

# 7 - 17 November 2023

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## **WEEK ONE**

#### **Tuesday 07 November**

**19:00** Opening Ceremony with the participation of Philippe Ulysse del Drago, Executive & Artistic Director of Festival International du Film sur l'Art-Le FIFA Canada (via zoom), Dr. Antoine Courban & Alice Mogabgab. 19:25 *The Colour of Ink*, Canada, 2022, 105′, documentary by Brian D. Johnson, O.V./Eng. sub. In partnership with Office National du Film du Canada.

Followed by the Starry Garden Party 🖴 at Le Jardin de la Francophonie.

#### Wednesday 08 November

**18:00** *Last Dance,* Switzerland, 2022, 84′, fiction by Delphine Lehericey, Fr./Eng. sub. Cast François Berléand, Kacey Mottet-Klein, La Ribot. In partnership with Embassy of Switzerland to Lebanon & Syria. **20:00** *Elias Rahbani-* ثالث الرحابنة, Lebanon/Qatar, 2023, 80′, documentary by Feyrouz Serhal, Arabic. In partnership with Al Jazeera Documentary. Followed by the Golden Fireflies Ceremony awarding Eliane Raheb ★ at Le Jardin de la Francophonie.

## **Thursday 9 November**

**18:00** *The Mirror of Others*, Canada, 2022, 7', short experimental documentary by Kristen Brown, Eng./Fr. sub. Followed by *The Poetess*, Saudia Arabia/Germany, 2017, 58', documentary by Stefanie Brockhaus & Andreas Wolff, Ar./Eng. sub. In partnership with Saadallah & Loubna Khalil Foundation.

**20:00** *Perugino. Eternal Renaissance,* Italy, 2023, 80', documentary by Giovanni Piscaglia, English version. Followed by a discussion in French with Alice Mogabgab. In partnership with Istituto Italiano di Cultura.

## Friday 10 November

**18:00** *Umberto Eco: A Library of the World*, Italy, 2023, 80', documentary by Davide Ferrario, O.V./Eng. sub. Followed by a discussion in French with Rabih Haddad. In partnership with Khalil Warde SAL & Bibliothèque Orientale USI.

**20:00** IESAV Students' films screening Followed by the USJ Students' Garden Party ★ at Le Jardin de la Francophonie.

## **Saturday 11 November**

**18:00** *Pyotr Tchaikovsky Sleeping Beauty*, Ballett Zürich- Switzerland, 2022, 128', adapted to Junior Ballett Zürich by Christian Spuck. In partnership with Embassy of Switzerland to Lebanon & Syria. **20:00** *Elias Rahbani* - ثالث الرحابنة, Lebanon/Qatar, 2023, 80', documentary by Feyrouz Serhal, Arabic. In partnership with Al Jazeera Documentary.

Tickets sold by Antoine Ticketing at
200.000 LBP (regular) / 25 USD (Fondation USJ support ticket) Online
200.000 LBP (regular) / 1.000.000 LBP (8 tickets) / 25 USD (Fondation
USJ support ticket) at all branches,
& during the festival days at Théâtre Béryte Box Office.
All proceeds from ticket sales will be donated to
Fondation USJ/IESAV students

## **WEEK TWO**

**18:00** Mantles of Transience, Japan, 2022, 96', documentary by

## **Monday 13 November**

Nagaru Miyake, Jap/Eng. sub. Followed by a discussion in French with Fifi Aboudib. In partnership with Khalil Warde SAL. **20:00** *Men in Front of Camera!* Masterclass with Eliane Raheb, BAFF 2023 Golden Fireflies awardee, moderated by Hady Zaccak, 120', Arabic. In partnership with About Productions & the support of Khalil Warde SAL. Free access

#### **Tuesday 14 November**

**18:00** Au-delà du papier, Canada, 2022, 130', documentary by Oana Suteu Khintirian, O.V./Fr. sub. Followed by a discussion in French with Dr. Joseph Rustom. In partnership with Office National du Film du Canada & Bibliothèque Orientale USJ.

**20:30** Saga Rassam- Berri. The Family: le cinéma dans les veines, France, 2023, 90', documentary by Florent Maillet & Michel Denisot, Fr./Eng. sub. Followed by a Q & A between Florent Maillet, Michel Denisot, Marie Avarguez & Antoine Waked. In partnership with Abbout Productions.

## **Wednesday 15 November**

**18:00** Chapeau d'artiste, Belgium, 2023, 18', Nathalie Rossetti, Fr./Eng. sub. Followed by La vie en kit, Belgium, 2022, 69', Elodie Degavre, Fr./Eng. sub. Followed by a discussion in English & French with Dr. George Arbid. In partnership with Embassy of Belgium & Wallonie Bruxelles International.

**20:30** Goya, Carrière and the Ghost of Buñuel, Spain/France, 2022, 90', documentary by José Luis Lopez-Linares, Fr/Eng. sub. Followed by a discussion in French with Rabih Haddad. In partnership with Instituto Cervantes & the support of Khalil Warde SAL. Followed by the Arty Garden Party 💠 at Le Jardin de la Francophonie.

## **Thursday 16 November**

**18:00** The Promise. Architect B.V. Doshi, Germany, 2023, 90', documentary by Jan Schmidt-Garre, O.V./Eng sub. Followed by a discussion in English & French with Dr. George Arbid. In partnership with Khalil Warde SAL.

**20:00** *Le Testament de Manet*, Belgium, 2023, 90', French. Lecture by Dr. Thierry de Duve. Followed by a Q & A with Dr. de Duve. In partnership with JAP, Embassy of Belgium & Wallonie Bruxelles International.

## Friday 17 November

**18:30** Chopin. I am not Afraid of Darkness. Three Countries. Three Wars. One Music. Poland, 2022, 60', documentary by Joanna Kaczmarek, O.V./Eng. sub. In partnership with Embassy of the Republic of Poland & the support of Khalil Warde SAL.

**20:00** Elias Rahbani - ثالث الرحابنة, Lebanon/Qatar, 2023, 80', documentary by Feyrouz Serhal, Arabic. In partnership with Al Jazeera Documentary.

Followed by the Goodbye Party 👯 at Le Jardin de la Francophonie.



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