

LINE UP 2019

UNIFRANCE RENDEZ-VOUS



TRAILER

THE GRAND HOTEL BALLET

UNIFRANCE RDV

DIRECTED BY JACQUES DESCHAMPS

At the foot of the French Alps, students at the renowned Lesdiguières Hotel School are on track to become chefs, headwaiters and housekeepers for the world's most prestigious hotels and restaurants. These young men and women, most from modest backgrounds, have come to this school to learn how to prepare food, serve and tidy in what eventually becomes a carefully crafted choreography.

At the crossroads of documentary film and musical, les Petits Maîtres du Grand Hôtel dance and sing their way through the demanding training program; but will their rigorous prepar

SCREENING @ UNIFRANCE RDV : **FRIDAY 18TH, 15:00, ROOM 7**

FRANCE / DOCUMENTARY, MUSICAL / 2018 / 80'



TRAILER

HER JOB

UNIFRANCE RDV

DIRECTED BY NIKOS LABÔT
WITH MARISHA TRIANTAFYLIDOU AND DIMITRIS IMELLOS

| TORONTO 2018 |

| WARSAW 2018
COMPETITION 1-2 FIRST AWARD |

| THESSALONIKI 2018
BEST ACTRESS |

Panayiota, a 37-year-old illiterate housewife, leads a quiet life with her husband and their children in a modest neighbourhood in Athens, Greece. To cope with the recession that has been affecting her family for some time, Panayiota for the first time in her life, finds a job as a cleaner in a shopping mall. Despite the ruthlessness of her work-environment, Panayiota breaks free from domestic monotony and gradually gains the respect she never had from her family. When a series of layoffs starts, she will have to face again her personal dead ends. But Panayiota cannot be the same anymore.

SCREENING @ UNIFRANCE RDV : **SUNDAY 20TH, 9:00, ROOM 7**

FRANCE, GREECE, SERBIA / DRAMA / 2018 / 90'



PROMO AVAILABLE
AT OUR BOOTH

PAPICHA

UPCOMING

DIRECTED BY MOUNIA MEDDOUR

Algeria, 1990s.

Nedjma, an 18 year-old student passionate about fashion design refuses to let the tragic events of the Algerian Civil War to keep her from experiencing a normal life and going out at night with her friend Wassila. As the social climate becomes more conservative, she rejects the new bans set by the radicals and decides to fight for her freedom and independence by putting up a fashion show.

FRANCE, ALGERIA, BELGIUM, QATAR / DRAMA / 2019 / 105'



A SON (WORKING TITLE)

UPCOMING

DIRECTED BY MEHDI BARSAOUI
WITH SAMI BOUJILA AND NAJLA BEN ABDALLAH

Summer 2011. During a holiday trip to Southern Tunisia, Fares, Meriem and their 10-year-old son Aziz, are ambushed by an armed group. Aziz is injured in the attack and taken to a rudimentary hospital nearby.

As the race to provide him with a new liver begins, long-buried truths begin to resurface, jeopardizing the family's chances of finding a donor in time.

TUNISIA, FRANCE / DRAMA / 2019 / 90'

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POMPEI

UPCOMING

DIRECTED BY JOHN SHANK AND ANNA FALGUÈRES
WITH GARANCE MARILLIER, ALIOCHA SCHNEIDER, VINCENT ROTTIERS

In a deserted region, Victor and his younger brother Jimmy are left to fend for themselves and being part of a gang does not help overcoming loneliness. When Victor falls in love with Billie, a young girl from a troubled home, things slowly begin to change for Jimmy.

BELGIUM, FRANCE, CANADA / DRAMA / 2019 / 90'



TRAILER

MANTA RAY

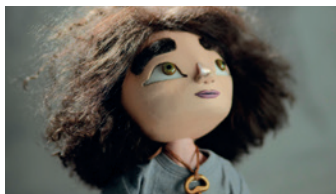
COMPLETED

DIRECTED BY PHUTTIPHONG AROONPHENG

VENICE 2018 | ORIZZONTI AWARD FOR BEST FILM | TORONTO 2018 | SAN SEBASTIAN 2018 |

Near a coastal village of Thailand, by the sea where thousands of Rohingya refugees have drowned, a local fisherman finds an injured man lying unconscious in the forest. He rescues the stranger, who does not speak a word, offers him his friendship and names him Thongchai. But when the fisherman suddenly disappears at sea, Thongchai slowly begins to take over his friend's life – his house, his job and his ex-wife...

THAILAND, FRANCE, CHINA / DRAMA - THRILLER / 2018 / 105'



TRAILER

THE TOWER

COMPLETED

DIRECTED BY MATS GRORUD

ANNECY 2018 |

Beirut, Lebanon, Today.
Wardi, an eleven-year-old Palestinian girl, lives with her whole family in the refugee camp where she was born. Her beloved great-grandfather Sidi was one of the first people to settle in the camp after being chased from his home back in 1948. The day Sidi gives her the key to his old house back in Galilea, she fears he may have lost hope of someday going home. As she searches for Sidi's lost hope around the camp, she will collect her family's testimonies, from one generation to the next.

NORWAY, FRANCE, SWEDEN / ANIMATION / 2018 / 80'



TRAILER

TO THE FOUR WINDS

COMPLETED

DIRECTED BY MICHEL TOESCA

CANNES 2018
OFFICIAL SELECTION / SPECIAL SCREENING

In the Roya valley located between France and Italy, thousands of migrants try to cross the border each month in search for a better life. Cédric Herrou, a local farmer, has been welcoming migrants at his home since the beginning of the crisis, turning his backyard into a much-needed shelter. With the help of friends and volunteers, he challenges French immigration policies which make impossible for these families to set foot on French ground and seek asylum. Filmed during two years by documentary filmmaker Michel Toesca, this everyday hero will do anything to help them, even risking his own freedom.

FRANCE / DOCUMENTARY / 2018 / 100'

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