

68° Festival del film Locarno 5–15 | 8 | 2015

*** LOCARNO INDUSTRY ACADEMY PROGRAM ***

WELCOMING DAY - WEDNESDAY 5TH AUGUST 2015

AfternoonArrival of participants in Locarno & Check In at
Youth Hostel Palagiovani6:45pmWelcoming by the Industry Academy Team at the Hostel
& Festival main venues tour8:00pmFree evening9:30pmPiazza Grande Opening Night screening (optional)

DAY 1 - THURSDAY 6TH AUGUST 2015

Morning - INTRODUCTION & A COFFEE WITH ... Afternoon - MARKETING PLENARY SESSION & GROUP WORK INTRODUCTION

- 9:15-11:00am Greetings at Magistrale-SUPSI Introduction of participants & General Presentation of the Program by Marion Klotz
- 11:20-12:30pm SESSION 1 (Magistrale SUPSI room 124) A COFFEE WITH ... A Producer

What are the challenges for an Independent Producer today?

GUEST: Agustina Llambi Campell (Producer - La Union de Los Rios, Argentina)

12:30-1:30pm **Summer Academy Lunch** at MANOR (15min walk from the Magistrale-SUPSI)

2:00-5:00pm SESSION 2 - MARKETING GROUP WORK 1 Plenary Session & Introduction to the topic of the group work

TUTOR: Mathias Noschis (Marketing Strategist – Alphapanda, UK)

5:30-6:00pmGeneral Debrief7:00-8:30pmLocarno Summer Academies' Warm Up &
Welcoming Drink
With Carlo Chatrian, Nadia Dresti, Locarno Summer
Academy team & partners (Sopracenerina)8:30pmFree evening9:00pmPAULINA by Santiago Mitre
produced by Agustina Llambi Campbell
103', (L'ALTRA SALA)9:30pmPiazza Grande & other festival screenings

DAY 2 - FRIDAY 7TH AUGUST 2015

Morning - Workshop on ACQUISITIONS & SALES Afternoon - Open Talk on SALES & DISTRIBUTION of Indie Films

10:30-12:45pm SESSION 3 - (SUPSI, room 124) ACQUISITIONS & SALES

Is acquiring a film just a matter of taste?

GUEST: Nicholas Kaiser (Sales, Acquisition & Production - Memento Films International, France)

- 1:00-2:30pm **Summer Academy Lunch** with morning guest (Manor)
- 3:00-5:00pm SESSION 4 (SUPSI, room 124) SALES & DISTRIBUTION

Which future for Sales & Distribution of indie films?

GUESTS: Susan Wendt (Head of Sales – Trust Nordisk, Denmark), Ryan Werner (Head of Distribution & Sales – Cinetic Media, USA), Jaume Ripoll

(CEO & Founder – **Filmin**, Spain)

5:15-6:15pm SESSION 5 - (SUPSI, room 124) A COFFEE WITH ... A Film Institution

How to produce a major Cinema event?

GUEST: Lesli Klainberg (Executive Director - Film Society Lincoln Center, USA)

6:30-8:00pm OPEN DOORS Opening COCKTAIL (Casa Borgo)

BRIDGING THE DRAGON COCKTAIL (Sport Café)

- 8:00pm Free evening
- 11:30pm-late INDUSTRY PARTY (Lido de Ascona) (Bring your Badge!!!)

DAY 3 - SATURDAY 8TH AUGUST 2015

Morning - Plenary Session with PUENTES & OPEN DOORS Afternoon - Discovering Industry festival activities

10:30-12:30pm SESSION 6 – (SUPSI, Conference Room) Plenary Session: CLASSIC & ALTERNATIVE DISTRIBUTION with PUENTES workshop & OPEN DOORS participants

SPEAKER: Sarah Calderon (Marketing Strategist – **THE FILM AGENCY**, Spain**)**

- 12:30-2:30pm **OPEN DOORS LUNCH with PUENTES** at Casa Borgo
- 2:30-4:30pm (OPTIONAL SESSION) StepIn.CH Panel & Case Study (Hotel Belvedere)

The visibility of Swiss & European Cinema on VOD Platforms

MODERATOR: Emmanuel Cuénod (Tous Ecrans Film Festival,

Switzerland) GUEST: Jaume Ripoll (Filmin, Spain)

5:00-6:15pm SESSION 7 – (Magistrale SUPSIS, room 124) A COFFEE WITH ... Film Market Director

How to survive to a Film Market?

GUEST: Matthijs Wouter Knol – (Director of the **Berlinale EFM**, Germany)

- 6:30-8:00pm Industry & Open Doors Happy Hour (Sport Café)
- 8:45-10:30pm FILMMAKERS ACADEMY SCREENINGS 1 (RIALTO 3)
- 9:30pm MARKETING GROUP WORK SCREENING Concorso Cineasti del Presente: *El Movimiento* by Benjamin Naishtat, 67' (RIALTO 2)

DAY 4 – SUNDAY 9TH AUGUST 2015

"A LA CARTE" DAY – FESTIVAL ACTIVITIES: StepIn, First Look, A Coffee With & Group work Screenings

10:00-1:00pm	StepIn Workshop (Hotel Belvedere)
	(Please be there at 9:45 to check in)

OR

10:30 – 11:00am A COFFEE WITH ... an Exhibitor (SUPSI, room 124)

What is at stake today for Swiss Exhibitors?

GUEST: Xavier Pattaroni (Exhibitor – Cinemotion, Switzerland)

OR

10:00-12:30pm	FIRST LOOK & MATCH ME one-to-one meetings (Rialto)
1:00-2:30pm	StepIn Lunch (Hotel Belvedere) Summer Academy Lunch (Manor)

2:30-4:30pm	StepIn Conclusion & Wrap Up (Hotel Belvedere) (All Industry Academy participants are welcome)	
OR	(An industry Academy participants are welcome)	
2:30-6:00pm	FIRST LOOK screenings (Rialto 3)	
6:30-8:00pm	Industry & Open Doors Happy Hour (Sport Café)	
6:30pm	MARKETING GROUPWORK SCREENING – Concorso Internazionale: <i>Dark in the White Light</i> by Vimuthi Jayasundara, 82' (PALAVIDEO - about 20 minutes walk from the SUPSI !!!)	
9:30pm	MARKETING GROUPWORK SCREENING – Concorso Cineasti del presente: <i>The Waiting Room</i> by Igor Drijaca, 92' (RIALTO 2)	

DAY 5 - MONDAY 10TH AUGUST 2015

Morning – CASE STUDY ON EXHIBITION Afternoon – MARKETING GROUP WORK PREPARATION

11:00-12:30pm SESSION 8 - CASE STUDY on EXHIBITION

Digital Vs Theatrical – How to keep enjoying films on the big screen?

SPEAKER: Jon Barrenechea (Exhibitor - **Picturehouse Cinemas**, UK)

1:00-2:30pm	Summer Academy Lunch with morning guest (Manor)
2:30-6:15pm	Marketing group work preparation (SUPSI, room 124)
2:30-4:30pm	(OPTIONAL) FOCAL PANEL DISCUSSION – Women in the INDUSTRY: Spotlight on success Stories (Hotel Belvedere)
2:30-6:00pm	(OPTIONAL) FIRST LOOK Screenings (Rialto 3)
6:30-8:00pm	Industry & Open Doors Happy Hour (Sport Café)

8:00pm

DAY 6 – TUESDAY 11TH AUGUST 2015

Morning – MARKETING GROUP WORK PRESENTATION Afternoon – OPEN TALK WITH FESTIVAL PROGRAMMERS

10:00am-12:00pm SESSION 9 - MARKETING GROUP WORK PRESENTATION each group presents its marketing plan on a film of the festival.

JURY : Mathias Noschis, Nicholas Kaiser and Daniel Chabannes (Distributor – EPICENTRE FILMS, France)

12:30-2:30pm	Summer Academy Lunch with morning guests (Manor)
3:00 – 5:00pm	SESSION 10 - MEET THE FESTIVAL PROGRAMMERS with the Locarno Filmmakers Academy

What is the mission of a Festival?

GUESTS: John Nein (Head of Programming – SUNDANCE, USA), Anne Delseth (Programmer – Cannes Directors' Fortnight, Switzerland), Andrea Stavenhagen (Programmer and Industry Advisor – Morelia IFF, Mexico)

5:15-6:15pm	General Debrief & WRAP UP With Marion Klotz & Sophie Bourdon
7:00-8:15pm	FILMMAKERS ACADEMY SCREENINGS 2 (RIALTO 3)
8:45	LOCARNO SUMMER ACADEMY Photo Call on the Red Carpet (Piazza grande)
9:15-11:00pm	INDUSTRY ACADEMY Farewell Dinner (Ristorante Vallemaggia)



DAY 7 – WEDNESDAY 12TH AUGUST 2015 DEPARTURE OF PARTICIPANTS & FREE TIME IN LOCARNO

FOR THOSE WHO CAN STAY LONGER!

Program subject to change



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