URSULA



Portugal, 2020, FIC, HD, Colour, 6'05"

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Director:	Eduardo Brito
Producer:	Rodrigo Areias, BANDO À PARTE
Script:	Eduardo Brito
Photography:	Eduardo Brito
Sound:	Pedro Marinho
Music:	Athena Corcoran-Tadd
Voz Off:	Ricardo Vaz Trindade
Main Actors:	Ellen Jeffrey
Original Language:	Portuguese
Subtitles:	English
Synopsis:	Between the northernmost city in the world, on a long polar night, and a foggy summer morning in the south, a dream, with all of its doubts, takes place.

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Eduardo Brito

Eduardo Brito wrote and directed the feature film A Sibila, based on the novel by Agustina Bessa-Luís, as well as the short films Penúmbria (2016), Declive (2018), Ursula (2020), La Ermita and Lethes (2021). As a screenwriter, he has written feature films for Rodrigo Areias (The Worst Man in London, Blue Breath and The Stone Awaits to Blossom) and short films for Manuel Mozos, Luís Costa and Paulo Abreu, among others.

Across photography, writing and cinema, Eduardo's works explore the relationship between truth, fiction and memory, as well as the intersections between text and image. His work in this field includes the books As Orcadianas (2014), East Ending (2017), El Recinto Circular (by Laura San Segundo, 2024) and Procura Nada (2025).

Eduardo holds a Master's degree in Artistic Studies from the Faculty of Fine Arts of the University of Porto, with a dissertation entitled "Claro-obscuro — On the Representations of the Museum in Cinema". He specialised in screenwriting at the Escuela Internacional de Cine y TV in Cuba. He is currently an Assistant Professor at FBAUP, where he is also pursuing a PhD in Fine Arts with a research project that brings together cinema, literature and photography.

Filmography:

2021 LA ERMITA
Portugal, 2021, FIC, DCP, Colour, 4'09"

2021 LETHES
Portugal, 2021, FIC, , Colour, 16'19"

2020 URSULA
Portugal, 2020, FIC, HD, Colour, 6'05"

2018 DECLIVE
Portugal, 2018, FIC, DCP, Colour, 7'04"

2016 PENÚMBRIA
Portugal, 2016, FIC, DCP, Colour, 8'36"

Festival Selections

2024 Cineclube de Pombal - Novembro, Portugal
2023 TGOE no Batalha, Portugal
2022 Mostra de Pequenas Curtas - Galeria de arte Térmita, Portugal
2022 Curt'Arruda - Festival de Cinema de Arruda dos Vinhos, Portugal
2022 Lago Film Fest , Italy
2022 Maison du Portugal na Cité Universitaire - Eduardo Brito, France
2022 Regensburg Short Film Week, Germany
2022 Nimas - Programa Fevereiro, Portugal
2021 Portuguese Cinema Days in Berlin, Germany
2021 Short/age - Shortfilms For a New Age - Novembro, Portugal
2021 VISTACURTA - Festival de Curtas de Viseu, Portugal
2021 BIDEODROMO International Experimental Film and Video Festival, Spain
2021 Weimar Poetry Film Award, Germany
2021 Flatland Film Festival, USA
2021 Jahorina Film Festival , Bosnia and Herzegovina
2021 LIFE AFTER OIL International Film Festival, Italy
2021 Filmfestival Münster, Germany

2021 Venice Architecture Film Festival, Italy
2021 São Paulo International Short Film Festival, Brazil
2021 La Guarimba Film Festival, Italy
2021 Ischia Global Film Festival, Italy
2021 Social World Film Festival, Italy
2021 Kyiv Film Festival (Ukraine), Ukraine
2021 The Norwegian Short Film Festival Grimstad, Norway
2021 Philosophical Film Festival, Republic of Macedonia
2021 Flatpack Film Festival, United Kingdom
2021 Shortcutz Guimarães - Abril, Portugal
2021 Leiria Film Fest, Portugal
2021 Prague Short Film Festival, Czech Republic
2020 Caminhos do Cinema Português, Portugal
2020 ShortCutz Ovar - Outubro, Portugal
2020 CineEco - Festival Internacional de Cinema Ecológico da Serra da Estrela, Portugal
2020 International Short Film Festival of Cyprus, Cyprus
2020 Curtas Vila do Conde International Film Festival, Portugal

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