

NOITE SEM DISTNCIA (NIGHT WITHOUT DISTANCE)



Spain, Portugal, 2015, DOC, FIC, HD, Colour, 23'

Stereo, 16:9

Director: Lois Patiño

Producer: Nuno Rodrigues, [Curtas Metragens C.R.L.](#)

Script: Lois Patiño

Editing: Lois Patiño

Photography: Lois Patiño

Sound: João Gigante, Jorge Alarcón, Miguel Calvo "Maiki"

Production Gil Ramos

Coordinator:

Original Language: Galician, Portuguese

Subtitles: English

Synopsis: An instant in the memory of landscape: the smuggling that for centuries crossed the line between Portugal and Galicia. The Gerês Mountains knows no borders, and rocks cross from one country to another with insolence. Smugglers also disobey this separation. The rocks, the river, the trees: silent witnesses, help them to hide. They just have to wait for the night to cross the distance that separates them.

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Lois Patiño

Filmmaker and video artist born in Vigo, Spain, in 1983, Lois Patiño has deepened the study of film and art at the New York Film Academy and the Universität der Künste in Berlin, before moving to Barcelona for a master's degree in documentary film at the University Pompeu Fabra. He has directed several short films, exhibited in renowned museums and international festivals. With his first feature *Costa da Morte*, Lois won the Leopard at Locarno for the best emerging director.

Filmography:

- 2015 [NOITE SEM DISTNCIA](#)
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- 2015 **ESTRATOS DE LA IMAGEN**
- 2013 **LA IMAGEN ARDE**
- 2013 **COSTA DA MORTE**
- 2012 **MONTAÑA EN SOMBRA**
- 2011 **EN LE MOVIMIENTO DEL PAISAJE**
- 2011 **NA VIBRAÇÃO**
- 2010 **DURACIÓN**
- 2010 **DISTANCIA**

Festival Selections

- 2026 Vendaval - Mostra de Cinema Português da Ribeira Sacra, Spain
- 2025 Tramway Film Festival , Poland
- 2025 Vendaval - Mostra de Cinema Português da Ribeira Sacra, Spain
- 2021 Filmes para a União, Portugal
- 2020 Short Films For Long Days, Portugal
- 2019 Ciclo de cinema galego no FIDBA, Argentina
- 2019 Open Colour, United Kingdom
- 2019 Agência 20 anos - Festival de Santa Maria da Feira, Portugal

2018 Imagens do Real Imaginado, Portugal
2017 Kassel Documentary Film and Video Festival, Germany
2017 Bilbao Arte, Spain
2017 Festival Silêncio, Portugal
2017 FUSO Anual de Video Arte Internacional de Lisboa, Portugal
2017 CGAI - Filmoteca de Galicia, Spain
2017 Portland International Film Festival, USA
2017 Mostra - University of Chicago, USA
2016 Kassel Documentary Film and Video Festival, Germany
2016 Plug In - Institute of Contemporary Art, Canada
2016 Dokufest International Documentary and Short Film Festival, Kosovo
2016 LIMA International Independent Film Festival, Peru
2016 Palm Springs International ShortFest, USA
2016 Filmadrid - International Film Festival, Spain
2016 Vienna Independent Shorts - International Short Film Festival, Austria
2016 Taiwan International Documentary Festival, Taiwan
2016 Macao International Documentary Film Festival, Macau
2016 San Francisco International Film Festival, USA
2016 Cinemateca - PROJETO CAMPUS, Portugal
2016 Hong Kong International Film Festival, Hong Kong
2016 Short Waves Festival, Poland
2016 Las Palmas de Gran Canaria international Film Festival, Spain
2016 Curtas em Oviedo, Spain
2016 Cartagena - Festival Internacional de Cine de Cartagena de Indias, Colombia
2016 FICUNAM International Film Festival, Mexico
2016 Dhaka Art Summit, Bangladesh
2015 Porto Post Doc: Film & Media Festival, Portugal
2015 Human Rights Film Festival Zagreb, Croatia
2015 Mar del Plata International Film Festival, Argentina
2015 Valdivia International Film Festival, Chile
2015 Curtocircuito Santiago de Compostela - Short Film Festival, Spain
2015 New York Film Festival - Projections, USA
2015 Vancouver International Film Festival, Canada
2015 Toronto International Film Festival, Canada
2015 Locarno International Film Festival, Switzerland
2015 Curtas Vila do Conde International Film Festival, Portugal