May 4, 2015: ART CART: SAVING THE LEGACY FILM SELECTED FROM 5,400 FILMS FOR FILM FESTIVAL IN ALBANIA

DocuTIFF 2015
DOCUMENTARY TIRANA INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL

DocuTIFF is excited to invite filmmakers to submit to the 2015 festival, which will take place for the first year in Tirana, this coming May, 9–13, 2015 in the open air Amphitheatre of the University of Arts.

The need of this New Festival creation was born after large application number sent during the 12th edition of TIFF 2014. There were about 5,400 films in all categories. It was impossible to show all these qualitative films at TIFF and that is the reason why we thought to devide and create every year new competition for each category such as DocuTIFF, AnimaTIFF, ExpoTIFF, for documentary film, animated and experimental one.

We choose to begin with documentary film as need of favorable climate creation in Albania and wider in region for development and cooperation of such productions.

DocuTIFF aims to encouraging documentary film production in Albania and to give more chances to our filmmakers finding cooperation and enabling mutual contacts with their colleagues in our region.

This edition of DocuTIFF is organized by Tirana Film Institute, Adriapol and Albania Art Institute under the auspices of the Ministry of Culture of Albania and with the support of the Albanian National Center of Cinematography (QKK).

PROGRAM
Open to any filmmaker from around the world DocuTIFF showcases the very best in documentary cinema from around the world, special programs & screenings, workshops & master classes, retrospectives, homage & tributes, international guests together with Gala Awards and other special events.

DocuTIFF invites all documentaries from established and debut filmmakers alike to submit their films in those categories:

International Competition
In Albanian Competition
Regional Competition

Regional Competition Program is intended for the films produced or co-produced in the following countries: Austria, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Kosovo, Macedonia, Montenegro, Romania, Serbia and Slovenia.

REFLECTING ALBANIA is a special program dedicated to the foreign filmmakers who have produced their films in Albania or in Albanian speaking territory.

JURY
On the occasion of this first edition of DocuTIFF, two international juries will evaluate and then select the best documentaries with awards presented on the closing ceremony.

Other juries are Media Jury and In Albanian Jury

Awards will be presented in the following categories:
Best Feature
Best Middle Length
Best Short
Best Film in Albanian
Best Regional Film
Best First Film
Media Award
Audience Award
Internet Vote
Official awards consist of a statue and a diploma. The cash prize in DocuTIFF is determined by the available budget. Special awards can be given by organizers, Festival director, sponsors and partners, professional organizations, NGOs, media, etc.

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