



## BACK SOON

Completed

### MARKET PREMIERE

Market screenings:

May 15th, 2:00 pm - Olympia 6

May 18th, 10:00 am - Palais C



#### Synopsis:

Anna Hallgrimsdottir lives in Reykjavik with her two sons.

Fed up with the coldness of Iceland, she decides to sell her business to be able to move out of the country.

Her business, selling dope, is prosperous, she wants a good price out of it... the dealer whom she'll hand it over to (as well as her mobile : that's how her customers reach her and order the amount they need) tells her he'll have the money within 48 hours.

Meanwhile, Anna gets involved in all kinds of "*Icelandic familial adventures*" and her kitchen fills up with customers/friends, partying, while waiting for her to come back, and sell them their daily grass.

#### Director:

Solveig Anspach (*Battle Cries*, *Stormy Weather*)

#### Cast:

Didda Jónsdóttir, Julien Cotterau

#### Genre:

Comedy

# JASPER

Production



**Synopsis:** Between the backdrops of the icy South Pole and a colourful harbour city unfolds the adventure of penguin brothers Jasper and Junior, who, with the help of 9 year old Emma, rescue the eggs of the rare Kakapo bird from the evil hands of mad Dr. Block. Jasper's journey takes him and his brother deep into the Northern Hemisphere, to 'the end of world'. And the dramatic hunt for the stolen eggs of the Kakapo turns out to be a mere fragment in a much larger plan, in which the dubious manufacturer of a popular children's drink, Dr. Block, plays a major role. More than a mouthful for three birds who can't even fly ! Luckily for them, nine year old Emma comes to their aid. For her, this adventure is an ideal opportunity to prove to her father, the Captain of the ship, how good and clever she can be in the real world, after giving up the imaginary one full of non-existent 'friends', created to combat her loneliness aboard a ship without other children. But before our group of newly found friends can form a successful working relationship, they must first cross the barriers of mistrust and pass tests of loyalty with flying colours.

**Director:** Eckart Fingberg  
**Genre:** CGI Animation cell shading

# ROUND DA WAY

Production



**Synopsis:** It's summer and small-time hood Joe Piswater is obsessed by only one thing: changing his life for the better. He finds a casual job in construction in the mansion of a judge. This opportunity lets him meet the girl of his dreams, the Judge's sublime daughter Stephany. Meanwhile, his best-friend Tony Pepperoni has chosen to make some dough during the vacation. He teams up with Zoran, local notorious big shot with who he takes out a big credit. He decides to branch out on his own. Unwise decision. The debts pile up, troubles also. In particular when he decides to break off a demanding love story with Emmanuelle, a passionate militant who reveals to be a... cop. Looking for help, Tony takes refuge at his old pal Joe's. Unfortunately Tony's actions quickly ruin Joe's dreams. The summer is only beginning...

An hilarious action-packed comedy based on urban culture!

**Director:** Albert P. Lazaro & Emmanuel Klotz

**Cast:** Vincent Cassel, Diane Kruger

**Genre:** Animation - Comedy

# SILENT WEDDING

Post-Production



**Synopsis:** Romania, 1953. In a small village, a young couple is about to get married. Guests arrive, banquet is ready and everything is prepared for the ceremony; unexpectedly, the Russian Army shows up; Staline is dead, a national mourning is declared, they have one hour to break up. They finally decide to celebrate against all and make it silent...

**Director:** Horatiu Malaele

**Cast:** Luminita Gheorghiu, Alexandru Potocean

**Genre:** Drama comedy

# MELODY'S SMILE

Completed

Market screenings:

May 16th, 9:45 am - Palais C

May 20th, 5:30 pm - Palais B



**Synopsis:** In the dead of night, in the middle of an isolated wind farm, two out-of-work computer programmers run a man over, killing him. By his body, they find a bag stuffed with cash. Bank robber? Drug dealer? Who cares? Two million euros staring you in the face. No witnesses. What would you do? Call the cops or cash in on your good luck? Vigo and Sylvain don't take long to make up their minds. The following day, a blind girl is found dead in a warehouse near the scene of the accident. What if the money was destined to pay her ransom? Did the killer see the hit-and-run drivers? Then another girl is kidnapped, and worse, she's a diabetic. The clock is ticking. The police in the provincial town of Dunkerque start to panic. They are ill equipped to deal with such crimes. Helped by her attentive colleague Norman, rooky cop Lucie embarks on her first major investigation.

**Director:** Alfred Lot  
**Cast:** Mélanie Laurent, Eric Caravaca, Gilles Lellouche  
**Genre:** Thriller

# EDEN LOG

Completed

Market screening:  
May 20th, 2:00 pm - Palais I



**Synopsis:** A man wakes up deep inside a cave. Suffering amnesia, he has no recollection of how he came to be here nor of what happened to the man whose body he finds beside him. Tailed by a mysterious creature, he has no other choice but to continue through this strange and fantastic world.

Enclosed, Tolbiac has no other option to reach the surface than to use REZO ZERO, secret observing cells in this cemetery-like abandoned mine. He embarks upon this journey guided by the roots of a plant.

This is the story of the rise of a forgotten man, sometimes informed by the archives of abandoned laboratories, which punctuate this subterranean network and at other times by his own strangely amplified instinct. During his search for the surface, Tolbiac must uncover the secret of what once lived in this network; but has this “mystery” truly left?

**Director:** Franck Vestiel

**Cast:** Clovis Cornillac, Vimala Pons

**Genre:** Sci-Fi

# LEGAL AID

Shooting



**Synopsis:** Leibowitz is a young, brilliant and honest lawyer ... too honest and idealistic to be rich and successful. His life radically changes when he meets a more experienced lawyer, who will “educate” him.

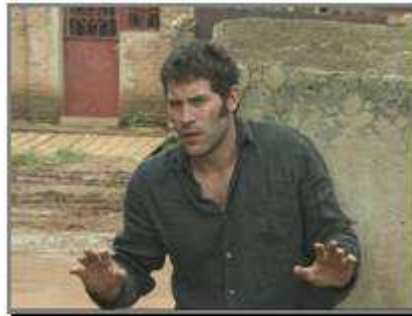
**Director:** Hannelore Cayre

**Cast:** Roschdy Zem

**Genre:** Drama comedy

# TURQUOISE ZONES

Shooting



**Synopsis:** Paris, April 1994.  
Antoine Rives, a young independent journalist, is shooting news about the return of Westerners fleeing human slaughters in Rwanda... He meets Clement, a Hutu student whose Tutsi girlfriend remains stuck in Rwanda. Clement convinces him to go back to Rwanda to look for her, letting him film their trip. They soon discover an unbelievable chaos, where their “pact” is hard to respect...  
A jump into horror during which Antoine will lose his illusions and become aware of the human tragedy.

**Director:** Jean-Christophe Klotz

**Cast:** Jalil Lespert

**Genre:** Drama

# AMAZONIA, THE GREEN PLANET

Pre-Production



**Synopsis:** AMAZONIA is a fantastic animal odyssey through the heart of the Amazon forest, where we plunge into an ocean of greenery, the richest ecosystem on the planet in terms of biodiversity.  
The tremendous Amazon River and its tributaries mold the landscape, and forest life is governed by the rhythm of the yearly floods.

**Director:** Luc Marescot

**Production:** Gedeon Programmes (producers of *The White Planet*) & Walter Salles

**Genre:** Adventure - Fiction

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