

White Sun to premiere at Kimff 2016

Description

Nepali feature film White Sun (Seto Surya) will open the 14th Kathmandu International Mountain Film Festival (Kimff), slated to be held at the Kumari Hall in Kamal Pokhari in the Capital, starting Dec 8. White Sun, which was recently screened in Toronto International Film Festival and Venice Film festival, is slated for an all-Nepal release from Dec 9.

Speaking during an event hosted in the Capital earlier this week, Tsering Ritar Sherpa, producer of the film, shared, "We are very excited with the response the film received after being screened at the Venice Film Festival. The film, based on the 10-year Maoist insurgency, has been garnering positive reviews internationally; hopefully, the audience at home will like it too."

According to Sherpa, the film tries to explore the psychological impact the insurgency had on Nepalis.

Directed by Deepak Rauniyar, White Sun features actors Dayahang Rai, Raj Kumar Baniya and Sumi Malla in lead roles.

Along with White Sun, Kimff 2016 will feature a total of 80 films—features, animations, short films and documentaries—from 28 different countries.

The film fest will also hold a short film competition under the theme: Strengthening Nepal's Public Services.

This year's festival is slated to run through Dec 12.



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