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GENERAL PROGRAM BEST OF SCINEMA

To celebrate National Science Week 2016

13th to 21st August

Living Close – Parasitism

SCINEMA Finalist)

(Claire Farrugia, Dylan Birchall / Australia / 2:40mins

Relationships are complicated, especially in the animal kingdom. She's an emerald wasp just trying to find the right guy to start a family. He's a cockroach that has left it all behind for a cross-species parasitic relationship. Jury said: Witty and original, this little gem made us laugh out loud.

Corpus

(SCINEMA Award for Technical Merit)

Marc Héricher / France / 3:30min

A complex chain reaction brings human organs to life. This mechanism generates an act of creation. But this creation, can it be actually produced by a machine?

The Amazing Life Cycle of the European Eel

(SCINEMA Award Best Short Film)

Sofia Castello y Tickell / UK / 3:33mins

Did you know that the Romans kept European eels as pets and adorned them with jewelry? Today, they continue to travel over 12,000km back and forth from the Sargasso Sea to complete their life cycles.

Metamorphosis of plants

(SCINEMA Award for Best Experimental/Animated Film)

Urszula Zajackowska / Poland / 4:36mins

This unique film is the result of two years spent watching and analysing the movements and metamorphoses of plants. To a frenetic beat a ballet dancer mimics and reflects the movements of plants that remain invisible to our naked eye, revealed through time-lapse photography. Jury comment: A gorgeous film that give a new insight into how plants work and grow, without saying a word.

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Maratus (M)

(SCINEMA Best Film)

Simon Cunich / Australia / 30mins

When a garbage collector takes a photo of a tiny colourful spider, he has no idea how it will change his life. Funny and moving, this film will change your perception of who a scientist is.

HILLEMANN – A Perilous Quest to Save the World's Children

(SCINEMA Best Documentary)

Donald Mitchell / USA / 64mins

An American scientist succeeds in developing more than half of the vaccines children receive today, including the MMR vaccine. These have saved 8 million lives every year since the mid-1960s, and yet few know his name. His unprecedented achievements place him among the greatest scientists of all time and reveal the irony of saving us from our worst fears.

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