

Limassol, 6 October 2015

5th INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL OF CYPRUS

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at Rialto Theatre, Limassol

The 5th International Short Film Festival of Cyprus kicks off on Saturday, 17 October 2015, at Rialto Theatre with a breathtaking three- dimensional show, and a week of free screenings for all!

Experience the third dimension!

Expanding last year's opening ceremony, which made use of the 3D Mapping technique, the Festival celebrates its fifth year as an international competition festival with yet another 3D experience. Three- dimensional screenings, especially designed for the Festival, will bring the best out of the 3D technique and explore its artistic boundaries. The screenings will be projected onto the Rialto theatre building. The show begins at 8.30p.m., on October 17th. Its main sponsor is Primetel.

Pre-events will lead up to the Festival Opening!

On **Monday 12/10 and Tuesday 13/10** renowned graffiti artist <u>Achilleas Michaelides, aka. Paparazzi</u>, will create a mural inspired by 3D cinema and the short film in the courtyard of the main Cyprus University of Technology building.

On **Friday 16/10** – the eve of the opening night- percussion band Batukinio will perform at the promenade of Limassol at 6.30p.m. Festival volunteers will be giving out the programme of screenings and information for the public.

The Festival announces the International Jury!

This year's international jury consists of the following international film professionals:

- Bruno Coppola, Director Producer
- Fibby Kioria, Producer Artistic Director of the Maisha Film Lab for East Africans
- Teresa Kwong, Producer Curator, Hong Kong Arts Centre

- Sherif Awad, Film Critic, Egypt
- Simon Farmakas, Cypriot Producer Director

The two main competition sections of the Festival, international and national, will be enhanced by film tributes, masterclasses and other parallel events.

Please visit www.isffc.com.cy for the full programme of screenings and events.

Additional Information

Subtitles: All films are screened in their original dialogues with Greek and English subtitles.

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Free Entrance (Free tickets must be obtained from the Rialto Box Office)

Information: Rialto Theatre 77 77 77 45 www.isffc.com.cy / www.rialto.com.cy

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