SBIFF Announces Award-winning Films!

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2022 SANTA BARBARA INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL

AWARD-WINNING FILMS ANNOUNCED

The Santa Barbara International Film Festival (SBIFF), presented by UGGÂ®, is excited to announce the award-winning films for the 37th edition. Awards were announced at a ceremony this morning hosted by Maune Contemporary Gallery in Santa Barbara with Jury and Filmmakers in attendance.

SBIFFâ??s Programming Director
Claudia Puig.

â??We are so thrilled to have had our slate of 200 films from 54 countries so well-received by festivalgoers. A few films even elicited standing ovations. We are very proud that filmmakers came from as far as Nepal, Iran, and Ugandaâ??and many countries in betweenâ?? to attend with their films. We thank all the wonderful filmmakers and our enthusiastic Santa Barbara audience for making this such a joyful return to theaters, and a celebration of terrific world cinema.â?• commented SBIFFâ??s Programming Director Claudia Puig.

The films were chosen by jury members Carlos Aguilar, Justine Bateman, Dupe Bosu, Julie Carmen, Annlee Ellingson, Tim Grierson, Beandrea July, Elizabeth Lo, Scott Mantz, Jose Novoa, Gil Robertson, Charles Solomon, Angie Wang, Steve Zahn, and Anthony & Annette Zerbe.

Audience Choice Award sponsored by The Santa Barbara Independent: Rachael Moriarty and Peter Murphyâ??s **RÃ³ise and Frank (Mo ghrÃ¡ buan)**

Best Documentary Short Film Award: Jordan Matthew Horowitzâ??s **LALITO 10**

Bruce Corwin Award â?? Best Live-Action Short Film: Marilyn Cookeâ??s **NO GHOST IN THE MORGUE (PAS DE FANTÃ?ME Ã? LA MORGUE)**

Bruce Corwin Award â?? Best Animated Short Film: Zacharias Kunukâ??s **THE SHAMANâ??S APPRENTICE**

Best Documentary Award: Jon-Sesrie Goffâ??s **AFTER SHERMAN**

Jeffrey C. Barbakow Award â?? Best International Feature Film: Shawkat Amin Korkiâ??s **THE EXAM (EZMÃ?N)**

Best Middle Eastern/Israeli Film Award: Dina Amerâ??s **YOU RESEMBLE ME (TU ME RESSEMBLES)**

Best Nordic/Dutch Film Award: Marianne Blicherâ??s **MISS VIBORG**

Nueva Vision Award for Spain/Latin America Cinema: MartÃn Barrenechea and NicolÃ¡s Brancaâ??s **9**

Panavision Spirit Award for Independent Cinema: Shasha Nakhai and Rich Williamsonâ??s **SCARBOROUGH**

Social Justice Award for Documentary Film: Emma Macey-Storchâ??s **GEETA**

ADL Stand Up Award, sponsored by ADL Santa Barbara/Tri-Counties, the Skinner Social Impact Fund, and Steve & Cindy Lyons: Jordan W. Barrow and Matt Edwardsâ??s **OUR WORDS COLLID**E.

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