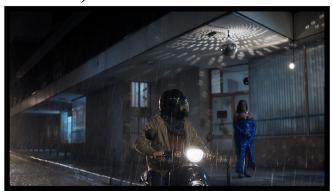


LUZ DE PRESENÇA (A PRESENT LIGHT)



Portugal, 2021, FIC, Blu-Ray Disc (BD), DCP, Colour, 19' 5.1, 16:9

Director: Diogo Costa Amarante

Producer: Diogo Costa Amarante, O VERDE DO JARDIM

Script: Diogo Costa Amarante

Photography: Jorge Quintela Sound: Luís Silveira

Music: Vivaldi by Philippe Jaroussky

Main Actors: Diana Neves Silva, João Castro, Gustavo Sumpta, Luís Miguel Cintra

Original Language: Portuguese

Subtitles: Spanish, English

Synopsis: On a rainy night, a sad man leaves his home to deliver a letter to someone who

recently left him. At a corner, he meets a woman who warns him about the slippery road. This is how I met Diana. Suffering from a heartbreak, Gonçalo falls from his

motorbike.

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Diogo Costa Amarante

Diogo Costa Amarante was born in Portugal where he graduated in Law. In 2007, he was awarded the Ibermedia - best talent grant to study Documentary filmmaking and Cinematography at the Catalonia Film and Audiovisual School, Barcelona University. His first film "Jumate/Jumate" was selected in several film festivals and was awarded, among other prizes, best spanish documentary in the International Documentary Film Festival of Madrid, Spain. In 2009, Diogo participated in the Berlinale Talent Campus and directed his second documentary film "In January, perhaps" which also won the jury prize at the International Documentary Film Festival of Madrid. "The White Roses", his first fiction short film, premiered at the 64th Berlin International Film Festival in the Official Shorts Competition and was awarded with the European Grand Prix in the Brest European Short Film Festival. In 2016, Diogo finished his Master of Fine Arts at the New York University / Tisch School of the Arts with his film "Small town" which had its International Premiere at the 67th Berlin International Film Festival and won the Golden Bear for best International Short Film.

Filmography:

2021 <u>LUZ DE PRESENÇA</u>

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2019 O VERDE DO JARDIM

Portugal, 2019, FIC, DCP, Colour, 17'

2016 CIDADE PEQUENA

Portugal, 2016, DOC, EXP, FIC, DCP, Colour, 19'

2007 JUMATE

2009 IN JANUARY, PERHAPS

2011 **DOWN HERE**

2014 THE WHITE ROSES

<u>Festival Selections</u>

2024 International Short Film Festival Winterthur, Switzerland

2024 Batalha Centro de Cinema - Setembro, Portugal

2023 Rio LGBTQIA+ International Film Festival, Brazil

2023 Stuttgarter Filmwinter - Festival for Expanded Media, Germany

- 2022 Festival 3in1 Film Fest, Portugal
- 2022 Frames Portuguese Film Festival, Sweden
- 2022 Dingle Distillery International Film Festival, Ireland
- 2022 Exground filmfest, Germany
- 2022 Entre Olhares Mostra de Cinema Português, Portugal
- 2022 French Cinematheque "Séance Portugal", France
- 2022 VISTACURTA Festival de Curtas de Viseu, Portugal
- 2022 Arquiteturas Film Festival, Portugal
- 2022 Vilnius queer festival "kreives", Lithuania
- 2022 Bucharest Short Film Festival, Romania
- 2022 Festival Internacional de Curtas de Verin, Spain
- 2022 Nevada City Film Festival, USA
- 2022 Festival Ibérico de Cinema de Badajoz, Spain
- 2022 Festival LGBTIAQ+_ Consulado Portugal em SP, Brazil
- 2022 Leiria Film Fest, Portugal
- 2022 Nimas Programa Março, Portugal
- 2022 Glasgow Short Film Festival, United Kingdom
- 2022 ShortCutz Ovar Março, Portugal
- 2021 ODMC Sessão Especial Trindade, Portugal
- 2021 Passaggi d'Autore Mediterranean Short Film Festival, Italy
- 2021 FICA Aguilar del Campo, Spain
- 2021 Calcutta International LGBTQIA Film & Video Festival, India
- 2021 Festival du film LGBT de Paris "Chéries Chéris", France
- 2021 Mix Brasil Festival Culture of Diversity, Brazil
- 2021 Caminhos do Cinema Português, Portugal
- 2021 Festival du Nouveau Cinéma de Montréal, Canada
- 2021 Iris Prize LGBT+, United Kingdom
- 2021 International Film Festival in Guadalajara, Mexico
- 2021 Valladolid International Film Festival, Spain
- 2021 Queer Lisboa, Portugal
- 2021 Dokufest International Documentary and Short Film Festival, Kosovo
- 2021 Curtas Vila do Conde International Film Festival, Portugal
- 2021 Burgas International Film Festival, Bulgaria
- 2021 Tabor Film Festival, Croatia
- 2021 Lovers Film Festival, Italy
- 2021 Psarokokalo Athens International Short Film Festival, Greece
- 2021 Hamburg International Short Film Festival, Germany
- 2021 Sicilia Queer International LGBT & New Visions Filmfest, Italy
- 2021 Berlinale Berlin International Film Festival, Germany

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