

IFI Schools Programme

2018



Irish Film Institute

Exciting initiatives happening in IFI Education this year.

Short Course in Film for Junior Cycle



Would you like to explore and create film in the classroom with your Junior Cycle students? If so, you might be interested in delivering our Short Course in Film. The course incorporates a wide range of activities and key skills, and is an exciting new opportunity for students. The course specification is available

from our website: www.ifi.ie/short-course. To find out more, contact Richard at rfallon@irishfilm.ie

Careers in Film Day at IFI

Mar 1, 10.30–15.30



With the Irish film industry thriving, there's never been a better time for young people to consider a future in film. Our Careers in Film Day is a fantastic opportunity for second-level students

to hear from some of the people who work in Irish film and animation, learn from their experiences and see some of their work. Guests include Darragh O'Connell of Brown Bag Films, casting director Louise Kiely, and sound designer Steve Fanagan. Students may attend in groups or individually – tickets cost €5 each and booking is essential. For more information see www.ifi.ie/learn.



Careers in Film Day is a joint initiative from the Irish Film Institute and Audi Dublin International Film Festival, and is supported by the Irish Film Board.

New Screenings added!

TY/SENIOR ART

Loving Vincent

12A

Feb 20, 10.30



Animated entirely from oil paintings and featuring a cast of Irish and British talent, *Loving Vincent* tells the story of the last days of the eponymous artist through the vibrancy of his own work. Visually breathtaking throughout, this highly original film offers a glimpse into the psyche of the now legendary artist.

Sandra Hickey, production artist on *Loving Vincent*, will introduce this film.

UK/Poland • 2017 • Animation/Biography/Crime

94 mins • Directors: Dorota Kobiela, Hugh Welchman

TY

Battle of the Sexes

12A

Mar 21, 10.30



Golden Globe nominee Emma Stone stars as the defiant tennis pro Billie Jean King who is compelled to do battle with retired pro and chauvinist Bobby Riggs (Steve Carell). Media scrutiny and King's own re-examination of her sexuality bring further challenges. Heaps of humour combine with an understated performance from Stone in this clever examination of the cultural changes of the 1970s.

UK/USA • 2017 • Biography/Comedy/Drama • 121 mins
Director: Simon Beaufoy

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Limited places still available for the following events. Don't miss out!

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Revolutions

ISA

Feb 7, 10.30



Director Laura McGann will introduce her exciting Irish documentary about the gruelling sport of Roller Derby.

Ireland • 2016 • Documentary/Action/Sport • 92 mins
Director: Laura McGann

PRIMARY

Coco

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April 12, 10.30

© Disney/Pixar



Follow aspiring musician Miguel as he teams up with charming trickster Hector on an extraordinary journey through the Land of the Dead in the latest Golden Globe-winning animation from Disney Pixar.

USA • 2017 • Animation/Adventure/Comedy • 105 mins

Directors: Lee Unkrich, Adrian Molina

For more information on our Mexican Art class activity, please see our full programme.

JUNIOR CYCLE ART

Seeing Spaces: The Red Turtle & National Gallery of Ireland Visit

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*April 18, 10.30–16.00

For students of the new JC Art specification, this unique event combines a film screening to explore the language of film, followed by a visit to the National Gallery of Ireland for a guided study of artworks.

France/Belgium/Japan • 2016 • Animation/Fantasy 80 mins • Director: Michael Dudok de Wit

*Please note change of date for this event.

Bookings for combined screening and NGI event through IFI Education.

SPECIAL EVENT

IFI Education & UNCRC 25: Lion

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Feb 1, 10.30

The true story of five year old Saroo who finds himself thousands of miles away from home and must learn to survive with his new adoptive parents in Tasmania. Chosen to celebrate the 25th anniversary of Ireland's ratification of the UN Convention of the Rights of the Child,

Lion is presented in association with the Ombudsman for Children's Office.

UK/Australia/USA • 2016 • Biography/Drama • 118 mins • Director: Garth Davis
Ireland's Ombudsman for Children Dr.



Niall Muldoon and a youth advisor for the OCO will participate in a post-screening Q&A.

Admission FREE, but booking is essential.

Short Tales

recommended age: 6+

May 3, 10.30



A wonderful programme of short films specially selected for our younger viewers. All animated and dialogue free, this is a perfect introduction to international cinema and a cultural venue in your city.

For full details go to

www.ifi.ie/learn/primary-events

Booking and Information

€5 admission unless otherwise stated.

For booking and information on IFI Education events, contact Dee or Richard:

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For our full programme of events, please visit our website on www.ifi.ie/learn

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