the uplifting ambiance of alcohol and finds himself running from his true self.



THE OFFING

Adapted from a world-bestselling novel, this powerful ode to friendship stars one of the world's most beloved actresses in the lead. Emmy award-winning director Jessica Hobbs (*The Crown, The Palace*) directs.

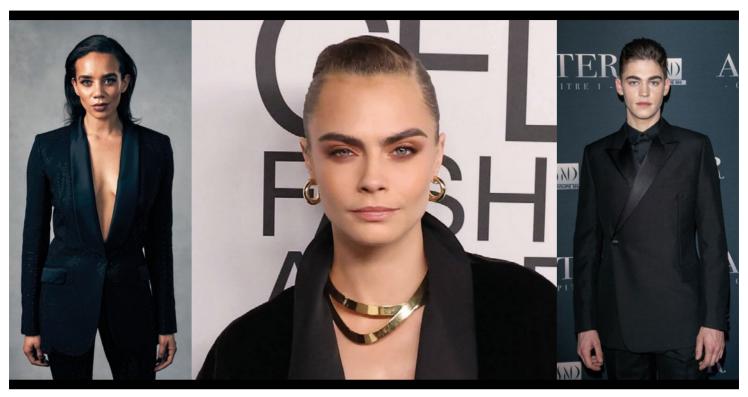
BY JESSICA HOBBS

THE STORY

A blazing summer in post-war England. Robert is 16, the shy, nature loving son of a miner. Before he follows his father down the pit, he sets out to explore the countryside and see a little more of the world. He gets as far as Dulcie, a hard drinking, foul-mouthed, bohemian recluse several times his age. Under her eccentric tutelage, his life opens up to rich food, poetry, girls and the possibility that there may be more to living than duty and mining. But while Dulcie's cottage and garden by the sea are idyllic, this place holds a tragic secret about Dulcie's great love. When Robert discovers the truth, his brave and tender friendship compels Dulcie to open her own heart and re-engage with the world. Their encounter is a riotous clash of experience, personality and perspective which will leave them both forever changed.

DRAMA English / in pre-production				
ORIGINAL TITLE	The Offing			
DIRECTOR	Jessica Hobbs The Crown, The Palace			
SCREENPLAY	Amy Roberts based on the novel by Benjamin Myers			
CAST	Helena Bonham-Carter The King's Speech, Alice in Wonderland, Harry Potter Franchise, The Crown			
PRODUCERS	Charlotte Walls, Emily Barttelot			
PRODUCED BY	Catalyst Global Media			
TERRITORIES AVAILABLE	World excluding UK, Benelux, AUS/NZ, Spain, Switzerland, MENA, Portugal, former Yugoslavia.			

REQUEST SCRIPT



THE CLIMB

An international eco-thriller, starring Cara Delevingne, Hero Fiennes Tiffin and Hannah John-Kamen. A gripping true story about a group of passionate Greenpeace activists, ready to risk life and limb to set a sign against ecocide.

BY HAYLEY EASTON STREET

THE STORY

Based on the incredible true story of six ordinary women who do something extraordinary: As part of a Greenpeace-led protest action against Shell Oil's plans to drill in the Arctic, they scale the tallest building in Europe, London's iconic Shard. They are led by Wiola (23, Polish) and Victo (33, Canadian), they resist the wind and the police trying to stop them and place a banner reading "Save the Arctic" on the skyscraper. Their daring climb inspires 50,000 people to join up to support the Greenpeace Arctic campaign that day.

THRILLER English / in pre-production				
ORIGINAL TITLE	The Climb			
DIRECTOR	Hayley Easton Street			
SCREENPLAY	Hayley Easton Street			
DOP	Fabian Wagner Game of Thrones, The Crown			
CAST	Cara Delevigne <i>Paper Towns, Valerian</i> Hero Fiennes Tiffin <i>After franchise,</i> <i>The Woman King</i> Hannah John-Kamen <i>Resident Evil: Welcome</i> <i>to Raccoon City, Ant-Man and the Wasp,</i>			
PRODUCERS	John Sachs, Andrew Berg, Kimberley Sachs			
PRODUCED BY	Eclipse Films			
TERRITORIES Available	World excluding UK/IRE, German-speaking territories, Italy, Switzerland, Spain, Scandinavia, former Yugoslavia and Middle East.			

REQUEST TRAILER

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