

# STRATA INCOGNITA



Spain, Portugal, 2023, DOC, EXP, DCP, Colour, 16' Stereo, 1:1.85

Director: Romea Muryn, Francisco Lobo, Amaia Sánchez-Velasco, Jorge Valiente Oriol

Producer: Francisco Lobo, Romea Muryn, LOCUMENT

Producer: Amaia Sánchez-Velasco, Jorge Valiente Oriol, GRANDEZA STUDIO

Script: GRANDEZA STUDIO, LOCUMENT
Editing: GRANDEZA STUDIO, LOCUMENT
Photography: GRANDEZA STUDIO, LOCUMENT

Sound: Pulsar Sound Studios

Music: Alex Lázaro

Voz Off: Pablo Ibáñez Durán, Tere Vilas

Original Language: Spanish

Subtitles: French, English, Portuguese

Synopsis: Soil is our closest alien world. STRATA INCOGNITA, is a trans-scalar and transtemporal journey across the geographies that articulate soil as an agro-industrial infrastructure, but also as an ecosystem and a somatic archive of crimes, memories and myths.

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## **Festival Selections**

- 2025 Braga Science Film Fest, Portugal
- 2025 Science New Wave, USA
- 2025 Another Way Film Festival, Spain
- 2025 Curt'Arruda Festival de Cinema de Arruda dos Vinhos, Portugal
- 2025 Plons! International Short Documentary Film Festival Leeuwarden, Netherlands
- 2025 Rural FilmFest, Spain
- 2025 Shortcutz Vila Real Junho, Portugal
- 2025 Fastnet Film Festival, Ireland
- 2025 Stuttgarter Filmwinter Festival for Expanded Media, Germany
- 2024 Versi di Luce, Italy
- 2024 Porto/Post/Doc: Film & Media Festival, Portugal
- 2024 CineEco Festival Internacional de Cinema Ecológico da Serra da Estrela, Portugal
- 2024 Cinespaña Festival du Cinema Espagnol de Toulouse Midi-Pyrénées, France
- 2024 Corto e Fieno Rural Film Festival, Italy
- 2024 Documentary & Short Film Festival of Kerala, India
- 2024 Waking Life Festival, Portugal
- 2024 FICS Festival Internacional de Cinema de Santarém, Portugal
- 2024 Ler Cinema Paredes de Coura Janeiro, Portugal
- 2023 International Festival of Documentary and Short Films of Bilbao, Spain
- 2023 DocLisboa Lisbon International Documentary Film Festival, Portugal

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