

Northern lights, camera, action...

ASFLA Scandinavian Film Festival



TAKE 3

The Writer's Guild Theater
135 South Doheny
Beverly Hills, California

Celebrating the work and influence of Scandinavian film and cinema culture and bringing “the best” of Scandinavian film to audiences in “the film capital of the world.” Pivoting around, but not limited to, screenings of Nordic Oscar submissions along with outstanding shorts and documentaries.

With special festival guests:

Danish Producer Tivi Magnusson of M&M Productions

Norwegian Cinematographer Svein Krovel

Irina Bjorklund Winner of the 2001 Finnish “Jussi” for Best Performance by a Female in a Leading Role.

Welcome

Dear Friends of **Scandinavian Film Festival L.A.:**

We're three years old! And it's good to be three –
We've found our legs and are beginning to explore.
We've responded to images and gotten into "all sorts of things."
We can already have a flashback to the first years, as we
project – literally, into the future, and celebrate the film and
cinema culture of the five Nordic countries as we present
moving images that represent the "best" of Scandinavian
filmmakers to audiences in the "film capital of the world." We
hope to reveal conflict as well as commonality. We hope to
instigate and inspire – and, finally, to see the most moving
image of all, an audience laughing, crying, pondering, pouting,
feeling, thinking, edified, and, yes – entertained!

Thanks for joining us on the journey

Sincerely,
Jim Koenig
President ASFLA
Founder/Director
Scandinavian Film Festival L.A.



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February 1, 2, 3, 2002

James Koenig, Founder/Director

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PROGRAM

Friday - February 1

Opening Reception and Gala Buffet 6:00 p.m.
Screening 8:30 p.m. -- Champagne dessert table following

Danish short film – M&M Productions
* Zugvögel (Birds of Passage)

Norwegian feature documentary – Knut Erik Jensen
* Heftig og Begeistret (Cool and Crazy)

Saturday - February 2

10 a.m. Icelandic feature film – Gisli Snaer Erlingsson
Ikíngut

12 p.m. Icelandic feature film – Agust Gudmundsson
* Mávahlátur (Laughing Seagulls)

2:30 p.m. Danish documentary – Katia Forbert Petersen
Von Triers 100 Øjne (Von Trier's 100 Eyes)
Thorir Snaer Sigurjonsson, Skuli Malmquist
& Fridrik Thor Fridriksson

4:30 p.m. Norwegian feature film – Petter Naess
* Elling (Me, My Friend, and I)

7:30 p.m. Finnish feature film – Jarmo Lampela
* Joki (The River)

PROGRAM

Sunday, February 2

11 a.m. Danish documentary – Jon Bang Carlsen
Partraet af Gud (Portrait of God)

12:30 p.m. Danish feature Film – Lone Scherfig
* Italiensk for Begyndere (Italian for Beginners)
(original uncut Danish release)

3:30 p.m. Finnish feature film
Rukajärven tie (Ambush)

6:00 p.m. Swedish short films

Ingrid Rudefors and Peter Ostlund
Konsten att Flagga (The Art of Flying a Flag)

Ola Simonsson and Johannes Stjärne Nilsson
Drummers (Music for One Apartment and Six Drummers)

Carl Johan De Geer
Mormor, Hitler, och Jag (Grandmother, Hitler, and I)

7:30 p.m. Swedish feature film – Josef Fares
* Jalla! Jalla! (Hurry Up!)

Jazz Closing Party following last screening
Featuring Tomas Janzon

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