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SCREENINGS

ATOMIC SUMMER by Gaël Lépingle

Monday June 22nd9:30amArcades 2Thursday June 25th9:00amArcades 5

Market Premiere Market Screening

JUST LIKE A WOMAN by Amro Hamzawi

Tuesday June 23rd Friday June 26th 9:30am 9:00am Arcades 6 Arcades 3 Market Premiere Market Screening

LOURDES by Thierry Demaizière and Alban Teurlai

Wednesday June 24th 9:30am

Arcades 4

Market Screening

ATOMIC SUMMER (L'ETE NUCLEAIRE)

by GAËL LÉPINGLE

with SHAÏN BOUMEDINE (Mektoub My Love: Canto Uno & Intermezzo) CARMEN KASSOVITZ THÉO AUGIER CONSTANTIN VIDAL MANON VALENTIN

Victor, in his early 20s, works at the town hall and lives with his girlfriend Charlotte, who is expecting their first child. When an incident happens at the nearby nuclear power plant, he and his high school friends are forced to confine themselves inside a farmhouse, whereas they should have evacuated the area. As the rain is threatening, they are keeping an eye out for the radioactive cloud. The next 24 hours will be crucial.

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Producer: Bathysphere

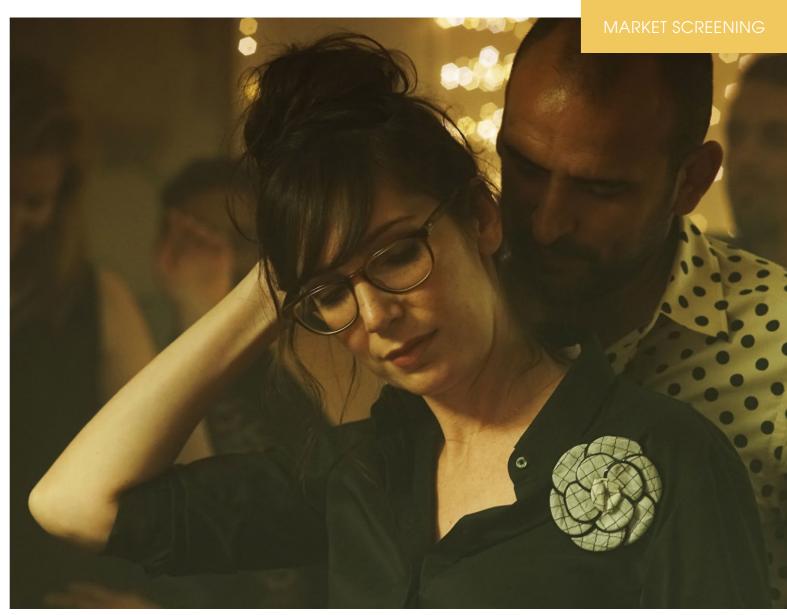
JUST LIKE A WOMAN

(ELEONORE)

by AMRO HAMZAWI (Directorial Debut)

with NORA HAMZAWI (Alice and the Mayor, Non-Fiction) ANDRÉ MARCON (An Officer and a Spy, See You Up There, Me Myself and Mum) JULIA FAURE (Deerskin, Camille Rewinds)

Under the pressure of her mother and sister, failed-writer Eleonore Berthier undergoes a complete makeover and gets hired as an assistant in a publishing house specializing in erotic romances.



LOURDES

by THIERRY DEMAIZIÈRE and ALBAN TEURLAI (Rocco, Reset)

Lourdes is a small town in the south of France where all colors and pains blend together, to which thousands of pilgrims converge daily since the apparitions of the Virgin Mary to Bernadette Soubirous, 160 years ago. Lourdes is an anthropological theatre where moving stories merge with the raw and naked nature of humanity. Through six pilgrims' prayers, facing void, facing death, facing illness, the film shows that the true miracle is faith itself.



Producers: Falabracks, Mars Films, France 3 Cinéma

Documentary / 92 min / France / French / 2018

TOKYO SHAKING

by OLIVIER PEYON

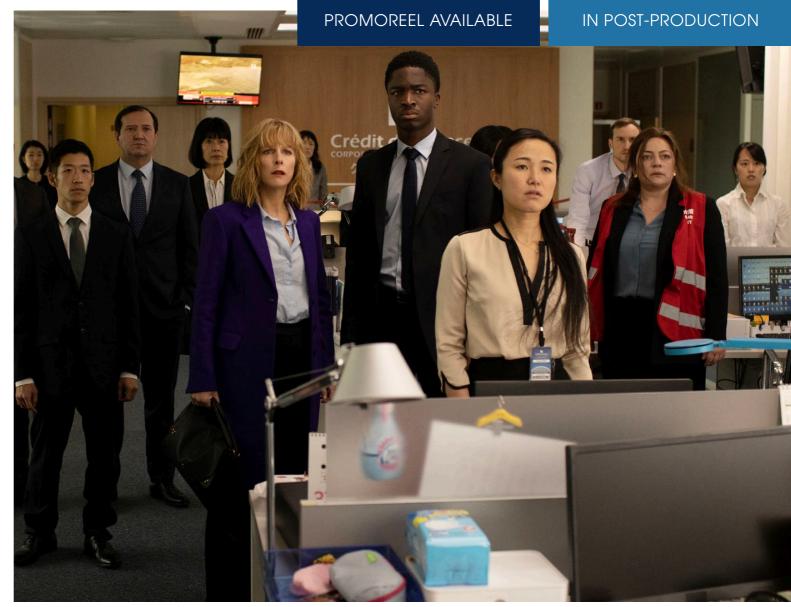
(Life Beyond Me, Latifa: a Fighting Heart, How I Came to Hate Math)

with KARIN VIARD (Perfect Nanny, The Bélier Family, Polisse)

March 11, 2011. The biggest tsunami Japan has ever experienced triggers the Fukushima disaster.

Risks are being downplayed but the foreign community in Tokyo is terrified by this tragic event and no one was capable of assessing its scope. Among them, Alexandra, a French executive newly arrived from Hong-Kong to work in a bank, has to face this nuclear crisis.

Torn apart between following the company's instructions and going back to her husband and children who are still in Hong-Kong, she will find herself defending honor and given word, despite the pervading terror and chaos.



Producers: Les Films du Lendemain, Scope Picture

Drama / France / French, English, Japanese / 2020

ONODA -10 000 NIGHTS IN THE JUNGLE

by ARTHUR HARARI (Dark Inclusion)

with YUYA ENDO YUYA MATSUURA SHINSUKE KATO

Japan, 1944. Trained for intelligence work, Hiroo Onoda, 22 years old, discovers a philosophy contrary to the official line : no suicide, stay alive whatever happens, the mission is more important than anything else.

Sent to Lubang, a small island in the Philippines where the Americans are about to land, his role will be to wage a guerilla war until the return of the Japanese troops.

The Empire will surrender soon after, Onoda 10.000 days later.



Producers: Bathysphere, To Be Continued, Ascent Films, Pandora Film Produktion, Chipangu, Anti Archive Drama / approx. 160 min / France, Japan, Germany, Belgium, Italy/ Japanese, Tagalog / 2020

MAMA WEED (LA DARONNE)

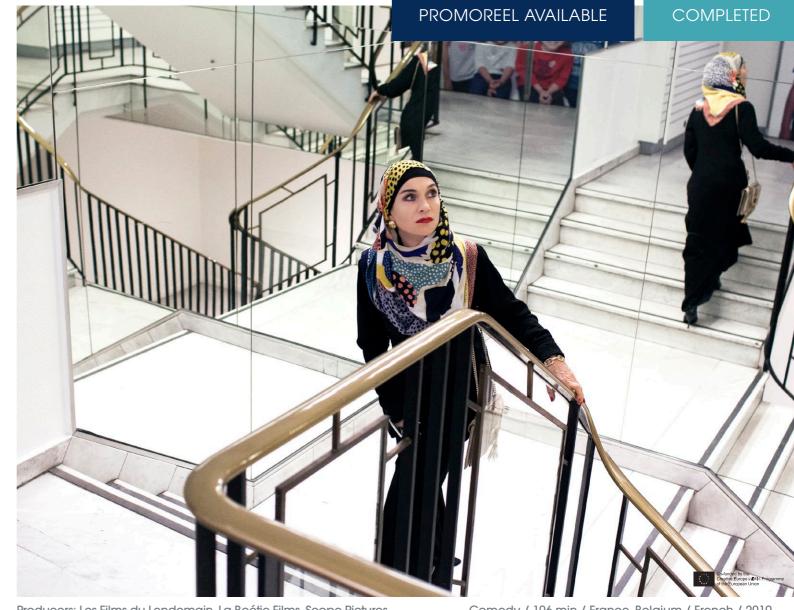
by JEAN-PAUL SALOMÉ (Female Agents, Arsene Lupin)

with

ISABELLE HUPPERT (Frankie, Happy End, Elle) HIPPOLYTE GIRARDOT (Ismael's Ghosts, Life of Riley)

Based on the acclaimed novel "La Daronne" The by Hannelore Cayre, included in the New Hork 100 notable books of 2019 Eimes The New York Times Book Review

Patience Portefeux is a French-Arabic police translator, specialized in phone tappings for the anti-narcotics unit. The job is tough and low-paid, but the commander is charming... One day, whilst listening to wanted drug dealers, she discovers one of them is the son of the fantastic woman who takes care of her mother. She decides to protect him and is brought in the middle of a drug network. When she gets her hands on a huge load of hash, with the help of her new partner, the former police dog DNA, she seizes the opportunity and becomes Mama Weed, drug wholesaler, thanks to her field experience... and all the information she gets in her job!



Producers: Les Films du Lendemain, La Boétie Films, Scope Pictures

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CITIZENS OF THE WORLD

by GIANNI DI GREGORIO (Mid-August Lunch, Good for Nothing)

with ENNIO FANTASTICHINI (Loose Cannons, Open Doors) GIORGIO COLANGELI (II Divo, Salty Air) GIANNI DI GREGORIO (Mid-August Lunch, Good for Nothing)

> "A film boasting (di Gregorio's) typical melancholic yet entertaining style, poetic and pulsating with life, which was hailed, upon his debut with MID-AUGUST LUNCH, as a potential new way forwards for Italian comedy"



It is never too late to change your life.

Three Italians in their seventies, all dealing with their own problems, decide all of a sudden to quit their community life to settle abroad. But where? This is the first question of one too many. The Professor, retired after teaching Latin his whole life, is getting bored. Giorgetto, one of the last true Romans, struggles to make ends meet every month. Attilio, antique dealer and hippie, wants to experience again the emotions of his youth travels.

Things will change, but not quite as expected.

Producers: Bibi Film, Le Pacte, Rai Media

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TORINO FILM FESTIVAL

Comedy / 90 min / Italy, France / Italian / 2019

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THE LAST TYCOONS

GRAND LYON FILM FESTIVAL

by FLORENCE STRAUSS

Starring

PIERRE BRAUNBERGER, ANATOLE DAUMAN, ROBERT DORFMANN, HAKIM BROTHERS, MAG BODARD, ALAIN POIRÉ, PIERRE COTTRELL, ALBINA DU BOISROUVRAY, JACQUES PERRIN, JEAN-PIERRE RASSAM and many others

They have always worked in the shadow and remain unknown to the broader public. Yet, they have produced movies that we all know, from La Grande Vadrouille to La Grande Bouffe, from Fanfan La Tulipe to The Mother and the Whore, from Nuit et Brouillard to Beauty and the Beast. Self-made men, passionate, gamblers, they have financed cinema with an exceptional ingeniousness at a time where neither televisions nor SOFICAS existed.

Starting from the bottom, they could either win everything... or lose everything. They are colorful characters with a fiction-like life path. Between the desires of the directors and the reality of the shootings, they ensured that the film was carried out and sometimes made choices that confront art versus industry, creation versus money. They were the kings of illusion, they had to land credibility to their status of tycoons to compensate their lack of banking solvency!

The Last Tyccons enlightens these men and women between the two world wars and the end of the 70's, who have produced the films that keep on striking spectators of the entire world.



Producer: Les Films d'Ici, Le Pacte

Documentary series / 8 x 52 min / France / French / 2019

▶ TRAILER

MADRE

by RODRIGO SOROGOYEN (El Reino, Que Dios Nos Perdone)

with MARTA NIETO (The Chase, 8 Citas) JULES PORIER (Marvin and the Beautiful Education) ALEX BRENDEMÜHL (The Prayer, The German Doctor, From the Land of Moon)

> Based on MADRE, nominated for Best Live Action Short Film at the 2019 Academy Awards

> > "Impressive (...) it is undeniable that Sorogoyen is a master filmmaker"

"Technically vertiginous (...) Marta Nieto's excellent performance is a constant"



"A masterful control of the emotional rhythms"

SCREENDAILY

Ten years have gone by since Elena's six-year old son has disappeared. The last thing she heard of him was a phone call he gave her, saying that he was lost on a beach in France and couldn't find his father.

Nowadays, Elena lives on this same beach and manages a restaurant. She is finally beginning to emerge from this tragic episode when she meets a French teenager who strongly reminds her of her lost son.

The two of them will embark on a relationship which will sow chaos and distrust around them.



Producers: Malvalanda, Caballo Films, Arcadia Motion Picture, Le Pacte, Amalur Motion Pictures, Noodles Production Drama / 129 min / Spain, France / Spanish, French / 2019

► TRAILER

COMPLETED

PHIL TIPPETT – **MAD DREAMS AND MONSTERS**

by GILLES PENSO and ALEXANDRE PONCET

(Creature Designers: The Frankenstein Complex, Ray Harryhausen: Special Effects Titan)

> "There is nobody better than him." **Paul Verhoeven**

"Fantastic beasts and the man who made them" Hollywood

Winner of two Academy Awards for The Return of the Jedi and Jurassic Park, Phil Tippett is a Stop-Motion animator, a director and a designer who has given life to unforgettable creatures throughout his career, from Jabba the Hutt to the giant bugs of Starship Troopers. But beyond this Hollywood resume lies a mad artist, who spends most of his days experimenting in his workshop with everything he can find. With exclusive and unlimited access to the collections and archives of Tippett Studio, Mad Dreams and Monsters studies the legacy of Phil Tippett, from his work with George Lucas, Steven Spielberg and Paul Verhoeven to more personal movies like Prehistoric Beast and Mad God.

From the directors of critically acclaimed Ray Harryhausen – Special Effects Titan and Creature Designers: The Frankenstein Complex, comes a new documentary about a legendary artist.



Producer: Frenetic Arts





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LE PACTE is also proud to present its library catalogue featuring many gems of world cinema such as François Ozon (*The Refuge, Ricky*), Christophe Honoré (*Love Songs, Making Plans For Lena*), Mathieu Kassovitz (*Metisse, La Haine, Assassin(s)*), the Nanni Moretti trilogy (*Ecce Bombo, Io Sono Un Autarchico, Sogni D'oro*), award winning films like *Timbuktu* by Abderrahmane Sissako, *The Salt Of The Earth* by Wim Wenders, or the Vietnamese classic *The Scent Of Green Papaya* by Tran Anh Hung, and cast driven comedies and dramas starring famed actors such as Isabelle Huppert, Kristin Scott-Thomas, Fanny Ardant, Nathalie Baye, Yvan Attal and Charlotte Gainsbourg.



