

For the first time in Bern, the GLOBAL SCIENCE FILM FESTIVAL brings together filmmakers, scientists and audiences from the two hosting cities Bern and Zurich.

All films negotiate current global issues and challenges from numerous scientific fields.

2nd GLOBAL SCIENCE FILM FESTIVAL

Bern & Zurich

16–17 Nov 2019

BERN PROGRAM

cineMovie 1 – Quinnie
Seilerstrasse 4, Bern



THU 14 NOV
19:45
5 & 16 min
OV with D/EN subs

Special Event at ETHNO KINO
KINO in der Reitschule
Neubrückstrasse 8

Eldorado + Bashir in Wonderland

CH & NL, 2019, DOCU

DEBATE Dr. des Eda Elif Tibet, Prof. Dr. Shahram Koshravi (Stockholm Univ.), Jyothi Kanics (ENS), Prof. Dr. Susan Thieme

Drawing from his personal encounter with a refugee child during WWII, Imhoof reflects about how migrants are treated today. The 2nd film portrays the young Bashir, who is growing up in a refugee camp in the Algerian desert.



www.sciencefilm.ch

TICKETS

Normal tickets CHF 10.- / reduced* CHF 7.-

Festival pass: normal CHF 30.00 / reduced* CHF 25.00

Free admission for students of the University of Bern and for young people up to 18 years of age for ticket collection up to 30 min before the start of the screening

On location or online reservation: www.quinnie.ch

* KulturLegi / AHV+IV / other students



SAT 16 NOV
11:00
85 min
OV with EN subs

SAT 16 NOV
13:45
135 min
OV with D/EN subs

SAT 16 NOV
17:15
90 min
OV with D/EN/FR subs

SAT 16 NOV
20:00
83 min
OV with EN subs

22:00 AFTER DRINKS

The Sound of Silence

USA 2019 DRAMA
85 min
OV with EN subs

Through his work as a „House Tuner“, Peter works on the diagnosis of uneven ambient sounds, which have a negative effect on the emotional state of his clients – until he takes on the case of Ellen.

DEBATE Filmmakers Ben Nabors and Michael Tyburski
Dr. Michael Harenberg (Sound Artist, HKB)

Stroop – Journey into the Rhino Horn War

SA, CN 2018 DOCU
135 min
OV with D/EN subs

Two filmmakers explore the war for rhino horn. In this roller-coaster ride between Africa and Asia, the two women embed themselves on the front-lines of a species genocide where they are given exclusive access.

DEBATE Director & Presenter Susan Scott & Bonnè de Bod
Mathias Lörtscher (President CITES)

Aquarela

UK, DE 2018 DOCU
90 min
OV with D/EN/FR subs

The film travels from the precarious frozen waters, into the throes of a hurricane, to mighty waterfalls in order to paint a portrait of this fluid life force. Fragile humans experience life and death, joy and despair in the face of its power.

DEBATE Writer & Producer Aimara Reques
Dr. Aurea Chiaia-Hernández (Environmental Scientist)

The woman who loves giraffes

CA, ZA 2018 DOCU
83 min
OV with EN subs

A feature documentary about the world’s first “giraffologist” Anne Innis Dagg. The film retraces the steps of Anne’s ground-breaking 1956 journey to South Africa and discusses the giraffes situation today.

DEBATE Dr. Anne Innis Dagg and Director Alison Reid
Prof. Dr. Catherine Peichel (Evolutionary Biologist)

SUN 17 NOV
11:00
90 min
OV with EN subs

SUN 17 NOV
13:45
85 min
OV with EN subs

SUN 17 NOV
16:15
130 min
OV with EN subs

SUN 17 NOV
19:30
75 min
OV with EN subs

Heartbound – A Different Kind of Love Story

DN, NL 2018 DOCU
90 min
OV with EN subs

939 Thai women live in windswept North Jutland. 25 years ago this number was almost zero, except for Sommai, a former sex worker from Pattaya. Since then she has been helping women from her village to marry men in Jutland.

DEBATE Directors and writers Janus Metz & Sine Plambech
Prof. Dr. Susan Thieme (Geographer)

Fire Will Come

SP, FR 2019 DRAMA
85 min
OV with EN subs

Amador Coro has been condemned for having provoked a fire. When he gets out of prison, he returns to his home town to live with his mother. And so the days go by until one night a new fire slowly threatens to destroy land and life.

DEBATE Director and Writer Oliver Laxe
Scientist N.N.

Mission Mangal

INDIA 2019 DRAMA
130 min
OV with EN subs

This is the incredible and true story of a motley team of researchers who overcome their personal challenges and failures to serve as the brains behind one of the greatest missions in history: the launch of India’s first satellite to Mars.

DEBATE Director and Writer Jargan Shakti
Dr. Payal Parekh (climate scientist and activist)

SHORT FILM NIGHT

Bern in the Moon, Ruth, Artificial Us, Then We Disappear, Control Insect Pests, Velosituation Bern, Frozen No More, All Inclusive, Grippe

A program about Bernese space travel, vaccination, artificial intelligence, fossil fuel emissions and invasive species.

DEBATE with the directors

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