



Netflix Reveals Trailer for Acclaimed Film DIVINES

Description



Acclaimed and talked-about films at this year's Cannes film festival, the American Film Institute's AFIFEST 2016 presented by Audi, is exclusively today, November 18th. Get a first look below!

The funny, suspenseful and often emotional drama tells the

story of Dounia, a tough, but naive teenager who sees getting rich or dying trying as her most viable option in life. Set in a ghetto near Paris where drugs and religion reign supreme, Dounia is hungry for her share of power and success. Enlisting the help of her best friend she decides to follow the footsteps of a respected and successful neighborhood dealer. But when Dounia meets a strong-willed and sensual dancer, her life takes a surprising turn.

Houda Benyamina's energetic directorial debut was awarded the Caméra d'Or at the Cannes Film Festival for the best first feature film presented in one of the event's selections. Most recently,

the film received multiple accolades yesterday AFIFEST. Benyamina, [Oulaya Amamra](#), and *Divines* were winners of the New Auteurs Audience Award, Breakthrough Audience Award and the Special Jury Mention for Acting.

Cast: Oulaya Amamra (Dounia), DÃ©borah Lukumuena (Maimounia), KÃ©vin Mischel (Djigui), Jisca Kalvanda (Rebecca), Yasin Houicha (Samir), Majdouline Idrissi (Myriam)

The film was written by Romain Compingt, Houda Benyamina and Malik Rumeau and produced by Marc-BenoÃ®t CrÃ©ancier.

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