

1st Annual BOSTON PALESTINE FILM FESTIVAL

September 29 - October 7th, 2007

Celebrating Palestinian Cinema

FESTIVAL VENUES

MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS

COOLIDGE CORNER THEATRE

KENDALL SQUARE CINEMA

HARVARD UNIVERSITY

Festival Program at Museum of Fine Arts

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 29th

7:15pm

LEILA KHALED: HIJACKER by Lina Makboul, Sweden, 2005, 58 min
Director will be present.

8:30pm

FESTIVAL OPENING PARTY with film directors and live music by renowned performer Simon Shaheen at The School of the Museum of Fine Arts, 230 The Fenway, Boston.

THURSDAY OCTOBER 4th

6pm

OPEN HEART by Claire Fowler, Palestine, 2006, 22 min
HARDBALL by Suha Arraf, Palestine/Israel, 2006, 52 min

7:45pm

EXILES IN JERUSALEM by Muayad Alayan, Palestine, 2005, 20 min
Director will be present.

FRIDAY OCTOBER 5th

5:30pm

THE COLOR OF OLIVES by Carolina Rivas, Mexico, 2006, 97 min

7:30pm

LA ULTIMA LUNA by Miguel Littin, Chile, 2005, 105 min
Co-presented with Boston Latino International Film Festival.
Director will be present.

SATURDAY OCTOBER 6th

12pm

EMERGING PALESTINIAN DIRECTORS
PALESTINE SUMMER 2006 by Palestinian Filmmakers Collective and Akka Films, Palestine, 2006, 35 min
MAKE A WISH by Cherien Dabis, Palestine, 2006, 12 min
BETHLEHEM BANDOLERO by Larissa Sansour, Palestine, 2004, 5 min

KEMO SABE by Rana Kazkaz, USA, 2007, 12 min

THE WAY BACK HOME by Ghada Terawi, Palestine, 2006, 33 min
THE SEVENTH DOG by Zeina Durra, UK/USA, 2005, 20 min

SUNDAY OCTOBER 7th

3:30pm

PALESTINE REVOLUTIONARY CINEMA
Film scholar Hamid Debashi will introduce this program of six rare, historical films from 1969 to 1980.
AWAY FROM HOME by Qais il Zobaidi, Syria, 1969, 11 min
THE VISIT by Qais il Zobaidi, Syria, 1970, 10 min

CHILDREN NONETHELESS by Khadija Abu Ali, Palestine, 1980, 25 min
THEY DON'T EXIST by Mustafa Abu Ali, Palestine, 1974, 25 min

KOFR SHOBA by Samir Nimr, Palestine, 1972, 34 min
BORN OUT OF DEATH by Monica Maurer, Palestine, 1981, 9 min

5:45pm

PALESTINE BLUES by Nida Sinnokrot, Palestine, 2006, 80 min
Director will be present.

7:30pm

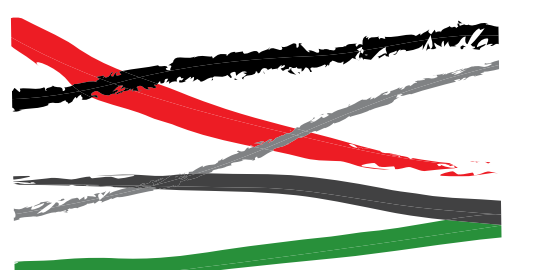
DRIVING TO ZIGZIGLAND by Nicole Ballivan, USA/Palestine, 2006, 92 min
U.S. PREMIERE
Director will be present.

9:30pm

FESTIVAL CLOSING RECEPTION with film directors at Casablanca Restaurant, 40 Brattle St, Harvard Square, Cambridge.



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