

## NOITE PERPÉTUA (PERPETUAL NIGHT)



Portugal, France, 2020, FIC, DCP, Colour, 17'

5.1, 4:3

Director: Pedro Peralta

Producer: Janja Kral, [KINOELEKTRON](#)

Producer: João Matos, [TERRATREME FILMES](#)

Script: Pedro Peralta

Editing: Francisco Moreira

Photography: João Ribeiro

Sound: Hugo Leitão

Sound: Ricardo Leal

Main Actors: Paz Couso, Matilde Couso de Arcos, Domicilia Nunes, Sara Piris

Original Language: Spanish

Subtitles: French, English, Portuguese

Synopsis: Castuera, Spain, April 1939. During the night two Falangist Guards appear at the door of the house where Paz is taking refuge with her family. They request her presence at the police station. Paz immediately understands the fatality of this visit. Unjustly condemned, without a possibility to escape, she asks to breastfeed, for one last time, her newborn daughter.

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## Pedro Peralta

Pedro Peralta was born in Lisbon, where he lives and works. In 2012, he directed the short film MUPEPY MUNATIM (2012), selected and distinguished in several national and international festivals. In 2016 directed the short film ASCENSION, internationally premiered at the Critics' Week of the Cannes Film Festival and selected in more than seventy festivals. Since 2013 he has worked at the film production company Terratrema Filmes, where he coordinates the distribution. He is currently working on the development of his first feature film entitled KA.

### Filmography:

- 2020 [NOITE PERPÉTUA](#)  
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- 2016 **ASCENSÃO**  
Drama, HDV, Cor, 18'
- 2012 **MUPEPY MUNATIM**  
Drama, HDV, Cor, 18'

## Festival Selections

- 2025 Festival de Cinema em Cerveira, Portugal
- 2022 Shortcutz Guimarães - Dezembro, Portugal
- 2022 La.Meko short film festival, Germany
- 2022 Curt'Arruda - Festival de Cinema de Arruda dos Vinhos, Portugal
- 2022 Imagens no Tejo - 3a Mostra de Cinema Português, Portugal
- 2022 ShortCutz Ovar - Julho, Portugal
- 2022 Shortcutz Guimarães - Junho, Portugal
- 2022 Como se viu e como se vê - (A)mostra de cinema português, Portugal
- 2022 Festival Court en Scène, France
- 2022 Dhaka International Film Festival, Bangladesh

## Portugal

- 2021 Festival International de Cinema de Lisboa - Alameda da Real Academia de Ciências das Artes e das Letras, Portugal
- 2021 Frames Portuguese Film Festival, Sweden
- 2021 YMOTION - Concurso e Mostra de Cinema Jovem de Famalicão, Portugal
- 2021 Espirito Mundo Asbl - Cine Luso, France
- 2021 Family Film Project, Portugal
- 2021 Porto Femme - Festival Internacional de Cinema, Portugal
- 2021 Lima alterna international film festival, Peru
- 2021 ShortCutz Ovar - Setembro, Portugal
- 2021 FICBUEU - Festival Internacional de Cortometrajes de Bueu, Spain
- 2021 Festival Primavera do Cine, Spain
- 2021 Minikino Film Week, Indonesia
- 2021 Portobello Film Festival, United Kingdom
- 2021 International Cine a la calle Short Film Festival, Colombia
- 2021 Festival Internazionale Invento un Film, Italy
- 2021 DRIM Short Film Festival, Republic of Macedonia
- 2021 Shortcutz Leiria - Julho, Portugal
- 2021 Maremetraggio - International Short Film and Debut Works Festival, Trieste, Italy
- 2021 Not So Happy Film Festival, Sweden
- 2021 Triste Para Sempre , Portugal
- 2021 Huesca International Film Festival, Spain
- 2021 Shanghai International Film Festival , China
- 2021 Mostra Entre Olhares, Portugal
- 2021 Festival de Cine y Televisión Reino de León, Spain
- 2021 VAIVEM - Argentina - FOCO TERRATREME, Argentina
- 2021 Leiria Film Fest, Portugal
- 2020 International Short Film Festival Leuven, Belgium
- 2020 Festival 3in1 Film Fest, Portugal
- 2020 Caminhos do Cinema Português, Portugal
- 2020 Porto/Post/Doc: Film & Media Festival, Portugal
- 2020 Cairo International Film Festival, Egypt
- 2020 Festival de Cine Inédito de Mérida, Spain
- 2020 Cámara Lúcida - Encuentros Cinematográficos no Ecuador, Ecuador
- 2020 Amiens International Film Festival, France
- 2020 Baku International Short Film Festival, Azerbaijan
- 2020 Entre Olhares - Mostra de Cinema Português, Portugal
- 2020 Slow Short Film Festival, United Kingdom
- 2020 VISTACURTA - Festival de Curtas de Viseu, Portugal
- 2020 International Bosphorus Film Festival, Turkey
- 2020 Flanders Internacional Film Festival Ghent, Belgium
- 2020 International Short Film Festival of Cyprus, Cyprus
- 2020 International Independent Film Festival of La Plata, Argentina
- 2020 Curt'Arruda - Festival de Cinema de Arruda dos Vinhos, Portugal
- 2020 Kaohsiung Film Festival, Taiwan
- 2020 Curtas Vila do Conde International Film Festival, Portugal
- 2020 Dili International Film Festival, India
- 2020 Festival Internacional De Cine De Donostia-San Sebastián, Spain
- 2020 Lima alterna international film festival, Peru
- 2020 BIAFF - Batumi International Art-House Film Festival, Georgia
- 2020 Kino Otok Izola Cinema International Film Festival, Slovenia
- 2020 Concorso Film Festival, Italy
- 2020 Dokufest International Documentary and Short Film Festival, Kosovo
- 2020 Go Short International Short Film Festival Nijmegen, Netherlands
- 2020 International Film Festival of Uruguay, Uruguay

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