

FILmCLINIC

INDIE DISTRIBUTION



Set up in 2017, Film Clinic Indie Distribution is the distribution arm to the pioneer production house; Film Clinic. Dedicated to supporting and distributing the work of the most exciting and forthcoming Arab filmmakers as well as handling sales for Film Clinic's own productions.

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**DISTRIBUTION LINE UP**





# To A Land Unknown

Mahdi Fleifel

UK, Palestine, France, Greece,  
Netherlands, Germany, Qatar, KSA |  
Thriller/ Crime | 2024 | 105' | Arabic, Greek,  
English

Cast  
Mahmood Bakri, Aram Sabbah,  
Angeliki Papoulia, Mohammad Alsurafa,  
Mouataz Alshalton, Mohammad Ghassan,  
Monzer Reyahnah

Chatila and Reda are saving to pay for  
fake passports to get out of Athens.  
But when Reda loses their hard-earned  
cash to his dangerous drug addiction,  
Chatila hatches an extreme plan, which  
involves them posing as smugglers and  
taking hostages in an effort to get him  
and his best friend out of their hopeless  
environment before it is too late

All Rights/MENA



Cannes Film Festival  
- Directors' Fortnight

Toronto International Film  
Festival

Munich International Film  
Festival

Red Sea International Film  
Festival





# Who Do I Belong To

Meryam Joobeur

Tunisia, France, Canada | Drama | 2024 |  
118' | Arabic

Cast  
Salha Nasraoui, Mohamed Hassine  
Grayaa, Malek Mechergui, Adam Bessa,  
Dea Liane, Rayen Mechergui,  
Chaker Mechergui

A Tunisian woman is caught between  
her maternal love and her search for  
the truth when her son returns home  
from war and unleashes a darkness  
throughout their village.

All Rights/ MENA



Berlin International Film  
Festival

Gouna International Film  
Festival



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# Seeking Haven for Mr. Rambo

Khaled Mansour

Egypt | Drama |100’ | Arabic

Cast  
Essam Omar, Rakeen Saad,  
Ahmed Bahaa, Samaa Ibrahim

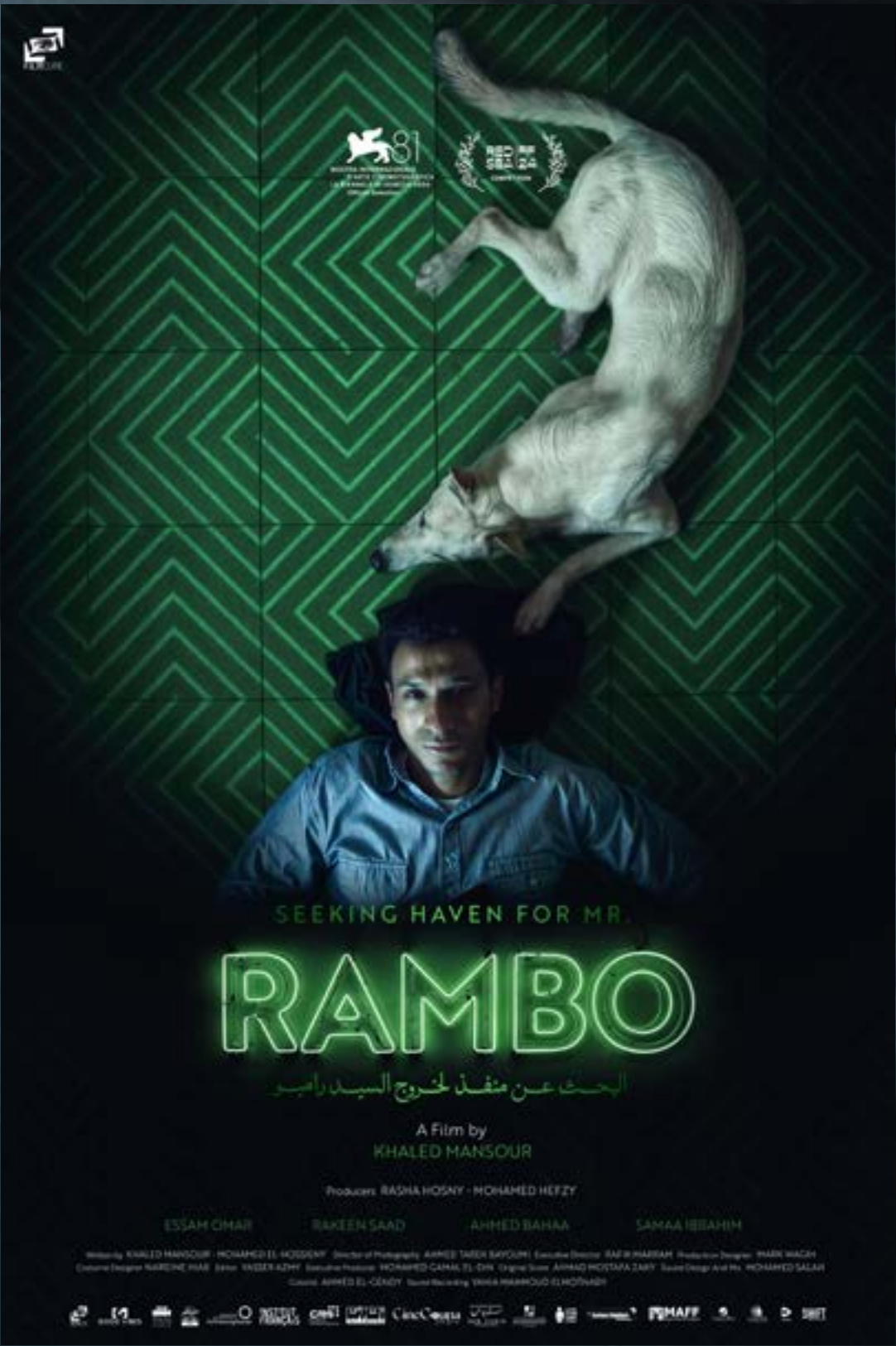
The story of Hassan and his dog, Rambo, as they go on a quest to save Rambo from Hassan’s vengeful landlord, whom the dog attacked. On his journey through Cairo to find a safe haven for Rambo, Hassan is forced to confront the fears of his past and rediscovers himself.

All Rights/ Worldwide



Venice International Film  
Festival - Orizzonti Extra

Red Sea International Film  
Festival





# The Inevitable Journey to find a Wedding Dress

Jaylan Auf

Egypt | Drama, Comedy | 69' | Arabic

Cast

Yasmin Raeis, Asmaa Galal, Ahmed  
Khaled Saleh, Salwa Mohamed Ali

Warda's frantic search for a wedding dress on the eve of the ceremony becomes a journey of self-discovery challenging her relationship with Cairo and herself

All Rights/ Worldwide



El Gouna Film Festival

Red Sea International Film  
Festival



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# Hobal

Abdulaziz Alshalahi

KSA | Drama | 112' | Arabic (Bedouin)

## Cast

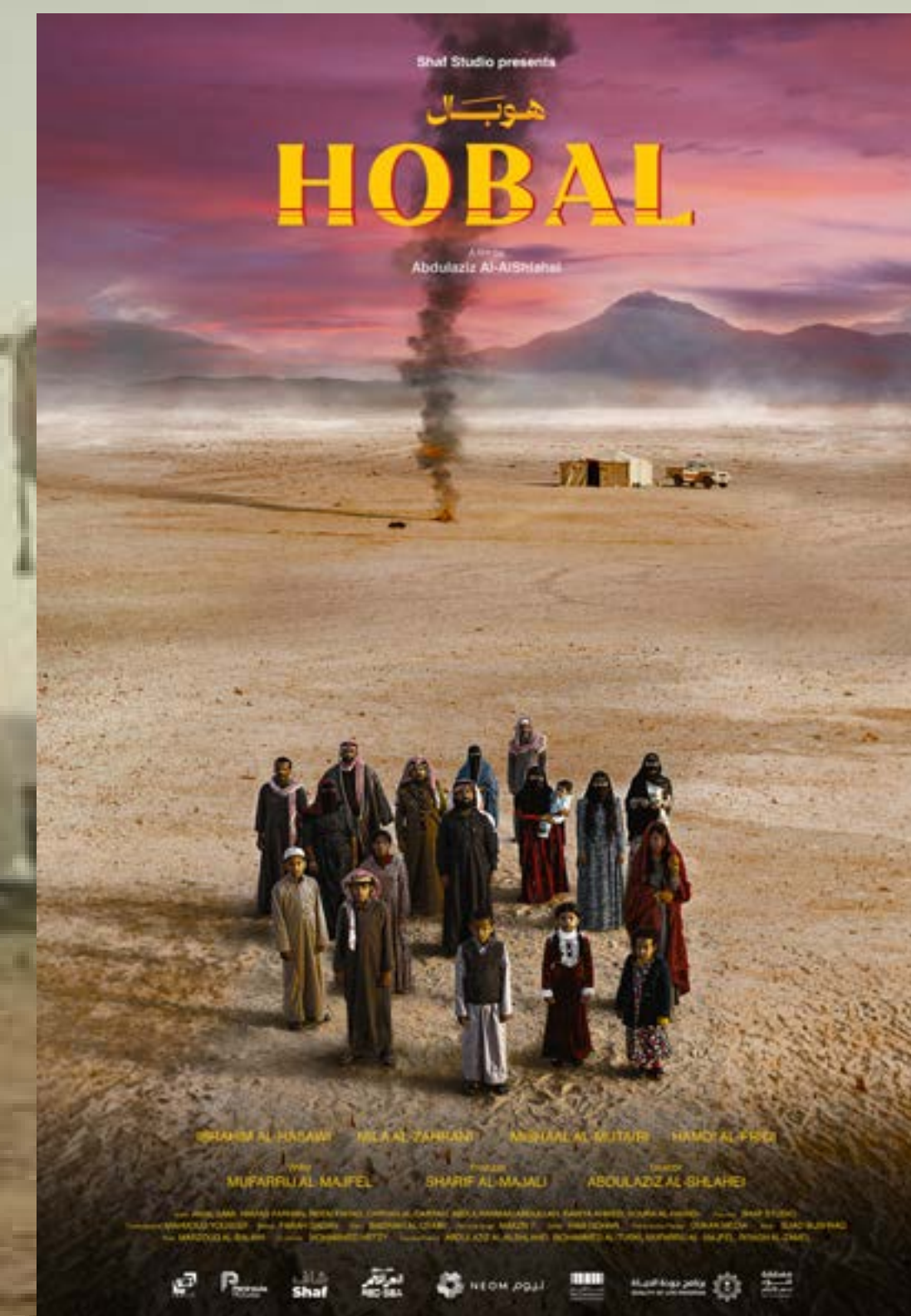
Ibrahim Al-Hassawi, Mila Alzahrani,  
Mishaal Almutairi, Hamdi Alfridi, Amal  
Sami, Hamad Farhan Alenazi

Set in post-Gulf War Saudi Arabia, Hobal follows a Bedouin family that leaves their village for the solitude of the desert, driven by their grandfather Liam's belief in the imminent end of days. When his granddaughter Refa becomes ill, her mother Sarra must break Liam's strict rules to save her.

Theatrical & Non-Theatrical  
Rights/ MENA excluding KSA



Red Sea International Film  
Festival



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# Abdo & Saneya

Omar Bakry

Egypt, USA | Drama | 97' | Silent

Cast  
Omar Bakry, Inji El Gammal,  
Roger Simon, Marlene Villafane

Abdo and Saneya is the story of an Egyptian farmer couple who are left to survive in New York City without any English skills or knowledge of American life. Illiterate, they defy impossible odds to find a cure for their infertility. Wrapped in naivety, they are perfect prey for the fast-moving, cutthroat City. Their will to survive takes them from the homeless renegade world to the hellish kitchens of the restaurant business.

All Rights/MENA



Red Sea International Film  
Festival





# Four Daughters

Kaouther Ben Hania

France, Tunisia, Germany, Saudi Arabia |  
Documentary/Fiction | 2023 |110'| Arabic

Cast  
Hend Sabry, Eya Chikhaoui,  
Tayssir Chikhaoui, Olfa Hamrouni

Between light and darkness stands  
Olfa, a Tunisian woman and the mother  
of four daughters. One day, her two  
older daughters disappear. Filmmaker  
Kaouther Ben Hania invites professional  
actresses to fill in their absence.

Theatrical & Non-Theatrical Rights/  
MENA excluding Tunisia



Academy Nominee for  
Documentary Feature

Cannes Film Festival (Official  
Competition)

César Award for Best  
Documentary Film

Independent Spirit Awards  
- Best Documentary Award

Red Sea International Film  
Festival - Asharq Award for  
Best Documentary





# Flight 404

Hani Khalifa

Egypt, KSA | Drama | 2024 | 104' | Arabic

Cast  
Mona Zaki, Mohamed Farrag,  
Mohamed Mamdouh, Shereen Reda,  
Khaled El Sawi, Hassan El Adl

Days before traveling to Mecca for HAJJ, Ghada is faced with an emergency and needs a large sum of money. She must return to a tainted past and keep it from consuming her

All Rights/ Worldwide



Egypt's official submission  
for best international film at  
the 97<sup>th</sup> Academy Awards





# VOY! VOY! VOY!

Omar Hilal

Egypt, UAE | Drama/ Dark Comedy |  
2023 | 107' | Arabic

Cast  
Mohamed Farrag, Nelly Karim,  
Bayoumi Fouad, Taha Desouky,  
Amgad Al Haggag,  
Mohamed Abd El Azim

Inspired by true events, a group of  
desperate young men pretend to  
be visually impaired in an attempt  
to infiltrate a blind football team  
set to compete at the World Cup  
Championship in Europe.

Non-Theatrical & Digital Rights/  
MENA



Egypt's official submission  
for best international film at  
the 96<sup>th</sup> Academy Awards

Marrakech International  
Film Festival

International Film Festival  
Rotterdam



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# HAJJAN

Abu Bakr Shawky

KSA, Egypt | Drama/Action | 2023 | 120' | Arabic

Cast  
Abdelmohsen Al Nemer, Omar Al Atawi,  
AlShaima'a Tayeb, Toleen Barbood and  
Ibrahim AlHessawi

Production Companies  
Ithraa, Film Clinic in co-production with  
Imaginarium Films

Brothers Matar and Ghanim live in the endless desert of Saudi Arabia. When tragedy strikes, young Matar takes on camel racing to keep his camel Hofira. After being hired by ruthless owner Jasser, Matar has to give everything to fight for Hofira's life in this ageless coming of age drama.

All Rights/MENA



Toronto International Film  
Festival

Red Sea International Film  
Festival



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# I Promise You Paradise

Morad Mostafa

Egypt | Drama | 2023 | 25' | Arabic

Cast  
Kenyi Marcellino, Kenzy Mohamed

Following a violent incident; Eissa, a 17 years old African migrant in Egypt is in a quest against time to save his loved ones whatever it takes.

All Rights/MENA



Cannes Film Festival  
*La Semaine de la Critique*

Chicago International Film  
Festival

Locarno International Film  
Festival



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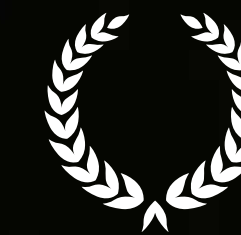
# Animalia

Sofia Alaoui

Morocco, France, Qatar | Sci-Fi/Thriller |  
2023 | 90' | French, Arabic

Cast  
Oumaima Barid, Mehdi Dehbi,  
Souad Khouyi, Fouad Oughaou

As she nears the end of her pregnancy,  
Itto and her in-laws find their lives  
turned upside down by a supernatural  
event.



**Sundance Film Festival**  
- World Cinema Dramatic  
Special Jury Award

**Marrakech International  
Film Festival**

All Rights / MENA



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# Birdland

Leila Kilani

Morocco, France, Qatar, UAE | Drama  
|2023 | 126' | Arabic

Cast  
Ifham Mathet, Ikram Layachi,  
Bahia Boutia El Oumani

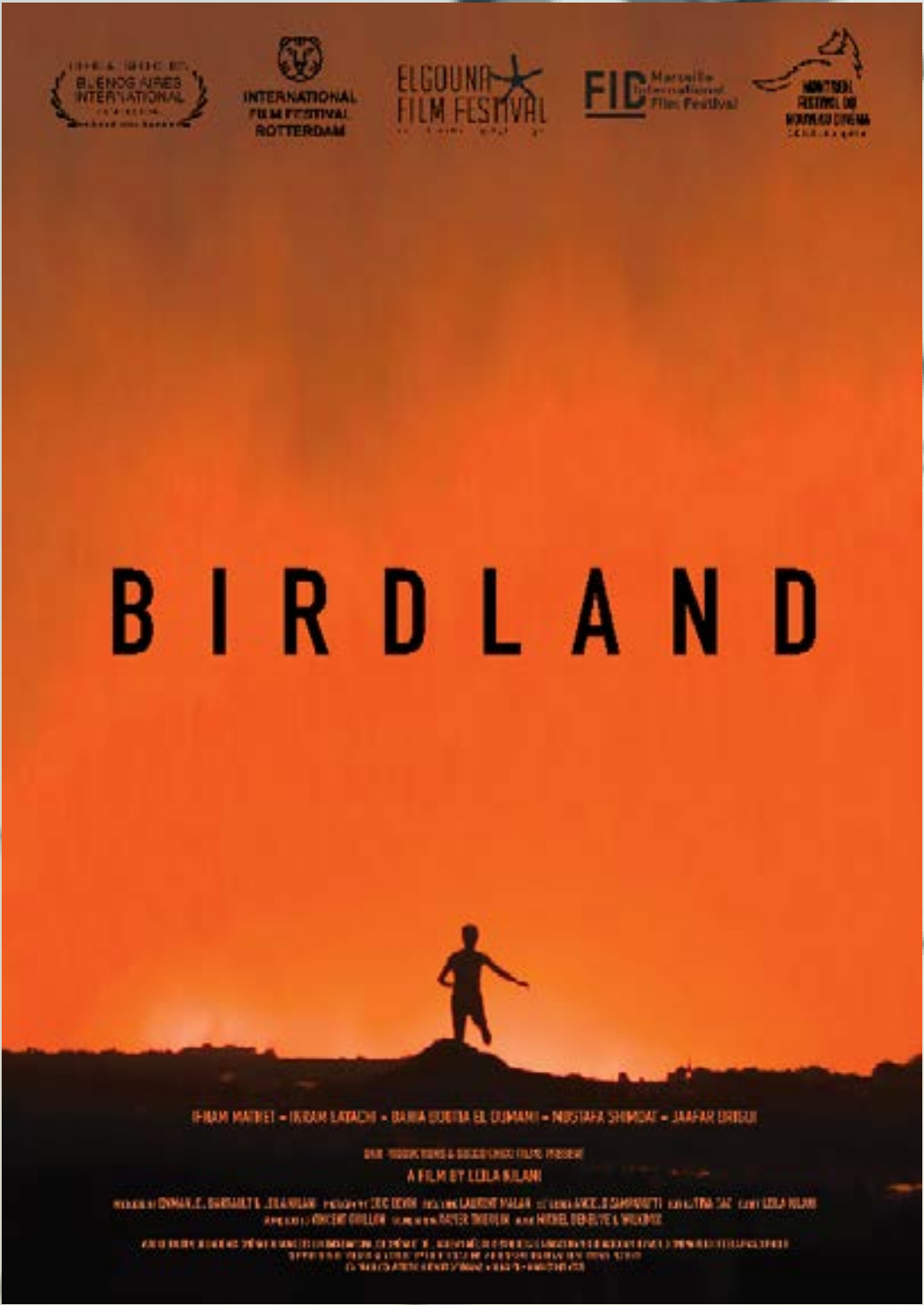
A family divided over whether to sell its  
country estate to a developer or donate  
the land to create a bird sanctuary.

All Rights/MENA  
Excluding Morocco



International Film Festival  
Rotterdam

El Gouna Film Festival





# The Last Queen

Adila Bendimerad  
& Damien Ounouri

Algeria | History/ Drama | 2022 |110'  
| Arabic,Berber, Corsican, Serbo-  
Croatian, Finnish

Cast  
Adila Bendimerad, Dali Benssalah,  
Mohamed Tahar Zaoui

Inspired by the legendary Princess  
Zaphira, wife of the last King of Algiers  
Salim Toumi, and his fight to defend her  
community from pirate Barbarossa

Theatrical & Non-Theatrical  
Rights/MENA



Venice International Film  
Festival

Red Sea International Film  
Festival - Best Feature Film  
Award, Best Actress Award





19B

Ahmad Abdalla

Egypt, Qatar | Drama | 2022 | 95’  
Arabic

Cast  
Sayed Ragab, Nahed El Sebai,  
Ahmed Khaled Saleh

In a dilapidated villa, lives an old guard who watches over an abandoned house. The house he considers his home and sanctuary is all of a sudden threatened by a young park attendant, leaving him forced to face his fears, his past and a world he no longer recognizes.

All Rights/ WorldWide



Cairo International Film Festival - Best Arab Film Award, FIPRESCI Award, Best Artistic Contribution Award

Minneapolis Saint Paul Film Festival

Hollywood Arab Film Festival

Malmö Arab Film Festival





# HARKA

Lotfy Nathan

France, Luxembourg, Tunisia, Belgium |  
Drama | 2022 | 90' | Arabic

Cast  
Adam Bessa, Najib Allagui, Ikbal Harbi,  
Salima Maatouq

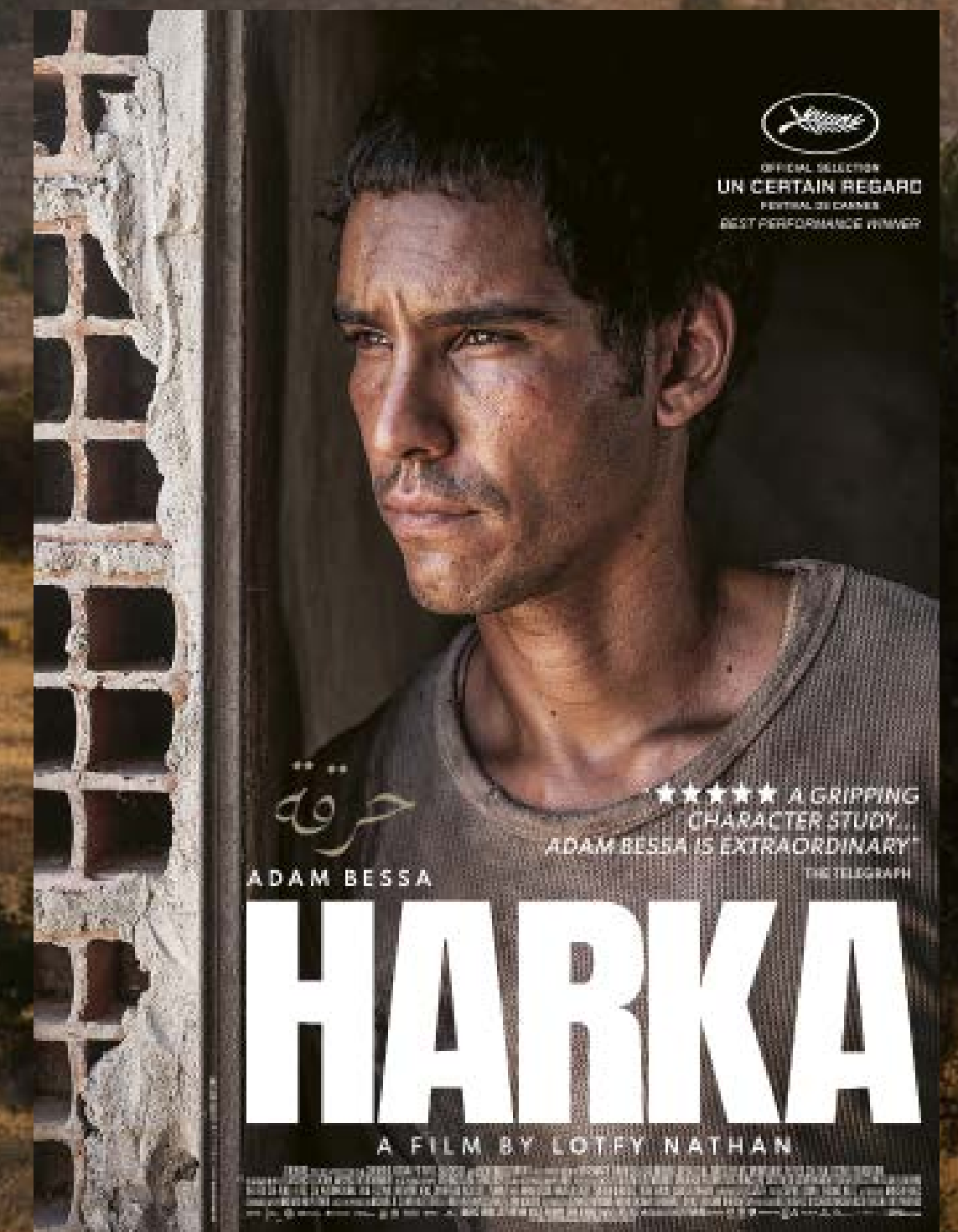
Facing an impending eviction and forced to take care of his two younger sisters, Ali, a young Tunisian who sells contraband gas on the blackmarket, will make a choice that will become the symbol of a silenced generation trying to be heard.

Theatrical & Non-Theatrical  
Rights/MENA



**Cannes Film Festival** (Un Certain Regard) - Best performance Award

**Red Sea International Film Festival** - Best Director Award, Best Actor Award



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# MEDITERRANEAN FEVER

Maha Haj

Palestine, Germany, France, Cyprus,  
Qatar | Drama | 2022 | 108' | Arabic

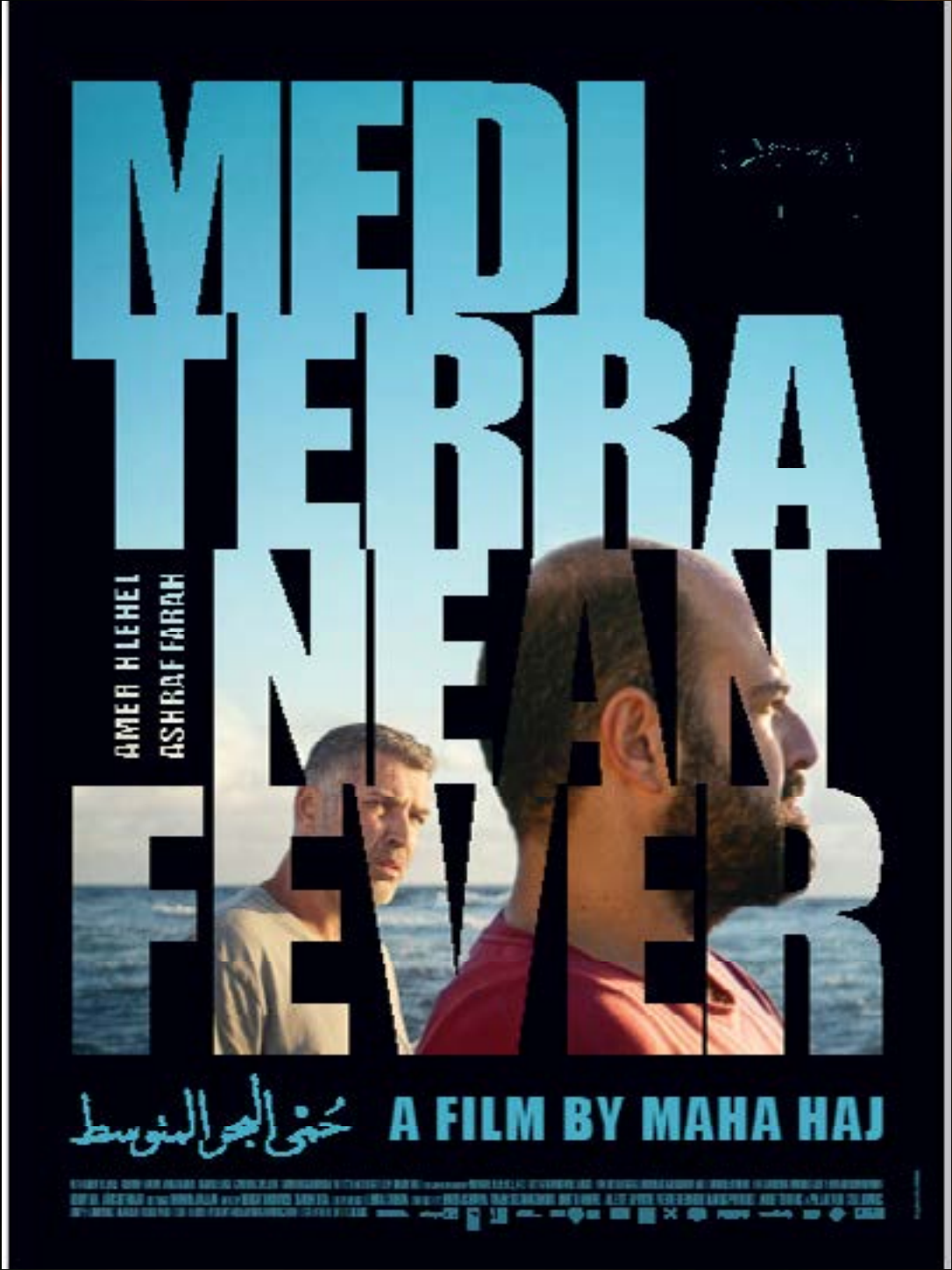
Cast  
Amer Hlehel, Ashraf Farah, Anat Hadid,  
Samir Elias, Cynthia Saleem,  
Shaden Kanboura

Waleed dreams of a writing career  
while suffering from depression.  
He develops a relationship with his  
neighbor - a small-time crook. While  
the scheme turns into an unexpected  
friendship, it leads them into a journey  
of dark encounters.

All Rights/MENA excluding  
Palestine



Cannes Film Festival (Un  
Certain Regard) - Best  
Screenplay Award





# Hanging Gardens

Ahmed Yassin El Daradji

Iraq, Palestine, Egypt, UK, KSA |  
Drama | 2022 | 117' | Arabic

## Cast

Wissam Diyaa, Jawad Al Shakarji,  
Hussain Muhammad Jalil,  
Akram Mazen Ali

When a young Iraqi rubbish picker rescues an American sex doll from the Baghdad dumps, he crosses into a perilous red zone, where friends become enemies and nothing is certain in an explosive mix of God, love, war and madness.

All Rights/MENA



Venice International Film  
Festival

Red Sea International Film  
Festival - Best Feature Film,  
Best Cinematic Achievement



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# BACKSTAGE

Afef Ben Mahmoud,  
Khalil Benkirane

Tunisia, Morocco, France, Belgium,  
Qatar | Drama | 2023 | 90' | Arabic

Cast  
Sidi Larbi Cherkaoui, Ali Thabet,  
Afef Ben Mahmoud, Sondos Belhassen

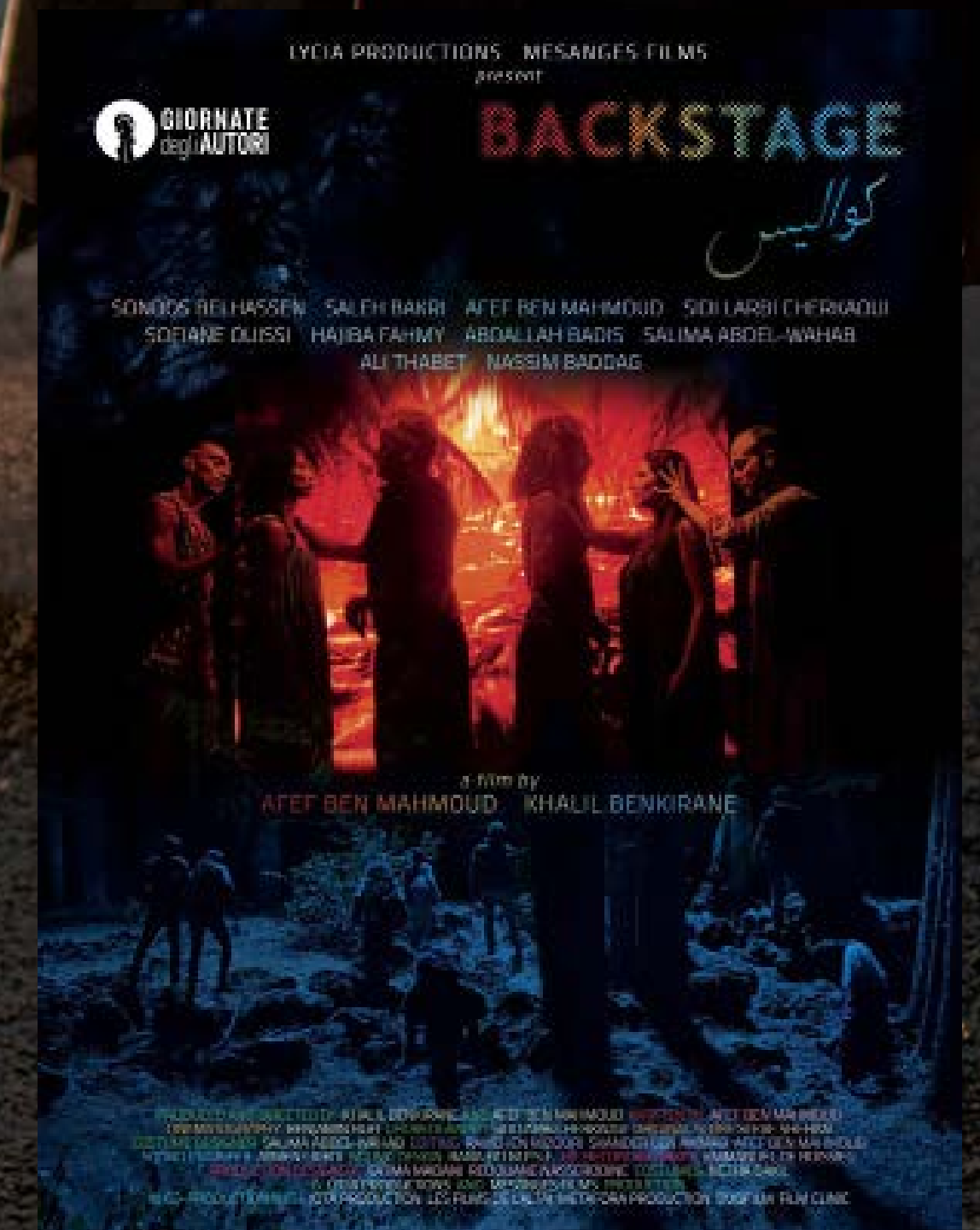
Aida, member of a Tunisian contemporary dance troupe touring Morocco, provokes during a representation, her life and stage partner Hedi, who injures her onstage triggering a series of events through a long night across a forest, on the way to the next village's doctor.

All Rights/MENA excluding  
Morocco & Tunisia



Red Sea International Film  
Festival

Giornate degli Autori, Venice  
Days





# HELIOPOLIS

Djaffar Gacem

Algeria | Historical Drama | 2021 | 116 ’ |  
Arabic, French

Cast  
Aziz Boukerouni, Mehdi Ramdani,  
Souhila Mallem, Alexis Rangheard

In a small village called Heliopolis, the daily life of an Algerian family takes its usual course. On the day the end of WWII was announced, demonstrations by the Algerian people against the French colonial power and for the country’s independence took place.

All Rights/MENA excluding Algeria



Cairo International Film  
Festival

Safar London Film Festival





# TV SOCIETY

Robert Cremona

Lebanon | Comedy | 2020 | 74' | Arabic

Cast

Fouad Yammine, Razane Jammal,  
Betty Taoutal

The airing of the Arabic version of an international dating TV show, that offers a panel of women the choice of a potential male suitor, sparks uproar and turns the show host into a public enemy.

Digital Rights/Worldwide



Cairo International Film  
Festival



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# COSTA BRAVA, LEBANON

Mounia Akl

Lebanon, France, Spain, Denmark,  
Norway, Sweden | Drama | 2021 | 106' |  
Arabic

Cast  
Nadine Labaki, Saleh Bakri,  
Nadia Charbel

When a couple decides to escape the  
toxic pollution and corruption of Beirut  
by seeking refuge in a utopic mountain  
home, they find it all again right outside  
their fence.

All Rights/MENA



Venice International Film Festival

Toronto International Film  
Festival - NETPAC Award

El Gouna Film Festival - FIPRESCI  
Award for Best First Work, El  
Gouna Green Star Award

BFI London Film Festival -  
Audience Award

Seville European Film Festival -  
Grand Jury Award





# FEATHERS

Omar El Zohairy

France, Egypt, The Netherlands, Greece |  
Drama | 2021 | 112' | Arabic

Cast  
Samy Bassiouny, Demyana Nassar,  
Mohamed Abdl Hady

When an abusive father turns into a  
chicken, his family slowly and painfully  
becomes free.

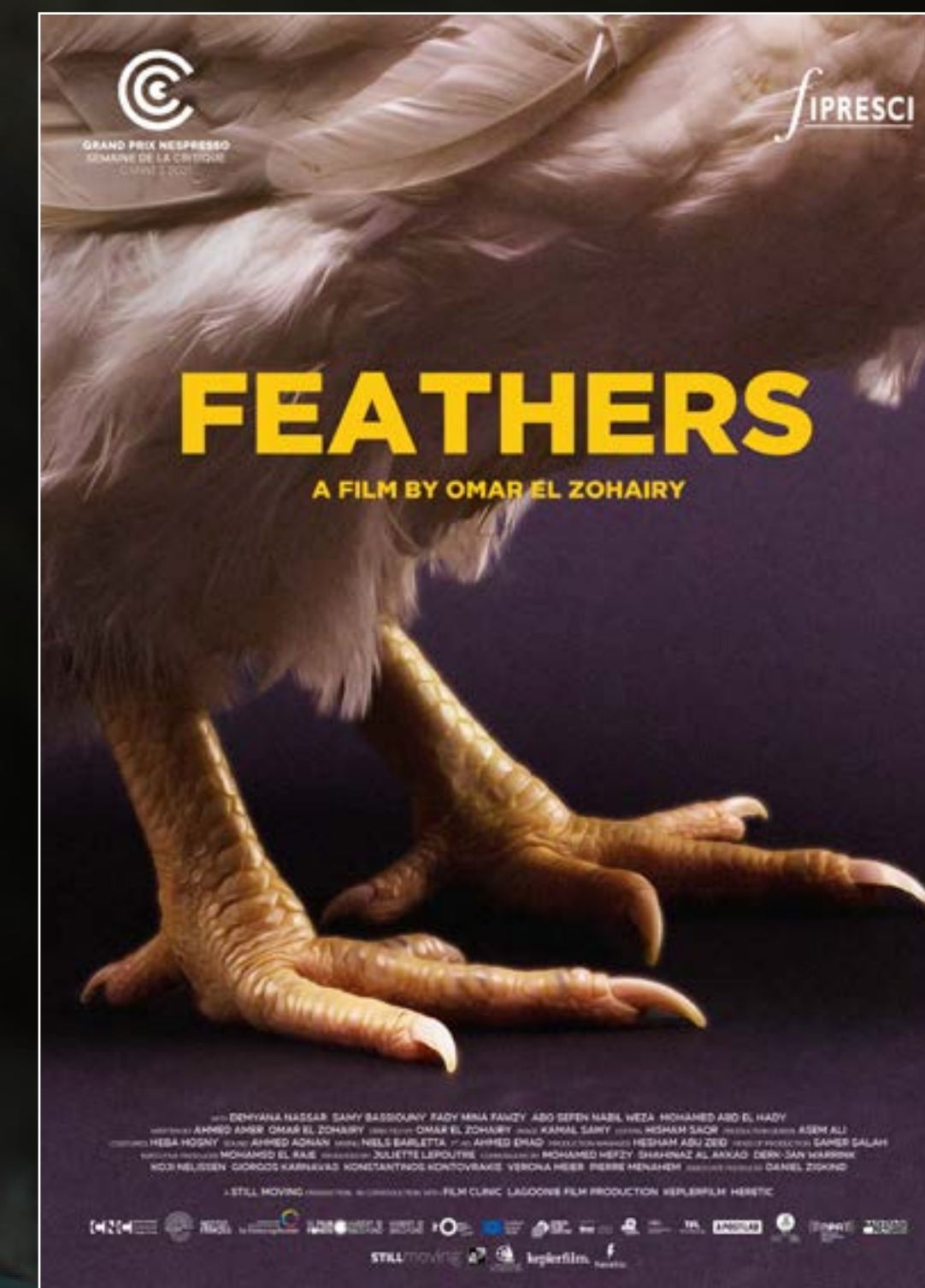
Theatrical & Non-Theatrical  
Rights/MENA



**Cannes Film Festival**  
Critics' Week - Grand Prize,  
FIPRESCI Award

**El Gouna Film Festival**  
- Best Arab Feature Film

**Carthage Film Festival (JCC)**  
- Golden Tanit for Feature Film,  
Tahar Cheriaa award for best  
debut film, Best Screenplay,  
Best Female Performance





# CAPTAINS OF ZAATARI

Ali El Arabi

Egypt, Qatar | Documentary | 2021 | 91'  
| Arabic

Cast  
Mahmoud Dagher, Ibrahim Elhefnawy,  
Fawzi Qatleesh

Two best friends trapped in the Za'atari Refugee Camp in Jordan have an undying dream of becoming professional football players. When a world renowned sports academy visits the camp, they now have a chance to make this dream come true.

Theatrical & Non-Theatrical  
Rights/MENA



Sundance Film Festival

Carthage Film Festival (JCC) -  
Special Mention

El Gouna Film Festival - Best  
Documentary Film Award

Ajyal Film Festival - Best Feature  
Film Award

Hot Springs Documentary  
Film Festival - International  
Documentary Feature Award





# THE AMBUSH

Pierre Morel

UAE, France | Action | 2021 | 109' |  
Arabic

Cast  
Marwan Abdulla Saleh,  
Khalifa Al Jassem, Mohammed Ahmed,  
Abdulla Saeed Bin Haider

When three Emirati soldiers are  
ambushed in a hostile territory, their  
commander leads a daring mission to  
rescue them.

Digital Rights/MENA





# SOUAD

Ayten Amin

Egypt, Tunisia, Germany | Drama | 2021 |  
96' | Arabic

Cast

Bassant Ahmed, Basmala Elghaiesh,  
Hussein Ghanem, Hager Mahmoud

The film follows two teenage sisters  
living in one of Egypt's Delta cities.  
While one of them lives a secret virtual  
life.

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Cannes Film Festival

Berlin International Film  
Festival (Panorama)

Tribeca Film Festival - Best  
Actress Award for the two  
female leads



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# 200 METERS

Ameen Nayfeh

Palestine, Jordan, Qatar, Italy, Sweden  
| Drama | 2020 | 96' | Arabi, Hebrew,  
German

Cast  
Ali Suliman, Moataz Malhees, Anna  
Unterberger, Lana Zreik, Gassan Abbas

A Palestinian father trapped on the  
other side of the separation wall is  
trying to reach the hospital for his son.

All Rights/MENA



Venice International Film  
Festival” (Venice Days) -  
Audience Award

El Gouna Film Festival -  
Best Actor Award, Audience  
Award, FIPRESCI Award

Thessaloniki Film Festival -  
Jury Award for Best Director





# The Man Who Sold His Skin

Kaouther Ben Hania

Tunisia, France, Belgium, Sweden,  
Germany, Qatar | Drama | 2020 | 100' |  
English, Arabic

Cast  
Yahya Mahayni, Dea Liane, Koen De  
Bouw, Monica Bellucci

A Syrian refugee in Lebanon allows his  
back to become a canvas for a famous  
tattoo artist. Soon, collectors become  
interested in this work of art.

Theatrical & Non-Theatrical  
Rights/MENA



Academy Award Nominee  
for International Feature  
Film

Venice International Film  
Festival - Edipo Re Award,  
Venice Horizons Award

Stockholm Film Festival -  
Best Screenplay Award

El Gouna Film Festival - Best  
Arab Film Award





# Noura's Dream

Hinde Boujemaa

Tunisia, Belgium, France, Qatar | Drama |  
2019 | 92' | Arabic

Cast  
Hind Sabri, Lotfi Abdelli

When her abusive husband gets an  
early jail release, a woman fights to  
salvage the fresh start she planned with  
her lover and three children.

All Rights/MENA



Toronto International Film  
Festival

Marrakech International Film  
Festival

Carthage Film Festival (JCC) -  
Best Actress Award

El Gouna Film Festival - Best  
Actress Award



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# You Will Die At Twenty

Amjad Abu Alala

Sudan, France, Norway, Egypt,  
Germany, Qatar| Drama | 2019 | 105'

Cast  
Mustafa Shehata, Islam Mubarak,  
Mahmoud El Saraj, Bunna Khalid

When a mystic predicts the untimely  
demise of a newborn when he reaches  
20 years of age, the child's family is  
shattered.

Theatrical & Non-Theatrical  
Rights/MENA



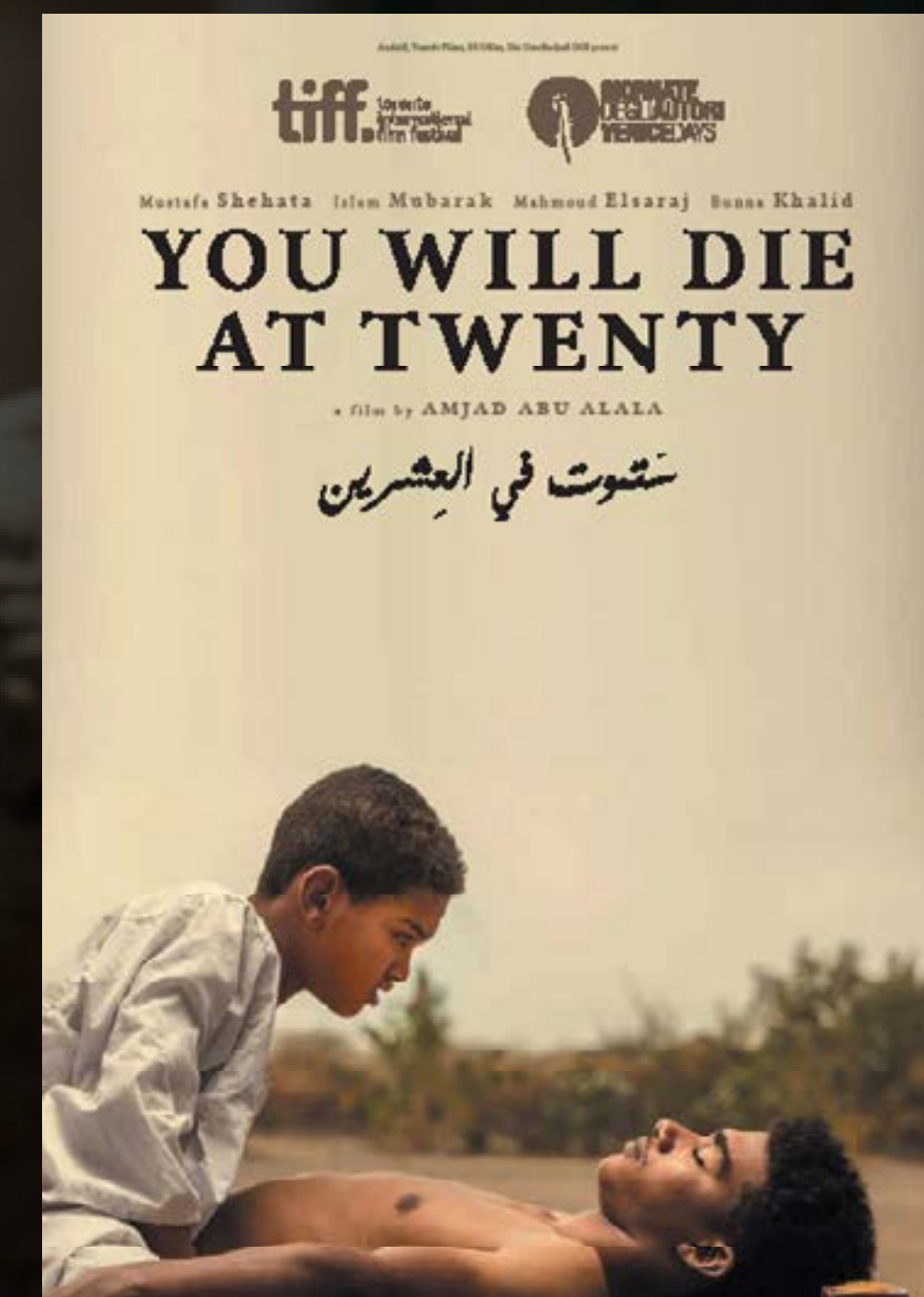
**Venice International Film Festival**  
Venice Days - Best Debut Film

**Toronto International Film Festival**

Sudan's first-ever official submission  
to the Academy Awards for  
International Feature Film Category

**Carthage Film Festival (JCC)** - Best  
Screenplay

**El Gouna Film Festival** - El Gouna  
Golden Star for Feature Film





# CERTIFIED MAIL

Hisham Saqr

Egypt | Drama | 2019 | 97' | Arabic

Cast

Basma, Passant Shawky, Mohamed Sarhan, Lobna Asal, Rafal Abdelkader

Since her husband went to jail, Hala has to face her suicidal thoughts alone as society does not help nor forgive a depressed woman, especially if she is a mother.

All Rights/Worldwide



Toronto International Film Festival

Montpellier International Festival of Mediterranean Film (CINEMED) - Best Original Music Award

Carthage Film Festival (JCC)





# SCALES

Shahad Ameen

UAE, Iraq, KSA | Drama | 2019 | 75' |  
Arabic

Cast  
Ashraf Barhoum, Yagoub AlFarhan,  
Fatima Al Taei

Set in a dystopian landscape, Scales is the story of a young girl who stands alone against her family and overturns the village tradition of sacrificing the female children.

Digital Rights/MENA



Venice Film Festival - Verona  
Film Club Award

Carthage Film Festival  
(JCC)- Bronze Tanit

Singapore International Film  
Festival - Best Film Award





# THE SCARECROWS

Nouri Bouzid

Tunisia, Morocco, Luxembourg | Drama |  
2019 | 96' | Arabic

Cast  
Nour Hajri, Joumene Liman, Afef Ben  
Mahmoud, Sondos Belhassen

In 2013, Zina and Djo return to Tunisia from the Syrian front where they were kidnapped and raped. Nadia, a lawyer, accompanies them in their long reconstruction and asks Driss, a young homosexual, to help Zina in the hope that their meeting will allow them to open their black boxes.

Digital Rights/MENA



Venice International Film  
Festival

Cairo International Film  
Festival



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# SAWAH

Adolf El Assal

Luxembourg, Egypt | Comedy |  
2019 | 86' | English, French, Arabic,  
Luxembourgish

Cast  
Karim Kassem, Eric Kabongo,  
Jean-Luc Couchard, Stéphane Bissot,  
Mourade Zeguendi

An Egyptian DJ gets the opportunity  
to travel to Brussels to play the gig  
of a lifetime only to find himself in  
Luxembourg, a country he had never  
heard of before.

All Rights/MENA



Florence Film Awards –  
Honorable Mention

Liff India Filmotsav - Renu  
Saluja Award for Best Editing





# YOMEDDINE

Abu Bakr Shawky

Egypt | Drama | 2018 | 97' | Arabic

Cast  
Rady Gamal, Ahmed Abdelhafiz,  
Shehab Ibrahim, Mohamed Abdel Azim

A Coptic leper and his orphaned apprentice leave the confines of the leper colony for the first time and embark on a journey across Egypt to search for what is left of their families.

Theatrical & Non-Theatrical  
Rights/ MENA



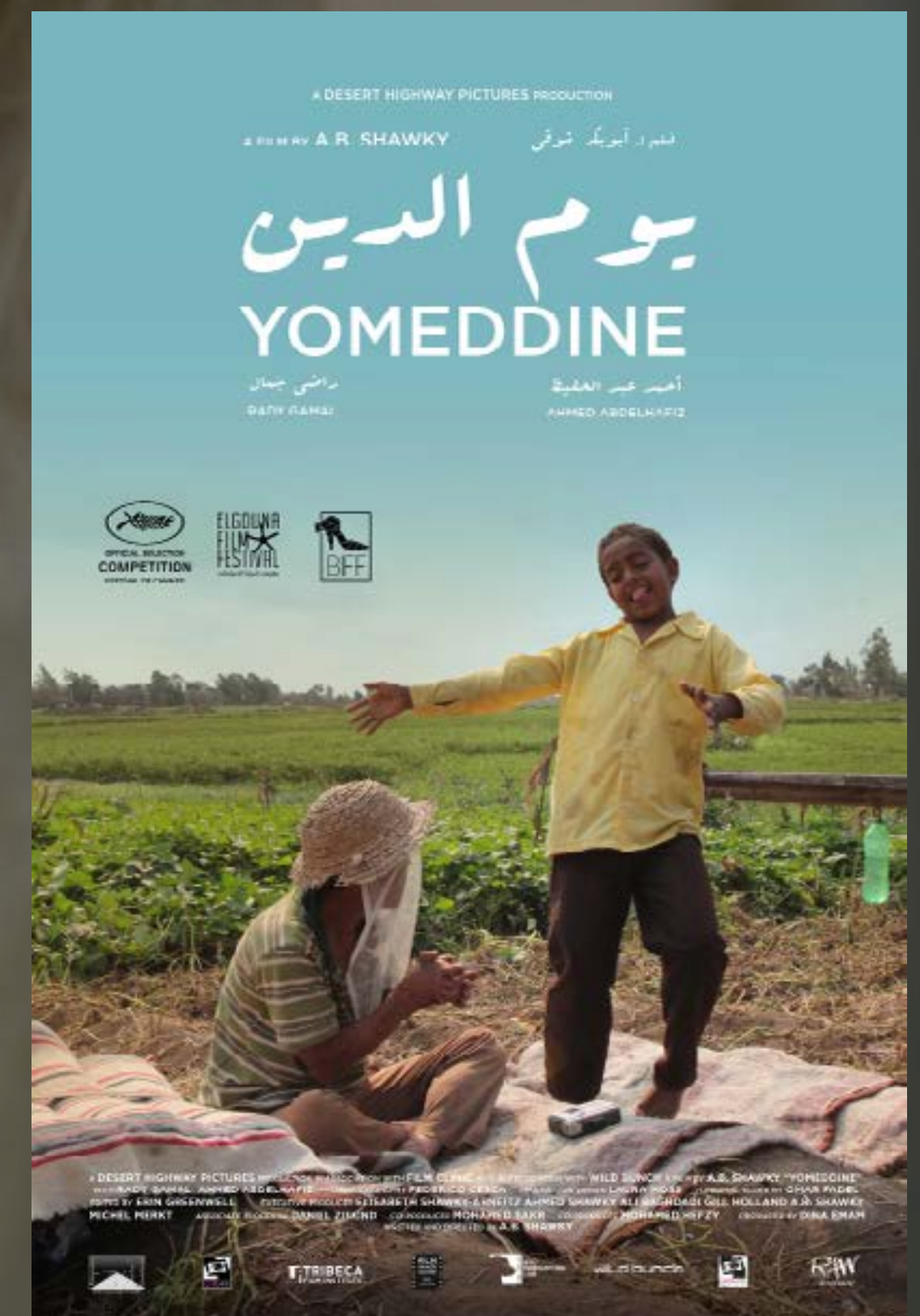
Cannes Film Festival - François  
Chalais Award

London BFI Film Festival

Seattle International Film  
Festival

Carthage International Film  
Festival - Tanit D'argent Award

El Gouna Film Festival - Best  
Arab Film Award





# POISONOUS ROSES

Ahmed Fawzi Saleh

Egypt, France | Drama | 2018 | 70' |  
Arabic

Cast  
Ibrahim El Naggary, Maryhan Magdi,  
Mohamed Berakaa, Mahmoud Hemida

A snapshot of poverty in current day  
Egypt; the story follows Taheya, whose  
worst nightmare is her little brother  
fleeing the country, and she does every  
trick in the book to stop him.

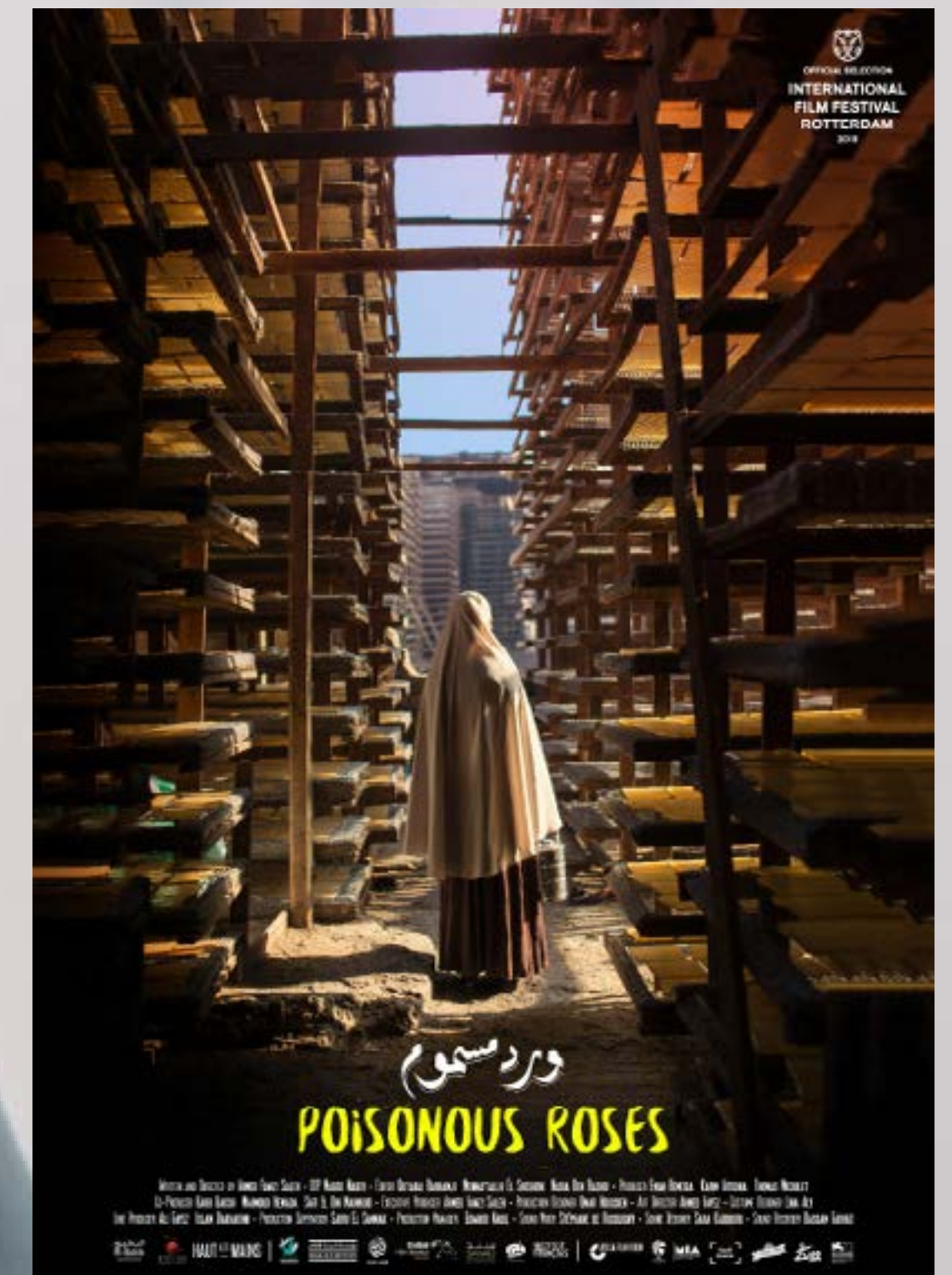
Non-Theatrical &  
Digital Rights/MENA



**Rotterdam International  
Film Festival**

**Cairo International Film  
Festival - Best Arab Film  
Award, Special Jury Award,  
UNFPA Award**

**WorldFest Houston  
International Film Festival -  
Platinum Remi Award**





# EXTERIOR/NIGHT

Ahmad Abdalla

Egypt | Drama | 2018 | 98' | Arabic

## Cast

Karim Kassem, Mona Hala, Ahmed Malek, Basma, Sherif Desouky, Amr Abed

Moe, Toto and Mustafa, three Egyptians from different walks of life, come across each other and spend a wild night in Cairo's underbelly.

Theatrical & Digital  
Rights/MENA



**Toronto International Film Festival**

**Malmö Arab Film Festival -**  
*Jury Award for Best Feature Film*

**Cairo International Film Festival - Best Actor Award**

