GERMAN SHORT FILMS DURING THE BERLINALE 2020
A DEMONSTRATION
Sasha Litvintseva, Beny Wagner
Germany/Netherlands/UK · 2020
experimental · 25 min

Inspired by the taxonomies of monsters in early modern science, the film explores and reinterprets a way of seeing the natural world that is almost impossible to imagine from today’s view.

SAT    22 FEB    13:00     Cubix 6
TUE    25 FEB    21:30     Cubix 9
THU    27 FEB    17:00     Collosseum 1
FRI    28 FEB    13:30     Zoopalast 3
FRI    28 FEB    16:30     CinemaxX 3

VEITSTANZ/FEIXTANZ
Gabriele Stötzer · GDR · 1988
experimental · 25 min · out of competition

The ancient ritual of St Vitus’ Dance (Veits-tanz), where groups of people danced in public until they lost consciousness is re-created by 13 women and men in 1988 in Erfurt.

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GENERATION KPLUS

MISHOU
Milen Vitanov · Germany/Bulgaria
2020 · animation · 8 min

The lives of four lively Arctic hares take a turn after discovering a strange new creature. A humorous animation about friendship that doubles as a biting commentary on human ignorance.

TUE    25 FEB    10:00     Urania
WED    26 FEB    09:30     Zoo Palast 1
THU    27 FEB    09:30     Filmtheater am Fhain
SUN    01 MAR    11:00     CinemaxX 1

INFLORESCENCE
Nicolaas Schmidt · Germany · 2020
experimental · 8 min

A Romantic Conceptualism Bedtime Fable of resistance & redundance, or the awkward ambivalence of truth, dream, life and love. Let’s unite to inflorescence.

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UNTITLED SEQUENCE OF GAPS
Vika Kirchenbauer · Germany · 2020
experimental-documentary · 13 min

This film uses the form of an essay film to approach trauma-related memory loss via reflections on light outside the visible spectrum – on what is felt but never seen.

SUN 23 FEB 13:45 Arsenal Cinema 1
MON 24 FEB 20:30 Cubix 5
TUE 25 FEB 17:00 Werkstattkino
@silent green
SUN 01 MAR 16:00 Kino International

IMAGINARY EXPLOSIONS, EPISODE 2, CHAITÉN
Caitlin Berrigan · USA/Germany · 2019
experimental-documentary · 23 min

Contemporary science blurs with fiction as a trans-feminist affiliation cooperates with the desires of the mineral earth to simultaneously erupt all volcanoes.

group exhibition from WED 19 FEB at silent green Kulturquartier

QUANTUM CREOLE
Filipa César · Germany/France/Spain/Portugal · 2019 · documentary · 40 min

QUANTUM CREOLE is an experimental documentary film of collective research into creolization, addressing its historical, ontological, and cultural forces.

group exhibition from WED 19 FEB at silent green Kulturquartier

EINE PRÄMIE FÜR IRENE
A BONUS FOR IRENE
Helke Sander · FRG · 1971 · 50 min

Irene is a single mother who works in a washing machine factory. She doesn’t suffer fools gladly, whether in relation to unequal treatment at work or sexual harassment from men.

MON 24 FEB 20:00 Akademie der Künste
WED 26 FEB 10:00 Arsenal Cinema 1
WED 26 FEB 17:30 Arsenal Cinema 1
## THE WASTE TRADE
Katey Wilson · Germany/USA/Italy · 2019 · documentary · 50 min

What really happens when trash is bought and sold on the global market? This film explores waste management in the age of globalization.

**FRI 21 FEB 09:15 delphi LUX 5**

## PATRICK IS OUTSIDE
Carsten Woike · Germany · 2019 horror-satire · 30 min

A young woman visits her in-laws with her boyfriend to find out that there is a dark family secret that has to do with the outcast brother of her boyfriend.

**WED 26 FEB 11:00 CinemaxX 12**

## TX-REVERSE 360°
Martin Reinhart, Virgil Widrich Austria/Germany · 2019 · VR 5 min

“tx-reverse” shows the collision of reality and cinema and draws its viewers into a vortex in which the familiar order of space and time is suspended.

**FRI 21 FEB 17:00 VR Cinema**

## GETTING HIM BACK
Bico LaFrey · Germany · 2020 fiction · 29 min

Emmi is desperately trying to win her boyfriend back, turning to somewhat unorthodox methods that lead to hilariously absurd situations with quirky characters and dry humor.

**WED 26 FEB 14:20 CinemaxX 12**

## A RIDE IN 2049
Peter Baumann · Germany · 2019 infotainment/VR · 8 min

A RIDE IN 2049 is a Virtual Reality experience which shows how deeply and comprehensively computer-controlled mobility will shape our cities in the future.

**SAT 22 FEB 11:00 VR Cinema**

## APOLLO / 1ST STEP
Joerg Courtial · Germany · 2019 VR · 15 min

“1st STEP” is a captivating VR documentary, telling the magical story of the Apollo missions, from their impressive launch all the way through to their fortunate return on earth.

**MON 24 FEB 11:30 VR Cinema**

## MARE NOSTRUM
Stefania Casini · Germany/Italy 2019 · VR · 11 min

A nightmarish journey of a juvenile refugee from the Sahara to the Mediterranean. A live action, VR 360° experience enables the viewer to experience the unfolding tragedy.

**MON 24 FEB 12:00 VR Cinema**

## HESSEN TALENTS 2020

A selection of the best student films from the 2019 production of 4 academies within the German State of Hesse - presented by the networking institution Hessen Film and Media Academy.

**WED 26 FEB 11:00 CinemaxX 11**
SHORT FORM STATION PRESENTATION: 10 SHORT FORM PROJECTS IN DEVELOPMENT

Short Form Station supports the development of 10 projects across all genres, showcasing great artistic and narrative variety and freedom. At the public presentation, film professionals can get to know the projects and meet with the filmmakers who would like to share the results of a week’s work with you! The presentation includes projects by German directors Laurentia Genske and Michael Fetter Nathansky.

Access to the Gropius Bau Cinema is restricted. Please register with: schluessel@berlinale.de

For more information about the projects, please visit www.berlinale-talents.de

WED 26 FEB 12:00-14:00 EFM - Gropius Bau

SCREENING SHORTS: WE ARE MANY – EVERY SINGLE ONE OF US

Talents come in multitudes! This captivating collection of films drawn from Berlinale Shorts and Generation features the best work of alumni and friends.

For accredited Berlinale guests and the public. Tickets available at the respective ticket counters.

→ Girl and Body · Charlotte Mars
  Australia, 19 min
→ Clebs (Mutts) · Halima Ouardiri
  Canada, Morocco · 18 min
→ A Fool God · Hiwot Admasu Getaneh
  France · 20 min
→ Playback. Ensayo de una despedida
  Agustina Comedi · Argentina · 14 min
→ Genius Loci · Adrien Mérigeau
  France · 16 min

In cooperation with Berlinale Shorts and Generation.

THU 27 FEB 14:00-16:00 HAU1

WOCHEN DER KRITIK

GANZE TAGE ZUSAMMEN
ENTIRE DAYS TOGETHER

Luise Donschen · Germany · 2019 · fiction
10 min

A young woman is losing her epilepsy. The last days before the summer vacation begin and she is supposed to say goodbye to her illness as well as to the shared familiar place.

TUE 25 FEB 20:00 Hackesche Höfe Kino
SUN 01 MAR 10:00 Hackesche Höfe Kino

[BORDEAUX], MA BILE

Oliver Bassemir · Germany/France · 2019
essay, documentary · 10 min

Bordeaux has around 260,000 inhabitants and more than 6 million tourists per year. Around the sealed historical center, the shape of the city is changing fast.

THU 20 FEB 20:00 Hackesche Höfe Kino
SUN 01 MAR 18:15 Hackesche Höfe Kino
Come and visit the AG Kurzfilm – German Short Film Association and German Films. Pick up the catalogue GERMAN SHORT FILMS 2020 and the new preview DVDs at the European Film Market.

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INDUSTRY SCREENING FOR CINEMAS

SHORT.FILM.TOUR. 2020
THE GERMAN SHORT FILM AWARD. IN CINEMAS.

During their stopover at the Berlinale, the German Short Film Association presents the outstanding films nominated for or awarded the German Short Film Award in 2019. We are looking forward to some of the filmmakers being present for the screening. Individualised programs can be compiled from all thirteen participating films and booked for screenings in Germany or abroad.

SUN 23 FEB 15:30 Hackesche Höfe Kinos
(German without subtitles)

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