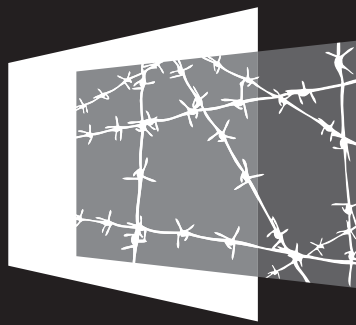


14TH ANNUAL

SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY HUMAN RIGHTS FILM FESTIVAL



SEPTEMBER 29–OCTOBER 1, 2016

FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

OPENING NIGHT

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 29 **7PM**

Joyce Hergenhan Auditorium,
Newhouse 3

THE MAN WHO SAW TOO MUCH

Trisha Ziff

(88 min, Mexico, 2015, Spanish and English with English subtitles)

Winner of two Ariels (Mexican Academy Awards), Trisha Ziff's enthralling documentary follows Enrique Metinides, who has spent his life documenting death in Mexico City as one of its most renowned and notorious photojournalists.

Introduction and Q&A with director Trisha Ziff

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 30 **7PM**

Shemin Auditorium, Shaffer Art Building

TRICK OR TREATY?

Alanis Obomsawin

(85 min, Canada, 2014, closed-captioned in English)

Legendary Canadian and Abenaki filmmaker Alanis Obomsawin's inspiring documentary reveals how collective challenges to settler colonialist interpretations of key treaties can bring political empowerment to indigenous communities as they fight for the protection of their lands and their natural resources.

Introduction and Q&A with director Alanis Obomsawin

Alanis Obomsawin will also talk about her filmmaking and activism at the Skä•noñh-Great Law of Peace Center on Saturday, October 1. For more details please visit skanohcenter.org

SATURDAY OCTOBER 1 **1PM**

Shemin Auditorium, Shaffer Art Building

THE CROSSING

George Kurian

(2015, 55 min, Norway, Arabic and English with English subtitles)

Following one of the most dangerous journeys of our time with a group of Syrian refugees fleeing war and persecution, this vivid documentary offers an intimate perspective into their harrowing experiences.

The screening will be followed by a panel discussion with new immigrant students from Nottingham High School, Syracuse City School District.

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SATURDAY OCTOBER 1 **4PM**

Shemin Auditorium, Shaffer Art Building

KOZA

Ivan Ostrochovský

(75 min, Slovakia/Czech Republic, Slovak with English subtitles)

In a subtle fusion of documentary and fiction, this critically acclaimed debut feature follows a middle-aged Roma boxer in Slovakia as he embarks on a tragicomic return to the ring in order to pay for his girlfriend's abortion.

PLUS

Sneak peek of short film in progress by Lida & Mišo Suchý

(11 min, USA/Ukraine/Slovakia, 2016, closed captioned in English)

The screening will be followed by Skype Q&A with filmmaker Ivan Ostrochovský.

SATURDAY OCTOBER 1 **7PM**

Shemin Auditorium, Shaffer Art Building

ALIGARH

Hansal Mehta

(120 min, India, 2015, Hindi with English subtitles)

Hansal Mehta's acclaimed drama tenderly illuminates same-sex desires in contemporary India through the true story of a professor (Manoj Bajpayee) suspended from Aligarh University after being caught in a sting operation.

PLUS

RELUCTANTLY QUEER

Akosua Adoma Owusu

(8 min, Ghana, 2016, closed-captioned in English)

A young Ghanaian man struggles to reconcile his mother's expectations and his same-sex desires.



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Computer Assisted Real-Time Translation (CART) will be available at all screenings. If you require other accommodations, please contact Kristen Northrop (kmnorthr@syr.edu, 315-443-7358) by September 15, 2016.