



# WILD ROSE 2016

INDEPENDENT FILM FESTIVAL

features • shorts • documentaries • animation • web series • workshops

IOWA'S 13<sup>TH</sup> WILD ROSE!

# MAY 12-19

THE FLEUR CINEMA & CAFÉ, 4545 FLEUR DRIVE, DSM

[www.wildrosefilmfest.com](http://www.wildrosefilmfest.com)

INTERNATIONAL & IOWA FILMS IN COMPETITION & SCREENING

features including

**Billy Topit Master Magician** A Las Vegas magician convinces the woman of his dreams to be his assistant, while the Mob tries to make him disappear permanently! Starring/Directed by Lance Burton

**End of Fall** A widowed farmer covers up an accidental death to protect his daughter, only to come face to face with his own inner darkness. Directed by Joselito Seldera

**The Legend in My Heart** Four renowned American artists travel to Guangzhou, China, to engage disabled and non-disabled populations by inspiring, collaborating and creating together. Directed by Kaitlyn Busbee

**Sometimes Salvation** A divorced teacher struggling with addiction seeks redemption by saving her student from an abusive father...who turns out to be her dealer. Directed by Thor Moreno

**Odd Brodsky** A lovable loser quits her job and, despite her lack of talent, decides to follow her childhood dreams of becoming an actress. Directed by Cindy Baer

**Courting Des Moines** An eclectic mix of candidates come to Iowa in the race for the U.S. Presidency. Starring Melissa Fitzgerald; featuring politicians including Senator Tom Harkin. Directed by Brent Roske

**Spectrum: A Story of the Mind** A live-action/animated exploration of the sensory experience of autism, narrated by Dr. Temple Grandin, and featuring other autistics. Directed by Jill Jones

**The Orange Man** A man goes on a fishing trip with his buddies to the exact spot where his estranged wife, her new boyfriend, and a crazed orange salesman turned murderer roam. Directed by Stephen Folker

PLUS 58 MORE FILMS AND A FILMMAKERS PANEL!

**WORKSHOP & SEMINAR** by EMMY AWARD WINNING ACTOR, GREGALAN WILLIAMS  
BOOKING THE ROLE (Sat. May 14) - WORKING & NETWORKING IN LARGER MARKETS (Sun. May 15)  
Workshop registration: Kimberly Busbee, [bobbusbee@aol.com](mailto:bobbusbee@aol.com)

**TICKETS** available in advance at [www.tikly.co/](http://www.tikly.co/) or at the door of the Wild Rose

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### Director's Note:

Each year, I am amazed at the wide variety and high quality of independent films submitted to the Wild Rose from across the globe. But, this year, I not only was amazed, but I was astounded at the top notch production values, unusually creative stories and outstanding directing and acting in this group of unique films. The good news is that we have a wonderful, large selection of entertaining films (the largest in thirteen years), but the not so good news is that it made it *very* difficult for our judges to make choices. So, we have a record number of nominations and awards this year!

I am very grateful that the *Wild Rose Independent Film Festival* has grown and blossomed to reach its 13<sup>th</sup> Anniversary as the longest running international film festival in Iowa! Thank you to our staff, to our volunteers, to our judges, to our sponsors, and especially to the talented independent filmmakers making your incredible films outside the mainstream. You comment on our society's flaws, reflect our values, project our fears and express our hopes. Without independent films to push boundaries, make statements, provoke imagination and cause reactions, the world would be a boring and predictable place, indeed. Independent filmmakers truly do have their fingers on the pulse of the world. We appreciate you.

Kimberly Busbee, Director

### WRIFF Staff

Kimberly Busbee, Director/Co-Founder  
Catherine Arabella, Festival Assistant/Webmaster  
John Busbee, Managing Director

### 2016 WRIFF Volunteers

Kaitlyn Busbee	Kim Scarfe	Tricia Arvanis
Jason Neff	Caleb Harris	Nathian Steir
Mark Heggen	Larissa Pray	Brennan Ayres

Thank you to our Panel of Judges!

**MANY THANKS** to these Wild Rose Partners:

**Christian Powell, Kramer McLuckie, Robert Monk  
and the rest of the Fleur Cinema Team**



## 2016 SCHEDULE

**SCHEDULE and FILMS subject to change!**

(All Film Blocks include brief Q&As after the Block with attending filmmakers!)

### Special 13<sup>th</sup> Anniversary **WILD ROSE FILM FEST** 4 DAY Screening Pass **\$150 VALUE - ONLY \$75!**

(Good May 12-15, 2016. Does NOT include Greg Alan Williams' Workshop or Seminar, or Screenings and Special Events May 16-19)

### WILD ROSE OPENING! IOWA FILM DAY!!

All Iowa films, all day!

**THUR. MAY 12 – All Day Savings Pass - ONLY \$25!**

#### BLOCK A – Short Films/Student/ High School /DSM Central Campus – \$5

**3:15pm - 4:10pm**

**7 O'Clock** (drama) A man begins his normal morning routine, but encounters a number of challenges which escalate him into a state of fear, as he seeks to hide when the world he lives in no longer exists. Prajwal Bhandari

**Shattered Hopes** (drama) A noir-inspired story that shows the dynamics of our relationships and the effects of our decisions.

Finnegan Pilcher, Helena Gruensteidl

**Starfish Academy** (short doc) This documentary highlights the effects of school and community groups in the City of Des Moines. Brock Stillmunks, Finnegan Pilcher, Helena Gruensteidl

**The Call** (drama) A janitor goes to the school's sub-basement to put away forgotten items, only to be interrupted by a mysterious phonecall.

Rachel Chow, Hamilton Parrish

**Four** (drama) A car crash victim searches for help while a paranoid figure stalks him from the shadows. Brock Stillmunks, Finnegan Pilcher, Helena Gruensteidl

**Through the Doorway** (drama) A man can't escape his home, no matter how many times he attempts doorways/exit paths. He then considers the unconventional.

Adbul Mokhtar, Ian Shields, Alex Colby

**Behind the Scenes** (short doc) An emerging filmmaker's recent mentorship at Iowa Public Television created the opportunity to work with professionals and learn the benefits and pitfalls of working in the industry. Abigail Jackson

#### BLOCK B – Short Films/Student/ Dordt College – \$5

**4:20pm – 5:05pm**

**The Pinkerton** (drama)

Set in the Wild West, a roguish outlaw and his gang of miscreants terrorize a town. Only one man can bring them to justice—the Pinkerton! Matt Resnick



**Defector** (drama)

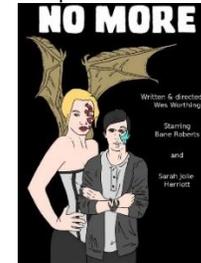
Two WWII deserters from opposing armies find themselves traveling together through west Germany near the end of the war. They discover that not all battles are fought on the field. For one of them, a shocking revelation comes 50 years later. Kyle Fossé



#### BLOCK C – Short Films – \$7

**5:20pm – 6:55pm**

**No More** (drama) A bullied teen exhausts his effort to fit in with his peers, and tries a different approach after learning how to control his power. Wes Worthing



**Precious Time** (drama) With Earth nearing its end, a father and son play a game of chess. Wes Worthing



**Urgent** (comedy) a man's got to do what a man's got to do... Nathan Willits



**There's an Extra Patient in Room 207** (3 part: 2 dramas, 1 comedy) The same script, delivered in three different genres: drama, film noir, situation comedy. Tom Deiker - writer; James Serpento, Gary DeSomber, Karen Swanson, Dave Stuck – directors.



**The Wake-up Call** (drama) A young, professional wife and mother becomes unsure of both herself and her place in life as she is trapped somewhere between the fundamental need for security and the burning desire for adventure, surprise, and a bit of danger. Bradley Smyser, Paul Berge



**The Waiting Room** (comedy) A busy, self-involved woman finds herself in a waiting room full of unusual characters. No one knows exactly what they're waiting for, but a strange and uncanny receptionist makes sure to keep them on their toes. Paul Berge, Bradley Smyser



**DINNER BREAK 6:55pm -7:55pm (approx.)**

**BLOCK D – Short Films – \$7  
7:55pm - 9:25pm**

**Ironhead** (short doc) documents the creative work of ironmonger Kelly Ludeking at his Down on the Farm Iron Pour, a yearly communal gathering of local and national artists collaborating to make cast iron art at the Ludeking family farm near Decorah, Iowa. Thomas C. Johnson, Neal Abbott



**Living History Farce** (comedy) A love triangle in the middle of a long-standing family feud erupts between a crop circle-making ranch hand and his assertive foreman. But when love escapes them both, we learn that things aren't quite what they seem on the ranch. Ryan Paul Buck, Jack Meggers



**Motivation** (drama) An aspiring actor, Sam, doesn't have what it takes to land any gigs and achieve his dream, in fact, it's embarrassingly bad. But a new relationship inspires him to look failure in the face and find the courage to try again. Ryan Paul Buck, Stephen Janousek



**Allison Red** (drama) A Jewish woman struggles through the torments of the Nazi holocaust. Chad Bishop



**Burn** (drama) Set in 1972, a small time drug smuggler meets his match on his first trip from L.A. to Des Moines, Iowa, when he is forced to save his girlfriend from the mob. Thor Moreno



**Masterpiece** (comedy) A comedy about the talents of an artistic youth. Kristina Baker Smith



**BLOCK E – Feature Film – \$10**

**9:40 pm - 11:25pm**

**The Orange Man** (comedy/horror) A group of middle aged friends go on a camping trip, only to be hunted down by a sadistic maniac whose weapon of choice is oranges. Stephen Folker



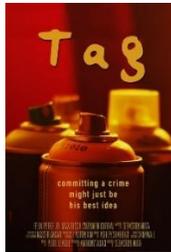
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**FRI. MAY 13 All Day Savings Pass - ONLY \$25!**

**BLOCK A – Student Short Films – \$7**

**2:55pm – 4:25pm**

**TAG** (drama)(CHAPMAN/DODGE) A father attempts to go tagging with his son in an effort to reconnect with him the night before he goes off to college. Sebastian Nuta, Rebecca Gill



**Beware of Bunny** (animated)(CHAPMAN/DODGE) On the way home, a little boy finds the pet of his nightmares. Rebecca Gill



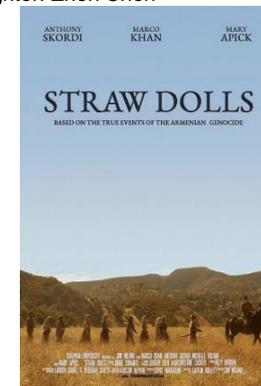
**Knotts** (comedy) (NYFA) Connor and his group of misfit coworkers must try to keep open the one good thing going on in their lives, a bar in the Midwest, all while fending off the new owner. Craig Dane



**Grill Dog** (drama) (AFI) When two brothers sneak away from their family vacation resort in search of a Titty Waterfall, sibling rivalry sends them wildly off course and leads them to an action with brutal consequences that forces both boys to grow up sooner than they wanted. Corey Aumiller, Daniel Leighton



**Straw Dolls** (drama) (CHAPMAN/DODGE) A father and daughter sacrifice their own wellbeing for a mother and her young daughter. Zhen Chen



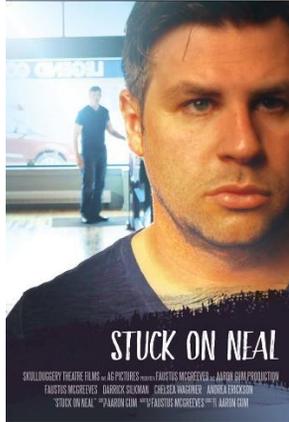
**BLOCK B – Short and Feature – \$10**

**4:40pm – 6:45pm**

**The Duke** (drama) (student) (AFI) Based on the memoir "I'm the Duke" by J.P. Duke, is the story of NFL linebacker J.P. Duke who, sidelined by chronic concussions, denies the magnitude of his injuries. A Super Bowl Sunday bash, hosted by his very pregnant wife, brings his brutalized past to his present-day reality. Max Barbakow, Dan Leonard



**Stuck on Neal** (dramedy) (NE) Humor, romance, and heart break are at the center of this story about four thirty-somethings stuck in a rut. When one of them starts to make a major change, it challenges all of them. Aaron Gum



**DINNER BREAK 6:45pm -7:45pm (approx.)**

**BLOCK C – Short and Feature – \$10**  
**7:45pm – 9:30pm**

**Mother's Day** (NY) Tragedy forces Mary (Academy Award Winner: Melissa Leo) and her son Jay (Gabriel Furman) to say goodbye forever. Jeff Tan, Gabriel Furman.



**End of Fall** (CA) Faced with losing his daughter, a widowed farmer attempts to cover up an accidental death, only to come face to face with his darkest ambitions for revenge. Joselito Seldera, Nicolaas Bertelsen.



BREAK

**BLOCK D – Feature – \$10**  
**9:45pm -11:05pm**

**Sometimes Salvation** (suspense/drama) (IA) A teacher suffering from an addiction, seeks redemption by helping one of her abused students, whose father turns out to be her dealer. Thor Moreno, Annette Duffy



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**SAT. MAY 14 – All Day FILM & AWARDS Savings Pass – ONLY \$25!**  
**(does NOT include Emmy Award Winner Greg Alan Williams' Workshop)**

**BLOCK A – 9:00am – 12:00noon** (8:30am CHECK IN, Held at Fleur Cinema)

**Booking the Role AUDITIONING WORKSHOP**  
**by EMMY AWARD WINNING ACTOR, GREGALAN WILLIAMS**  
**ACTORS Participating - \$55 (WORKSHOP PARTICIPATION SOLD OUT!)**  
**Observing - \$20 (prepay) or \$30 (pay at door)**  
**To prepay for Observing Saturday Workshop**  
**(or for Sunday Seminar), contact Kimberly Busbee at [bobbusbee@aol.com](mailto:bobbusbee@aol.com)**

**LUNCH BREAK 12:00noon -1:20pm (approx.)**

**BLOCK B – Short Documentary Films – \$7**  
**1:20pm - 2:15pm**

**Spectrum: A Story of the Mind** (doc) (CA) An animated and live action documentary about autism and sensory perception featuring Dr. Temple Grandin, artist Judy Endow, poet Tito Mukhopadhyay, and martial artist Nick Walker. Jill Jones, Brent Yontz



**Alzheimer's: A Love Story** (student doc) (CHAPMAN/DODGE)  
 (short Q&A for filmmakers) No one can say for sure if Gregory knows who Michael is or why he comes every day, but it seems he does. From Michael's point of view, it's only natural that he do so – after all, Michael has loved Greg since the day they met 40 years ago. Gabe Schimmel.



BREAK

**BLOCK C – International Documentary Feature Film – \$10**  
**2:30pm - 4:20pm**

**The Legend in My Heart (documentary)(IA/CHINA)** The inspirational and acclaimed international feature length documentary, *The Legend in My Heart*, by award-winning Iowa native filmmaker, Kaitlyn Busbee. Commissioned by the University of Iowa International Writing Program, the film follows four renowned American artists — two writers, a choreographer, and a composer — as they travel to Guangzhou, China, to engage disabled and marginalized attendees by collaborating and creating together. Kaitlyn Busbee



BREAK

**BLOCK D – FILMMAKERS & INDUSTRY PROS PANEL DISCUSSION – \$5**  
**4:35pm - 5:35pm**

**DINNER BREAK 5:35pm - 7:30pm (approx.)**

**BLOCK E – BRIEF KEYNOTE SPEECH by EMMY AWARD WINNER, GREGALAN WILLIAMS plus Short Films & AWARDS Ceremony! – \$15**  
**7:30pm – 10:20pm (approx. end time)**

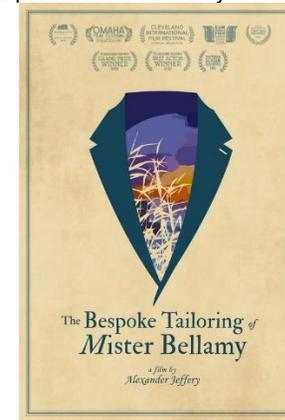
**Hum (animated) (Chapman/Dodge)** A solitary dishwashing robot living out his life in the back room of a restaurant is enlightened to the world that exists beyond his four walls with the help of a small friend who breaks free to pursue his dreams of exploration. Tom Teller



**The Mother (drama) (NY)** When a hardened widow receives an unexpected visit, she is given the chance to shed light on her husband's death. Paolo Monico



**The Bespoke Tailoring of Mister Bellamy (drama) (AR)** At the integration of the job market in 1964 Louisiana, a posting for a janitorial position at a local law firm and the discovery of an old sewing machine ignites a buried passion in old Bellamy... Alexander Jeffery



**Short BREAK**

**AWARDS CEREMONY!!**

**AFTERPARTY AT AMERICANA!!! ++++++**

**SUN. MAY 15 – All Day FILM Savings Pass – ONLY \$25!!**  
 (does NOT include EMMY AWARD WINNER GREGALAN WILLIAMS' Networking and Working in Larger Markets Seminar)

**BLOCK A – SEMINAR 12:30pm - 2:00pm**

**Networking and Working in Larger Markets**  
**EMMY AWARD WINNER GREGALAN WILLIAMS**

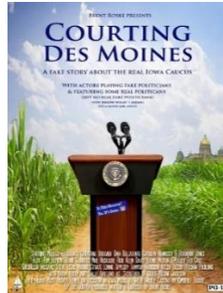
**Pay IN ADVANCE \$30! (or pay at the door \$35)**  
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**BLOCK B – Feature Film – \$10**

**2:20pm – 4:20pm**

**Courting Des Moines** (dramedy) (IA/LA) (not in competition) A California congresswoman moves to Des Moines to avoid scrutiny after fraud allegations. Instead, finding herself in the midst of the Iowa caucuses, she is inspired to make a run for the top office in America. Brent Roske

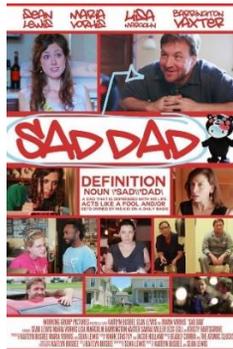


**DINNER BREAK 4:20pm - 5:40pm (approx.)**

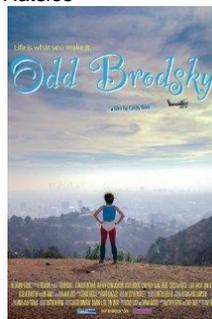
**BLOCK C – Web Series and Feature Film – \$10**

**5:40pm – 7:50pm**

**Sad Dad** (comedy) (web series) (IA/NY) Norm has lost it all: a bad job, a bad life and his estranged wife has finally divorced him. What better time to reconnect with his adult daughter and forcibly insert himself into every facet of her life? Kaitlyn Busbee, Sean Christopher Lewis, Maria Vorhis



**Odd Brodsky** (comedy) (CA) A quirky comedy about a lovable loser who quits her steady day job to follow a childhood passion of becoming an actress. There's just one problem: she's not very good at it! But what she lacks in talent, she makes up for in heart. It's a wacky little adventure about following your dreams, learning to accept yourself, and finding the magic in life. Cindy Baer, Matthew Irving, Thomai Hatsios



BREAK

**BLOCK – Short Films – \$7**

**8:05pm - 9:20pm**

**13 Minutes** (drama) (GA) Kill or die. A society of patriots tests their fellow citizens' commitment to freedom. G. Travis Williams



**Stuck in Mute** (drama) (MN) A young woman's selective mutism disorder causes her to live in isolation. It's not until she makes an unlikely friend that she begins to realize that every word counts. Shane Meuwissen



**Leaving Kansas** (drama) (NE) A high school teacher stricken with cancer enlists the help of a former student to obtain marijuana to ease the horrible side effects of chemotherapy. David Weiss, Chuck Mittan



**Oracle** (drama) (MN) a young woman's reckoning leads to haunting questions of love, death, and animal magic. Christopher Lange

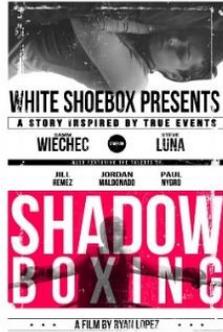


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**BLOCK E – Feature Film – \$10**

**9:35pm -11:05pm**

**Shadow Boxing** (drama) (student) (NYFA) After a self-destructive lifestyle nearly kills her, tormented young Anne learns to open up and let go of her traumatic past through a new found passion for boxing. Ryan Lopez

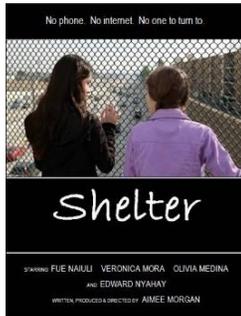


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**MON. MAY 16**

**BLOCK A – Short Films – \$7**

**5:30pm - 7:05pm**

**Shelter** (student) (drama) (ART INSTITUTE of CA) Two young girls are left on their own far from home while their mother tries to break ties with her abusive boyfriend. Aimee Morgan



**The Rabbit Hole** (student) drama) (UW - MILWAUKEE) A man struggles after his daughter's death in a hit and run accident. Edward Pronley



**Miss Roboto** (student) (animated) (CHAPMAN/DODGE) Unfulfilled with her life, a dishwashing robot gets inspiration from a dance show. Despite her purpose, she tries to do something that she wasn't programmed to do...TO GROOVE! Natasha Rindt



**A Man of God** (student) (drama) (OHIO U.) On his journey to escape a country where organized religion is punishable by death, a man of faith seeks refuge with a small family in an old farmhouse for the evening. As the priest befriends the daughter, he must choose between his faith and his life. Matthew Herbertz



**Keepsake** (dramedy) (NC) In this Southern Gothic Dramedy, estranged sisters return home to sort through their late, hoarder-mother's estate, and discover a family secret. Meredith Sause



**The Unforgiven** (drama) (CA) Trapped in purgatory, a cynical angel is assigned to save the soul of a low level criminal. But when the devil shows up, he is forced to confront his own skepticism. Arnon Manor



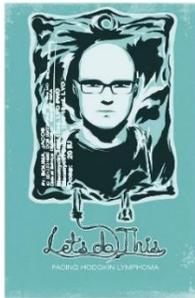
**It Had Wings** (comedy) (NC) A widow, alone at home, sees something heavenly and wounded fall into her backyard. The old woman, coffee mug in hand, naturally tries to help. In this redemptive tale, written and narrated by Allan Gurganus, the ordinary goes briefly mythic. Kindness becomes what might save us yet. Ellen Hemphill, Jim Haverkamp



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**BLOCK B – Feature Documentary Film – \$10**  
**7:20pm - 8:50pm**

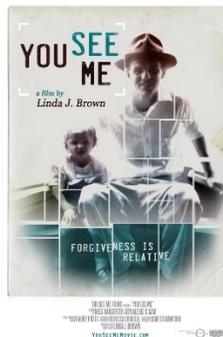
**Let's Do This: Facing Hodgkin Lymphoma** (Doc) (IA) This film is the journey of Jake Bouma, recently diagnosed with Hodgkin Lymphoma. From the beginning, he documented the process of his treatment as a testament of hope for the almost 200,000 people diagnosed with the disease each year. Thousands around the world followed Jake through his blog articles and YouTube videos. This film tells the whole story from diagnosis through recovery, highlighted by Jake's humor through treatment and immeasurable support from family and friends. Nathan Matta



BREAK

**BLOCK C – Feature Documentary Film – \$10**  
**9:10pm - 10:35pm**

**You See Me** (documentary feature) (CA) Filmmaker Linda Brown's father embodied 1960s masculinity. But, when a devastating stroke leaves him vulnerable and dependent, Linda decides to confront the silence surrounding his troubled and violent past. An engrossing journey about the danger of carrying unresolved grief to our graves. Linda Brown



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**TUES. MAY 17**

**BLOCK A – International and Short Films – \$7**

**4:15pm - 6:50pm**

**LA TIERRA DEL EXODO - Land of Exodus** (drama) (subtitled) (CA) Obed, a Mexican street kid with hopes of making it to America, leads a recently kidnapped American teenager to the Mexican/United States border. Skinner Myers



**Don't Mess with the Sharkies** (horror/sci-fi) (subtitled) (SWITZERLAND) after near extinction of humans by a higher developed species called "Sharkies," Marie and Robert, two of the last survivors, attempt to record a last statement for posterity. This turns out to be rather difficult because they risk being eaten alive wherever they go... Richard Rabelbauer



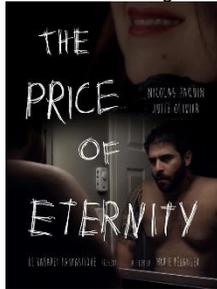
**Wintersreise - Winter's Journey** (drama) (subtitled) (GERMANY) Walter is waiting at the last station of his journey through life. His family and friends all know what is best for him. But in the end, they have to understand that his ending belongs only to him. Susanne Boeing



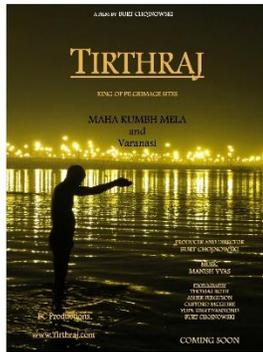
**Omessa** (drama) (subtitled) (FRANCE) Discovering a lump in her breast, Anna goes to a gynecologist who tells her that it is worrying. For Anna. This is the moment Anna must return to Corsica, to face her history, her inheritance, and her father. Charlène Favier



**The Price of Eternity** (dark comedy) (subtitled) (CANADA) A man seeking immortality will discover that eternity comes with a price. Marie Belanger



**Tirthraj** (documentary) (IA/INDIA) Tirthraj means the king of pilgrimage sites. Once every 144 years, pilgrims gather in India to celebrate the Maha Kumbh Mela, the largest spiritual and religious festival in the world. Award-winning documentary filmmaker Burt Chojnowski creates an intimate portrait of his 2013 journey through India including the Maha Kumbh Mela, the sensual temples of Khajuraho, the Taj Mahal and Varanasi, the oldest and most venerated city in the world.

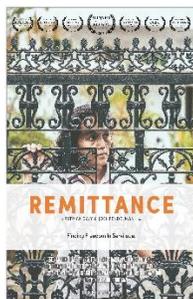


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**BLOCK B – Feature Film – \$10**

**7:05pm - 8:40pm**

**Remittance** (doc-like fictional drama) (subtitled) US/PHILIPPINES) Marie, a foreign domestic worker from the Philippines, struggles to cope with demanding employers, long hours of work, and separation from her family. Breaking from the conventional image of maids as labor, the story explores the transformations Marie goes through as a woman dealing with conflicting obligations and aspirations. Patrick Daly, Joel Fendelman, Frank Hall Green



BREAK

**BLOCK C – Feature Film – \$10**

**8:55pm - 10:50pm**

**The David Dance** (drama) (NY) David, the host of a local, gay radio show in Buffalo, New York, struggles with self-doubt when his single sister asks him to be the father figure for her soon-to-be-adopted Brazilian child. Past and present intertwine in this bittersweet winter's tale of a man learning to love and accept himself. Don Scime



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**WED. MAY 18**

**BLOCK A – International Feature Film – \$10**

**3:10pm - 5:00pm**

**Blockbuster: A Life in Moving Pictures** (dramedy) (subtitled) (Austria) When Vlado, who was born behind the Iron Curtain, moves to Vienna, he discovers a whole new world - the world of movies. Soon, young Vlado's passion for films results in the desire to someday make a feature film. Battling cancer and other obstacles he strives to pursue his dream. Vlado Priborsky

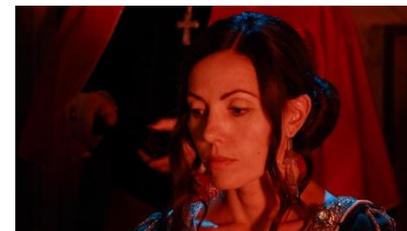


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**BLOCK B – International Feature Film - \$10**

**5:15pm- 7:15pm**

**Festina Lente – Make Haste Slowly** (historical drama) (subtitled) (ITALY) This story spans fifty years of Italian Renaissance through the eyes of the poetess Vittoria Colonna (1490-1547), great friend of Michelangelo Buonarroti. The film was shot in two of the ancient castles where the Colonna family lived near Rome, as well as in Fabriano, famous for having produced precious paper since the 13<sup>th</sup> century. This film stars Francesca Ceci, who looks extraordinarily similar to Vittoria Colonna, according to the portrait painted by Sebastiano Del Piombo. Lucilla Colonna



BREAK

**BLOCK C – International Documentary Feature Film – \$10**

**7:30pm - 9:20pm**

**The Legend in My Heart (documentary)(IA/CHINA)** The inspirational and acclaimed international feature length documentary, *The Legend in My Heart*, by award-winning Iowa native filmmaker, Kaitlyn Busbee. Commissioned by the University of Iowa International Writing Program, the film follows four renowned American artists — two writers, a choreographer, and a composer — as they travel to Guangzhou, China, to engage disabled and marginalized attendees by collaborating and creating together. Kaitlyn Busbee



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**BLOCK D – Feature Film – \$10**

**9:35pm -11:15pm**

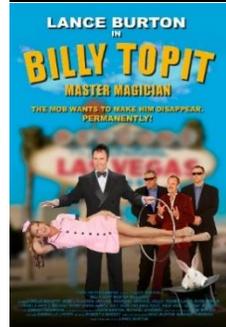
**Dirty Beautiful (feature – live action)(CA)** David is a young, struggling writer very alone in the world. Kat is a lost soul recently left homeless by her ex. Both survive on the fringe of life. So when Kat storms into David's life and throws out the crazy idea that they become an instant couple, David impulsively agrees and moves her into his tiny apartment. In the sober light of day, can David and Kat's love survive? Tim Bartell



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**THUR. May 19**

**BLOCK A – FAMILY Feature Film – \$25**

majority of funds from ticket sales support Animal Rescue League  
**with Special Appearance by MASTER MAGICIAN and FILMMAKER LANCE BURTON**  
**5:00pm - 7:25pm (approx.)**



**Billy Topit Master Magician (family comedy) (NEV)** Billy Topit Master Magician is excellent at performing magic, he is just not very successful. His life gets complicated when some greasy mob guys come after him looking for money. Billy uses his magic skills to avoid confrontation as long as he can, because he wants to concentrate on his magic career and his new girlfriend. Things get wildly out of control and Billy Topit Master Magician has to call on his best friends for help. The Magician, the Ventriloquist, the Jugglers, and the Mime will have to stage a rescue! These guys are not the A-Team, not even the B-Team, but they're all Billy's got. Lance Burton

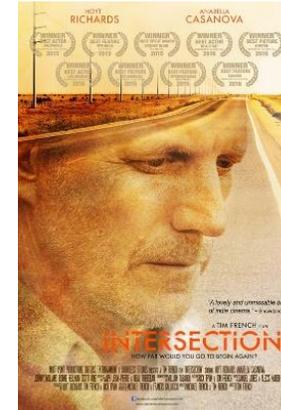
**Lance Burton will be there for the post-screening Q&A.**

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**BLOCK B – Feature Film – \$10**

**7:45pm - 9:25pm**

**Intersection (drama) (CA)** A broken man, haunted by a car crash that claimed the life of his daughter, returns every year to the same small town where the fateful accident occurred. But this year, his car breaks down and he meets a striking young woman, who just recently moved into town. There is a spark between them. But she also carries a dark past. Do second chances come with a price? Hoyt Richards

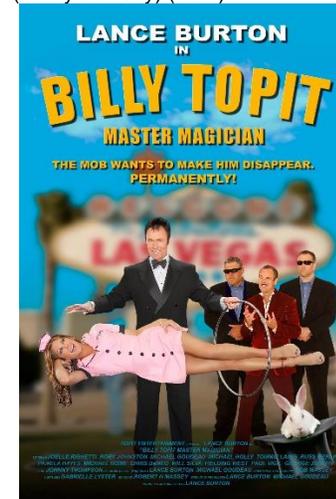


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**BLOCK C – FAMILY Feature Film – \$25**

**with Special Appearance by MASTER MAGICIAN and FILMMAKER LANCE BURTON**  
**9:40pm -11:50pm (approx.)**

**Billy Topit Master Magician (family comedy) (NEV)**



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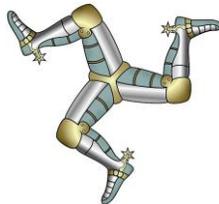
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