

## CAIXA NEGRA (BLACK BOX)



Portugal, 2000, ANI, Betacam SP, Colour, 13'

Stereo, 4:3

Director: Nuno Amorim

Producer: [Animais AVPL](#)

Script: Nuno Amorim

Editing: Carlota Frieg, Nuno Amorim

Sound: Paulo Curado

Music: Carlos Zíngaro, Paulo Curado, Paulo Amorim, Christien Schonberg, Luis Pedro Fonseca

Animation: Jeff Martinot, Armando Coelho, Carlos Silva, Nuno Beato

Animation Computer animation 2D

Technique:

Original Language: Portuguese

Subtitles: English

Synopsis: Black Box is a trip from darkness to light, from silence to sound, from solitude to friendship. Ana is 6 years old and spends most of her time locked in the basement with her toys and a strange box that hypnotises her with fabulous images and sounds. One day Ana breaks that spell and discovers a friend to play with, beyond the box.



## Nuno Amorim

Born in April, 1952. With his background in architecture, worked as an art director in FCB and Publicis Advertising Agencies, moving afterwards to RTP, Portuguese public television, where he began as a graphic designer, then as director and was afterwards head of the graphic department. There, he wrote and directed several short animation films, documentaries and cultural series, being also responsible for a large part of the motion graphics produced by RTP from 1985 to 1998.

Started Animais AVPL production company in 1991, where he is currently director and producer.

### Filmography:

- 2014 [O CANTO DOS 4 CAMINHOS](#)  
Portugal, 2014, ANI, HD, Colour, 11'55"
- 2010 [A ÚNICA VEZ](#)  
Portugal, 2010, ANI, HD, Colour, 5'40"
- 2008 [TODOS OS PASSOS](#)  
Portugal, 2008, ANI, Betacam SP, Colour, 6'
- 2007 [TRABALHO DO CORPO](#)  
Portugal, 2007, ANI, Betacam SP, Colour, 7'
- 2007 [A NOIVA DO GIGANTE](#)  
Portugal, 2007, ANI, Betacam SP, Colour, 7'
- 2000 [CAIXA NEGRA](#)  
Portugal, 2000, ANI, Betacam SP, Colour, 13'
- 2004 **BOM DIA BENJAMIM!**  
ANI, Betacam, Cor, 108x30" (flash animation)

## Festival Selections

- 2015 Mostra Cinanima - Nuno Amorim, Portugal
- 2002 Animadrid, Spain
- 2002 Macaquins - Programa ACM/Filmógrafo, Portugal
- 2002 Iranian Young Cinema Society, Iran (Islamic Republic of)
- 2002 Aarhus Film Festival, Denmark
- 2002 Encontros Internacionais de Cinema de Cabo Verde, Cape Verde
- 2002 Curtas Metragens Portuguesas Forum Lisboa, Portugal

2002 CURTA-SE Festival Brasileiro de Curtas Metragens de Aracaju, Brazil  
2002 Teatr'UBI, Portugal

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