

## SETEMBRO (SEPTEMBER)



Portugal, Bulgaria, 2016, FIC, DCP, Colour, 33'  
Stereo, 16:9

Director: Leonor Noivo

Producer: Vanya Rainova, PORTOKAL

Producer: Pedro Pinho, Luísa Homem, Tiago Hespanha, João Matos, Susana Nobre, Leonor Noivo, [TERRATREME FILMES](#)

Script: Leonor Noivo

Editing: Victoria Radoslavova, Luísa Homem, Francisco Moreira

Photography: Vasco Viana

Sound: Ricardo Leal

Main Actors: Francisca Alarcão, Marta Mateus, Pedro Completo, João Ferro Martins

Original Language: Portuguese

Subtitles: Spanish, English

Synopsis: Nights and days roll in like a braking train. Mother and son return to their country, their city, their past, after years spent abroad. They take diverging paths to reclaim what has been lost; the son in search of an absent father, the mother seeking the possibility of love. From this confrontation a new gesture is born — the beginning of a metamorphosis, a reencounter in a time and space that is theirs only.

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## Leonor Noivo

Leonor Noivo studied Architecture and Photography before joining Lisbon's Film School, where she specialized on Editing and Directing in 2004. She attended the Ateliers Varan Documentary Filmmaking course in 2006 at the Gulbenkian Foundation in Lisbon. Since then she works as script-supervisor, scriptwriter and assistant director in documentaries and fiction films and collaborated with several directors (such as João Pedro Rodrigues, João Salaviza, João Nicolau, Marília Rocha, Pedro Pinho, Tiago Hespanha, João Vladimiro, João Botelho, Carlos Conceição, Inês Oliveira, Filipa Reis and João Miller, among others). She collaborated with several creators in the performance area, creating contents and video installations, as well as Film-Project workshops in ArCo's, ESMAD's and ESAD's Cinema Courses. She is co-founder of the production company TERRATREME Filmes, a platform of filmmakers created in 2008, where she has developed, alongside her films, the work as a producer in coordination and monitoring of fiction and documentary projects

### Filmography:

- 2021 [MADRUGADA](#)  
Portugal, 2021, DOC, FIC, DCP, Colour, 28'
- 2017 [TUDO O QUE IMAGINO](#)  
Portugal, 2017, DOC, FIC, Blu-Ray Disc (BD), DCP, HD, Colour, 30'
- 2016 [SETEMBRO](#)  
Portugal, Bulgaria, 2016, FIC, DCP, Colour, 33'
- 2005 [SALITRE](#)  
Portugal, 2005, FIC, 35mm, Colour, 12'30"
- 1998 **LUCIDEZ DE LÚCIA**  
FIC, 16mm, Colour, 6'
- 2000 **O QUE RESTA**  
FIC, Betacam, Colour, 13'
- 2001 **MACAU APARTE**  
DOC, 35mm, Colour, 35'
- 2002 **ESQUARTEJAMENTO**  
FIC, Betacam, Colour, 50'
- 2004 **INSIDE OUT**  
DOC, Betacam, Colour, 14'

- 2005 **EXCURSÃO**  
DOC, Betacam, Colour, 25'
- 2005 **MOULD**  
Fic, 13'
- 2006 **ASSEMBLEIA**  
DOC, Betacam, Colour, 27'
- 2006 **ENTRE NÓS**  
FIC
- 2006 **AIRPORT**  
Video-Instalation, 3'
- 2009 **LATTER DAY SAINTS**  
Doc, 52'
- 2009 **ESCOLA BÁSICA 26**  
Doc, 50'
- 2012 **THE CITY AND THE SUN**  
Fic,18'
- 2012 **OTHER LETTERS OR THE INVENTED LOVE**  
Doc, 56'

### Festival Selections

- 2026 VAIVEM - Semana de Cine Português, Colombia
- 2026 VAIVEM - Semana de Cine Português, Ecuador
- 2023 15 anos TERRATREME - Casa Comum, Portugal
- 2023 Batalha Centro de Cinema - Novembro, Portugal
- 2022 SACO - Semana del Audiovisual Contemporáneo de Oviedo, Spain
- 2021 Sixteen Journal, France
- 2021 VAIVEM - Argentina - FOCO TERRATREME, Argentina
- 2019 Olhares do Mediterrâneo - Vigo, Portugal
- 2019 Mostra de Cinema Português, Portugal
- 2019 Budapest Short Film Festival , Hungary
- 2019 Porto Femme - Festival Internacional de Cinema, Portugal
- 2018 Brixton Reel Film Festival, United Kingdom
- 2018 Festival de Cine La Orquídea , Ecuador
- 2018 Cineclube Montemor-o-Novo, Portugal
- 2018 Shortcutz Vila Real - Junho, Portugal
- 2018 Frames Portuguese Film Festival, Sweden
- 2017 Curt'Arruda - Festival de Cinema de Arruda dos Vinhos, Portugal
- 2017 Olhares do Mediterrâneo - Cinema no Feminino, Portugal
- 2017 Festival BEAST, Portugal
- 2017 Jagran Film Festival, India
- 2017 LIMA Independiente Festival Internacional de Cine, Peru
- 2017 Internacional Film Festival Rotterdam, Netherlands
- 2016 Festival de Cinema Português em São Petersburgo, Russia
- 2016 Festival de Cinema Português em Moscovo, Russia
- 2016 In The Palace International Short Film Festival, Bulgaria
- 2016 Caminhos do Cinema Português, Portugal
- 2016 International Festival of Documentary and Short Films of Bilbao, Spain
- 2016 Cairo International Film Festival, Egypt
- 2016 Fronteira - International Documentary & Experimental Film Festival, Brazil
- 2016 Locarno International Film Festival, Switzerland
- 2016 Extensão Curtas Vila do Conde - Cinemateca Portuguesa, Portugal
- 2016 Curtas Vila do Conde International Film Festival, Portugal

