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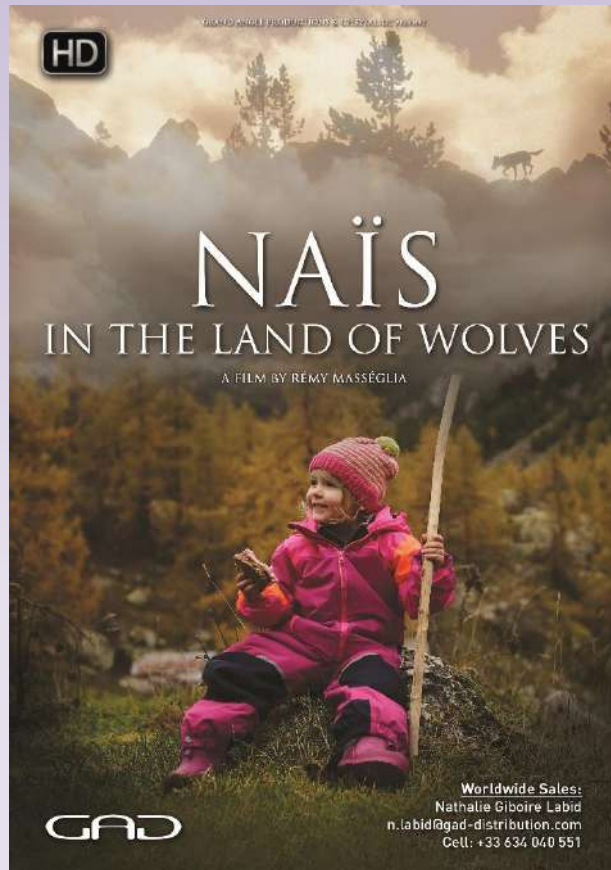


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**TITLE :**  
 Nais in the land of wolves  
 Nais au pays des loups  
**LENGTH :**  
 52'  
**DIRECTOR:**  
 Rémy Maseglia  
**PRODUCER:**  
 Grand Angle  
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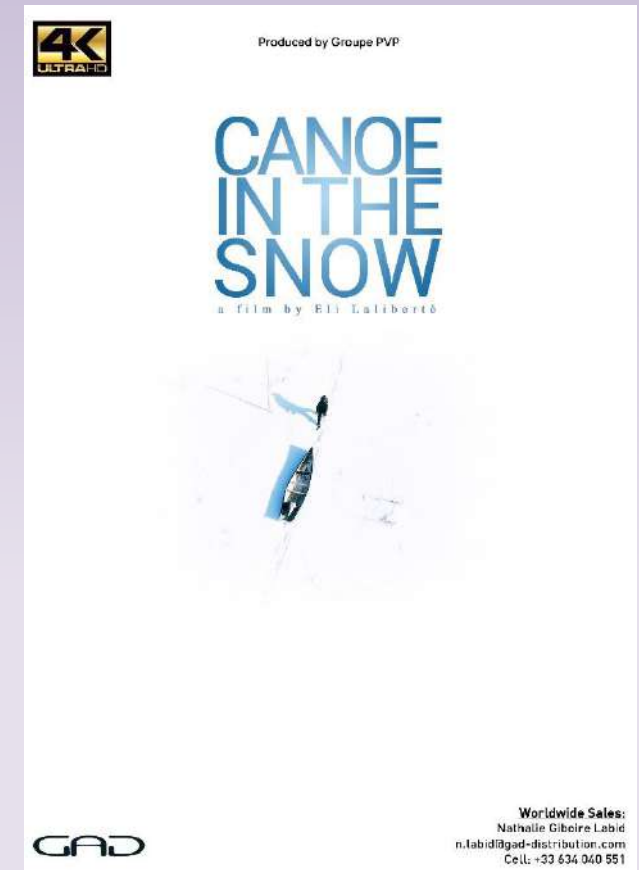


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**Ready for an unique adventure into the heart of the wildest national park in France?**

Embark on an unforgettable journey with a father and his one-year- old baby girl who have spent more than 2 years in the wilderness. Get as close as possible to the fauna and cross the path of the most elusive of all animals.... the wolf!

**TITLE :**  
 Canoe in the snow  
 Un canot dans la neige  
**LENGTH :**  
 52'  
**DIRECTOR:**  
 Eli Laliberté  
**PRODUCER:**  
 Groupe PVP  
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Living on the fringe of mainstream society, a million miles from the “eat, sleep, work, repeat” of modern times, one man ventures deep into the northern forest each winter to answer the call of the outdoors. For a decade, Clément has followed the same ritual: travelling to the middle of nowhere on the hunt for peace, quiet and beauty. From his camp, he spends the winter hunting, trapping and living as one with the nature surrounding him.

**DELIVERY DECEMBER 2026**  
**LOOKING FOR INTERNATIONAL PRESALES**

**TITLE :**

My everyday panic  
 Planète en danger

**LENGTH :**

90'

**DIRECTOR:**

Sameh Estefanos

**PRODUCER:**

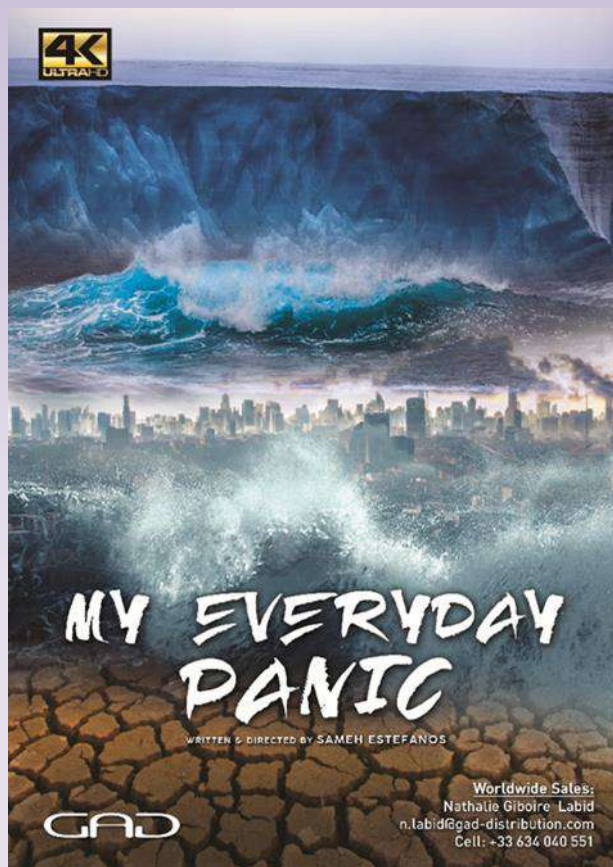
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**How and to what extent Egypt & other developing countries have been affected by Climate changes?**

Since it was transformed to be fact as the population of the weak areas in north of Egyptian Delta are suffering by the rapid raising of Mediterranean sea level, a farmers lost their agricultural land and fishermen were forced to stop sailing in addition to those who are planning for illegal immigration which makes global fear!

**DELIVERY DECEMBER 2025**  
**LOOKING FOR INTERNATIONAL PRESALES**

**TITLE :**

The black ocean:  
 the new minefield

Océan noir: la nouvelle  
 bataille de l'exploitation  
 minière

**LENGTH :**

1x90' or 2x52'

**DIRECTOR:**

Audrey Gloaguen

**PRODUCER:**

Grand Angle Productions

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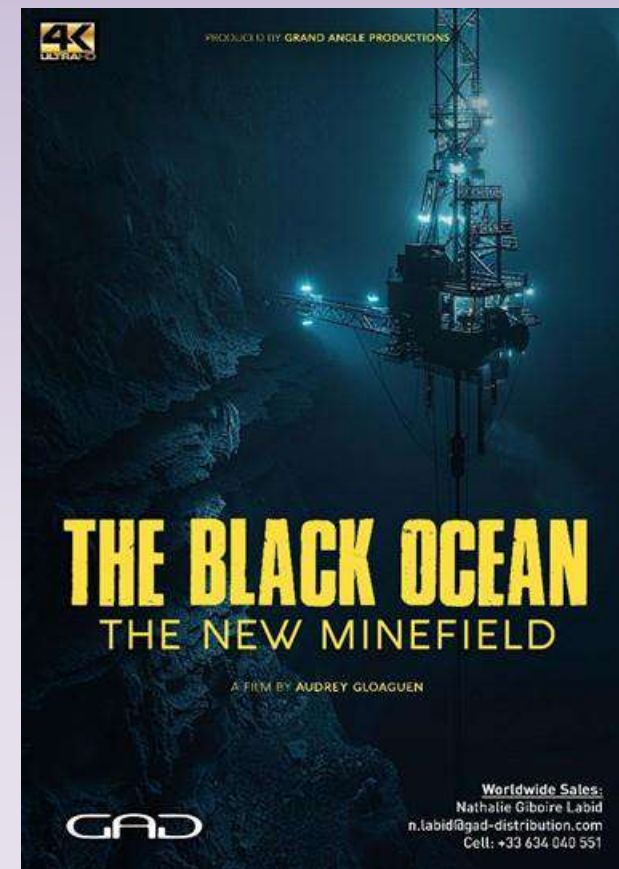
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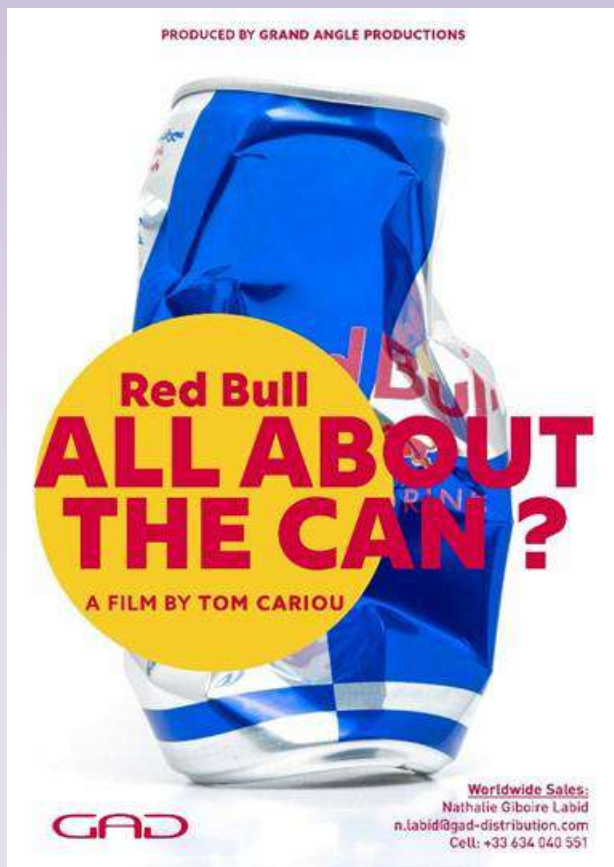
**Economic and political warfare has already begun in the abyss.**

The energy transition has an Achilles heel: it requires staggering quantities of natural resources. Experimental vehicles are testing dredging methods, waiting for the authorities to finalize a Mining Code and open the floodgates to commercial extraction. Analysts have calculated that a single deep-sea mine could bring in \$1 billion a year. But this mining could exacerbate the climate crisis and cause irreversible damage to marine biodiversity.



**DELIVERY FEBRUARY 2025**  
**LOOKING FOR INTERNATIONAL PRESALES**

**TITLE :**  
 Red Bull, all about the can?  
 Red Bull, un empire dans  
 ma canette  
**LENGTH :**  
 52'  
**DIRECTOR:**  
 Tom Cariou  
**PRODUCER:**  
 Grand Angle Productions  
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How did a simple soda with questionable virtues and no real health benefits become so powerful? More than just an energy drink, the brand now promotes a lifestyle of performance, celebration and achievement. To appeal to young people, the brand is investing heavily in the worlds of sport, nightlife, rap and influencers. This film is an investigation across Europe. It deciphers the formidable marketing of Red Bull, an iconic brand that has become one of the most powerful of our time.

**TITLE :**  
 Our best friends  
 Nos très chers animaux  
**LENGTH :**  
 52'  
**DIRECTOR:**  
 Hermine Costa & Ulysse  
 Cailloux  
**PRODUCER:**  
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**In a market worth more than 320 billion euros worldwide, no sector can afford to neglect the enormous potential of pets.**

Today, our four-legged friends are an integral part of the family. We treat them and pamper them as we do our children. Sometimes even better! A trend that delights professionals. From breeders to pet-sitters, through fashion, food or even funeral directors, we discover the best and the worst of our little balls of fur.

**TITLE :**

Alter Ego : Cloning, the age of reason ?

Alter Ego : Clonage, l'âge de raison?

**LENGTH :**

57'

**DIRECTOR:**

Bertrand Delapierre

**PRODUCER:**

SAGAX ENTERTAINMENT

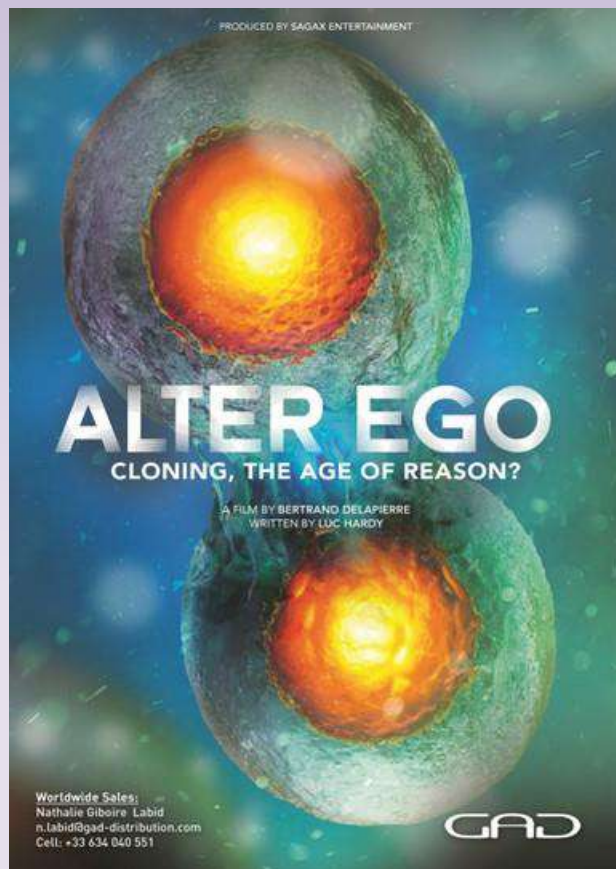
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**Cloning, a booming market!**

Since the birth of Dolly the sheep in 1996, some fifty species of animal have been cloned. From horses to dogs, cats and monkeys, this scientific feat is the subject of much debate. But where do we draw the line between ethics and benefit for humanity? Through Argentina, the United States, Italy and the United Arab Emirates, we plunge into a fascinating universe full of questions and promises...

**TITLE :**

Under High Pressure – Investigation into the Ryanair system

Sous haute pression, le système Ryanair

**LENGTH :**

51'

**DIRECTOR:**

Tom Cariou

**PRODUCER:**

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**An investigation across Europe on the hidden face of Ryanair and the alarming working conditions of its flight attendants.**

Becoming a flight attendant at 20: at Ryanair, it's possible! However, more and more of these workers are denouncing their working conditions within the company: pressure on on-board sales, brutal management, omerta... We take to the skies of Europe to investigate the Ryanair system and meet those who are questioning it from the inside.



**TITLE :**

Automobiles, the electric shock

Automobile, l'électrochoc

**LENGTH :**

53'

**DIRECTOR:**

Thomas Lafarge

**PRODUCER:**

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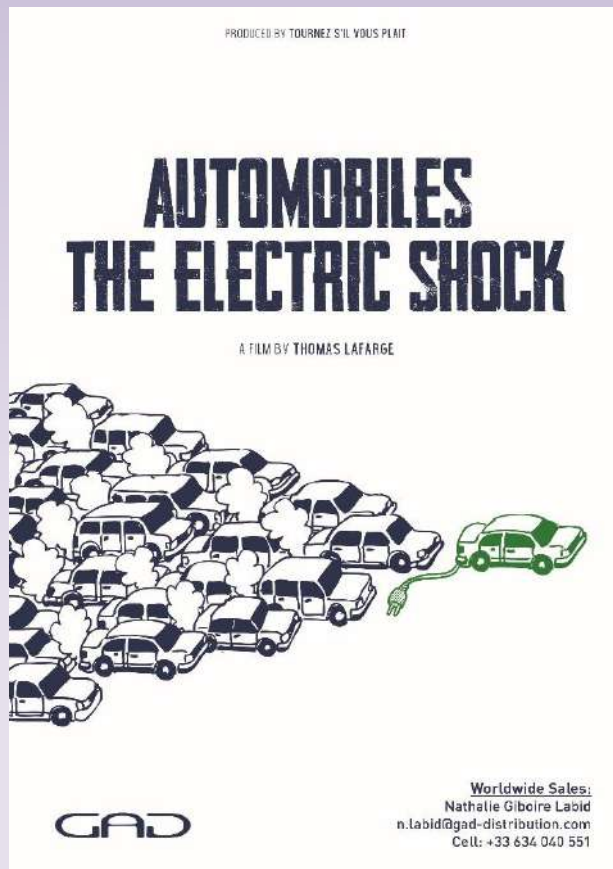
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Since the European Union voted to end the sale of new combustion-powered vehicles in 2035, the automotive industry has been in a state of shock!

Dictated by the urgency of climate change, elected representatives are imposing an industrial revolution for the first time. With factories being transformed, subcontractors going bankrupt and the development of "gigafactories", are we witnessing the advent of the 100% electric car?

**TITLE :**

The great flop

La grande débandade

**LENGTH :**

52'

**DIRECTOR:**

Karina Marceau

**PRODUCER:**

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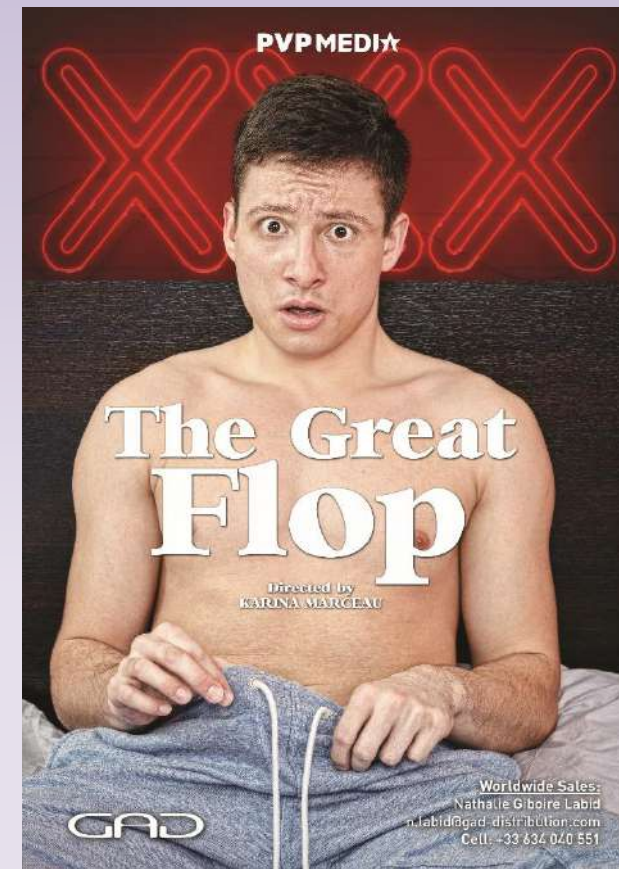
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The Great Flop sets out to remind people that porn isn't real life.

We can access the internet from anywhere, and wherever you can get online, you can get porn. This unprecedented access to sex had made pornography one of the most profitable industries on the planet. But at what price? Porn is wreaking havoc on young people, creating unrealistic expectations of sex and causing sexual disorders galore.

How can we set the record straight?

**TITLE :**

What future for Venice ?  
 Quel avenir pour Venise ?

**LENGTH :**

52'

**DIRECTOR:**

Nadia Cleitman & Jacques  
 Plaisant

**PRODUCER:**

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**A few months apart, Venice has lived through two dramas that have brought it to its knees.**

After these two major traumas, the Venetians are questioning the future of their city and are mobilized more than ever to save their jewel from rising waters, but also to invent a new form of tourism, less invasive and more sustainable. They are restorers, craftsmen, fishermen, heritage managers, or tourism professionals, and are fighting to invent the new future of the city of the Doges.

**TITLE :**

Nicotine a drug with  
 future

Nicotine la drogue de  
 l'avenir

**LENGTH :**

52'

**DIRECTOR:**

Bärbel Merseburger-Sill

**PRODUCER:**

Berlin Producers

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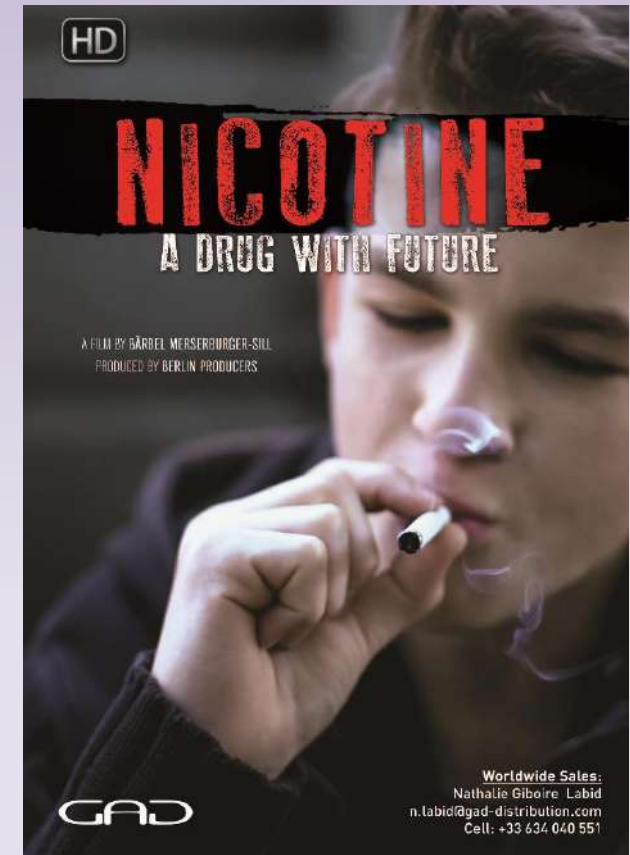
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English & French

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**Are tobacco companies responsible for your smoking addiction?**

Despite knowing that nicotine is highly addictive & extremely hazardous to health, the corporates denied this in public. Leaked documents of the US' 3rd-largest tobacco company showed they maximized its addictive quality despite knowing about its harmful effects way back in the 1930s. Are they now lying about 'healthier' e-cigarettes?



**TITLE :**  
Astrid

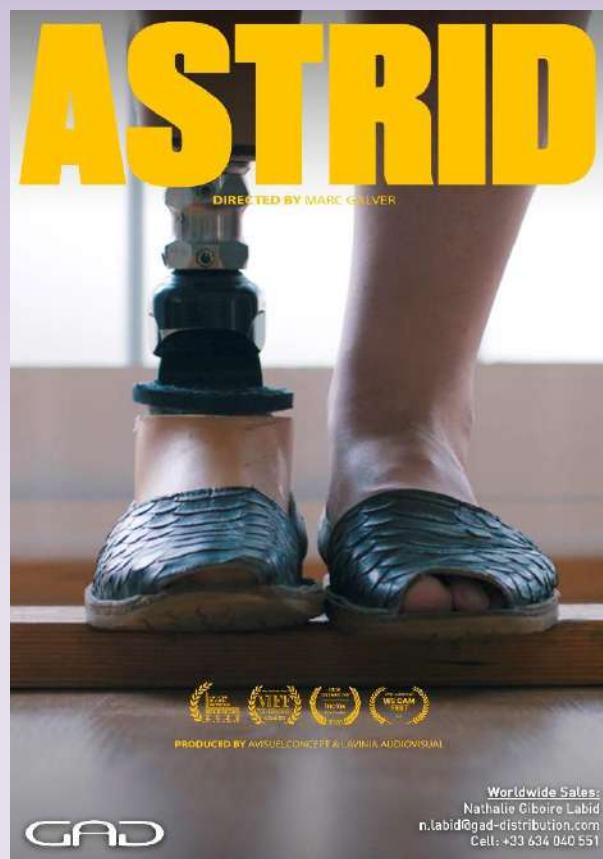
**LENGTH :**  
54'

**DIRECTOR:**  
Marc Galver

**PRODUCER:**  
Avisualconcep

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English subtitles  
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**Astrid is the name behind a story of misfortune and a life-changing incident.**

The protagonist of this documentary lived a quiet and humble life until a near fatal accident led to the amputation of her right foot. After countless tests and many obstacles, Astrid has come out on the other side holding a Paralympic medal to show for all her effort.

**TITLE :**  
Resilience , Ryad Merhy

**LENGTH :**  
52'

**DIRECTOR:**  
Didier Malchaire

**PRODUCER:**  
Made in Brussels

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**AVAILABLE:**  
French & English  
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**Resilience: the great adventure of a man determined to transform his private and professional obstacles into life force.**

The documentary presents the daily fight of Ryad Merhy whose elegance of his sportsmanship will make him the most prominent Belgian boxer of the moment.

Quickly, he aligns the victories. Undefeated during sixteen professional fights, he then set out to conquer international titles.

**DELIVERY DECEMBER 2025**  
**LOOKING FOR INTERNATIONAL PRESALES**

**TITLE :**

Dalida: mediterranean  
 melodies, global echoes  
 Dalida: mélodies  
 méditerranéennes

**LENGTH :**

52'

**DIRECTOR:**

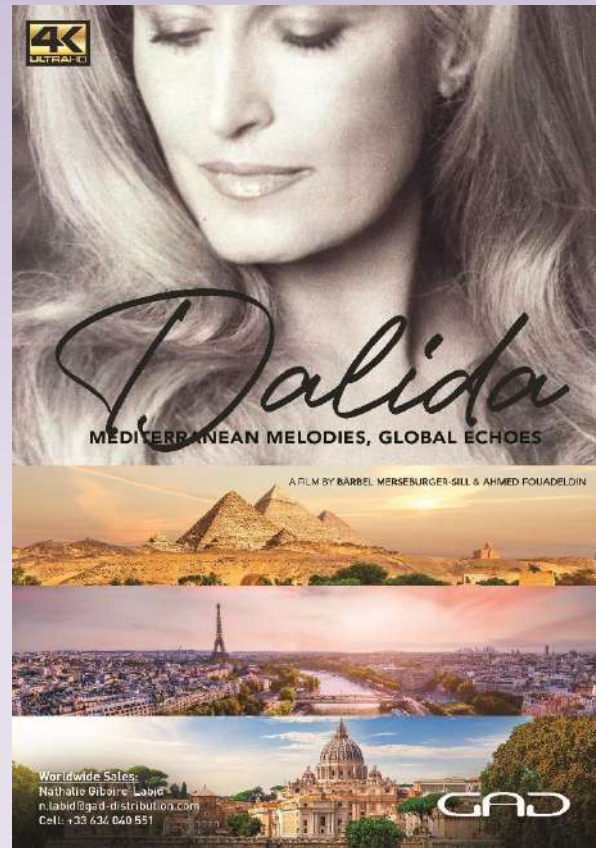
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 & Ahmed Fouadeldin

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Dalida's status as a Mediterranean artist was intricately woven with her diverse heritage, spanning France, Egypt, and Italy. Born and raised in Egypt to Italian parents, she later moved to France, where she rose to fame as an iconic singer and actress. Dalida seamlessly navigated between languages and musical styles, creating a timeless connection with audiences worldwide that transcended borders and resonated with the essence of the Mediterranean spirit.

**TITLE :**

Marlon Brando's Tahitian  
Mirage

Le mirage tahitien de  
Marlon Brando

**LENGTH :**

59'

**DIRECTOR:**

Jean-Louis Pérez & Anna  
Breteau

**PRODUCER:**

Grand Angle Production &  
Filmin' Tahiti

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English & French

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We all know Marlon Brando for his hit films or his two Oscars. But his relationship with French Polynesia, where the actor lived for nearly 30 years, remains largely unexplored. By living in Tahiti, Brando thought to quell his anxieties and his depravity...but Polynesia with its exquisite landscapes, its gentle way of life and its singular culture were, in reality, only a mirage, an illusion of the idealized peaceful existence that the star ultimately never managed to achieve.



**TITLE :**

Sigourney Weaver, the most iconic action heroine  
 Sigourney Weaver, héroïne de style

**LENGTH :**

53'

**DIRECTOR:**

Bärbel Merseburger-Sill

**PRODUCER:**

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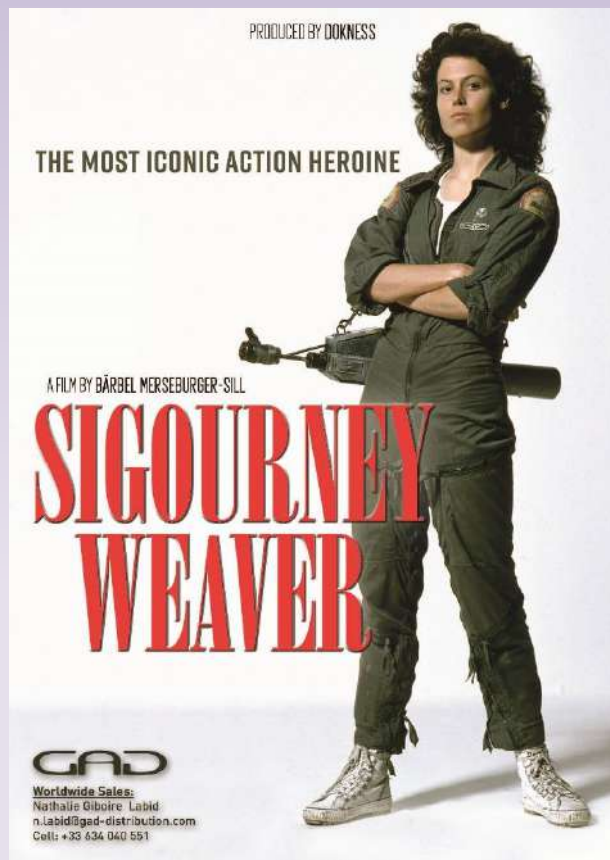
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**What happens when a young, unknown actress becomes the first female action hero and an international movie star?**

With her appearance in ALIEN in 1979, Sigourney Weaver made cinema history: for the first time a woman had played the lead role in an action movie. 45 years later, with blockbusters such as GHOSTBUSTERS and AVATAR under her belt, she remains an adored icon, with an incomparable career that has cemented the path of emancipation for female roles.

**TITLE :**

Raoul Castro, the last revolutionary  
 Raoul Castro le dernier révolutionnaire

**LENGTH :**

53'

**DIRECTOR:**

Didier Malchaire

**PRODUCER:**

Aviva Films

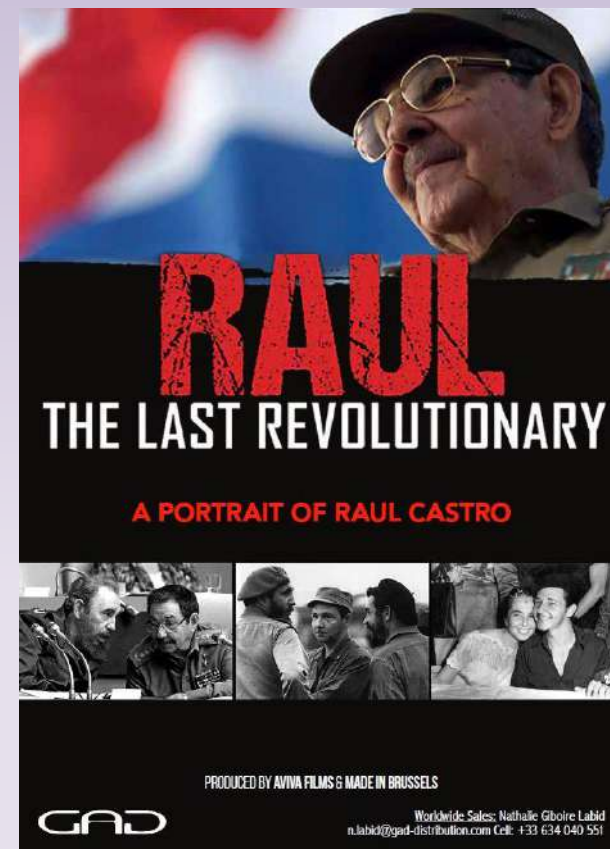
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Legend has long wanted Raul Castro to only be the shadow of his brother Fidel. When the spies of the KGB and the CIA look at his case, it is clear that for more than half a century the last Castro has always known how to be indispensable to the Cuban revolution. This documentary "unveils this shadowy man", main actor of the Cuban revolution, who survived the cold war and the implosion of the USSR, was President of Cuba from 2008 to 2018 and who voluntary transfer power, but still remains very attentive to Cuba's future.

**TITLE :**

Vietnamese cuisine: it's  
pho-nominal !

Cuisine vietnamienne:  
c'est tout ce que l'on  
nem

**LENGTH :**

53'

**DIRECTOR:**

François Guillaume

**PRODUCER:**

Antipode

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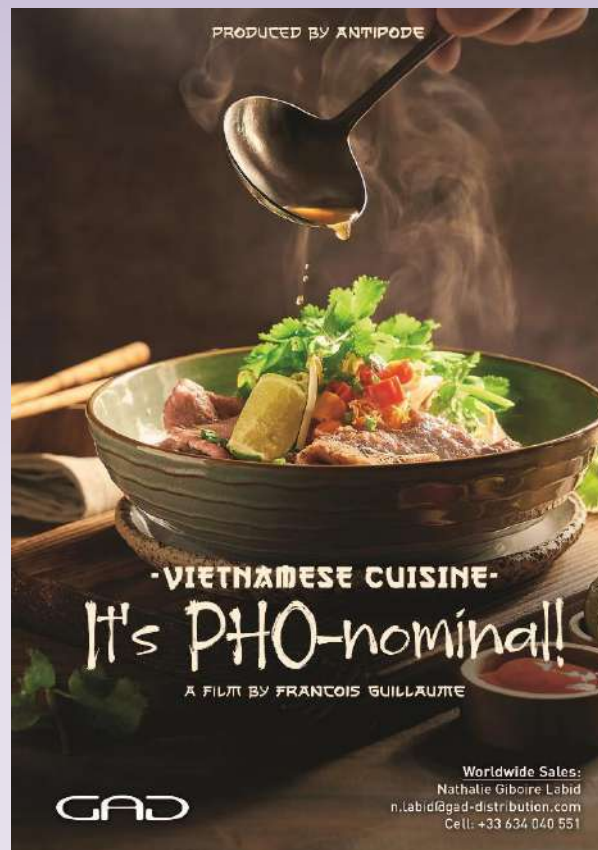
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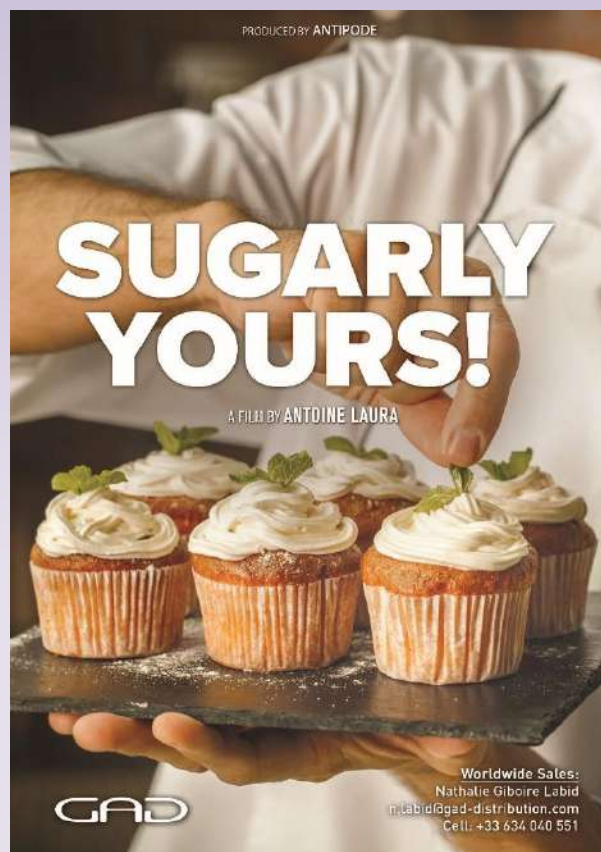


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**Refined, fine, balanced, tasty: there's no shortage of adjectives to describe Vietnamese cuisine.**

Phagocytosed by Thai, Chinese and Japanese cuisines, Vietnamese cuisine, the great forgotten of Asian gastronomy, is finally asserting itself among its neighbors. From Hanoi to the banks of the Mekong, via the crowded streets of Ho-Chi-Minh City, we join Mai Mai, a Franco-Vietnamese chef, on a journey to discover this gastronomy... so that we never mix baguettes again!

**TITLE :**  
 Sugarly yours  
 Sacrément sucré  
**LENGTH :**  
 53'  
**DIRECTOR:**  
 Antoine Laura  
**PRODUCER:**  
 Antipode  
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**The French culinary heritage and its art of dessert radiates throughout the world.**

Our protagonists are part of these “pastry magicians” who take up the challenge of making, reinventing and transmitting to the whole world the taste of local delicacies. Through their pastries and their stories of passion and challenge, we will meet men and women who are passionate about the pastries of their regions.

**TITLE :**  
 Tacos, nachos, burritos  
**LENGTH :**  
 52'  
**DIRECTOR:**  
 François Guillaume  
**PRODUCER:**  
 Antipode  
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 French  
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**Tacos, guacamole, fajitas... Mexican cuisine, reputed to be spicy, has become a staple on our plates.**

To the point that it seems to have been emptied of its true essence. In the heart of this colorful and ancestral cuisine, how can you tell the real from the fake of this booming gastronomy? Between Europe and Mexico, some cooks defend this authentic and thousand-year-old art....



**TITLE :**

What about surimi  
Du rififi dans le surimi

**LENGTH :**

52'

**DIRECTOR:**

Philippe Lespinasse

**PRODUCER:**

Grand Angle Productions

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**Sticks, medallions, rillettes, grated, sliced... Surimi exists in all forms and all over the world!**

Its success is dazzling. Neither fatty nor too proteinaceous, it is neither crab nor fish waste. Yet originally surimi was an art! Called Kamaboko in Japan, meaning “fish flesh”, it contains almost 100%! From five-star Japanese surimi to industrial crab stick, the secret of its recipe begins at a depth of 600 meters in the ocean ...

**TITLE :**

Farm-raised fish, do they miss the sea ?  
Les poissons d'élevage regrettent-ils la mer ?

Les poissons d'élevage regrettent-ils la mer ?

**LENGTH :**

53'

**DIRECTOR:**

Hervé Corbière

**PRODUCER:**

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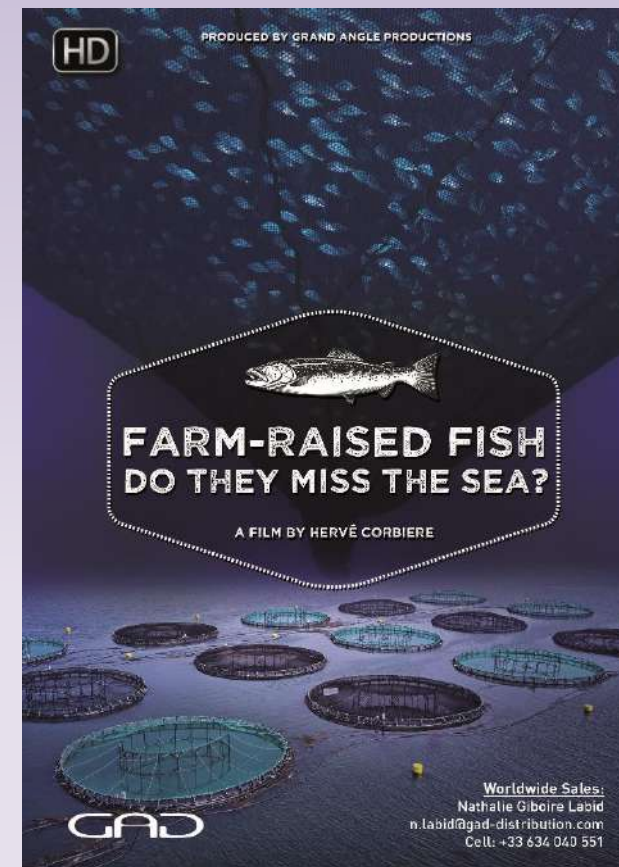
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**Whether In tartare, sushi or grilled, the amount of fish consumed in the world has never been so important.** For the first time in history, we are consuming more farm-raised fish than wild fish. By 2025, will all our fish be grown and fed with algae or insects? What is really found in fish farm ponds? How are these fish raised and at what price? To find answers, we will travel to the Basque country, Greece, to China and the Netherlands for a trip to the heart of 21st century aquaculture.

**TITLE :**

Shellfish from the sea to our plates

Fruits de mer de la mer à l'assiette

**LENGTH :**

52'

**DIRECTOR:**

Hervé Corbière

**PRODUCER:**

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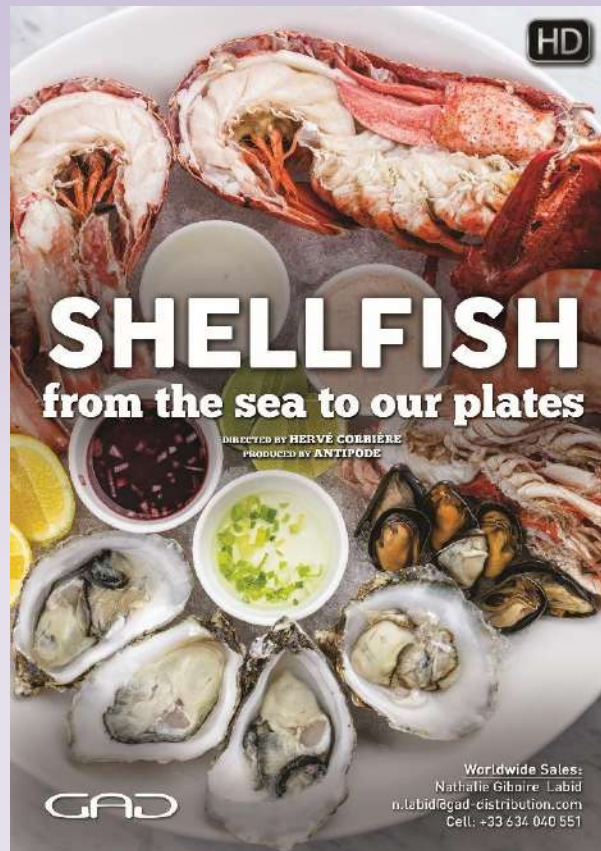
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### How much would you spend for a delectable shellfish platter?

In France, the seafood obsession is at a different level! Consumers not only want the freshest and the most flavorful crustaceans but also demand that they shouldn't be harmed in the process of farming, fishing, preserving and selling! How do fishermen and fishmongers maintain these incredible standards?

**TITLE :**

What future for the oyster ?

Les huitres bientôt la fin?

**LENGTH :**

51'

**DIRECTOR:**

Hervé Corbière & Alex Gary

**PRODUCER:**

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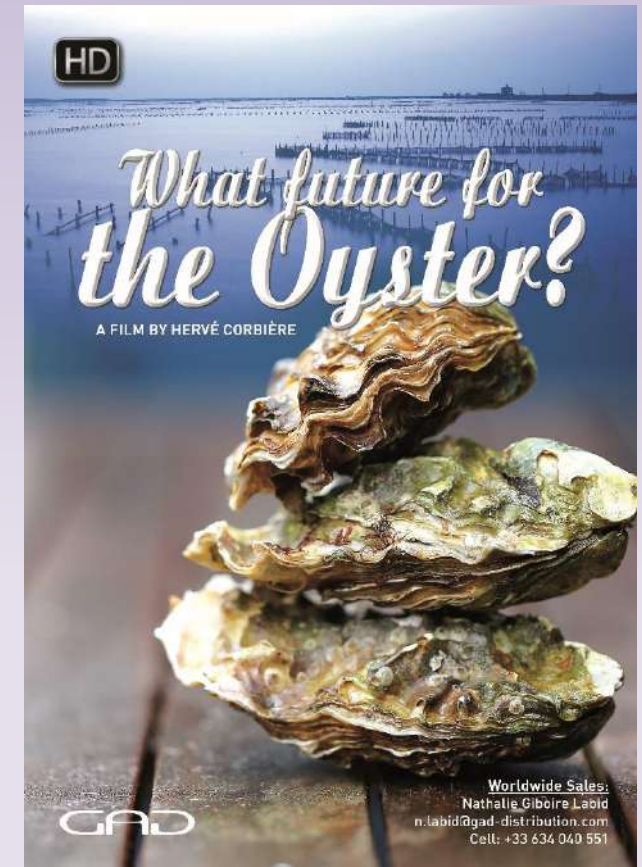
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### 50, 70, and sometimes as much as 80% of the oysters produced in France never see the customers' plates... and why?

The mollusks have experienced an incredible mortality rate over recent years... A mystery ailment is decimating them and damaging an entire profession... It's a veritable massacre that began in 2008, when a new oyster made its appearance: the Triploid, a creation of man.



**TITLE :**

Caviar the black gold

Caviar l'or noir

**LENGTH :**

52'

**DIRECTOR:**

Alex Gary

**PRODUCER:**

Les Films Jack Fébus

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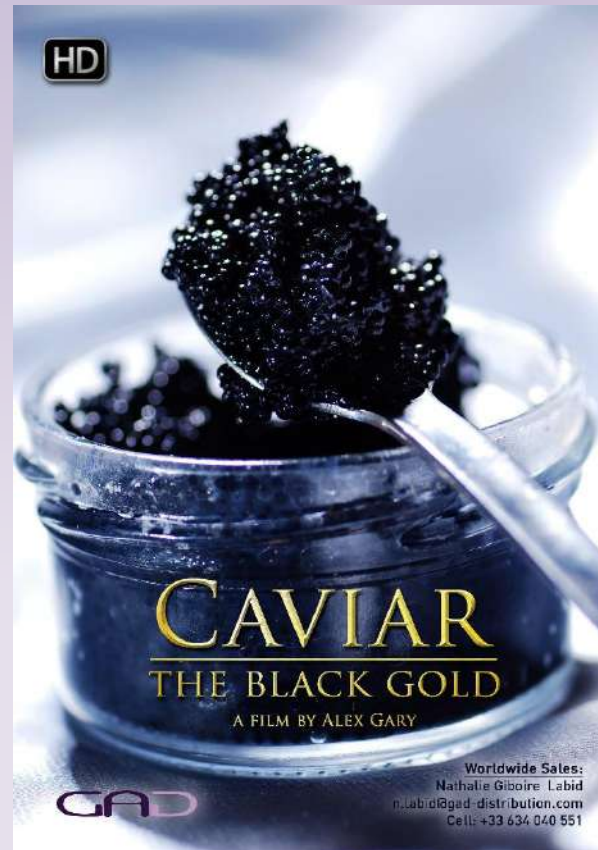
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**As the world economy collapses on every continent, there remains one sector that is not experiencing any crisis... and surprising as it may seem... we are talking about caviar!**

The world's leading producers have set up there and are grabbing huge shares of the market thanks to their farm-raised fishes. From their labs where the tiny eggs are assembled to the 5-star hotels of Abu Dhabi our cameras shoot , for the first time, the people who have turned caviar into a real business

**TITLE :**

Destination ancient Rome:  
the genius of the Romans  
Le génie Romain

**LENGTH :**

1x54' & 1x90'

**DIRECTOR:**

Herlé Jouon

**PRODUCER:**

Grand Angle Productions

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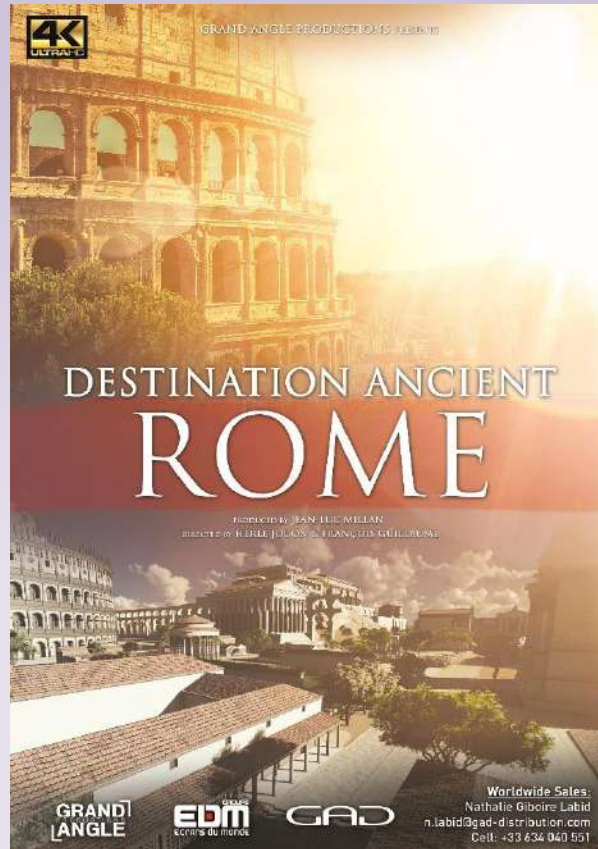
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**Monuments, stadiums, roads, water systems, harbors... The builders of Rome invented the modern city. By what technical inventions and what genius of construction did they achieve this?**

Rome. The largest city in the world during Antiquity with 1 million inhabitants. An unprecedented urbanization that created immense challenges: housing, water supply, transportation, entertainment...

**TITLE :**

The secrets of Mount Olympus  
Les secrets du Mont Olympe

**LENGTH :**

53'

**DIRECTOR:**

Anne Viry-Babel

**PRODUCER:**

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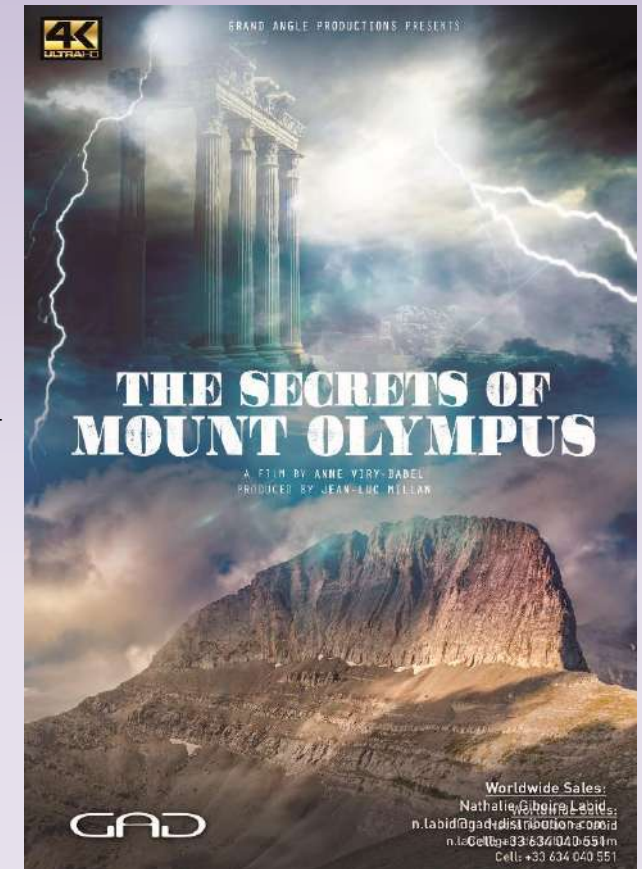
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**Once, the residence of the gods in Greek mythology, Mount Olympus was celebrated by ancient peoples for its supernatural phenomena.**

Today, scientists are going to seek rational explanations of events which gave birth to myths, thanks to an exploration of the highest part of the mountain, towering 2917 meters above the Aegean Sea. This human adventure will enlighten us to the origins of myths, such as Zeus' lightning bolt: myth or reality?



**TITLE :**

The mystery of the Nazca lines

Nazca: le mystère des lignes du désert

**LENGTH :**

60'

**DIRECTOR:**

Hélène Maucourant

**PRODUCER:**

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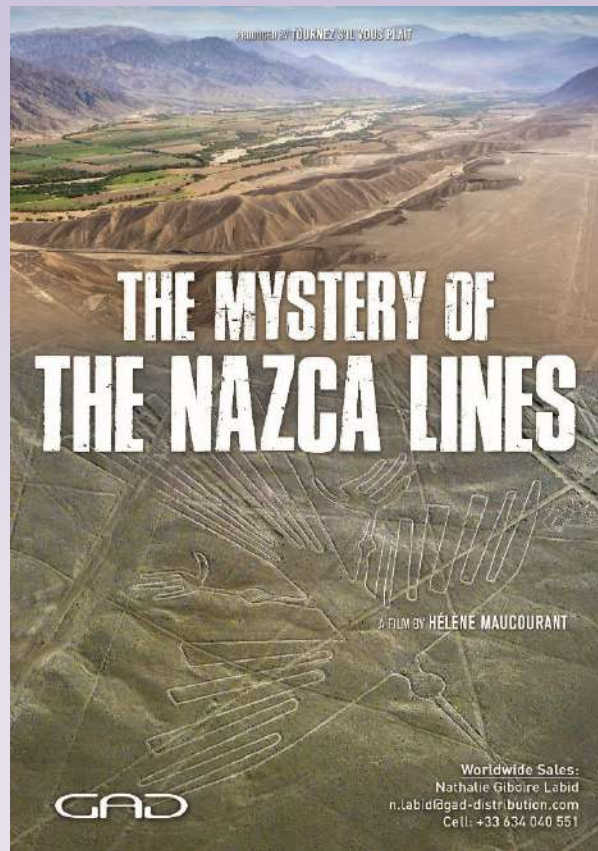
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**From the first explorations to the most recent discoveries of the archaeologists, we are going to try to lift the veil on the mystery of the Nazca lines.**

It is one of the biggest enigmas of modern archaeology. A discovery which gave place to all kinds of theories since one century and which did not reveal all its secrets yet. Who drew these lines? How and why? What represent these drawings and what is their meaning?

**TITLE :**

When Champollion meets Ramsès II

Champollion et Ramsès II rencontre sur le Nil

**LENGTH :**

53'

**DIRECTOR:**

Jean-Christophe Chatton

**PRODUCER:**

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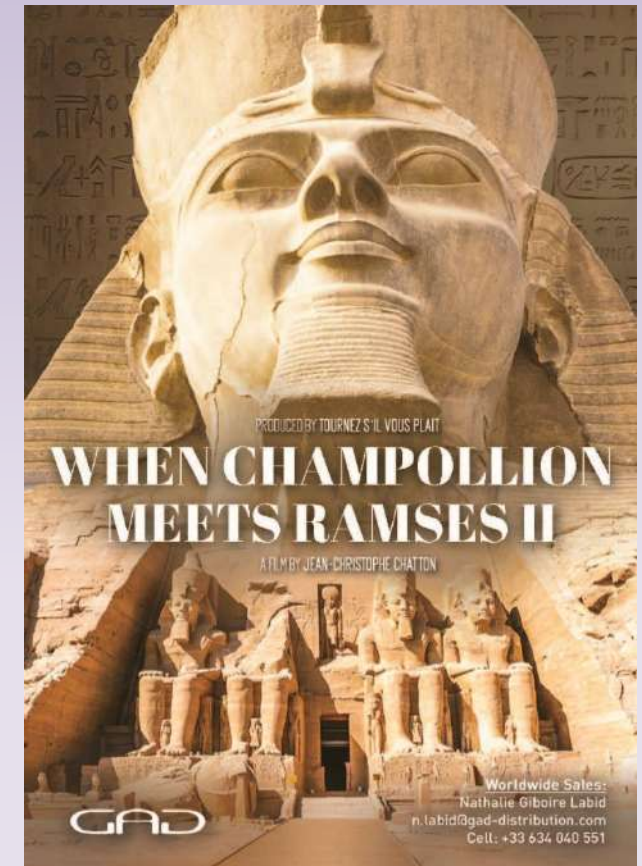
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**An exceptional documentary on the story between Champollion and Ramses II.**

When Champollion, the genius who unlocked the secret of hieroglyphs, embarks on his first expedition to Egypt and meets Ramses II in the sumptuous temple of Abu Simbel, his fascination for this civilization reaches its peak. A unique film that shines light on one of the longest ruling pharaohs in antiquity and that allows us, thanks to 3D imaging, to see Ramses II's real face for the very first time!

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**LOOKING FOR INTERNATIONAL PRESALES**

**TITLE :**

Deep sea exploration the last frontiers on Earth  
 Abysses, vingt mille vies sous les mers

**LENGTH :**

52'

**DIRECTORS:**

Stéphane Huonic & Alwin Courcy

**PRODUCER:**

Grand Angle Productions

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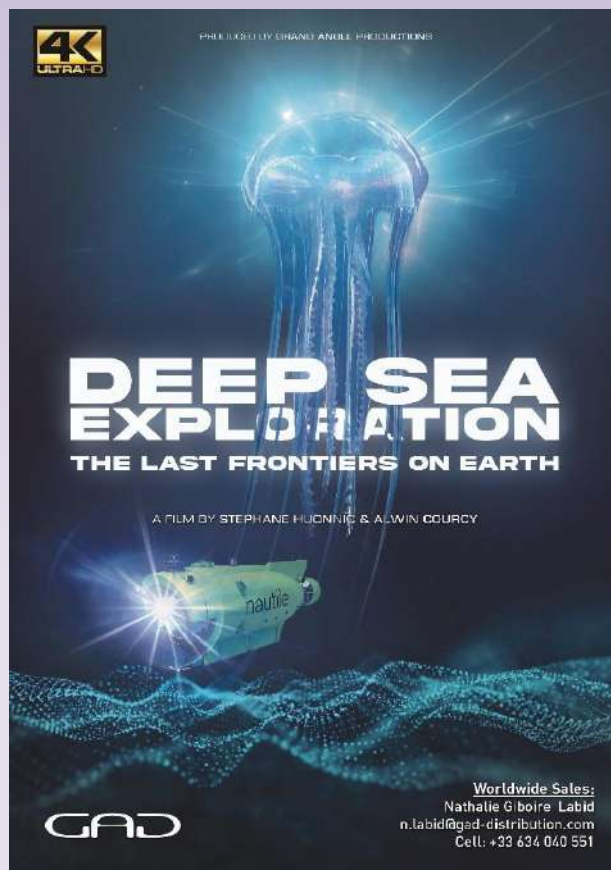
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**Embark on a scientific mission to discover abyssal life!**

For 45 days, aboard the vessel Le Pourquoi pas! and the famous yellow submarine, Le Nautilus, scientists will be making a host of discoveries.

Such as the ecosystems of the abysses, where 80% of marine biomass is thought to be found, and their major role in determining our planet's climate. Oceanographic campaigns are multiplying, and scientists over the world are mobilizing to understand and protect these singular environments from our frenetic consumption.

**TITLE :**

Faster, Higher Stronger  
 Plus vite, plus haut, plus fort

**LENGTH :**

54'

**DIRECTORS:**

Stanislas Kraland & Hugues Demeude

**PRODUCER:**

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French, English &  
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25p

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**The quest for ultimate performance**

An Olympic medal.

Today, hundreds of scientists work in the shadow of top athletes.

Biomechanics, physiology, neuroscience, materials: they push back the limits of the human body and sports equipment. It's a true plunge behind the scenes of performance.



**TITLE :**

Great natural monuments – Iceland  
Les grands monuments naturels - Islande

**LENGTH :**

53'

**DIRECTOR:**

Herlé Jouon

**PRODUCER:**

Grand Angle Productions

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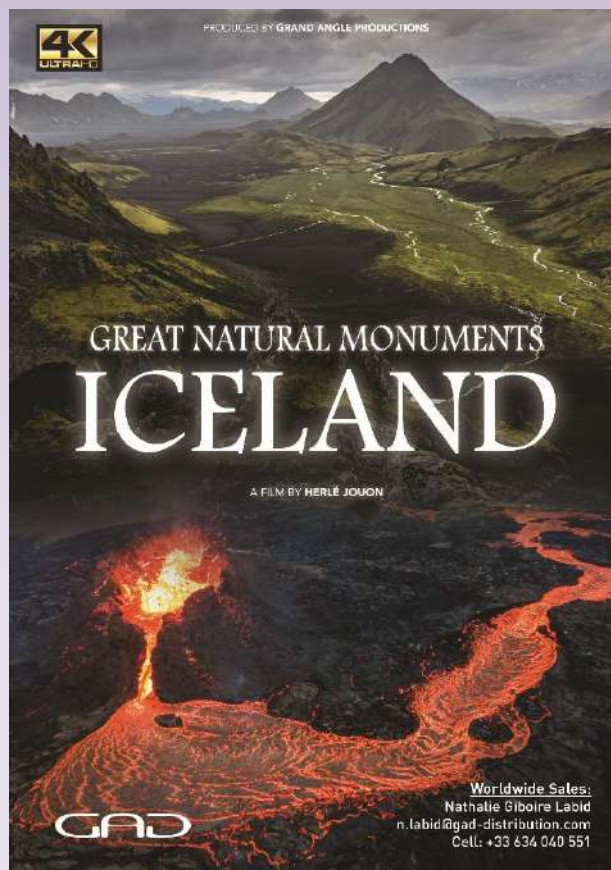
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French & English

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**Dive into the heart of a unique expedition, between exceptional landscapes, legendary lands and human adventure.**

Our planet is home to fascinating natural monuments, such as the Icelandic volcanoes, which testify to the beauty and power of nature. These exceptional landscapes are witnesses to the telluric forces and biological processes that have shaped the Earth for billions of years.

**TITLE :**

Great natural monuments – Grand Canyon

Les grands monuments naturels - Grand Canyon

**LENGTH :**

2x52'

**DIRECTOR:**

Vincent Perazio

**PRODUCER:**

Grand Angle

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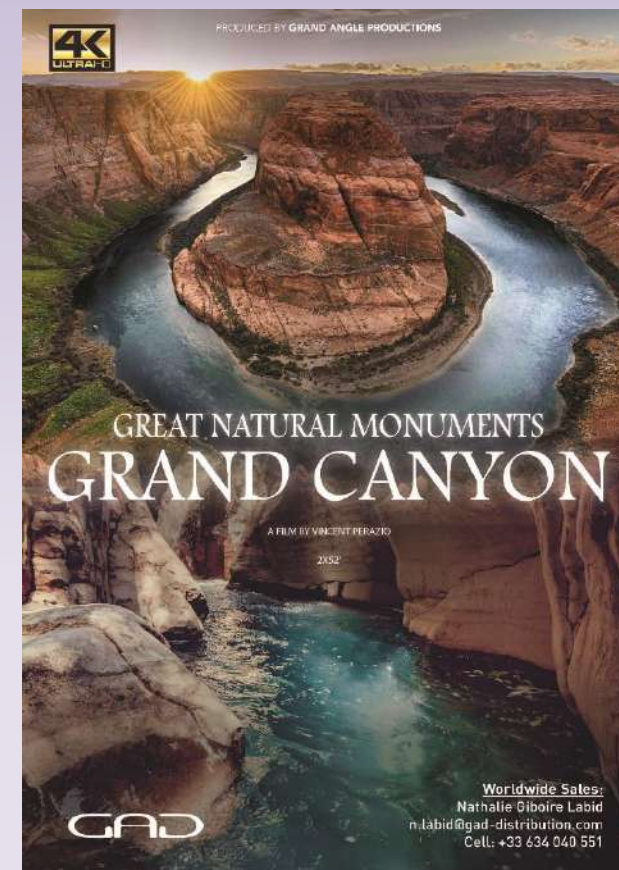
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French & English

50p

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**Descending the Grand Canyon for 8 days and tackling hundreds of rapids to unveil the Earth's history.**

Geologists Karl Karlström and Laurie Crossey are the leading experts on this. Over the course of 8 days, they descend the Colorado river and tackle hundreds of rapids to unveil the mysteries held in the Grand Canyon, and the place that humans occupy within it.



**TITLE :**

From handsaw to scalpel  
De la scie au bistouri

**LENGTH :**

12x29' & 6x56'

**DIRECTOR:**

Karina Marceau

**PRODUCER:**

PVP Media

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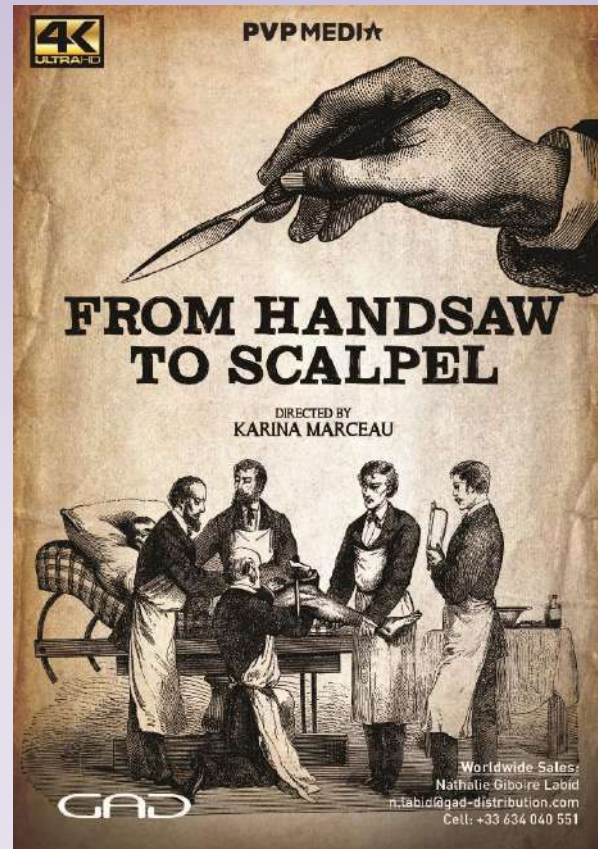
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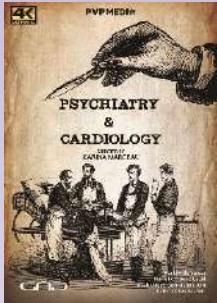
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**Lobotomies, electroshock therapy, ice baths, handsaw amputations, nightmare-inducing deliveries, medical tools worthy of horror films used to correct posture and pull teeth...**

From Handsaw to Scalpel is a fascinating insight into the evolution of modern medicine as we explore the medical treatments for certain issues from past to present, seeing just how much we have learned through trial and error.

**PSYCHIATRY AND CARDIOLOGY**

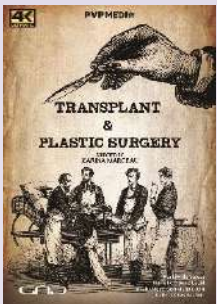
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This episode takes us through the rich history of psychiatry, from demonic possessions to madhouses, including lobotomies and drug experiments. In the operating room, we witness electroconvulsive therapy treatments, formerly known as “shock therapy.” Then we shift our focus to the heart and the history of cardiology, showing viewers how we discovered that the heart and electricity go hand-in-hand, and also where the famous symbolism of the heart comes from. In the operating room, our cameras give viewers a behind-the-scenes view of a delicate procedure on a patient suffering from atrial fibrillation.

**TRANSPLANT AND PLASTIC SURGERY**

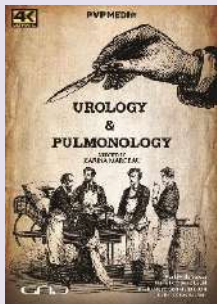
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This episode introduces us to the world of transplants, from the doctors of yesteryear and their dubious attempt at transplants (including grafting chimpanzee testicles onto in a quest for virility) to those of our future, who will render the notion of rejection obsolete... In the operating room, we witness a life-changing kidney transplant for one patient. This episode also examines plastic surgery, exploring prosthetics glued with plant sap, facial reconstructions for war injuries, and the story of a very particular Italian graft. In the operating room, we witness surgery restoring the function of the membranes that protect eyeballs.

**UROLOGY AND PULMONOLOGY**

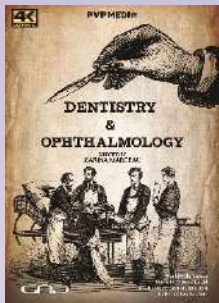
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This episode takes us through the experiments that have enabled us to provide modern-day treatments for incontinence, urinary infections, and genital malformations. In the operating room, a patient undergoes an artificial urinary sphincter implant that will completely change his life. This episode also explores pulmonology, touching on the damage caused by tuberculosis and medical advancements that will soon allow for lung tissue regeneration. In the operating room, a patient has a potentially cancerous nodule removed.

**DENTISTRY AND OPHTHALMOLOGY**

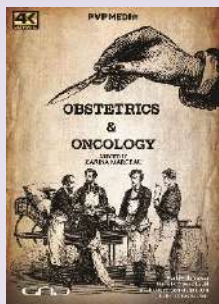
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Perfectly straight, cavity-free, pearly whites ... or crooked, stained yellow and even maybe missing a few, teeth have been bothering humans for centuries! From treatments that might have been questionable to technologies of the future, this episode reveals the fascinating field of dentistry. We then explore one of the most important organs in the human body: the eyes. As 50% of us will be affected by some varying degree of optical issue at some point in our lives, we discover the history of ophthalmology from the earliest Egyptian medical techniques to the electronic chips of the future.

**OBSTETRICS AND ONCOLOGY**

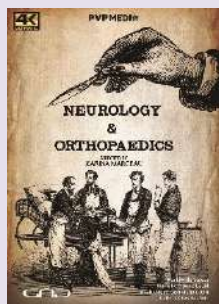
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Potions, fumigations, rustic obstetric chairs and tools that look more like instruments of torture than anything else... This episode explores the field of obstetrics of the past, present and future. We also discover the surprising history of the field of oncology: from middle-age remedies such as wolf's tongue, to the tragic fate of Marie Curie and the devotion and dedication of the first doctors to use radiotherapy. We also explore contemporary treatments and possible future solutions to fight the ruthless disease.

**NEUROLOGY AND ORTHOPAEDICS**

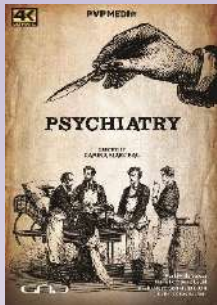
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During this episode, we explore the history of neurology to discover the link between demonic possession and epilepsy, early brain mapping, the modern treatment of a patient with Parkinson's disease, as well as what the future holds in the neurology field. We then explore the history of orthopaedics, when fabric, leather wood and animal bones were used to replace limbs and treat war wounds, and examines the orthopedic treatments of today and tomorrow.

**PSYCHIATRY**

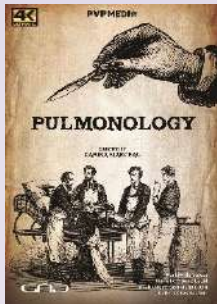
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Anxiety disorders, bipolar disorder, attention deficit, post-traumatic stress, depression, schizophrenia — one billion individuals on the planet are currently living with a mental health problem. Over the centuries, various experiments have been attempted to alleviate the lives of those affected. This episode takes us through the rich history of psychiatry, from demonic possessions to madhouses, including lobotomies and drug experiments. In the operating room, we witness electroconvulsive therapy treatments, formerly known as “shock therapy.”

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**PULMONOLOGY**

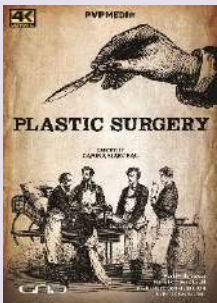
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One billion people around the world are currently suffering from pulmonary diseases. The lungs were long considered disgusting due to their appearance, and there have been many attempts at treating lung problems throughout history, including fumigations and syrups made from heroin, morphine, chloroform and opium. Thankfully, medicine has come a long way since. This episode takes us through the history of pulmonology, touching on the damage caused by tuberculosis, and leads us into the future of the discipline, thanks to advancements that will soon allow for lung tissue regeneration. In the operating room, a patient has a potentially cancerous nodule removed.

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**PLASTIC SURGERY**

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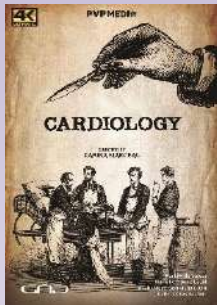
Close to 3,000 years ago, an Indian surgeon was reconstructing the noses of patients who had had their noses cut off as a punishment for adultery. This episode takes us through the rich history of plastic surgery and leads us to explore prosthetics glued using plant sap, facial reconstructions for war injuries, and the story of a very particular Italian graft. Our exploration into plastic surgery continues into the future as processes continue to evolve and what once seemed far-fetched, such as lab-made organs, prosthetics and human tissues become a possibility. The future is the era of augmented humans. In the operating room, we witness surgery restoring the function of the membranes that protect eyeballs.

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**CARDIOLOGY**

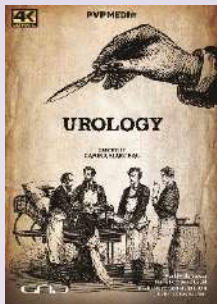
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The heart is arguably the most important organ in the human body, keeping us alive. Unfortunately, many people's hearts are in poor condition. Cardiovascular diseases are the number one cause of death worldwide, causing the deaths of close to 18 million each year. This episode takes us through the history of cardiology, showing viewers how we discovered that the heart and electricity go hand-in-hand, and also where the famous symbolism of the heart comes from. In the operating room, our cameras give viewers a behind-the-scenes view of a delicate procedure on a patient suffering from atrial fibrillation.

**UROLOGY**

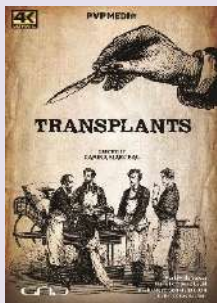
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Urinary problems are nothing new. In fact, urinary system medicine has been around for at least 6,000 years. Today, it is estimated that 16% of men and 33% of women over the age of 40 suffer from incontinence, but very few dare to bring it up with their doctor. This episode takes us through the experiments that have enabled us to provide modern-day treatments for incontinence, urinary infections, and genital malformations. It also leads us towards the future of urology, where we will soon be able to predict prostate cancer through urine tests and eliminate erectile dysfunction by modifying genes. In the operating room, a patient undergoes an artificial urinary sphincter implant that will completely change his life.

**TRANSPLANTS**

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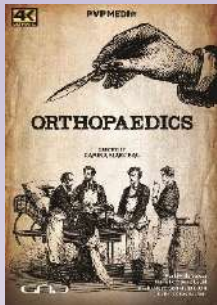
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Humans have been performing transplants for over 3,000 years, since long before operating rooms or anaesthesia existed. Today, around 150,000 complete organs are transplanted each year worldwide. This episode introduces us to the world of transplants, from the doctors of yesteryear and their dubious attempts at transplants (including grafting chimpanzee testicles onto men in a quest for virility) to those of our future, who will render the notion of rejection obsolete... In the operating room, we witness a life-changing kidney transplant for one patient.



**ORTHOPAEDICS**

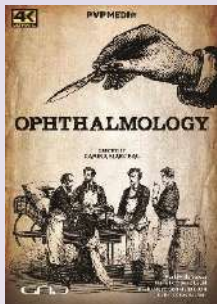
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Robotic arms that react to the smallest muscular movement, 3D-printed bones that can be perfectly inserted into the body, titanium legs strong enough for running marathons... The modern world of orthopaedics never ceases to amaze, but our ancestors could never have dreamed of beating the 100-metre record when they had their leg amputated! This episode explores the history of orthopaedics, when fabric, leather, wood and animal bones were used to support backs, treat war wounds, and even to replace ligaments and limbs. We then dive into the modern-day field to examine contemporary treatments and see what the future of orthopaedics may entail.

**OPHTHALMOLOGY**

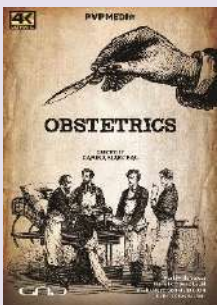
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They say eyes are a mirror to the soul... We say they are one of the most important organs in the human body. In fact, people the world over ranked losing their eyesight as their second worst fear, just below death. And yet 50% of us will be affected by some varying degree of optical issue at some point in our lives. In this episode, we explore the history of ophthalmology from the earliest Egyptian medical techniques to the electronic chips of the future.

**OBSTETRICS**

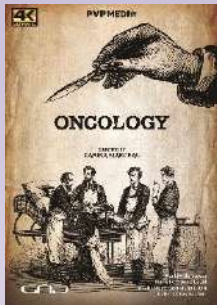
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Is there anything more natural than the act of birth? It's an essential part of life, right? And yet deliveries have been resulting in death, medical issues and complications since time began. Potions, fumigations, rustic obstetric chairs and tools that look more like instruments of torture than anything else... The field of obstetrics has certainly (thankfully) evolved over time, and that's without mentioning the work of midwives who have long mixed medicine, magic and cultural beliefs for the good of mother and child. This episode explores the field of obstetrics of the past, present and future.

**ONCOLOGY**

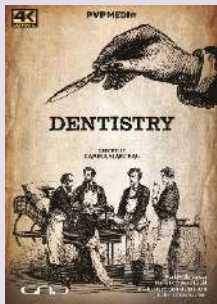
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The statistics are scary: by today's estimates, close to one in two will have cancer in their lifetime and one in four will die from it. Yet, cancer is nothing new and people have been trying to treat it for centuries. In this episode, we explore the surprising history of the field of oncology: from middle-age remedies such as wolf's tongue, to the tragic fate of Marie Curie and the devotion and dedication of the first doctors to use radiotherapy. We also explore contemporary treatments and possible future solutions to fight the ruthless disease.

**DENTISTRY**

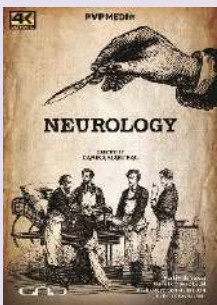
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Perfectly straight, cavity-free, pearly whites ... or crooked, stained yellow and even maybe missing a few, teeth have been bothering humans for centuries! Over the years dentistry has become a medical field in itself. Treatments might have been questionable to begin with—and certainly painful—but there has been one common thread since the dawn of dentistry, and that is advancement. Dentures, prostheses, fillings, extractions, dental devices, crowns, implants, bleaching and more, this episode explores the past, present and future of the fascinating field of dentistry.

**NEUROLOGY**

1x29'

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At a time when outlandish beliefs, religious fervour, and a lack of understanding of the human body can be a dangerous mix, suffering from Parkinson's, epilepsy or any other neurological condition with hard-to-conceal symptoms can worry and even scare people. During this episode, we explore the history of neurology to discover the link between demonic possession and epilepsy, early brain mapping, the modern treatment of a patient with Parkinson's disease, as well as what the future holds in the neurology field.

**TITLE :**

Recipes from the  
neolithic era

La cuisine du Néolithique

**LENGTH :**

53'

**DIRECTOR:**

Charles-Antoine de  
Rouvre

**PRODUCER:**

Grand Angle Productions

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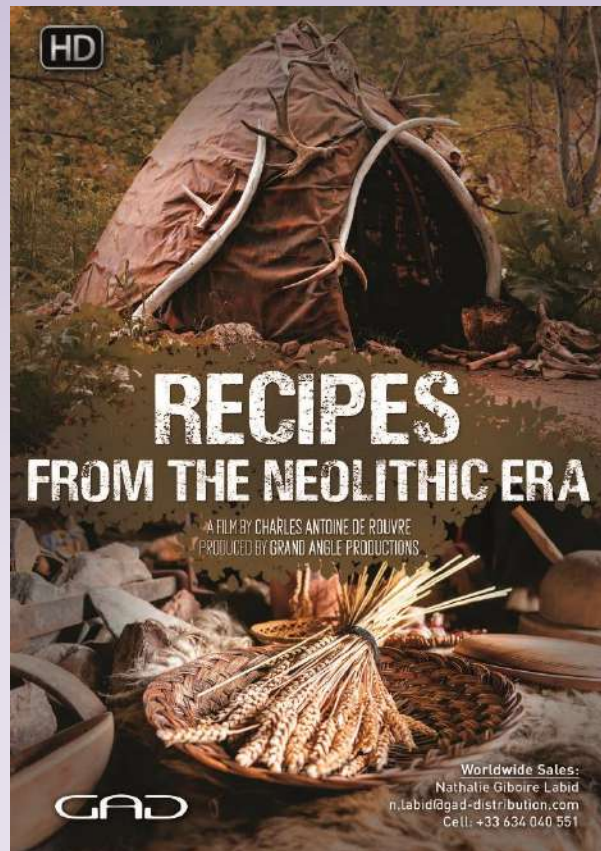
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During the Neolithic period, how did the birth of agriculture and livestock cultivation bring about a revolution in our ancestors' diet? Why, at first, did this abrupt change endanger the health of mankind? How would this new diet also have major consequences on the anatomical, genetic and cognitive evolution of humans? What role did the birth of culinary culture, of knowledge in the preparation and preservation of dishes, play in this process? So many questions that remain to be explored ...

**TITLE :**

Recipes from prehistory

La cuisine de la préhistoire

**LENGTH :**

52'

**DIRECTOR:**

Charles-Antoine de  
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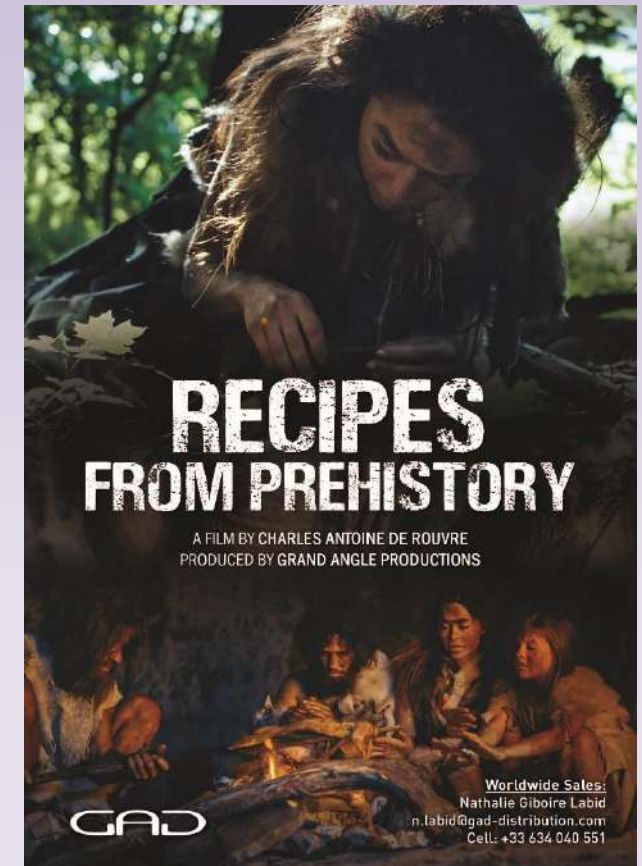
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Since the dawn of time, food has been one of the primary concerns of humanity.

Today, new techniques allow us to discover and understand facets of our ancestors hitherto totally unknown. They reveal that beyond simply providing the body with the energy to survive, food has in fact greatly contributed to making our species what it is today in the fields of anatomy, genetics, and our social habits. So what did our prehistoric ancestors eat?



**TITLE :**

The moon power  
Le pouvoir de la Lune

**LENGTH :**

52'

**DIRECTOR:**

Philippe Lespinasse

**PRODUCER:**

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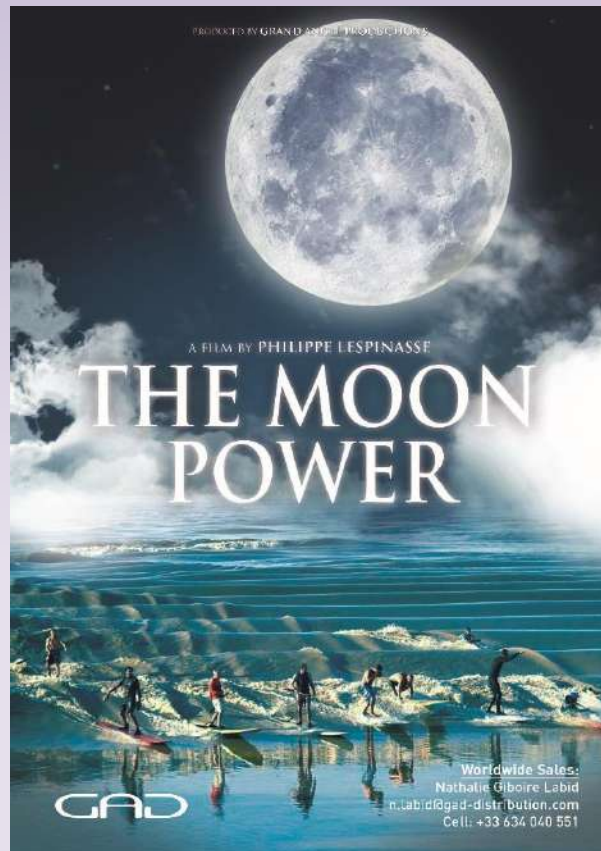
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**Giant tides, animal migrations, reproduction, stabilization of the Earth... installed in our sky since 4.5 billion years, the moon causes spectacular phenomena.**

From coral spawning in Australia to swordfish feasts in Mexico, from giant tides in the bay of Mont St Michel to the deadly tidal bores of Calcutta, the powers of the moon take us on a unique scientific investigation!

**TITLE :**

The big burn  
Les mégafeux la nouvelle guerre du feu

**LENGTH :**

52'

**DIRECTOR:**

Sarah Carpentier & Stéphane Huonnic

**PRODUCER:**

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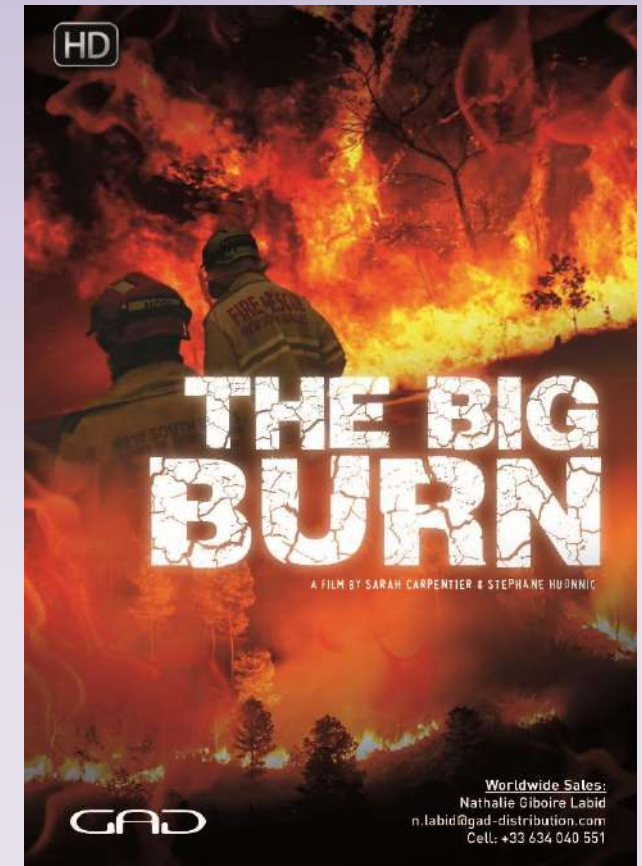
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**“Our home is burning.” At a level never before seen by humankind.**

Fires that are more intense than ever are killing, ravaging, and destroying everything in their path. In Australia, California, the Amazon and Sweden the phenomenon of mega-fires reveals our own contradictions in the manner that we co-exist with nature. Have we really measured the true extent of global warming? Should we reconsider our relationship with fire and rethink our relationship with nature?



**TITLE :**  
Science in motion

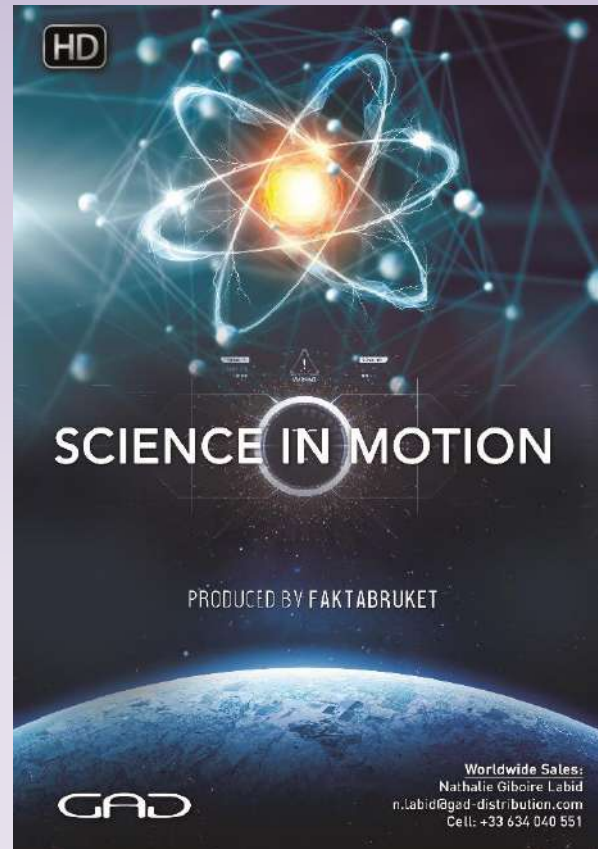
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**In Science in Motion, we meet the researchers who are struggling with the biggest challenges facing humanity.**

How do we make AI and humans thrive side by side? How do we conquer infection and dementia? How do we develop new antibiotics and clean energy? How do we save our forests and arctic regions on a hotter earth? Researchers on the verge of major breakthroughs lay out the road towards a better world. Always in motion. Always with science.

**THE NEW FOREST**

1x24' - 2020


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The forest has always been important to our society. But the world is changing - and so is the forest. In future we will need a new kind of forest. Deep in the Scandinavian forests we will meet the scientists who are looking for new ways for the forest to develop. New fertilizers, stronger root systems and genetically modified trees. But also smarter wood products as transparent wood. But the scientists also need to solve the challenges of the future. How will the trees respond to climate change? And how will we make sure that artificially made forests will have an equal biodiversity to natural forests?

**THE FIGHT AGAINST INFECTION**

1x25' - 2019


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You live under a constant threat of intruders. You can't see them - because they are extremely small. They are the microorganisms that fill the air you breathe and the water you drink. Bacteria, viruses and parasites. And these intruders have developed many successful methods for deceiving your defenses. But scientists are now making ground breaking discoveries that can help to defend our bodies. With the latest DNA technology, the most advanced microscopes and the fastest supercomputers, researchers are determined to stop the microorganisms causing influenza, tuberculosis and meningitis.

**MAPPING THE ARTIC CLIMATE CHANGE**

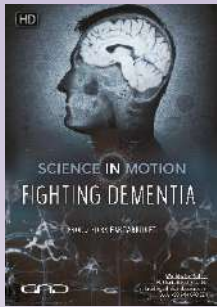
1x20' - 2019


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Climate change is one of the greatest challenges mankind has ever faced. One thing is for sure - that world of tomorrow, will look different from today. But what is really happening right now, and how will climate change affect our earth in the future? We meet the scientists who are mapping climate change. They travel to the North Pole, South Africa and northern Scandinavia in search for answers. As the earth warms up, the North and South Pole warms up even faster. The future for our climate is critical. To know what to do, we need to know what is happening.

**Fighting dementia**

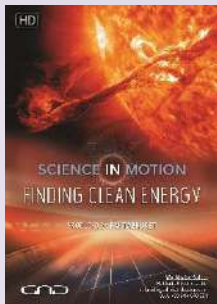
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Your brain is a miracle. 100 billion nerve cells control everything that happens in your body. But your brain is also susceptible to diseases that can kill these nerve cells - neurodegenerative diseases like dementia. We live in a time when science has helped us conquer many diseases and our modern way of life enables us to live longer. But none of this matters when it comes to dementia - our bodies can be sustained - but our brains are not. Today, more elderly people die of dementia than cancer. So, what can we do to stop this? What can science come up with so that we can be one hundred years old, and still be healthy in both body and mind? Meet the researchers that are hard at work, to help your brain's future.

**Finding clean energy**

1x23' - 2018


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All life on earth is dependent on energy. The sun, our energy source, has been warming our world from the very beginning. Plants, animals and humans depend on this life-giving light and heat. But then, something happened. Man discovered other sources of energy - coal, oil, gas and atomic power. But our insatiable hunger for energy has thrown our environment of balance, a disruption that now threatens life on earth. We need to find new, cleaner energy sources. Here we meet the scientists who want to solve our planet's great challenge. Their research is about specially designed molecules, completely unique nanomaterials, re-creating photosynthesis and new smart solar cells. The obvious first choice in the hunt for energy is to look to our original source - the sun itself.

**The threat against antibiotics**

1x20' - 2018


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We've become accustomed to a life in which healthcare saves us. Much of this is thanks to one single kind of drug - antibiotics. Now, that has changed. You have probably heard of antibiotic resistance - that antibiotics no longer work on the constantly mutating strains of bacteria. This is why bacteria is, once again, threatening our way of life. Although the situation can look pretty dim, new solutions are under way. Here we meet the researchers who are developing new smart ways to defeat the bad bacteria.



**TITLE :**

The time factory  
La fabrique du temps

**LENGTH :**

53'

**DIRECTOR:**

Herlé Jouon

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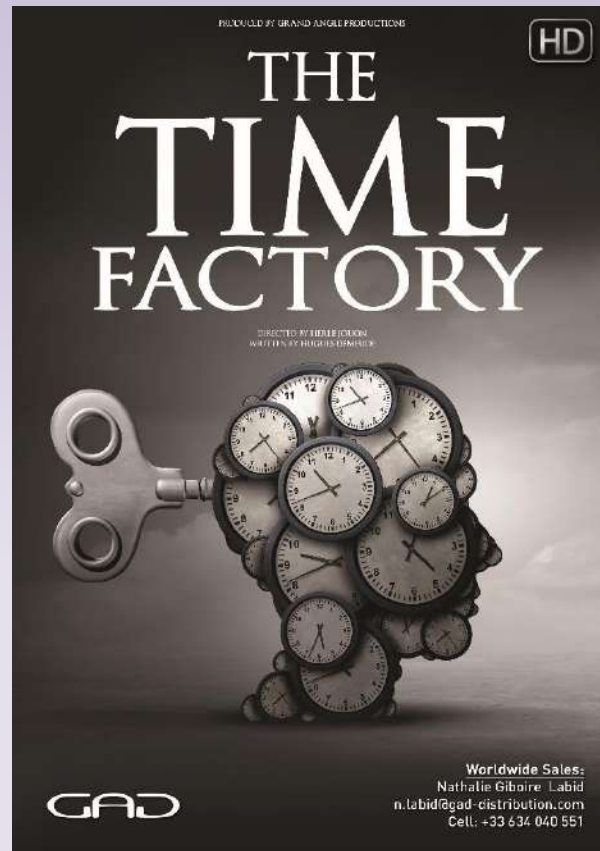
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**A unique and captivating documentary on the story of humanity's quest to measure time.**

Since prehistoric times, man has sought to measure time, to organize social and religious life, to plan food supply... Today we can surf the Internet, geolocate, pay by credit card ... All our daily lives depend on time and the synchronization of clocks. The history of the invention of time and of the ways and instruments to measure it is a long story...

**TITLE :**

The ultimate passage  
L'ultime passage

**LENGTH :**

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Pierre Barnérias

**PRODUCER:**

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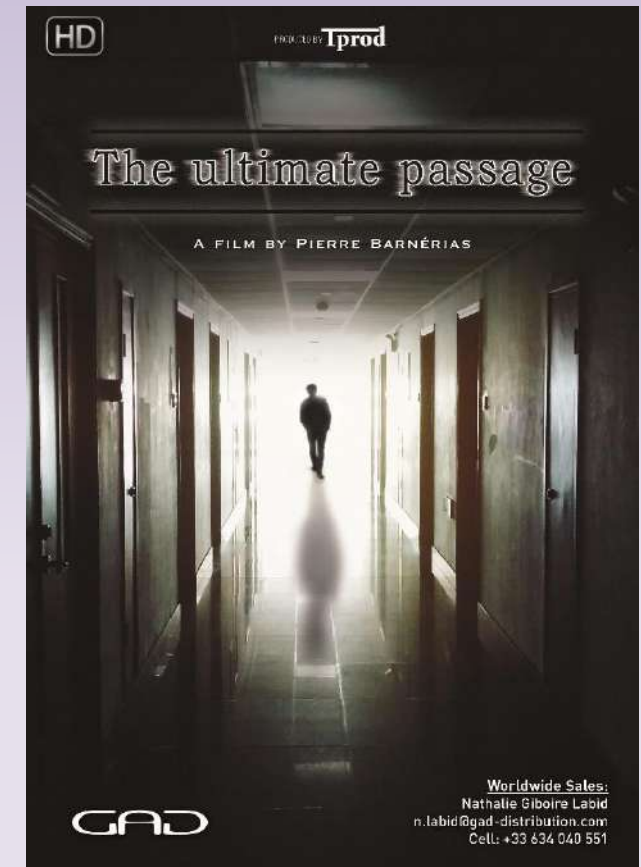
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**They were all declared clinically dead by doctors.**

After decades of silence, they decide to share their unforgettable and life changing experiences for the very first time. In this investigation on the afterlife, scientists try to find answers to these unexplainable experiences...which could shake up 400 years of traditional medicine...

**TITLE :**  
 Job: Astronaut  
 Profession : Astronaute

**LENGTH :**  
 92'

**DIRECTOR:**  
 Alain Tixier & Vincent Pérazio

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From the very beginnings of Man's first missions into space to our days via the preparation of astronaut Thomas Pesquet and his international crew, and the state of scientific knowledge in 2016...

Before his six-month Proxima mission, as a flight engineer for Expeditions 50 and 51, he underwent intensive psychological, physical, and scientific training.

**TITLE :**

From ISS to Mars -  
space, the future of the  
earth?

De l'ISS à Mars -  
l'espace, avenir de la  
terre ?

**LENGTH :**

54'

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Alain Tixier & Vincent  
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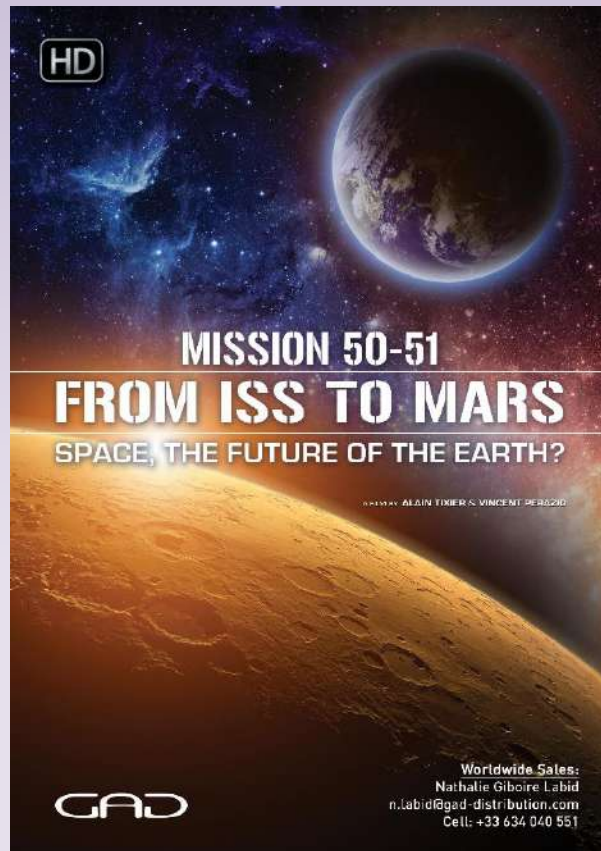
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Hurling at 28,000 km/h around the Earth aboard the ISS, Frenchman Thomas Pesquet, American Peggy Whitson and Russian Oleg Novitsky carry out experiments in association with laboratories all around the world on various solutions for preparing extended missions such as the one whose destination is Mars.

**TITLE :**

Bacterial World -  
Microbes that rule our  
world

Le Monde Bactéries -  
Ces microbes qui nous  
gouvernent

**LENGTH :**

54'

**DIRECTOR:**

Stéphane Bégoin

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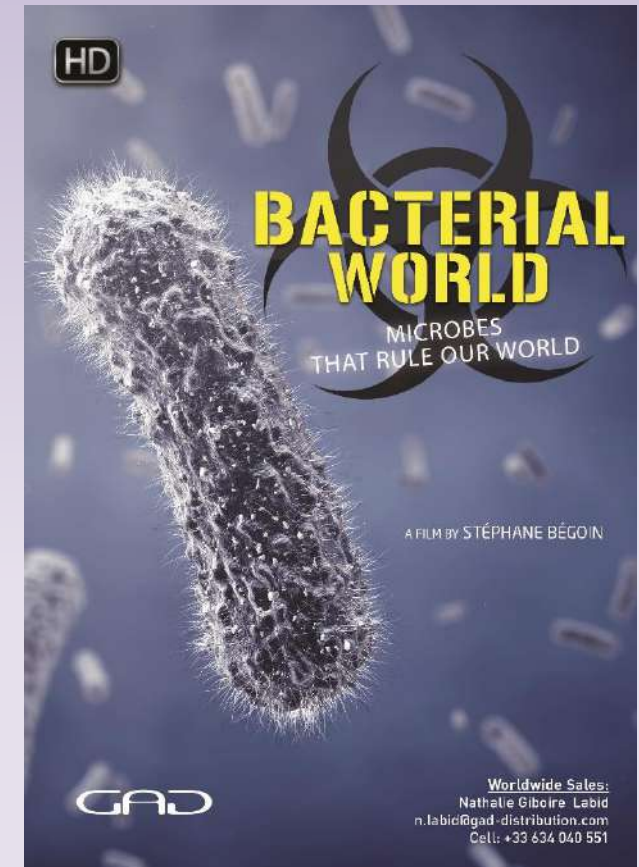
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**How bacteria play a crucial role in our survival ?**

If two people kissing for ten seconds exchange 700 species of millions of bacteria, can you imagine how many of these microbes live on earth? Bacteria came to existence 3.5 billion years ago and since then been an intrinsic part of most of the species helping them breath, digest and reproduce. Their indispensability to every organism has led scientists to ask: Are bacteria driving life on earth?



**TITLE :**  
Mosquitoes on the rise  
Dans l'œil du moustique

**LENGTH :**  
53'

**DIRECTOR:**  
Patrice Desenne  
& Frédéric Létang

**PRODUCER:**  
Grand Angle Productions

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Deforestation, migration, toxic chemicals coupled with other factors have increased the population of mosquitoes. They are now able to reproduce in cold climates making the spread of diseases like Zika, Dengue more prevalent than before. While scientists have found innovative ways to neutralize the insect, the threat of deadly illnesses will persist until we are able to create ecological balance.

**TITLE :**  
The Lyme disease, a silent epidemic  
Maladie de Lyme, l'épidémie silencieuse

**LENGTH :**  
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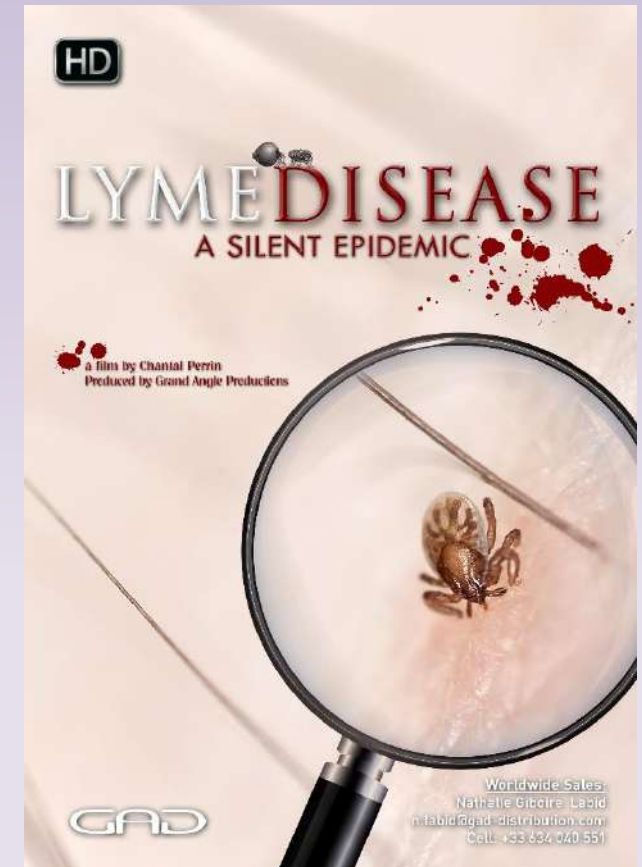
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Lyme disease is a bacterial infection transmitted by ticks and it is spreading throughout the world at an alarming rate. Facial paralysis, painful joints, meningitis... For sufferers it's a living hell. Faced with this disease the medical profession is at a loss, impotent even: unreliable testing, uncertain therapeutic protocols, a scientific community that is divided... Taking no sides, this documentary explores the hidden side of this affair...

**TITLE :**  
The Placebo effect  
L'effet Placebo

**LENGTH :**  
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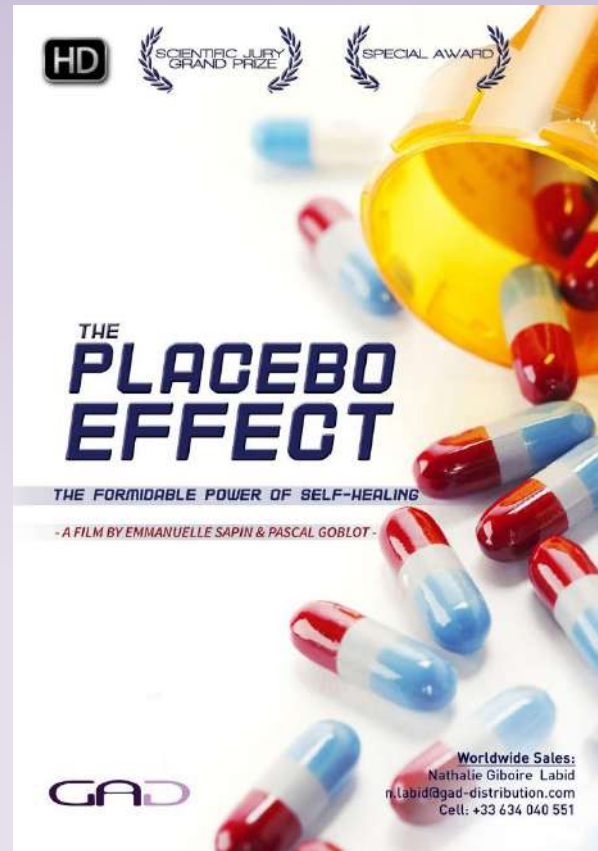
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The placebo effect has long enjoyed a notorious reputation. To attribute a cure to the placebo effect, was to consider, with a touch of contempt, that the illness was the product of the mental state of a hypochondriac. If he invented his illness, he could invent his cure. Now, in contradiction to these theories, scientific studies carried out over recent decades show that the placebo effect can result in physiological changes that are both observable and quantifiable.

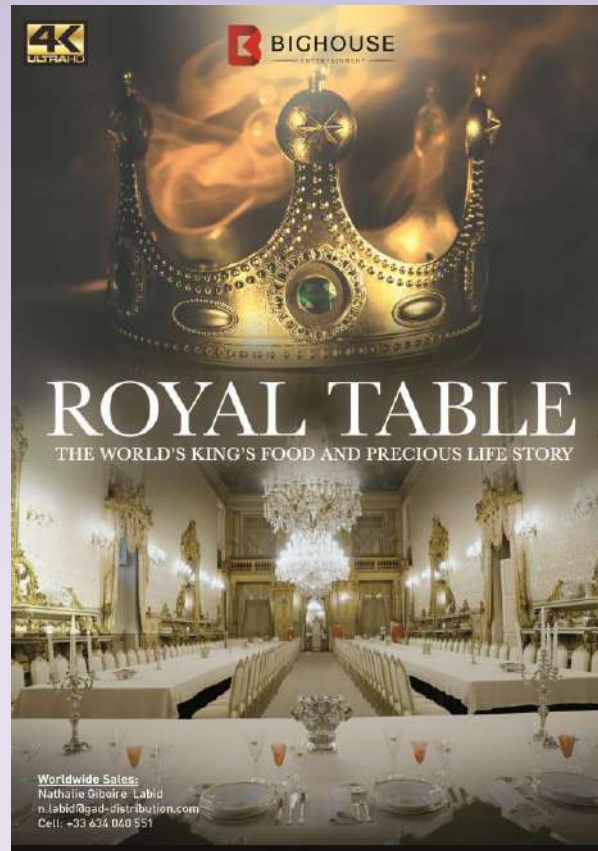
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Royal Table

**LENGTH :**  
8x52'

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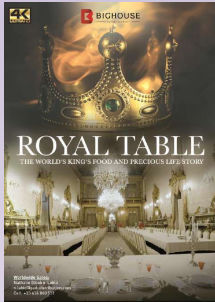
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**Embark with the kings on a culinary voyage around the world!**

Royal cuisine has always fascinated. Today, it reveals its finest secrets. What are the ingredients and foods that graced their tables? What significance does it have? Through inimitable dishes, we discover a unique link between history, culture and food.



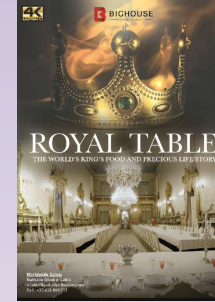
**PORTUGAL**



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Europe's small giant, Portugal! Uncover the epic narrative within the kitchen of the Abbays dynasty, which led European gastronomy during the Age of Exploration while seeking spices.

**AUSTRIA**



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Descend into the late 19th century as the Habsburg dynasty concludes its reign. Explore the last imperial family's favorite dishes, providing solace during their decline.

**TURKEY**



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Through the palace cuisine of the Ottoman Empire, experience the best dishes loved by sultans and the enchanting tales of Medicine and Food Homology.

**SPAIN**



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Spain, where the world's culinary cultures coexist—ancient Rome, Arab influences, and the Mediterranean.

Witness the enormous changes brought to the dining table by the birth of the 15th-century Spanish Empire and the discovery of the Americas.

**FRANCE**

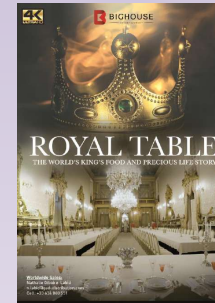


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France, the country of the world's top three cuisines!

Explore the royal cuisine from Louis XIV to Marie Antoinette, discovering the artistic values and life stories embedded within.

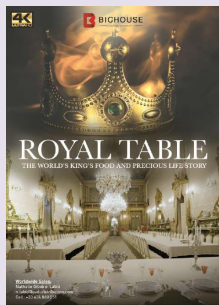
**KOREA**



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Inviting distinguished individuals with life dramas to savor the solemnity of the Joseon Dynasty's hidden court, filled with heartfelt history, tradition, and philosophy, while hearing the tales of nobility.

**VIETNAM**



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The Nguyen Dynasty was the last dynasty of Vietnam from 1802 to 1945.

Foods and systematic system eaten by 13 emperors and the imperial family

**INDONESIA**



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Indonesia, a spice paradise made up of over 17,000 islands that exploded the desires of Europe in the 15th and 16th centuries.

A world of food containing the narratives of the existing King of Ubud in Bali and the Sultan of Yogyakarta.

**TITLE :**  
 The glorious history of French cuisine  
 Dans les cuisines de la France

**LENGTH :**  
 52'

**DIRECTOR:**  
 Stanislas Kraland

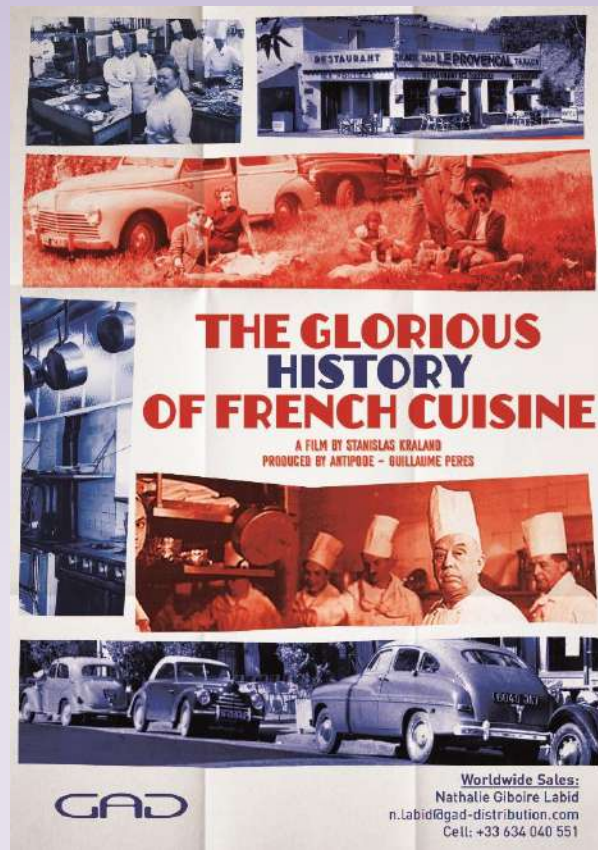
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### How did France become the country of gastronomy?

During the 1900's, thousands of motorists took to the roads of France for the first time. And in particular on the Nationale 7 which links Paris to the French Riviera. At each stop, restaurants and inns opened to serve this new clientele. Thus were born true dynasties of cooks who would make France THE country of food.

**TITLE :**  
 Who wrote the New Testament ?  
 Qui a écrit le Nouveau Testament ?

**LENGTH :**  
 53'

**DIRECTOR:**  
 Laure Leibovitz

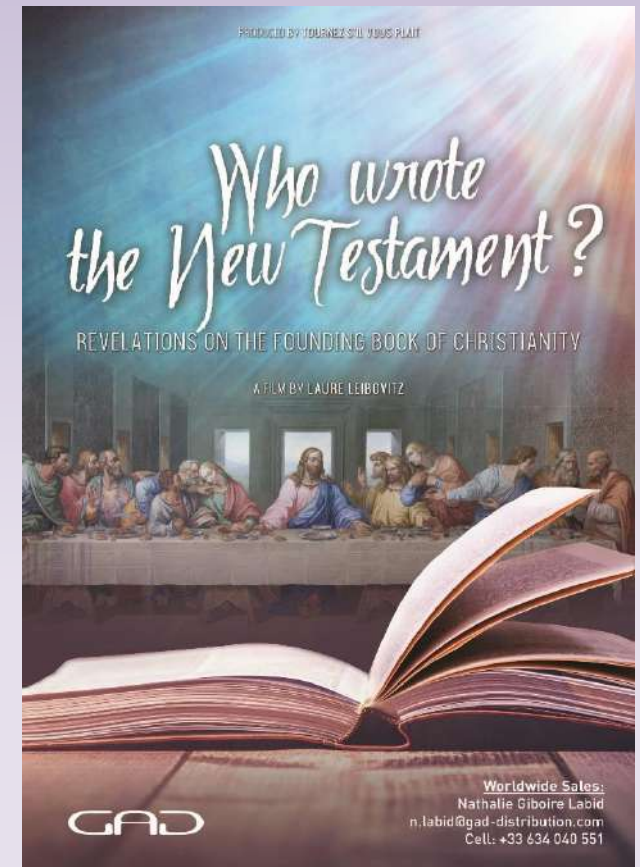
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### A fascinating archaeological and scientific investigation on the origins of the founding text of Christianity.

When was the New Testament, the founding text of Christianity, written? Who wrote it? Under what circumstances and with what objective? To try to answer all these questions, the greatest specialists in the study of the holy text, historians, epigraphists, archaeologists, will be called upon to solve the mystery and find the trace of the real authors of the New Testament..



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 Sapiens and the sea:  
 prehistory underwater  
 Sapiens et la mer: la  
 préhistoire engloutie

**LENGTH :**  
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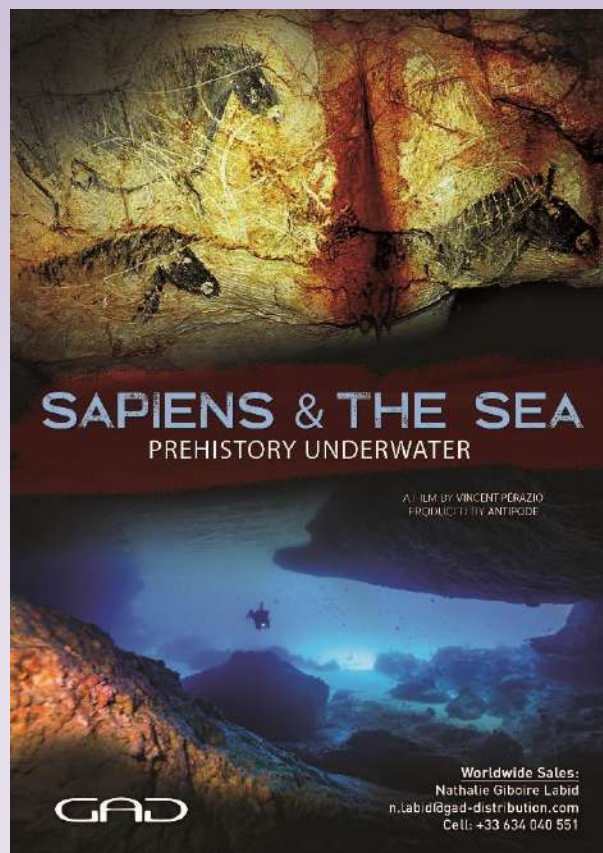
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**The extraordinary discovery of the Cosquer cave, considered one of Europe’s most important in prehistory.**

From the Mediterranean to the Atlantic, scientists are reconstructing vanished geographies. Prehistorians are questioning the resources drawn from the coast. Others are taking a fresh look at what we thought we knew: our maritime presence is much stronger than we thought. All are gradually revealing the link that has so long united man with the sea.

**TITLE :**  
 The daughter of the  
 Yellow Rive  
 La fille du fleuve jaune

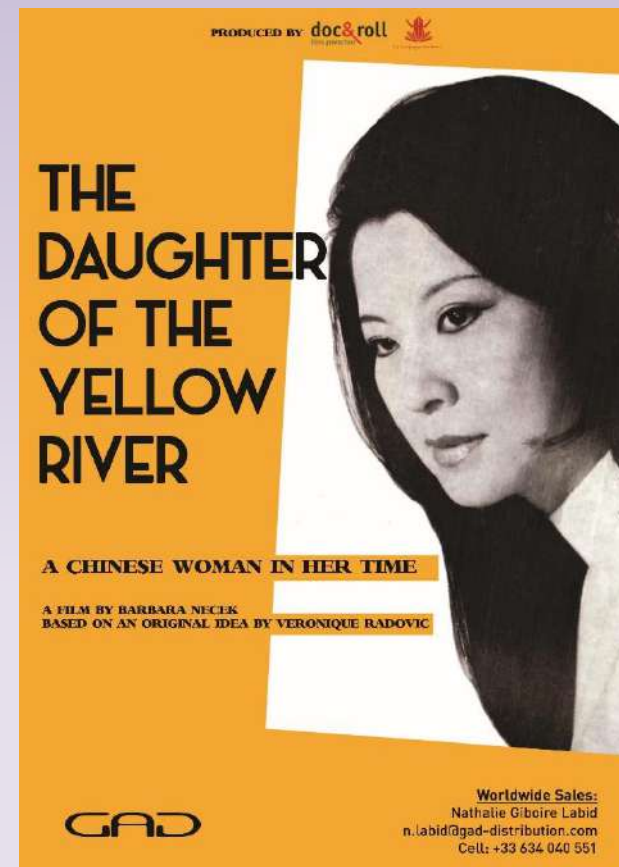
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**The captivating epic of Franco-Chinese pianist Chow Ching Lie.**

Chow Ching Lie’s unconventional, intimate story is closely linked to the upheavals that China underwent in the 20th century. She rose from nothing to become an adored pianist, a successful writer and a businesswoman rooted in two cultures: China and France.

**TITLE :**

Louis Blériot, the impossible crossing  
Louis Blériot, l'impossible traversée

**LENGTH :**

54'

**DIRECTOR:**

Vincent Amouroux & Laurent Mizrahi

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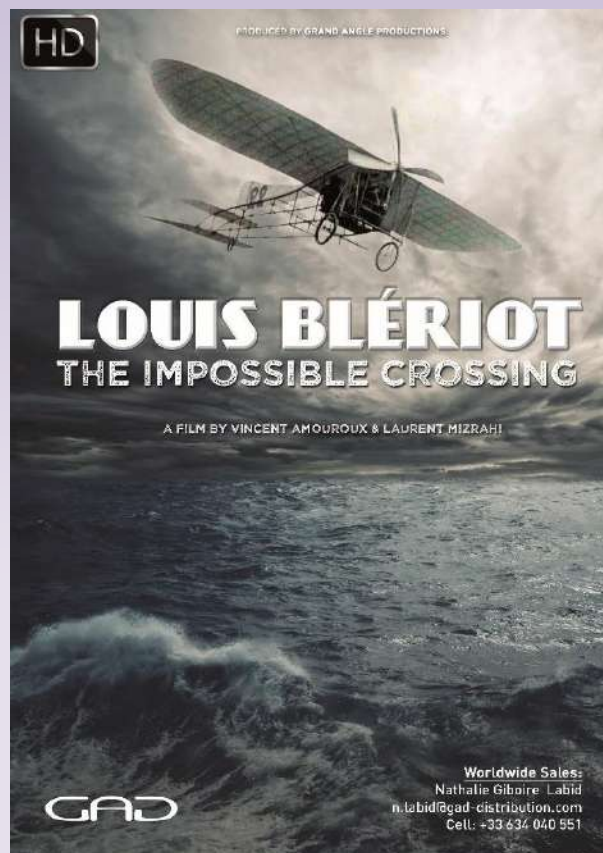
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**A great documentary on the significance of the first cross-channel flight that marked the beginning of aviation.**

This is the story of a French aviator and his incredible challenge: the first ever overseas flight across the English Channel in 1909. 110 years later, a team of Blériot XI enthusiasts makes the crazy gamble to fly their fully authentic reproduction of the aircraft across the channel, propelled, for the first time, by its original engine.

**TITLE :**

Who wrote the Bible ?  
Qui a écrit la Bible ?

**LENGTH :**

54'

**DIRECTOR:**

Nathalie Laville

**PRODUCER:**

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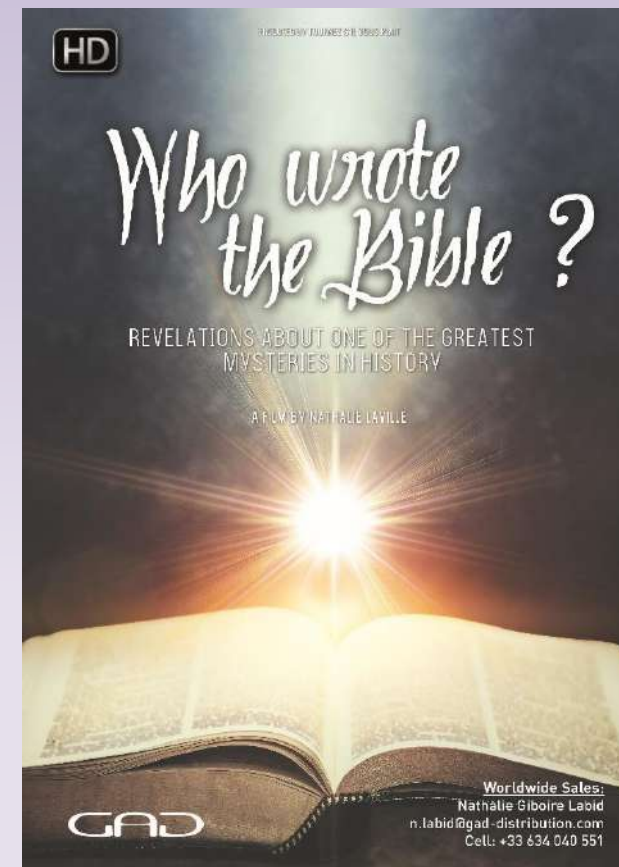
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**A fascinating archaeological and scientific investigation on the world's best-selling book.**

When was the Bible written ? Who wrote it? Under what circumstances ? For what purpose ? These questions have long remained unanswered. Meet the most eminent specialists in the Bible who try to unearth brand new information and answer the enigmatic and fundamental question : who wrote the Holy Book ?



**TITLE :**  
And there was music  
Sapiens, et la musique fut

**LENGTH :**  
53'

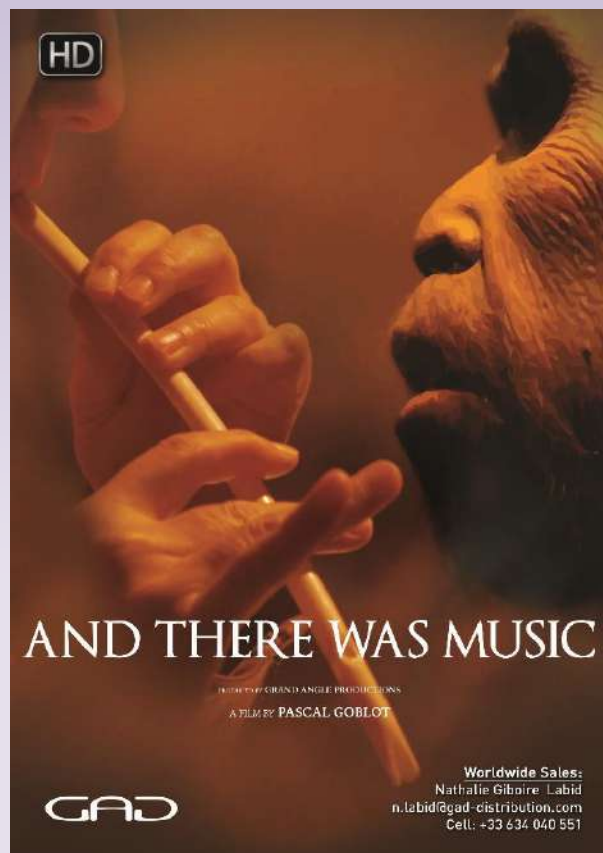
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Music is everywhere: in bars, churches, shops, ritual ceremonies, in the headphones of our smartphones, in both public places and private places ... It adopts an infinite number of different forms, as varied as the forms of the living world. Everything around us happens as if music had proliferated over time, transforming itself through a series of mutations. Through the story of this journey, through image and sound, this film will seek to show how music, ultimately, is inseparable from our humanity.

**TITLE :**  
The real story of the Raft  
of the Medusa  
La véritable histoire du  
Radeau de la Méduse

**LENGTH :**  
90'

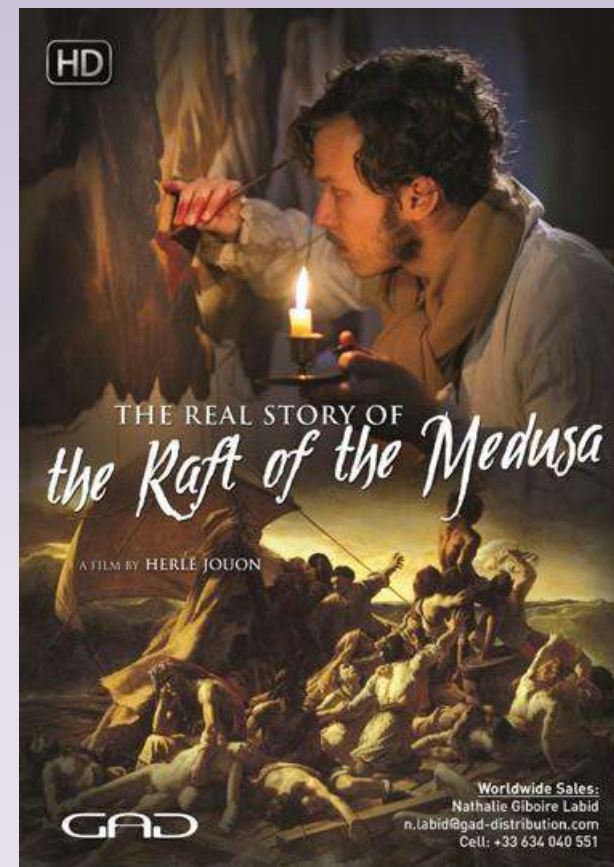
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The Machine... that was the name given to the raft of the Medusa by those whose sorry task was to build and launch it at the height of the storm. 148 sailors and one woman, willingly or not, were heaped aboard this makeshift craft. 7 were to survive. Many people know Gericault's magnificent and frightening painting. But who knows the real story that lies behind this world-famous painting?



**TITLE :**

The Sun King's Secret Shipwreck  
L'épave cachée du Roi Soleil

**LENGTH :**

55'

**DIRECTOR:**

Adrienne Ciuffo,  
Scott Stevenson

**PRODUCER:**

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Dassault Systèmes,  
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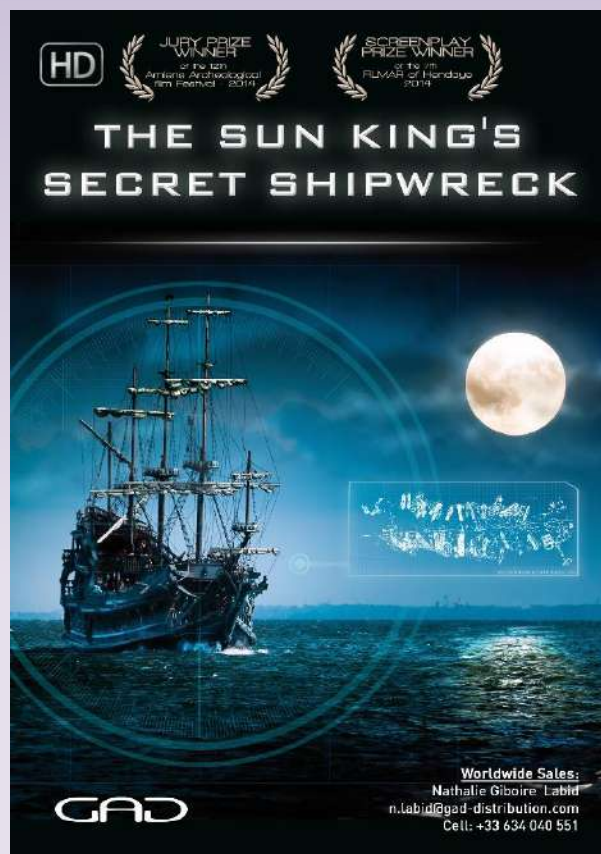
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Louis XIV's ship La Lune was wrecked off Toulon in November 1664. The ship was returning from an expedition to the Barbary Coast with nearly one thousand people on board, simple seamen or nobles of the highest rank. In an instant all was lost, men and their belongings, the cargo and the ship. Michel L'Hour, whose renown in the domain of underwater archeology needs no introduction, invites us on an exceptional dive. A wreck that he considers to be unique in the world...

**TITLE :**

Objective Moon  
Opération Lune

**LENGTH :**

85'

**DIRECTOR:**

Pascal Guérin  
Herlé Jouon

**PRODUCER:**

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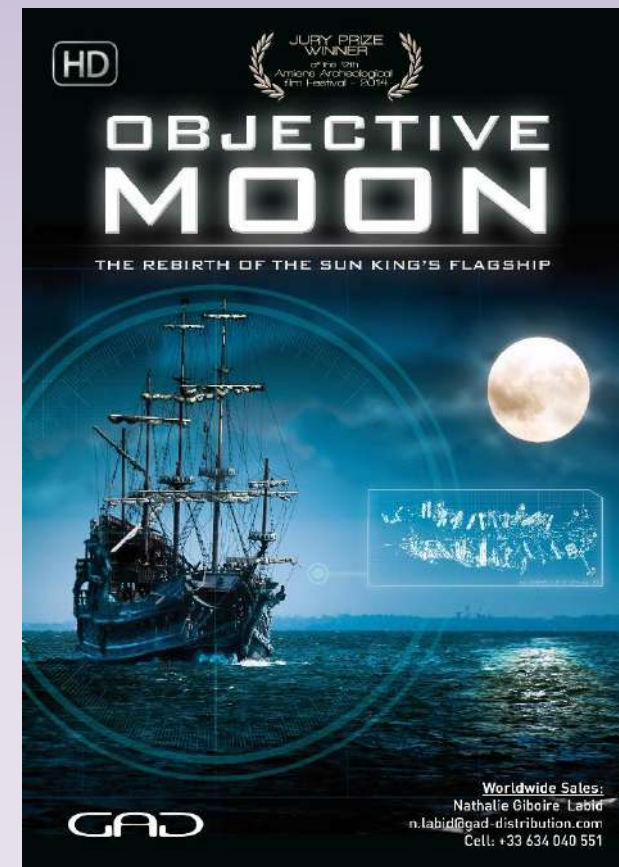
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**TITLE :**  
 SOS Vessel in Distress  
 SOS Equipage en détresse

**LENGTH :**  
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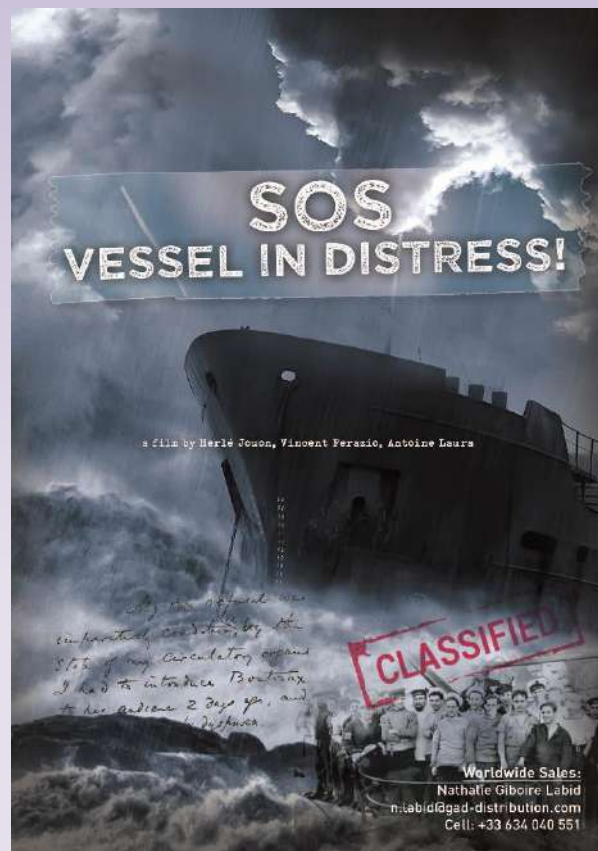
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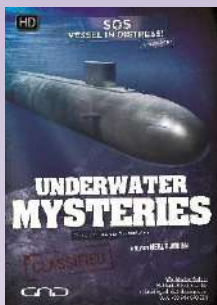


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SOS is the ultimate cry for help of a crew in distress... Royal ships, supposedly unsinkable vessels, abandoned crews, ecological disasters, unexplained disappearances, abysses and remains require additional decoding...

Using the latest technologies, and with the assistance of the finest archeologists, historians and naval engineers, this documentary series retraces, minute by minute, the exact circumstances of these disasters.

## UNDERWATER MYSTERIES

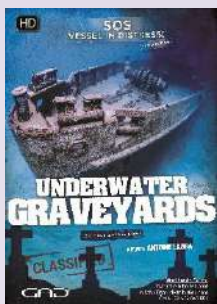


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U-171: German u-boat torpedoed off the Brittany coast (Groix, France) during the Second World War.

The Vendémiaire: French submarine at the beginning of the 20th century. The sinking is related to a maneuvering error in Brest harbor (France).

## UNDERWATER GRAVEYARDS



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The Joola: Senegalese ferry working between Dakar and the Casamance. Overloaded, it sank during service in 2002 (over 2,000 victims).

The Niobe in 1940: a French ore freighter sunk by the Germans in 1940 (nearly 1,000 victims).

## SECRETS OF THE KING



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Lune: Louis XIV's supply ship that capsized off Toulon (France). Nearly 800 perished at sea.

Vasa: Swedish ship that sank on its maiden voyage just one mile off the coast. Today there is a museum in Stockholm dedicated to the ship.



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Arkeo - season 2

**LENGTH :**  
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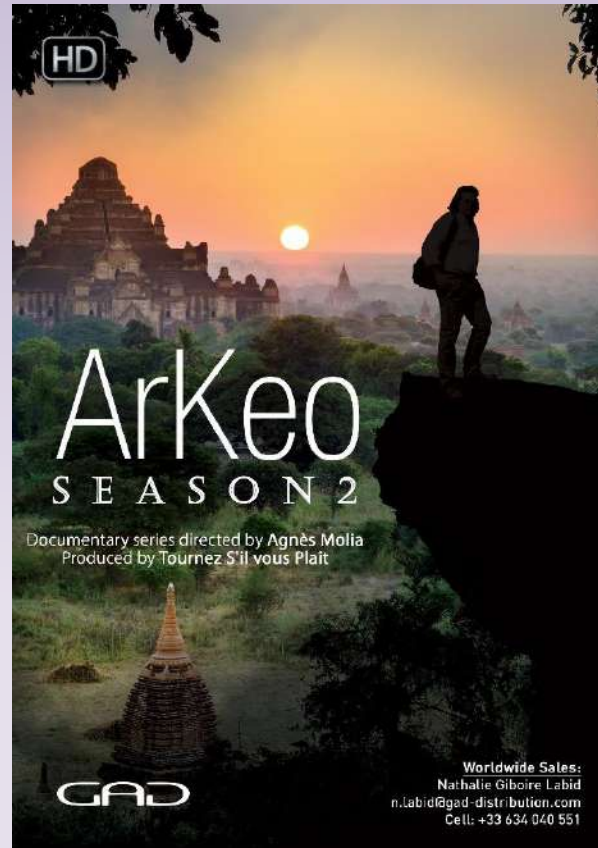
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Who are the builders of Stonehenge? What is the secret behind Choquequirao? Who lived in the lost city of “cuidad perdida”? Peter Eeckhout is back on the road to meet with other archeologists from around the world to reveal their recent findings in this second season of Arkeo.

- 1 - Chachapoyas, living with the dead (Peru)
- 2 - The first shamans of South Africa
- 3 - The builders of Stonehenge (England)
- 4 - The sacred geography of the Incas (Peru)
- 5 - The lost city of the Tairona people (Colombia)
- 6 - Crete, the myth of the labyrinth (Greece)
- 7 - Teotihuacan: the birth of a metropolis (Mexico)
- 8 - Greenland : a Viking epic (Greenland)
- 9 - The unknown people of the Amazon Rainforest (Amazonia)
- 10 - The forgotten history of the Swahili people (Tanzania)

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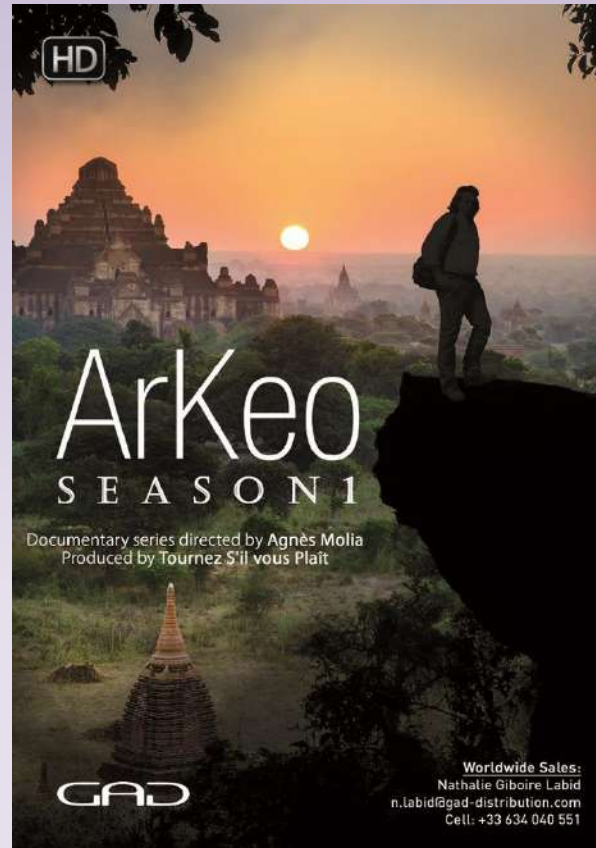
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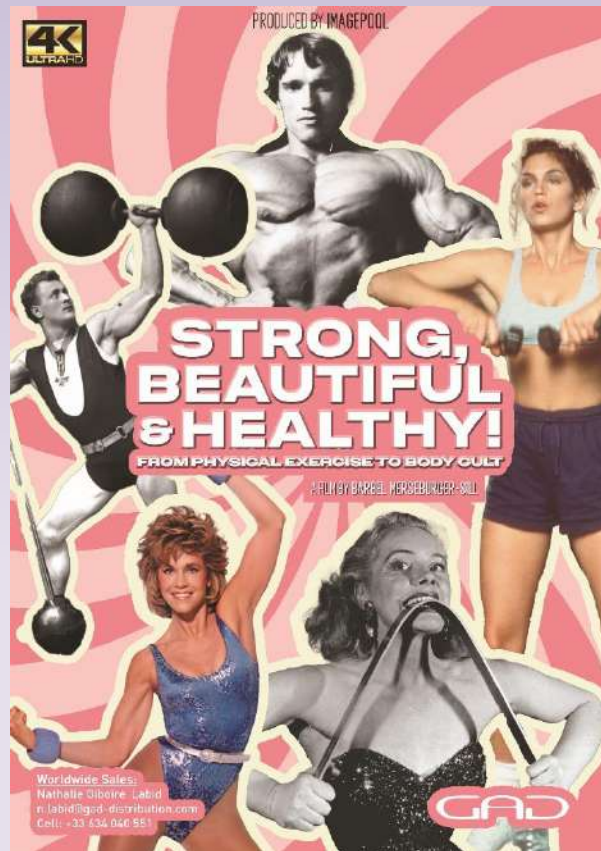


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How did the Rapa Nui people disappear? Is South Africa the cradle of Humankind? What is the secret behind the Nazca Lines? Around the world, archeologists are trying to shed light on the great enigmas of history. One of them, Peter Eeckhout, travels to meet his colleagues, unpacks their research, and reveals their latest findings...

- 1 - Persepolis, the Persian paradise (Iran)
- 2 - Great Zimbabwe, Rediscovering the Past (Zimbabwe)
- 3 - Yakoutia, a Siberian mystery (Siberia)
- 4 - The Great Book of the Aborigines (Australia)
- 5 - Lake Titicaca, the sea of the Tiwanaku (Peru)
- 6 - Fragrances of Antiquity (Italy)
- 7 - The legend of Lalibela (Ethiopia)
- 8 - The origins of Angkor (Cambodia)
- 9 - Hegra: in the footsteps of the Nabataeans (Saudi Arabia)
- 10 - Mayan astrology: an instrument of political power (Guatemala)
- 11 - Pachacamac: the « Lourdes » of the pre-Columbian era (Peru)
- 12 - Ichijōdani: a return to the source (Japan)
- 13 - Troy, close to the myth (Turkey)
- 14 - Easter Island, the big taboo (Chili)
- 15 - Orkney Islands: A neolithic pilgrimage (Scotland)
- 16 - Twilight of the Mochicas (Peru)
- 17 - El Agar : A forgotten civilization (Spain)
- 18 - The first Americans (Brazil)
- 19 - Nero's folly (Italy)
- 20 - The secret of the lines of Nazca (Peru)

**TITLE :**  
Strong, Beautiful & Healthy  
Fitnessmania  
**LENGTH :**  
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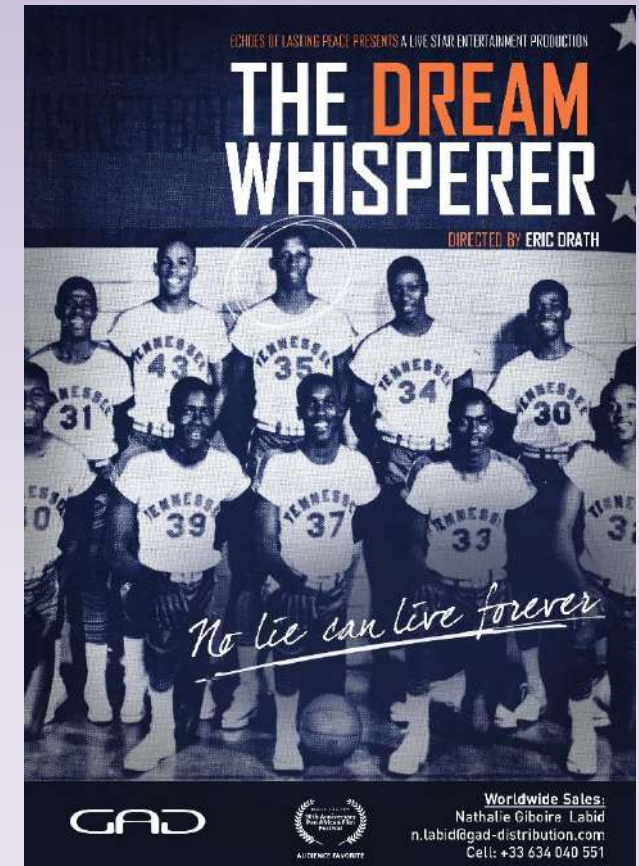


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**Powerful biceps with impressive muscles - a must-have for everyone?**

In ancient times, a trained, muscular body was purely a man's thing. Nowadays, it is considered an essential prerequisite for a healthy, long life for everyone. From the world-famous fitness icons such as Arnold Schwarzenegger, Jack LaLanne, Joseph Pilates, Pudgey Stockton to bodybuilders from the GDR we have learned that the current craze for strength training has always been a topic of interest and discussion in the 20th century.

**TITLE :**  
The dream whisperer  
**LENGTH :**  
57'  
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Echoes of lasting peace  
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A man's quest to ensure his civil rights-era basketball team is not lost to history. In the midst of segregation, the all-black Tennessee A&I Tigers were the first collegiate basketball team to win three consecutive national championships. Yet they were never duly recognized for this singular achievement. The team's captain, legendary Knicks player Dick Barnett, began a nine-year quest to ensure his team's immortality. His tenacity, dedication, and struggle finally paid off.



**TITLE :**

The rope epidemic  
L'épidémie des cordes

**LENGTH :**

53'

**DIRECTOR:**

Sergio Guataquira  
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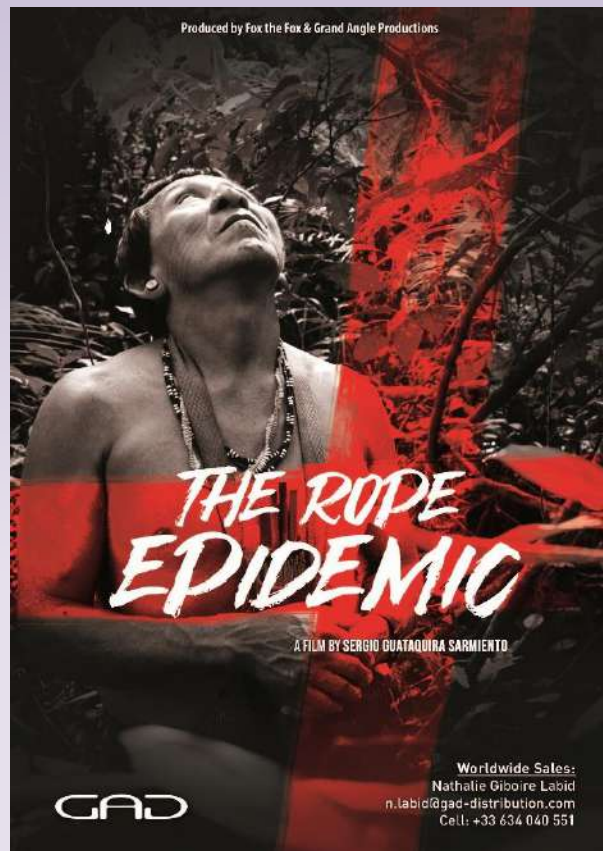
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Since the 2000s, several waves of suicides have followed one another in the Amerindian population of the Colombian Amazon. Men kill themselves out of love because their wives leave them for “white people.” The whites think that the Indian does not feel anything because they do not express themselves like them. Is it possible that a whole people, the Cáuas Indians, feel nothing, have no feeling and no words to speak of love?

**TITLE :**

The weight of the  
Antarctic  
Le poids de l'antarctique

**LENGTH :**

53'

**DIRECTOR:**

Marjorie Cauwel-  
Lambert

**PRODUCER:**

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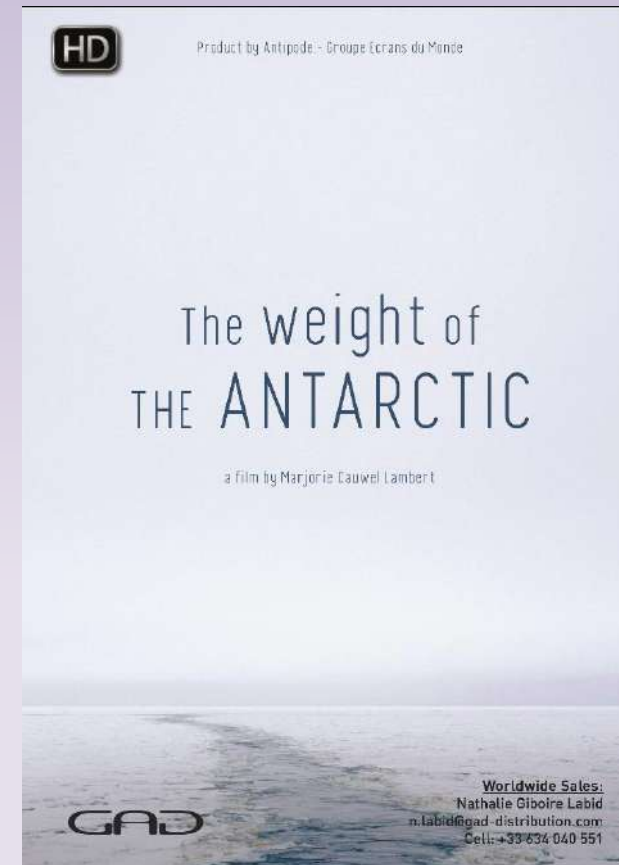
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Located on the coast of Adélie Land, the Cap Prud'homme science base is like a little world outside our world that houses a few dozen people during the austral summer. Scientists, logisticians, mechanics, a cook and doctor form a small society whose common project is to advance science. Vincent is a glaciologist, he has been part of this community for ten years. This documentary will follow him in his activities and try to identify the strengths, beauty and fragility of the commitment of these men.

**TITLE :**  
First steps at the Opera  
Premiers pas à l'Opéra

**LENGTH :**  
73'

**DIRECTOR:**

Carole Grigy

**PRODUCER:**

Les Films Jack Fébus

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They are singers, musicians and directors. They are between twenty and thirty years old. They have been chosen for their excellence and start their residency at the Academy of the Paris Opera. Culture and music are their trump cards and their strength. We keep pace with their apprenticeship, their art, their doubts and hopes until they take their first steps on the stages of the Bastille or the Garnier Opera houses. This film is their story.

**TITLE :**  
Tracking Zika  
Sur le fil du Zika

**LENGTH :**  
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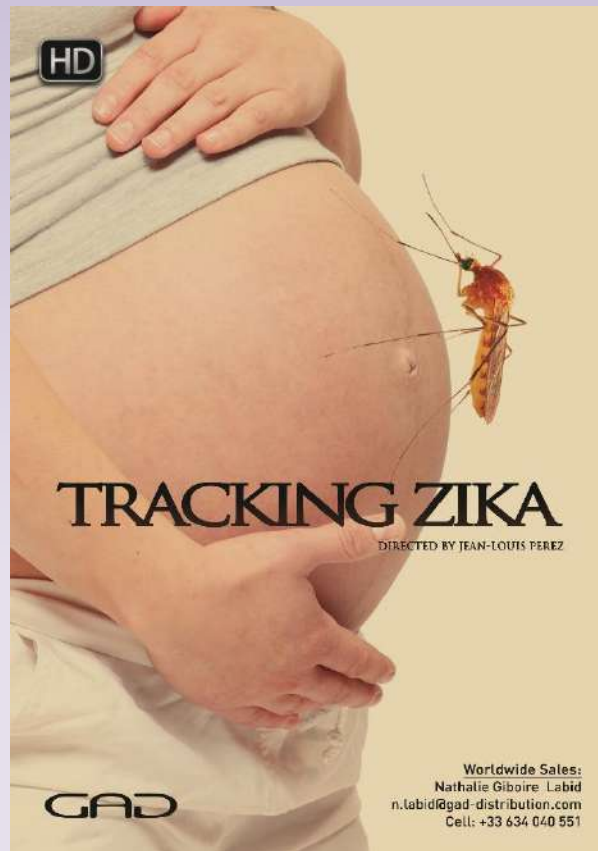
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Zika: this rather cute little name is that of a forest in Uganda where the virus of the same name was first identified in 1947. Since 2013, Zika, until then virtually forgotten at the far end of the world, has suddenly been in the glare of the spotlights. The overseas territories, and in particular the islands, which have a fundamental role to play, host us for a journey into the heart of this difficult combat.

**TITLE :**  
Maids: Docile and Invisible, a Story on Domestic Worker  
Petites bonnes asiatiques, invisibles esclaves modernes

**LENGTH :**  
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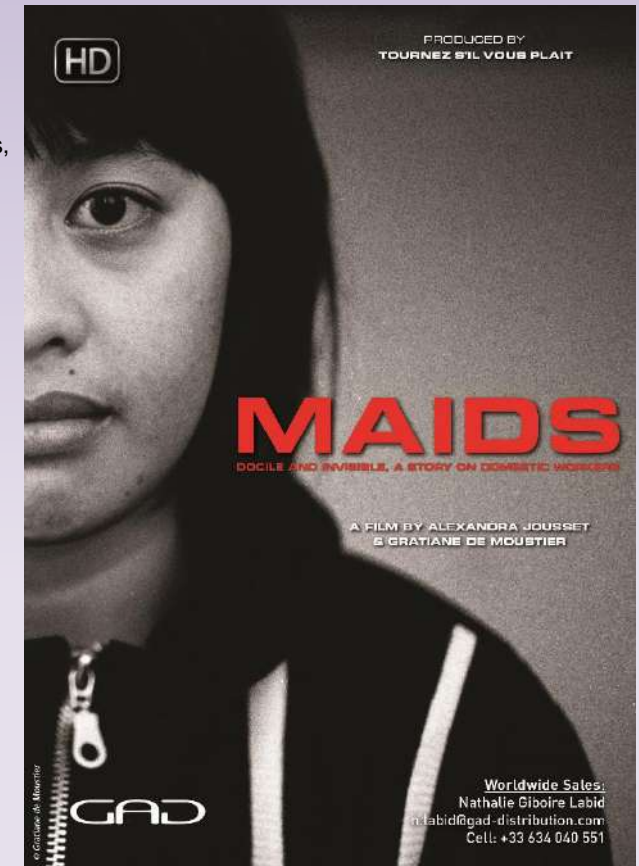
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In the Philippines, a country which prides itself as an “exporter of labor”, thousands of women on a daily basis leave their families to work abroad as domestic help. However, with no unions or laws to protect them, they get the raw end of the deal, often mistreated and made to live in inhuman conditions. In worse-case scenarios, they face severe physical, sexual and mental abuse. Only a fraction of women approach NGOs and that too as a last resort.



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Fukushima

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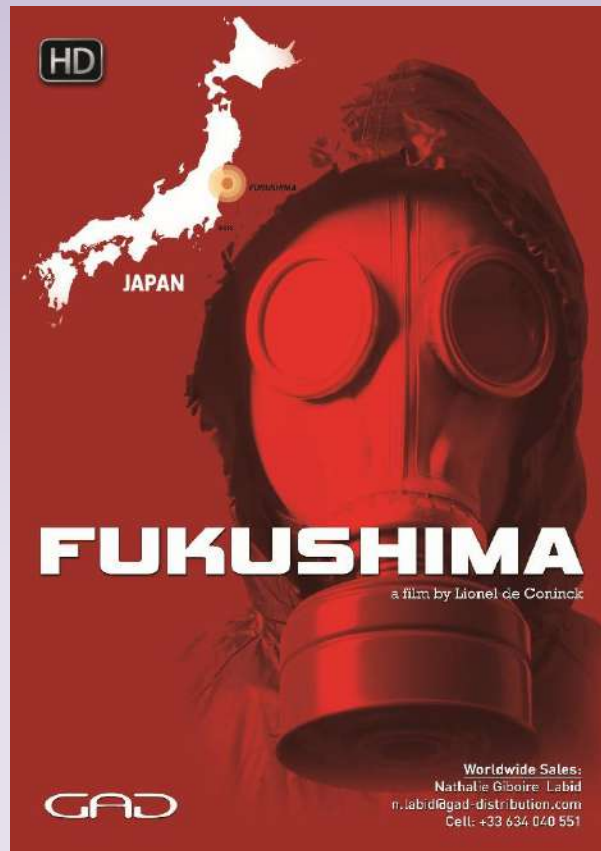
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On March 11 2011, three of the four reactors at the Fukushima Daiichi nuclear power plant exploded. A nuclear disaster that has « officially » caused the death of two people so far ; two workers at the nuclear plant who died after cases of devastating leukemia. But four years after the disaster, the truth surfaces little by little... The first patients, mostly children, have developed thyroid cysts. An investigation into a nuclear scandal...

**TITLE :**  
Body Language  
Ce corps qui parle

**LENGTH :**  
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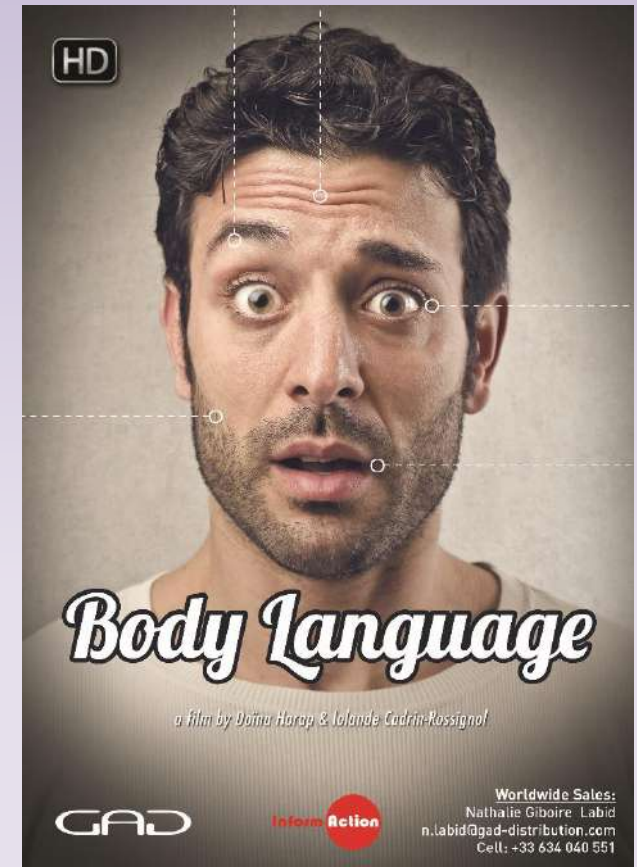
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We communicate more with our body language than our words. Did you know that human expressions are the same across the world? Scientists, having known this fact, are building tools to decipher not only our thoughts and emotions but also our intentions. They have made significant progress in utilizing these tools for market research, helping kids with cognitive development and even in predicting suspicious behavior.

**TITLE :**

Moo! The epic horns  
 Meuh! L'épopée des cornes

**LENGTH :**

4x52'

**DIRECTOR:**

Xavier Lefebvre

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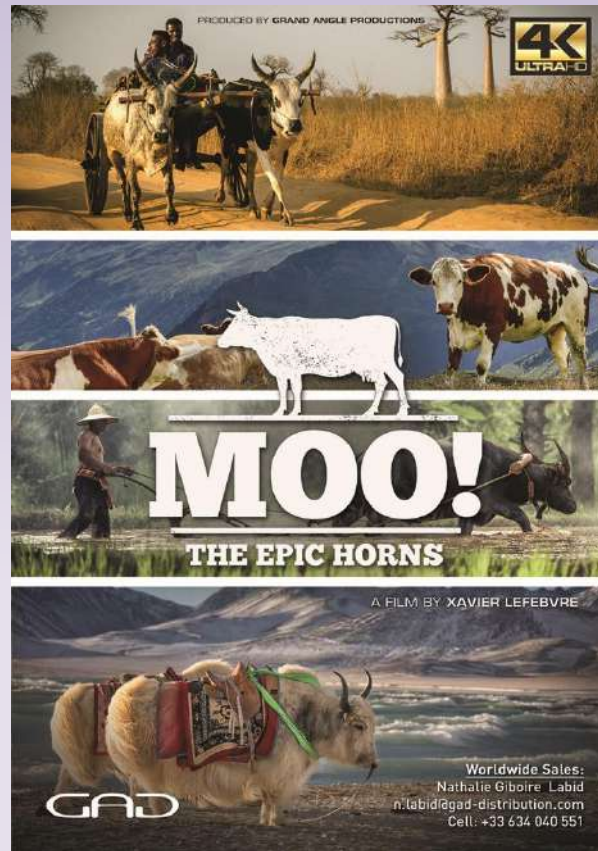
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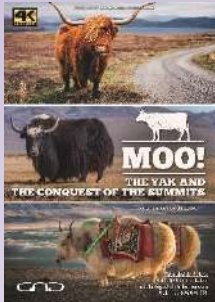
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At the dawn of time, their hoof prints mingle with those of Humans. Step after step, century after century, the great bovine family has accompanied humankind. As essential partners on our greatest territorial conquests, they continue to change the world at our side even today. From their wild forms to the multiple domestic breeds they produced, the bovines have thus gone side by side with our civilizations throughout our History. This series takes us along their trail.

**THE YAK  
AND THE CONQUEST OF THE SUMMITS  
(INDIA, SWITZERLAND)**



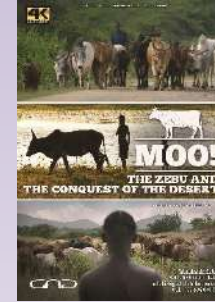
In Northern India, the yak is the indispensable auxiliary of a nomadic life at an altitude of nearly 5000 meters.

In Switzerland, a herder gives the yak a role in the future of our mountains.

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**THE ZEBU  
AND THE CONQUEST OF THE DESERT  
(INDIA, BRAZIL, SWITZERLAND, ETHIOPIA)**



A slender body surmounted by a fatty bump, loose skin and floppy ears: the Zebu is an animal adapted to extreme heat. Humans knew how to tame its wild ancestor to transform him into a long-term companion cut out for great migrations. Set off alongside us to explore arid lands around the world, the zebu show us that its adaptability is almost limitless.

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**THE BUFFALO  
AND THE CONQUEST OF THE WETLANDS  
(INDONESIA, THAILAND, BRAZIL, EGYPT)**

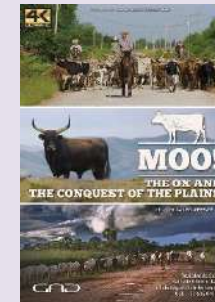


Large hooves, almost hairless, a greasy hide, a powerful swimmer's body, and disease resistance: the Asian water buffalo is the king of the wetlands. Since its domestication around 5,000 years ago in Southeast Asia on the Indian subcontinent, the buffalo have travelled around the world with us. It has changed the lives of people on all continents. By accompanying us again and again in this desire to conquer the wetlands of the planet, it has succeeded in establishing itself everywhere and sometimes even beyond our expectations.

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**THE OX  
AND THE CONQUEST OF THE PLAINS  
(TURKEY, PORTUGAL, UNITED STATES, FRANCE)**



They were domesticated 10,500 years ago in Mesopotamia, but the wild Aurochs has since disappeared from the face of the earth. Yet, its descendants, oxen, cows and bulls, continue to accompany humans on five continents.

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The return of the  
Camelids  
Le retour des camélidés

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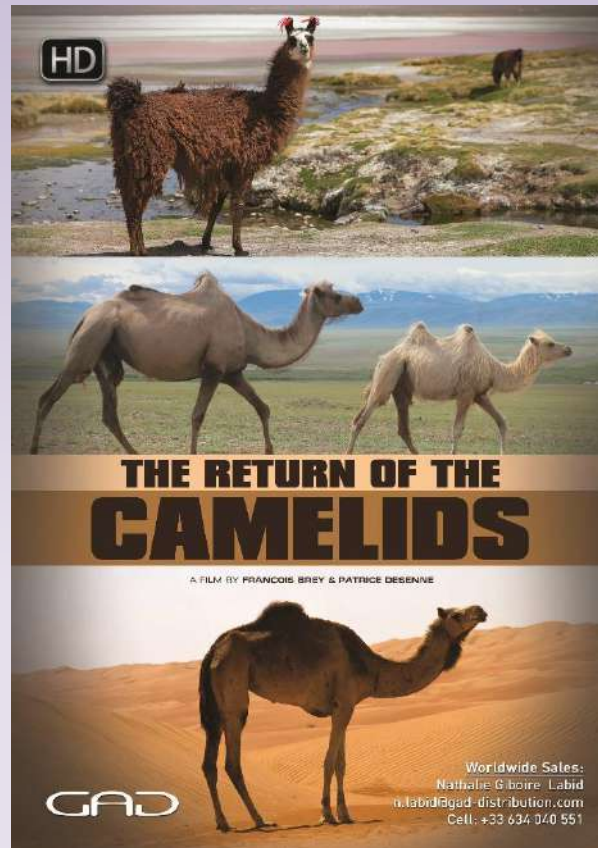
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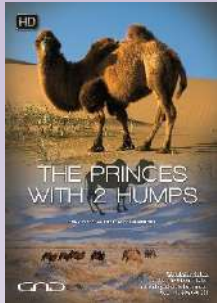
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From China to South America, in passing through the Sahara, caravan routes have been taken over by mechanized transport. Now camelids, camels, dromedaries and llamas, must be reconverted, to continue bringing life to the most arid regions of the world. They must support the millions of people who live there, and thus avoid a fatal exodus towards the outskirts of megacities. The camelid revolution is advancing!

**THE PRINCES WITH 2 HUMPS**

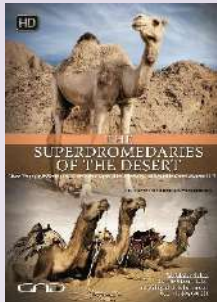
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They're camels, they have 2 humps, and they can resist just about anything: arid deserts, extreme cold, extreme heat, salt water. For 1,500 years, they enjoyed their heyday on the Silk Road, from the orient to the occident. Some have even remained wild, even in the cruelest desert of the world.

Scientists study their mysterious humps. Along with camel milk, they are the foundation of a new dairy industry. Their very fine hair competes with cashmere and wool, but they are also the guardians of the great nomadic tradition of the steppes.

Travel along the Silk Road, Mongolia, China, Kazakhstan... as well as in Canada to discover these Princes with Two Humps!

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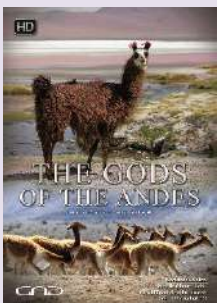
**THE SUPERDROMEDARIES OF THE DESERT**

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Dromedaries have a hump. For 4,000 years they allowed nomadic tribes to live in a very hostile environment. They are the ships of the desert. Saddle animals, pack animals, the dromedary provides man with its meat, milk, skin ... Today, with the disappearance of caravans, and the settling of peoples, they integrate into the modern world! The production of their milk has become intensive, and cheese is even made from it! The dromedary competes with the horse, with thoroughbreds racing on camel racetracks. It is the object of a high-tech reproduction, but its' almost mythical rapport with man remains.

Travel to Tunisia, Saudi Arabia, the Arab Emirates, India... and Switzerland, to discover the Superdromedaries of the Desert.

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**GODS OF THE ANDES**

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Historically, small camelids, humpless camels, have always served as valuable aids to the Andean populations. The llama and its domestic and wild cousins, the alpaca, vicuna and guanaco, provide wool and meat, and transport caravans on the Incan trails.

Mechanization, urbanization, and hunting have provoked their decline. Today, they are reclaiming their space, more and more.

Thanks to the fiber of their fur, the alpacas and vicunas are conquering the world, and help communities to live. The alpacas have come back to the land of their ancestors! Wild guanacos, once more under protection, have become the « lords of the land” again. And for the Andeans, llamas, are still sacred and irreplaceable. Travel the Americas, Peru, Chile, Canada... and France to discover the Gods of the Andes!

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Western down under  
Western aux Antipodes

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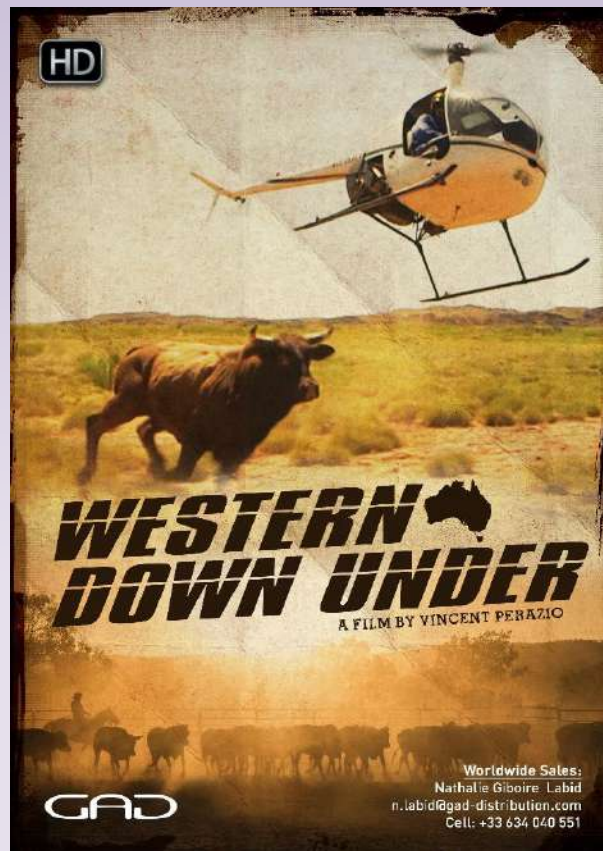
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How do cowboys in Australia operate? The Mills from Warrawagine run a million-acre ranch on which 30,000 cattle roam freely. The real action begins during the mustering period as the Mills bring in hundreds of unruly cows and bulls from the wild using choppers, buggies and bikes. Can the family survive dangerous wild animals and the difficult terrain to herd cattle worth millions of dollars?

**TITLE :**  
In the land of the turtles  
Au pays des tortues

**LENGTH :**  
52'

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Bora Bora is the pearl of the Pacific... However, behind the picture postcard images lurks the biggest traffic in turtle meat in the South Pacific. Teva agreed to take us aboard his potimararaa fast, powerful boat that can handle any sea and shake off any pursuer. Teva is a fisherman on Bora, but when fish are rare, he won't hesitate to poach turtles. Every week some 80 to 100 turtles are killed in Polynesia to end up on the plates of rich Tahitian worthies.



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Track : festins sous-marins

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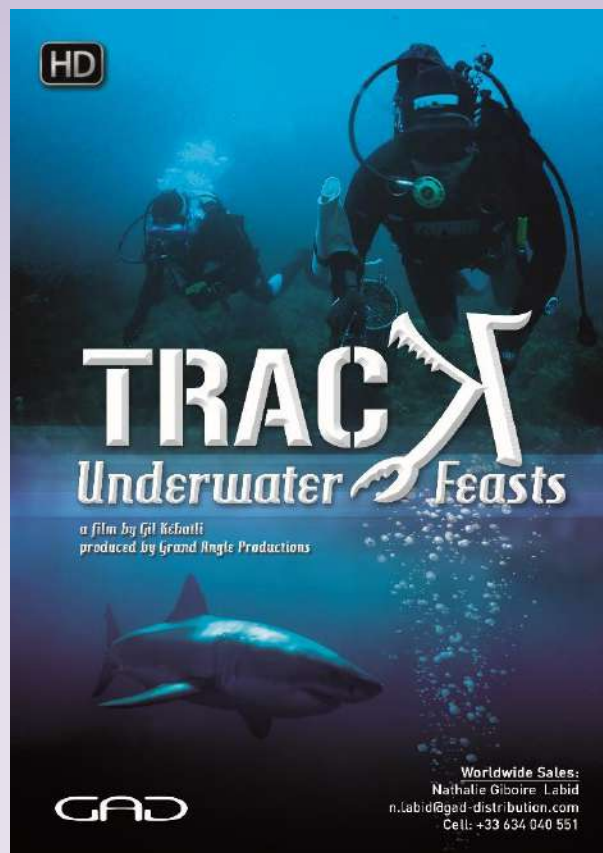
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Every year, Rob Torelli, famed spear fisherman from Melbourne, Australia, prepares for the opening of the abalone fishing season. In October the pressure mounts. He has to confront an obstacle of considerable size: the great white shark. Sabine is getting ready to join him, to share this unique and perilous moment. A few months later and a mere few cables lengths away, a fascinating spectacle is played out in secret below the water.

**TITLE :**  
The unsilent world  
Vacarme en haute mer

**LENGTH :**  
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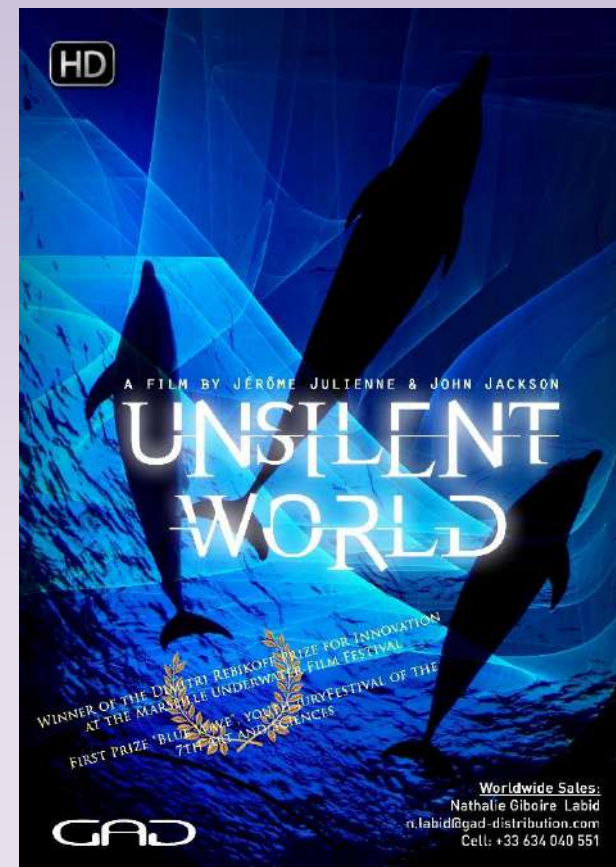
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If you listen to “the world of silence” with the super-powered ear of a marine mammal, you are immediately drowned in growling, groaning, wailing and whistling. In this world where vision is limited to twenty metres, everything is communicated by sound... a world that is one hundred times louder than a tropical forest.

**TITLE :**  
When the mermaids are singing  
Le dernier chant des sirènes

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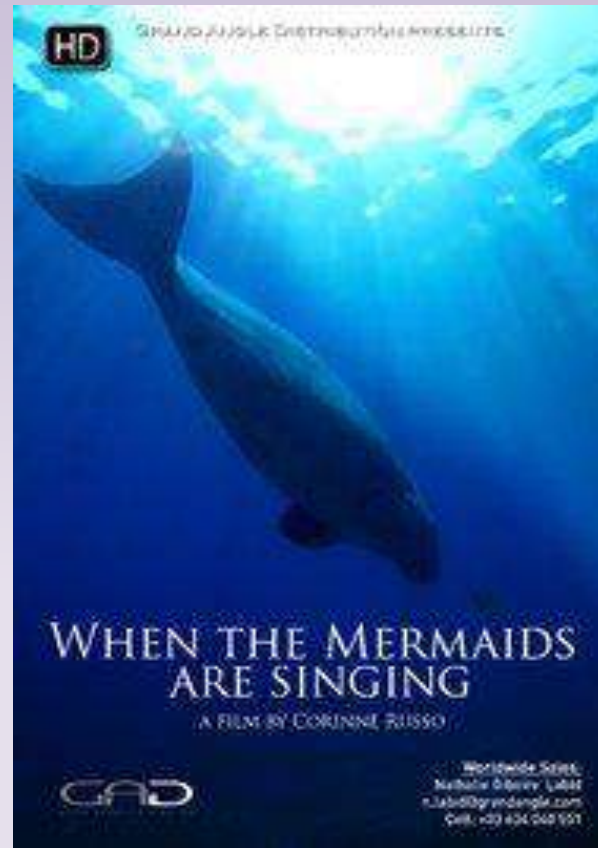
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Inoffensive and difficult to observe, dugongs are mysterious creatures. Although often described as unsightly, a number of myths and legends are attached to them, earning them the name of Sirenian. Little known to humans, the mermaid of the sea is now an endangered species. However, contact with fishermen and Torres Straits Islanders has helped us to understand their ancestral practices and the reasons why they continue ritual hunting

**TITLE :**  
 Pelagos, a  
 Mediterranean sanctuary  
 Pelagos, au cœur de la  
 méditerranée

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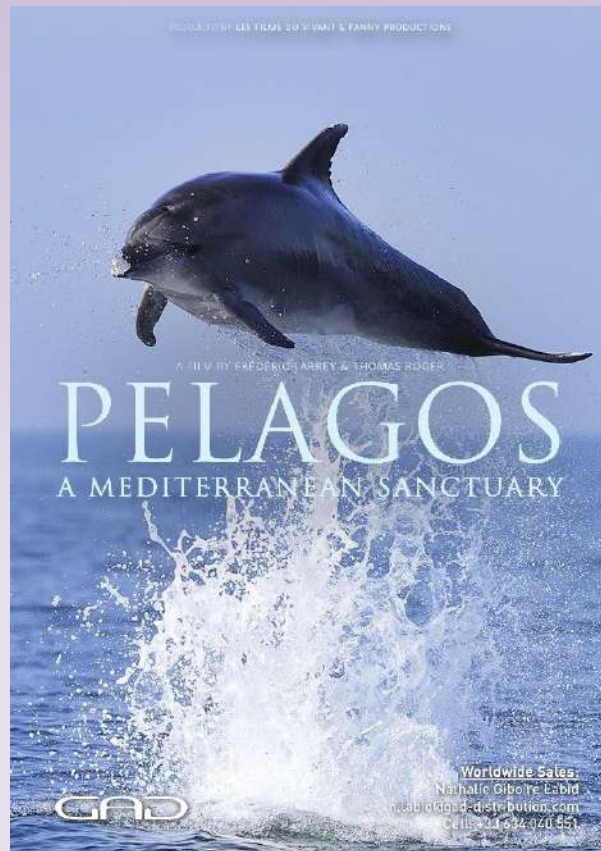
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This film reveals the unsuspected and unprecedented behaviour of several emblematic species of the Mediterranean Sea. Just a few kilometres off the coasts of France and Italy, the pelagic fauna remains largely unknown! To reveal a whole ecosystem in pictures, we're off Marseille to meet the animals of the high seas: from the giant whale to the tiny plankton!

**TITLE :**  
 Xianju, The way of balance  
 Xianju, la voie de l'équilibre

**LENGTH :**  
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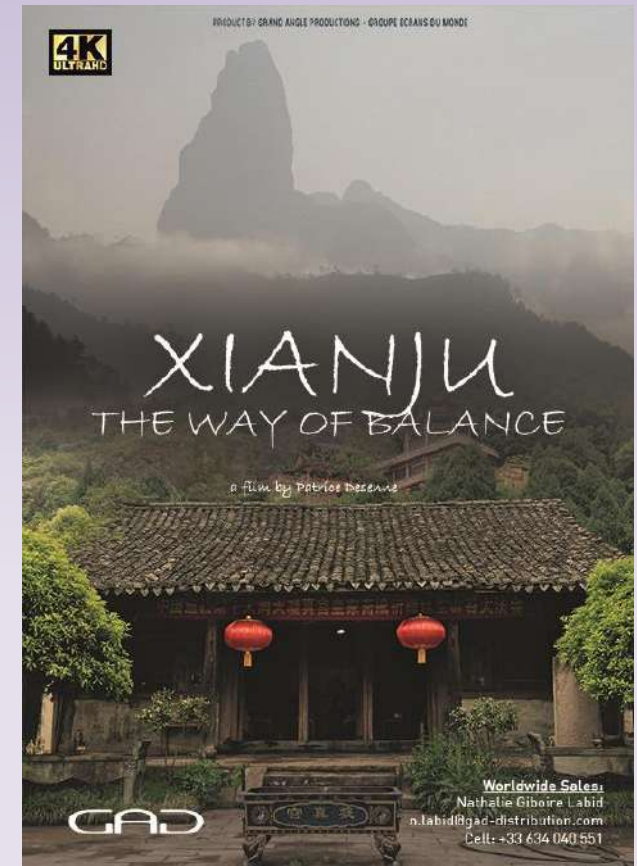
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 Patrice Desenne

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 50p  
 5.1  
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200 miles south of Shanghai lies a natural paradise: Xianju National Park. Literally called “the home of the immortals”, geologists, botanists, ornithologists and other wildlife specialists are trying to preserve it. But how to protect and develop Xianju without disfiguring it? With the help of international cooperation and China’s growing sensitivity to environmental issues, some avenues are being explored....



**TITLE :**

Nature in symbiosis  
La Nature en symbiose

**LENGTH :**

3x52'

**DIRECTOR:**

Jean-Christophe  
Chatton

**PRODUCER:**

Antipode

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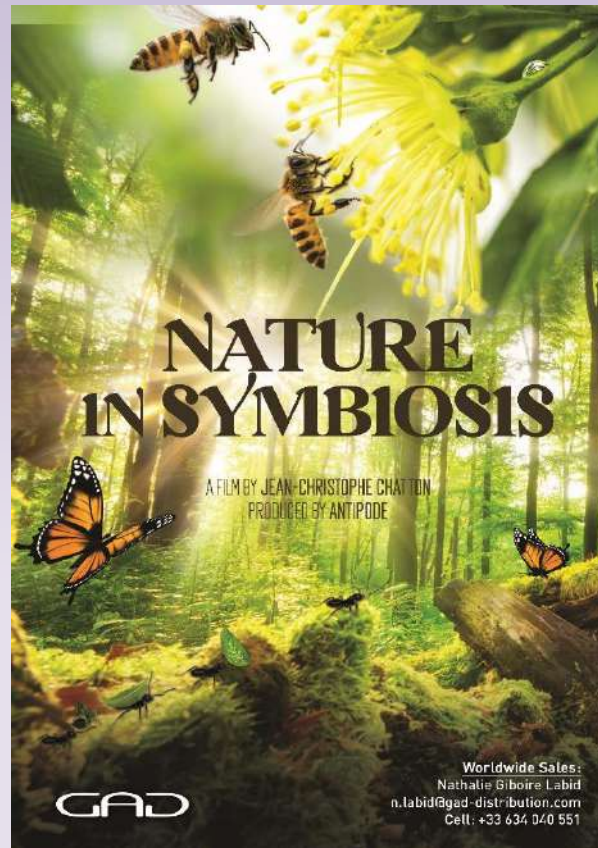
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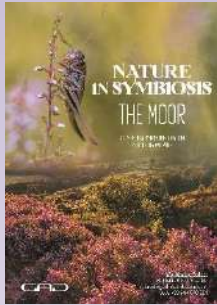
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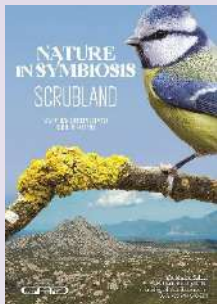
Pollination, predation, parasitism, symbiosis, biological interactions between species are incessant and essential to nature. They are even at the origin of the incredible biodiversity of our planet. To take advantage of others and often do what they cannot do themselves, living beings have had to evolve, innovate and invent. Imagination in this field knows no limits. Each species is dependent on another, and to touch one of them is to endanger all the others

**THE MOOR**

[Watch the video](#)

This is true everywhere on Earth: every species depends on another for its survival. These fantastic relationships have been forged over millions of years of evolution.

In Europe, from Norway to Portugal, the moor is a landscape exposed to the sea and the ocean, a poor, uncultivated land where fauna and flora have knitted together to allow species to survive.

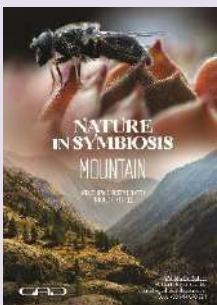
**THE SCRUBLAND**

[Watch the video](#)

This is true everywhere on Earth: every species depends on another for its survival. These fantastic relationships have been forged over millions of years of evolution.

In the maquis, the Mediterranean climate imposes its law.

Hot in the summer, mild in the winter, it fills this landscape with ferocious storms in the spring and fall. Brutal seasonal variations that force fauna and flora to help each other.

**THE MOUNTAIN**

[Watch the video](#)

This is true everywhere on Earth: every species depends on another for its survival. These fantastic relationships have been built up over millions of years of evolution.

In the hostile environment of the mountains, the fauna and flora have had to show incredible ingenuity and forge strong alliances to face the altitude and the extreme harshness of the elements.

**TITLE :**

The dark side of green energies  
La face cachée des énergies vertes

**LENGTH :**

54'

**DIRECTORS:**

Jean-Louis Pérez,  
Guillaume Pitron

**PRODUCER:**

Grand Angle Productions

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*USA*

*Norway*

*Congo*

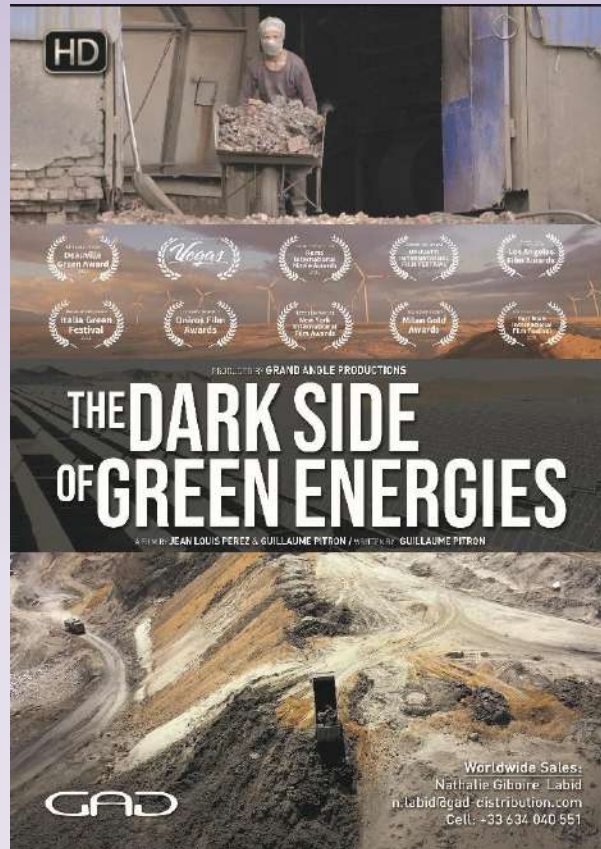
*Chile*

*Germany*

*France*

*Switzerland*

*Bolivia*



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Are electric cars, solar panels, wind turbines conserving earth's resources and putting an end to pollution? Quite the contrary; these technologies rely on rare minerals and add pressure on their resources. Mining for them releases radioactive substances & refining them needs thousands of gallons of water. Global leaders are aware of this. Why are they withholding the whole truth about green tech?

**TITLE :**

In the heart of the mountains  
Au cœur de nos montagnes

**LENGTH :**

53'

**DIRECTOR:**

Jean-Christophe Chatton

**PRODUCER:**

Grand Angle Productions

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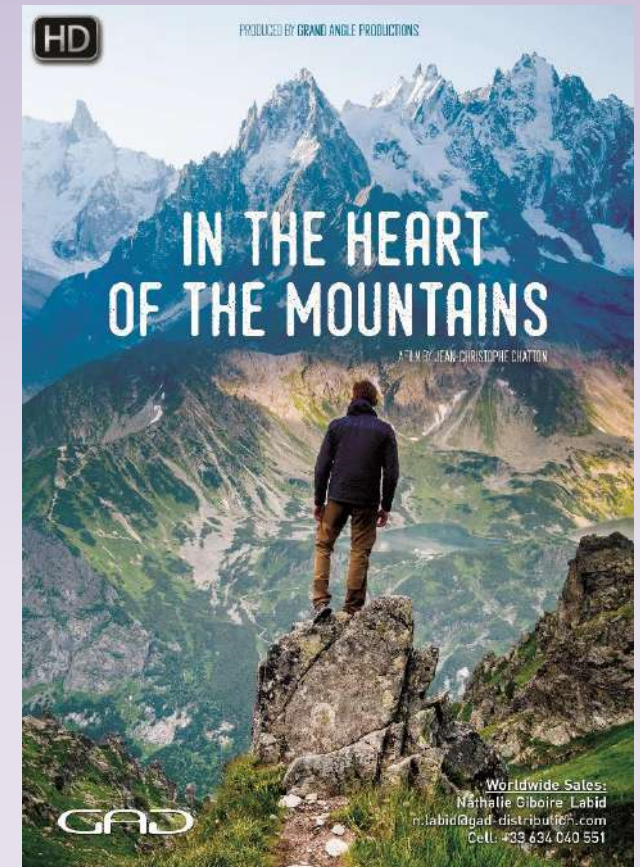
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Snow-capped peaks in the background. Green undulating meadows filled with flowers, this is the eternal image of mountain pastures that we holds in our imagination. But the heart of our mountains is first and foremost a place where men and women live and work to maintain this vast space but also to make use its resources. From the Alps to Corsica, via the Pyrenees, we take you to meet these enthusiasts who carry our mountains in their hearts!



**TITLE :**  
 Montserrat, the Pompeii of the Caribbean  
 Montserrat, la Pompéi des caraïbes

**LENGTH :**  
 52'

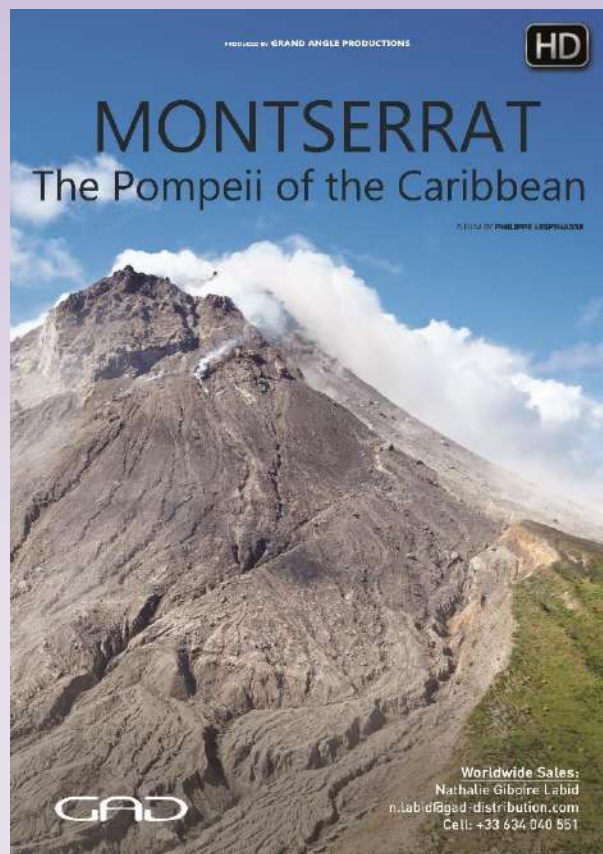
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 Philippe Lespinasse

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Volcanic eruptions can cause massive damage, as has been seen on the Caribbean island of Montserrat, which was devastated in 1995. The history of this island and the people who live here is very unique and representative of what can cause a such a terrible natural disaster. We travel here to meet the few inhabitants who continue to live here but also the scientists who have made the island a giant laboratory.

**TITLE :**  
 Nature from the Sky  
 La Nature Vue du Ciel

**LENGTH :**  
 13x26'

**DIRECTORS:**  
 Several

**PRODUCER:**  
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*Destinations:*

**Spain**

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*Andalusia 00.00.00*

**France**

*Saint-Tropez 00.00.00*  
*Ria of Etel 00.00.00*  
*Ile de Groix 00.00.00*

**Italy**

*Naples 00.00.00*  
*Puglia 00.00.00*

**Sweden**

*Stockholm 00.00.00*

**United States**

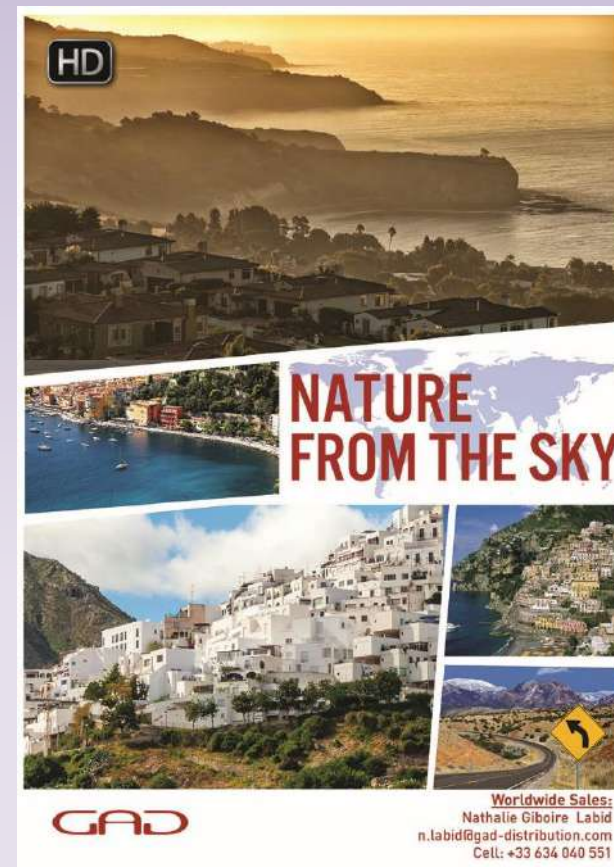
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**Mexico**

*New Caledonia 00.00.00*

**Senegal**

*West of Scotland 00.00.00*



[Watch the video](#)

One moment in the sky, the next on the earth, this series casts an original eye over some destinations chosen for their beauty, their authenticity and their richness. Using both aerial passages and stops on the ground, this “aeromovie” reveals unique landscapes that are sometimes inaccessible in order to bring you up close to the people that live there.

**TITLE :**  
Green Paris  
Paris Vert

**LENGTH :**  
46'

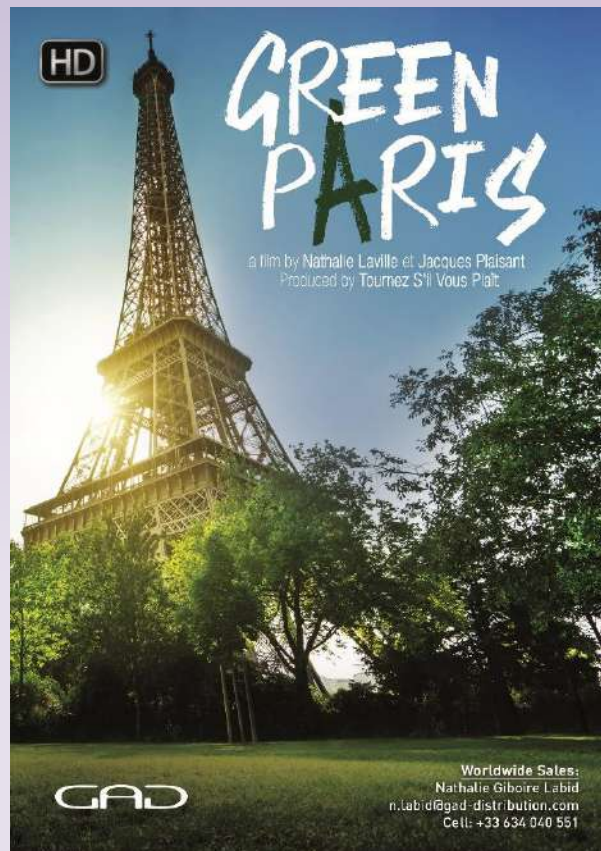
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**AVAILABLE:**  
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A big vegetable garden at the foot of the Eiffel tower, a nature zone where once there were train tracks, a primary forest and a savannah in Vincennes and in Boulogne's woods architecture and plants blend perfectly. Paris reveals its surprising green areas. This path of discovery is full of surprises. Who would have thought it possible to grow lettuce on rooftops in Paris's chic neighborhoods? Yet this is one of the harvests from the garden of a prestige hotel next to the Eiffel Tower.

**TITLE :**  
Vanuatu, laboratory of climate change  
Vanuatu, laboratoire des changements climatiques

**LENGTH :**  
53'

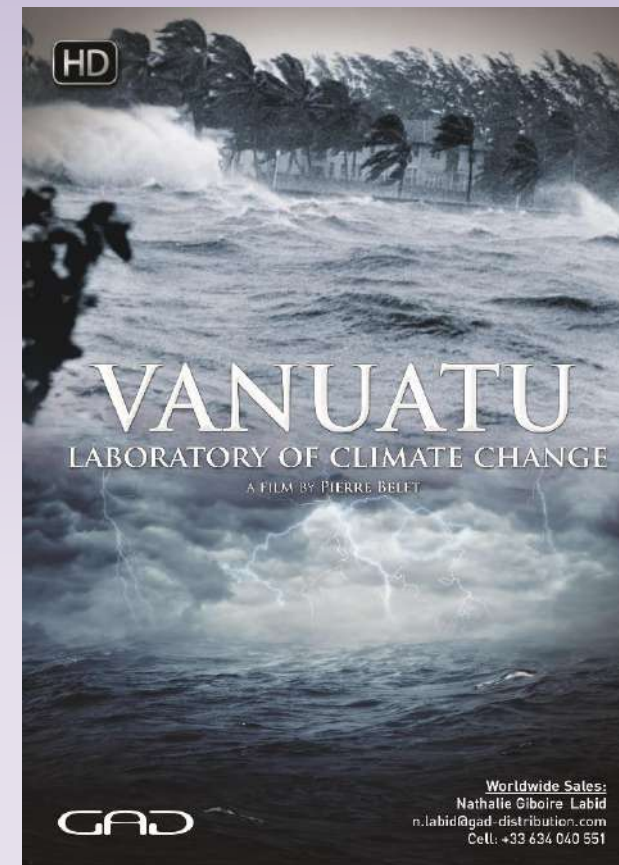
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Winds of over 300 kmh. On March 13 2015, Cyclone Pam ripped through Vanuatu with devastating power. This distant archipelago in the South Pacific is in the minds of the entire world. However, for Science, Vanuatu is the focal point of our concerns. Earthquakes, volcanic - eruptions, coastal erosion, global warming, this Eden made of coral and ash is a veritable laboratory of environmental upheaval and natural disaster.



**TITLE :**  
Nature's invaders  
Une nature envahissante

**LENGTH :**  
52'

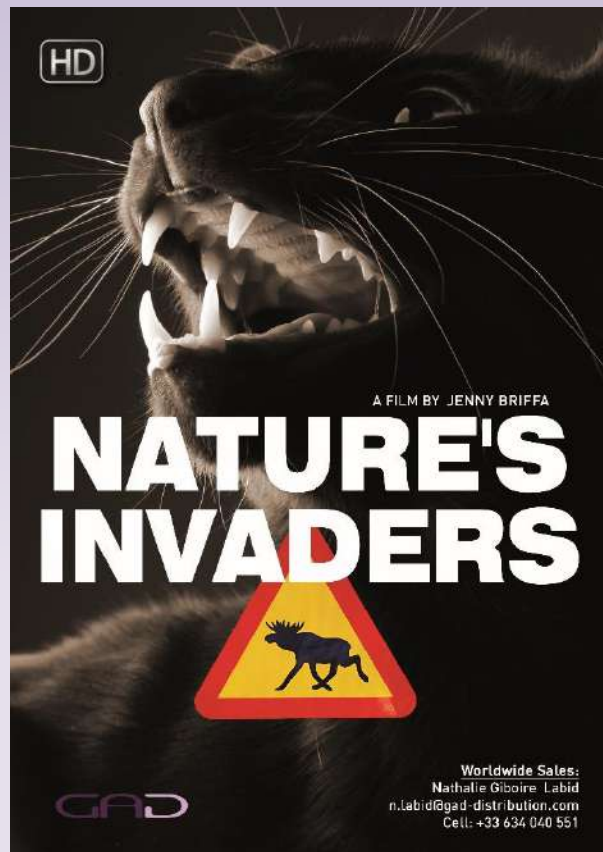
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The damage caused by invasive species in New Caledonia is now reaching dramatic proportions: deer, ants and cats are wreaking havoc with its biodiversity. Even when tiny, like the little fire ant, they are able not only to destroy specimens that are unique in the world but also bring turmoil to human lives. Scientists even believe that these clandestine varieties are responsible for the sixth extinction crisis.

**TITLE :**  
The Heart of Polynesia  
Polynésie au cœur

**LENGTH :**  
110'

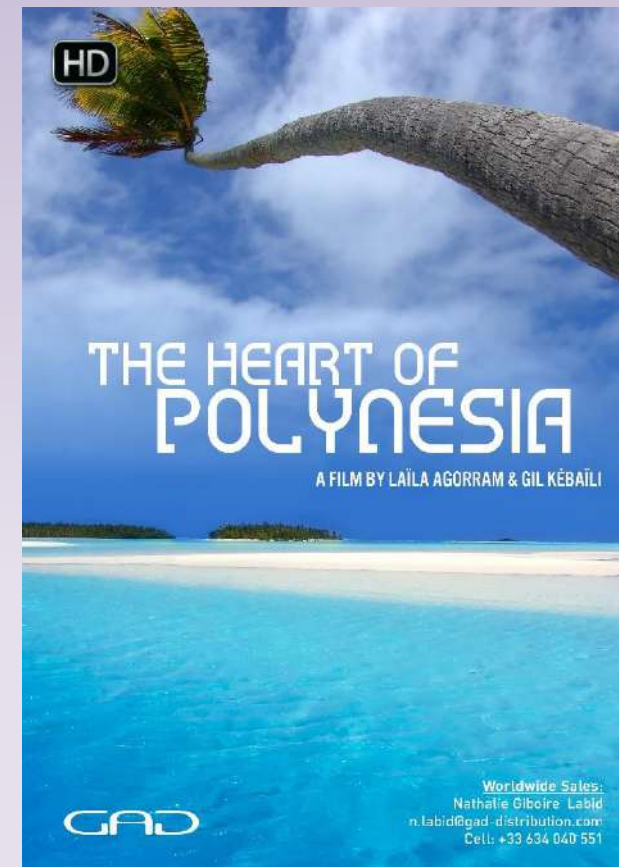
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For many of us French Polynesia can be summed up in one picture postcard island: Tahiti, with its beaches of white sand, a lagoon, fabulous underwater world and an easy way of life. And yet, all over this vast maritime country, daily life for most people is no Robinson Crusoe idyll. From the Marquesas to Tuamotu, by way of the Society archipelago, we discover the interior life of Polynesia, far from the beaten tracks of the tourists.



DELIVERY JUNE 2025

An ongoing series

**TITLE :**

Package for you !  
J'ai un colis pour vous !

**LENGTH :**

2x52'

**DIRECTOR:**

François Guillaume

**PRODUCER:**

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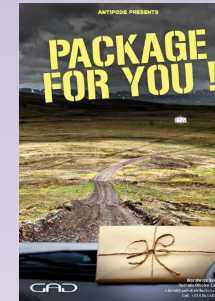
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### A human adventure in some of the world's most isolated places.

In this captivating series, we follow the letter carriers who, beyond their simple function, become the true links of these remote communities. Through their journeys, discover poignant stories and moving encounters that remind us of the importance of human contact, far from the immediacy of the connected world. A quest for meaning, authenticity and sharing.

**COLOMBIA**
[Watch the video](#)

Colombia, a vast and diverse country, is home to regions of rugged beauty, but often extremely difficult access. This documentary explores the logistical and human challenges of sending parcels to one of the most remote corners of this country, right in the middle of the Amazon rainforest. Plane, truck and boat, non-existent roads and capricious rivers, the journey promises to be incredible! Along the way, we'll become privileged witnesses to the stories and daily challenges of these communities. We'll take part in their celebrations, in their daily lives, in their sacred places.

**NORWAY**
[Watch the video](#)

Norway, with its impressive fjords and wilderness areas, offers landscapes of unspoilt beauty, difficult to access but of rare serenity. The delivery of a mysterious parcel plunges us into the daily lives of the inhabitants of Lofoten, at an essential time of the year: the "skrei" cod fishery. On this journey from Oslo, follow the characters as they brave extreme winter conditions to reach these isolated islands and discover a unique way of life.

**TITLE :**  
Ambre, travelling by hair  
Ambre coiffure, le salon voyageur

**LENGTH :**  
4x53'

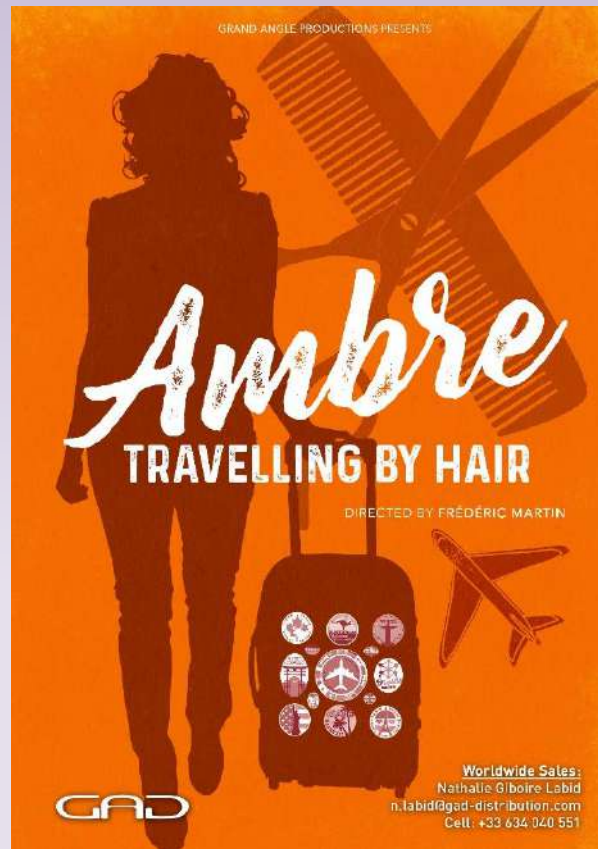
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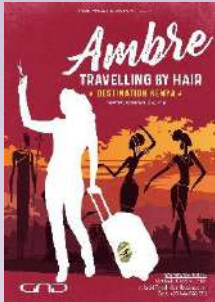
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French & English  
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**What a pleasure to travel and to better understand the world... by cutting hair!**

A young woman travels the world with only a pair of scissors and a comb. She sets up in a street, on a beach or in a village square and offers to cut hair to those who need it. Her kindness, her open-mindedness, her humor and her know-how allow her to gain people's trust. Thus begins her adventure which will take her from meeting to meeting, from story to story, until the confines of the lands she explores...

## KENYA



[Watch the video](#)

Ambre sets off to discover hair traditions. Equipped with her briefcase and always ready to unfold her traveling salon. From the capital, Nairobi, to the wig salons, passing through Africa's largest shantytown in the company of traditional hairdressers before reaching the remote lands of the Masai, with their astonishing rituals. The journey ends in Turkana, in the very north of Kenya, where ancestral rituals are cultivated. An adventure rich in encounters and learning, where hair traditions and trends remain unique.

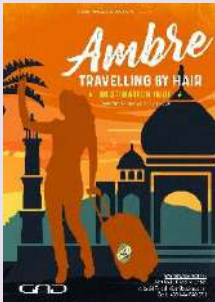
## SOUTH KOREA



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Fascinated by Korean culture and its unique approach to beauty, Ambre wanted to learn more about local hairdressing practices. In South Korea, hairstyling is much more than just a question of aesthetics. It is often associated with a person's identity, personality and social status. From k-pop culture among young people in Seoul to ultra-modern salons at the cutting edge of technology, she will also discover the demands of young

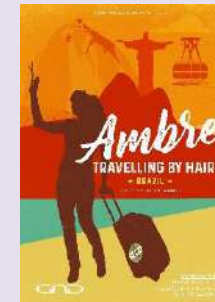
## INDIA



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Ambre travels to India, where women's hair is considered the most beautiful in the world. So much so that it's the subject of a thriving business. Our globetrotting hairdresser realizes that hair is a powerful symbol of religious affiliation and status within society. India is also the birthplace of the term "shampoo". From Bombay to New Delhi, via Varanasi and Chennai, she will come across different communities and religions: Hindus, Sikhs, but also surprising beliefs such as hair donation. Ayurvedic plants will hold no secrets for her, nor the new hair techniques passed on to her by the hairdressers of Bollywood superstars.

## BRAZIL



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Ambre, a young hairdresser, travels to Brazil to offer her services on the street. By interfering in the life of the local hairdressing salons, she sympathizes with her customers of fortunes to share slices of life. Through her eyes and her job, let's discover a country rich in diversity and in constant societal evolution!



**TITLE :**

Masters of bees  
Les maîtres des abeilles

**LENGTH :**

7x52'  
15x26'

**WRITTEN BY :**

Marguerite d'Ollone

**DIRECTORS:**

Fred Febvre,  
Christophe Cousin,  
Laurent Sardi, David  
Perrier, Nicos Argilet,  
Jacques Offre, Xavier  
Lefebvre, Pascal  
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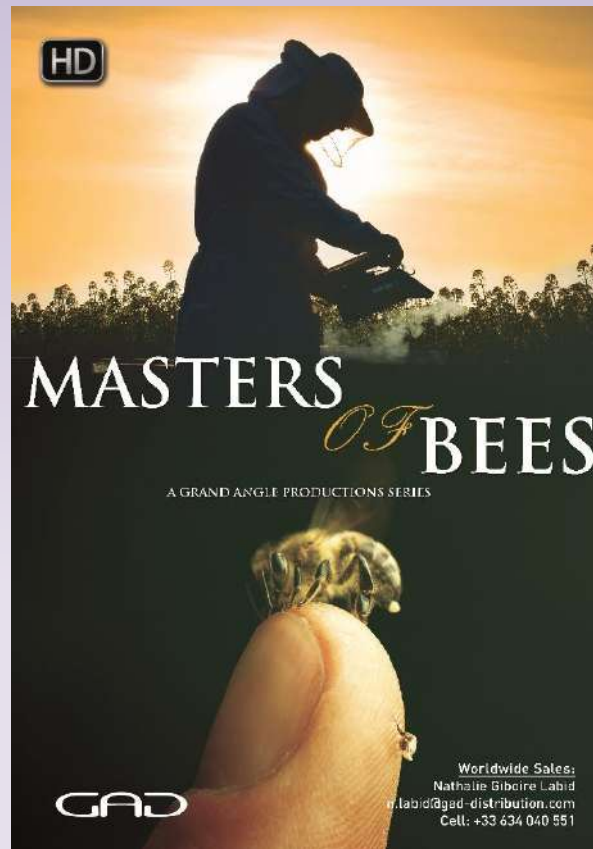
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& Russian  
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The relationship between man and bees dates back to the age of basic gathering, which is still practiced in certain remote valleys of the world. Our story unfolds over five continents, with nighttime gathering, moving of the hives to mountain pastures and in science laboratories where numerous experiments are being conducted on the black bee. It's a story of love, sometimes dangerous, between bees and humans.

**7x52' episodes**

Heritage trees (Indonesia / Russia)  
Bees and their predators (Kenya / Turkey)  
Sacred bees (Mexico / Ethiopia)  
Saving the bees (Argentina / Italy)  
Beekeeping in Europe (Slovenia / France)  
Honey hunters (Nepal / India)  
Bees guardians of a community in survival  
(New Zealand / Cameroon)

**15x26' episodes**

Indonesia, Russia, Kenya, Turkey, Mexico,  
Ethiopia, Argentina, Italy, Slovenia, France,  
Nepal, India, New Zealand, Cameroon,  
Germany

**TITLE :**

On the wing

Les avions du bout du monde

**LENGTH :**

18x52'

**DIRECTORS:**

François Guillaume,  
 Martin Blanchard, Philippe  
 Lespinasse, Herlé Jouon,  
 Véronique Préault, Pascal  
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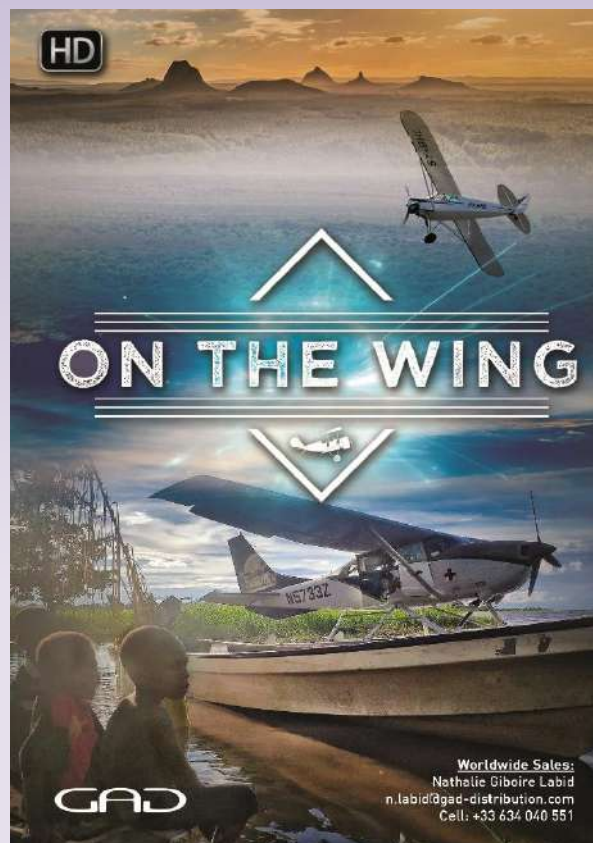
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Our heroes are physicians, emergency doctors, farmers and, above all, pilots. They carry on their professions in one of these territories at the ends of the earth. We discover these regions that are so difficult to access, that only the airplane can reveal, through the daily work of those whose are living an adventure, in close proximity to nature.

### FLYING ON THE EDGE OF ICE (ALASKA)



Melissa Burns has chosen the great hostile and untamed spaces of Alaska to indulge her passions for extremes. This young mother of two is an aerobatic champion and dances in the air like no other between the mountains. She amazes everyone who crosses her path and has made it her goal to inspire other young women to follow her example.  
02.08.32

[Watch the video](#)

### THE JUNGLE PILOT (GUYANA)



In French Guiana, many villages are still very isolated. For many people, the air is the only way to go shopping, to get medical care, to transport schoolchildren, etc. Raymond Cazal, a local child and pilot for 10 years, brings a precious help to the population.  
05.07.32

[Watch the video](#)

### THE AIR LEGEND (COLOMBIA)



In Colombia, Claudio Petro ensures on board of his DC3 the air connections. Until the most remote areas (Guainia, Vichada or Amazonia), he launches each time with the same intensity, to the discovery of this unknown and often ignored country...  
12.07.32

[Watch the video](#)

### THE BUS PLANE (SCOTLAND)



In the north of Scotland, Colin McAllister is an airplane pilot in the Orkney Islands. In this isolated territory, it is better to embark at its side to move quickly. At the controls of his nine-seater twin-engine, he lands and takes off about ten times a day! His passengers are doctors, teachers or farmers and are used to the uncertainty of weather conditions...  
22.07.31

[Watch the video](#)



### GUARDIAN OF THE AMAZON (BRAZIL)



Formerly employed by illegal loggers or illegal gold miners, Fernando Bezerra has decided to give up everything to take part in the fight for the preservation of the lung of the planet: the Amazon.

The missions of this Brazilian pilot are as varied as they are vital: monitoring deforestation, protecting indigenous communities, emergency medical evacuations and, more recently, participating in the fight against the Covid-19 pandemic ...

13.07.31

[Watch the video](#)

### THE FOREST PLANTER (MEXICO)



In Mexico there is an ancestral and devastating pastoral tradition... the burn. The peasants set fire to their fields to clean them in order to sow the next crops, often these fires escalate and spread to the wooded hills. Faced with this tragedy, José Camacho affectionately nicknamed El capitán, had this simple idea: to use his small plane to reforest the devastated lands and accelerate the natural process of reforestation ...

00.00.00

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### FLIGHT OVER PARADISE (KENYA, CANADA, BOLIVIA, MADAGASCAR)



On our planet, there are places that people cannot easily reach, inaccessible spots where nature reigns supreme... places where the environment is vast and awesome, where the sense of freedom is deep. In these wild decors that harken back to the dawn of our world, the plane is very often the only means of moving about. Its role is vital: it allows the inhabitants of these villages at the ends of the world to feel less isolated. In Kenya, Bolivia, Canada and Madagascar, local pilots take us up in their planes to discover exceptional sites that are still preserved and untouched...

[Watch the video](#)

### PACIFIC: ADVENTURERS OF THE SKY (VANUATU, NEW ZEALAND, PAPUA)



There are places on our planet where roads stop, where trains cannot run, where boats cannot dock. Welcome to the Vanuatu Archipelago, the mountains of southern New Zealand or the most remote areas of Papua New Guinea. Air travel is often the only means of transportation. Its role is crucial: it allows residents to feel less isolated. Flying in these territories at the end of the world involves risks.

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### AMAZON TAXI (SURINAM)

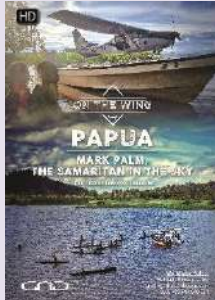


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Alessandro Huber works for a small transport company that flies over Suriname. In this country covered with 96% virgin forest, as soon as we move away from the maritime coast, we fly over what some call, the “Green Hell”. Seen from the sky, it’s a gigantic emerald-colored rug. On the ground, it is an impassable primary forest with regions that are completely inaccessible by car or boat. Without his plane, it would take many days to connect the communities together.

08.07.25

### MARK PALM, THE SAMARITAN IN THE SKY (PAPUA/NEW GUINEA)



[Watch the video](#)

For 9 years, Mark Palm has been helping residents of the Sepik River villages, one of the most remote areas of Papua New Guinea, free of charge. Snake bites, crocodile attacks, malaria crisis’s, difficult childbirths, the life of this 44-year-old Californian is a succession of adventures. Onboard his seaplane plane, he transports the wounded, brings medicine, and organizes vaccination campaigns for the 200 000 Papuans who live along the river, often in difficult conditions.

00.00.00

### THE PILOT OF THE ATOLLS (POLYNESIA)



[Watch the video](#)

Maheanuu Mourin is a pilot of the only Polynesian airline. On board its ATR, a turboprop aircraft capable of carrying up to 68 passengers, this 40-year-old Tahitian serves the most isolated islands of this region as big as Europe. He is the link between the communities. Without his plane, the daily life of the inhabitants of the atolls would be much more complicated.

22.07.25

### THE FLYING MAASAI (KENYA)



[Watch the video](#)

At the helm of his small single-engine aircraft, Ian Lemaiyan, a Kenyan biologist and bush pilot, flies over the savanna to protect the rhinos. From reserve to reserve, the Maasai pilot introduces us to a series of unique wildlife preservation programs. Seen from the sky, Kenya’s open spaces appear now as they were once known to those who once came here on safari.

00.00.00

**THE BUSH PILOT  
(AUSTRALIA)**



Clark Butson founded an airline in the heart of Australia’s arid desert. Its goal: to unite the isolated communities of the province of Pilbara, in the west of the country. Here, the airplane is the only link with the rest of the world. And Clark has a lot to do to on his missions. Rescues, student transportation, supplies, rotations between mines, visiting aboriginal communities.

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**TAXI IN THE AIR  
(MADAGASCAR)**



François-Xavier Mayer, known as “Fifou”, never tires of flying over the fantastic landscapes of his native land, Madagascar. Like his father and grandfather before him, he uses his plane as his main means of transportation. Whether supplying his hotel, studying the migration of whales, or carrying humanitarian aid, he counts on his faithful flying companion, a yellow bush plane that everyone in Madagascar knows by the name: “India Papa”.

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**THE OMNIBUS OF THE AIR  
(QUEBEC)**



On the wing will again surprise you. After Bolivia, Vanuatu and New Zealand, we set out to meet Sebastien, a former airline pilot. This time we head for Canada and its vast expanses. Aboard his Jet Stream 32 and a seaplane, he introduces us to the magnificent, deserted and isolated landscapes of Northern Quebec. Fasten your seatbelts for imminent take-off!

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**THE FLYING FARMER OF THE PACIFIC  
(NEW ZEALAND)**



Deep in the New Zealand Alps, Guy and Fiona Redfern are the flying farmers at the end of the world. Plane and helicopter are essential in raising the 5,000 sheep, 2,000 cows and dozens of horses on this farm, the most isolated in the country. In addition to being a tool for their work, their plane is also a means of escaping their isolation to meet friends and perform some aerial stunts.

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### THE PILOT OF HOPE (BOLIVIA)



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Ivo Daniel Velasquez is an anonymous hero. At the controls of his plane - sometimes a tiny Cessna, sometimes a twin-engine Piper - he defies the quite extraordinary flying conditions of Bolivia to come to the assistance of the most remote communities in the country. Whenever, Ivo lands his plane on the most unlikely airstrips, from the Andes and the Altiplano to Amazonia, for these communities he represents a vital link with the rest of the world.

08.03.29

### DOCTOR MARK TO THE RESCUE (VANUATU)



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Lying to the north of the Vanuatu archipelago in the South Pacific, the Banks Islands are literally cut off from the world. Whenever there's a medical emergency, the 9,000 inhabitants of the Banks have only Doctor Mark Turbull and his orange cuckoo to rely on. The sole doctor for hundreds of miles around, he is the only one who can land on the unlikely and dangerous airstrips of these tiny volcanic islands.

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**TITLE :**  
Worldwide wine civilizations  
Des vignes et des hommes

**LENGTH :**  
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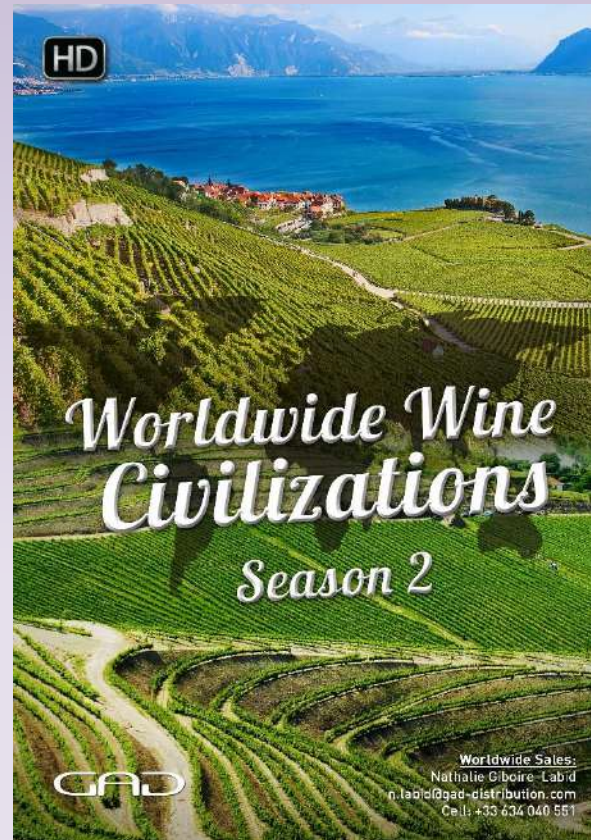
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- Tuscany's noble wines (Italy)
- The Rioja, excellence in traditions (Spain)
- God save Champagne (England)
- Alsace, a pact with nature (France)
- The climate challenges (Germany)
- The dawn of wine (India)
- Vineyards at lands end (Patagonia/Argentina)
- Tropical Vineyards (Thailand)
- The vineyards of the Himalayas (China)
- The vines rising in the east (Croatia)

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At the whim of history's turbulent moments or extreme geographical conditions, Mankind, with all its vision and epic ambition, takes us off on a crazy adventure where wine mingles with art, archeology, geology, history and architecture. The soil, the vintage and the technique are definitely not the sole expressions of the character of a vineyard. From India to Patagonia, by way of Europe, we also discover these regions from the sky, with landscapes that take the breath away.

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Worldwide wine civilizations  
Des vignes et des hommes

**LENGTH :**  
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**DIRECTORS:**  
Sarah Carpentier,  
Éric Michaud

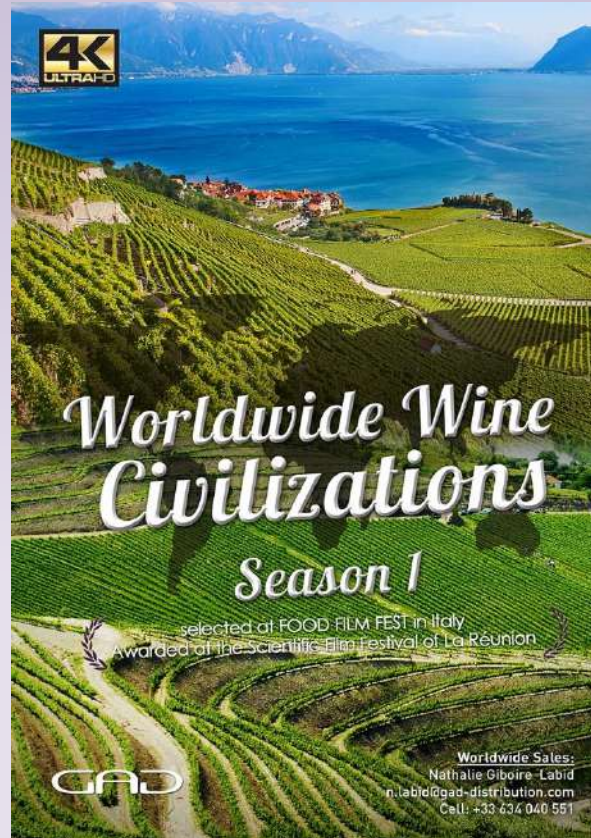
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The fruit of a long history, of a natural environment and of the labors of those for whom it is a passion, each vineyard tells the tale of a unique civilization.

Worldwide Wine Civilizations is an exceptional documentary series devoted to exploring winemaking regions around the globe. In addition to delving into a region's wine production, each episode will also explore local history, its architecture, art, science, techniques, and a host of other subjects.

- The secret of the three valleys (Chile)
- A vineyard to vie with nature (New Zealand)
- Vineyard at the desert's door (Australia)
- Lavaux, the fortress vines (Switzerland)
- The king of vines, the wine of kings (Hungary)
- A journey to the origins of the vine (Georgia)
- The Rhine valley (Germany)
- A vine in the middle of the pacific (Polynesia)
- Koshu, the wine of the rains (Japan)
- The vines of the great continent (South Africa)
- Bordeaux, a vineyard over time (France)
- A Revolution in the vines (China)
- The wine of the great lakes (Canada)
- The conquerors of the Douro valley (Portugal)
- Prosecco, another story of Venice (Italy)
- Vines of the Western Conquest (USA)
- The Vines of Santorini, Legacy of Antiquity (Greece)
- The hidden treasures of Champagne (France)
- Lanzarote, the wine of the volcanoes (Spain)
- An oasis at the foot of the Andes (Argentina)



**TITLE :**  
Work Boats and Wonder Ships  
Entre cargos et bateaux de  
luxe

**LENGTH :**  
5x52'

**DIRECTOR:**  
Herlé Jouon

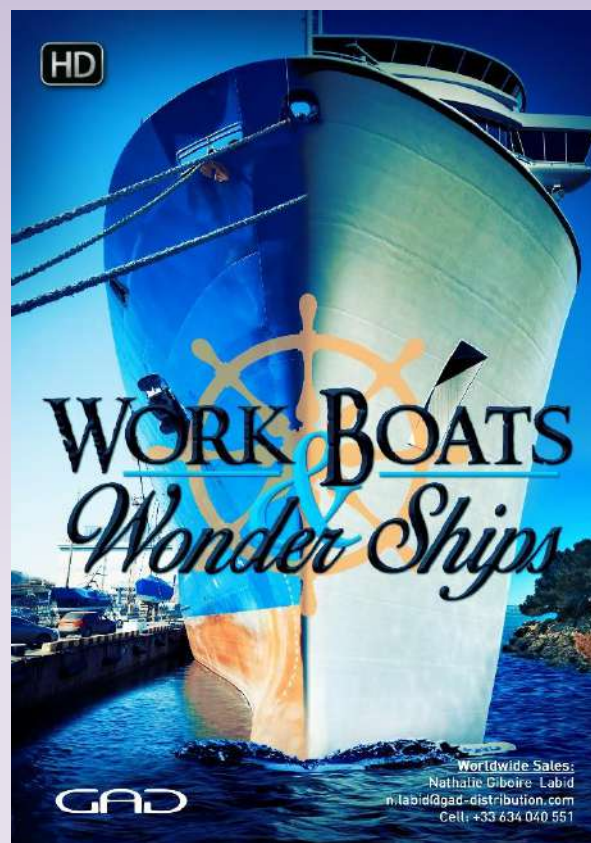
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- TITANS OF THE OCEANS
- DREAM CRUISES
- EXCEPTIONAL BOATS
- SPLENDOURS OF THE SEA
- DREAM BOATS, SEA MONSTERS

[Watch the video](#)

Treat yourself to an unforgettable voyage in the four corners of the globe, come wind or waves, plowing the heavenly-blue seas. As a highly privileged passenger, climb aboard some unique vessels, as mysterious as they are majestic, and ready to reveal their secrets. Stride the bridge of the QE2, that mythical cruise ship, and then that of the incredible Maltese Falcon, the sailboat with the futuristic lines. One thing is sure: your feet won't touch the ground...

**TITLE :**

Tonga, a Kingdom at the crossroads  
Tonga, un royaume à la croisée des chemins

**LENGTH :**

52'

**DIRECTORS:**

Jérôme Mignard  
& Vincent Lefevre

**PRODUCERS:**

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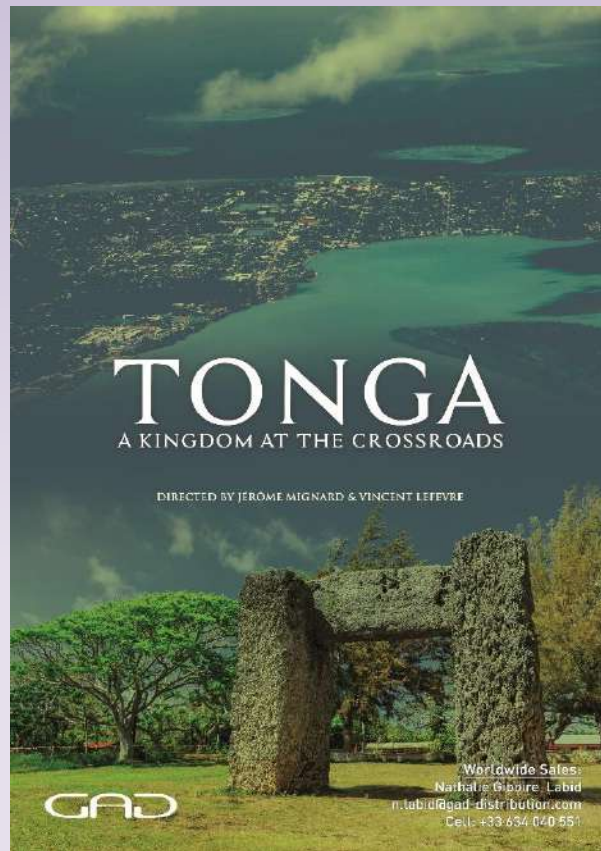
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Lost in the middle of the Pacific Ocean, midway between New Caledonia and French Polynesia, a string of islands stretches out over nearly 500 km: Tonga. Kings and queens have succeeded one another ever since antiquity in this country that has overcome many a challenge: avoiding colonization, preserving its language and its traditions and introducing a constitutional monarchy as early as the 19th century.

**TITLE :**

The lovers of the lagoon  
Les amoureux du lagon

**LENGTH :**

52'

**DIRECTOR:**

Christophe Castagne

**PRODUCER:**

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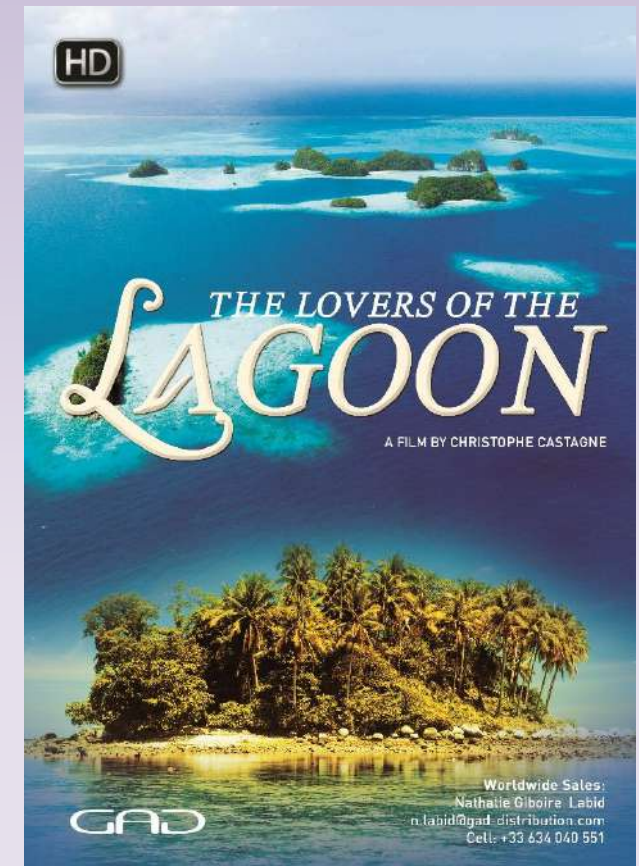
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Aided by magnificent aerial and sub-marine images, the film presents the portrait of six "Lovers of the Lagoon": an adventurer in his den in the north of the island, a biologist specializing in the universe of coral, a woman doctor, defender of the Melanesian culture, a kite-surfer from Numea and a young nature warden from Lifou, in the Loyalty Islands. They have all been enchanted by the stunning beauty of the lagoon. They have all made it their daily lives and their finest reason for living.



**TITLE :**

Heart of the Islands  
Cœur d'îles

**LENGTH :**

10x26'

**DIRECTORS:**

Philippe Sintès  
Pierre de Nicola  
Jacques Navarro-Rovira  
Christian Arti

**PRODUCERS:**

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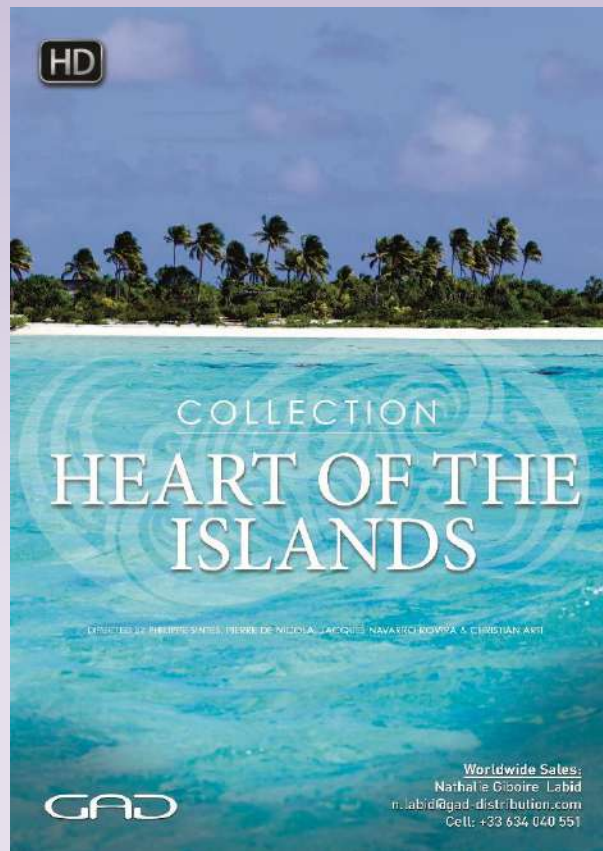
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Journey to the heart of the Pacific Ocean, as the collection "Heart of the Islands" immerses you in the discovery of these unique islands of French Polynesia. Come and meet the people, the key figures of these unusual islands, still unknown to tourism and strong in their traditions.

**Hiva Oa - Makatea - Maupiti - Mo'orea - Nuku Hiva  
- Raiaeta - Rapa - Rikitea - Rurutu - Takaroa**

**TITLE :**

Underground wonders of  
France  
Les merveilles de la  
France souterraine

**LENGTH :**

53'

**DIRECTOR:**

Jean-Christophe Chatton

**PRODUCER:**

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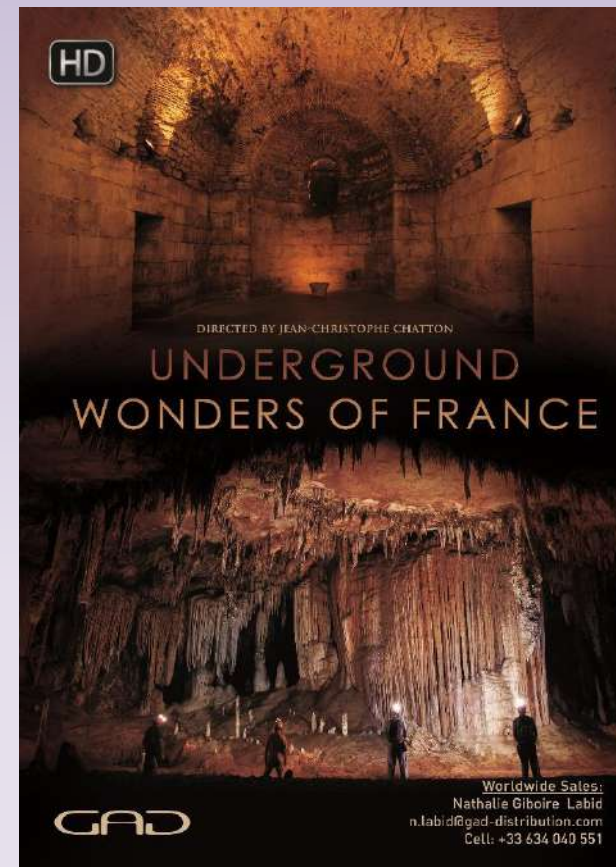
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There's another world just a few meters under the ground: a world of rocks carved by time and the humidity of the deep. France is one of the world's leading countries in underground tourism. The land that bred Jules Verne and his "Journey to the Center of the Earth" possesses hundreds of caves, caverns and other sinkholes, all open to the public. Miracles of nature, whose renown goes far beyond the borders of France.



**TITLE :**

In the skies of Polynesia  
Dans le ciel de Polynésie

**LENGTH :**

52'

**DIRECTORS:**

Hervé Corbière  
& Denis Pinson

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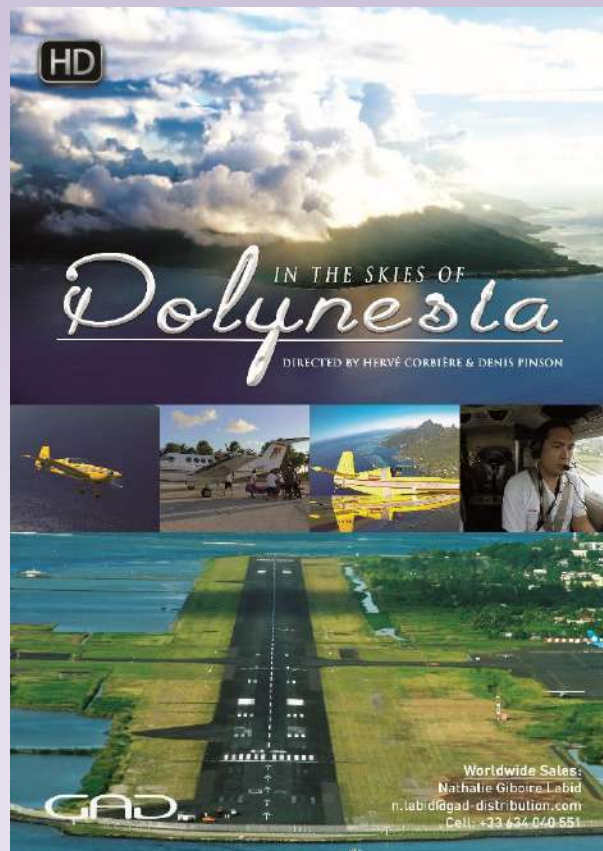
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In another life they were fighter pilots, mechanics with Boeing or military instructors. Today they have realized their dream: to set up in Polynesia and fly over one of the most beautiful regions in the world. Stéphane and Vincent are aces of the air... they teach stunt flying to visiting tourists and the inhabitants of the islands. And when they are not playing daredevils with their students, they put their skills to the service of another clientele...

**TITLE :**

Tahiti, a mountain in the sea

Tahiti, une montagne dans la mer

**LENGTH :**

52'

**DIRECTORS:**

Hervé Corbière &  
Laurent Jacquemin

**PRODUCER:**

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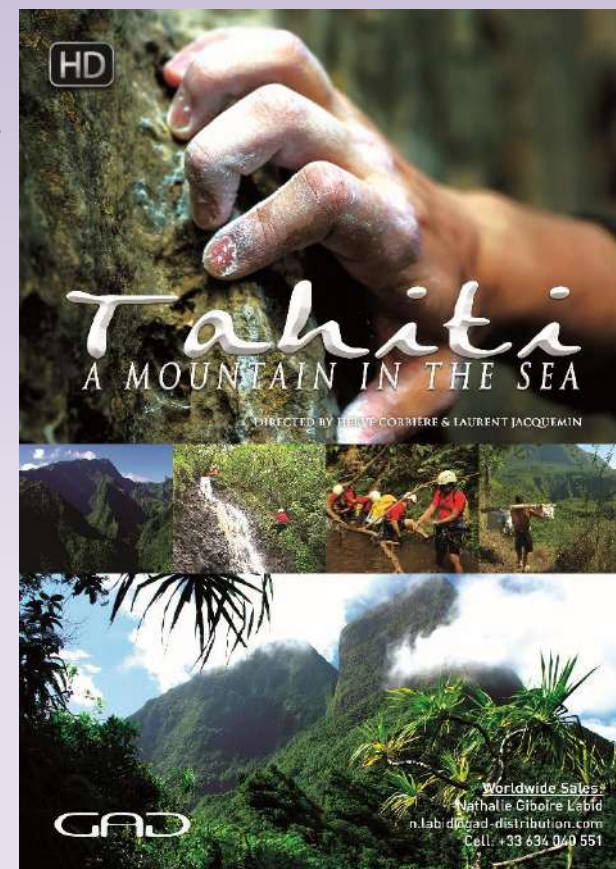
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Worthy descendants of the first explorers of these islands at the end of the world, they are firefighters, woodcutters, nature guides and hunters with the bow. They make up a veritable family within the GPI... the Group Polyvalent d'Intervention [Multitask Intervention Group]. They are experts in extreme environments and the passion for nature and the mountain runs through their very core.

**TITLE :**  
USA the deep South  
USA Plein Sud

**LENGTH :**  
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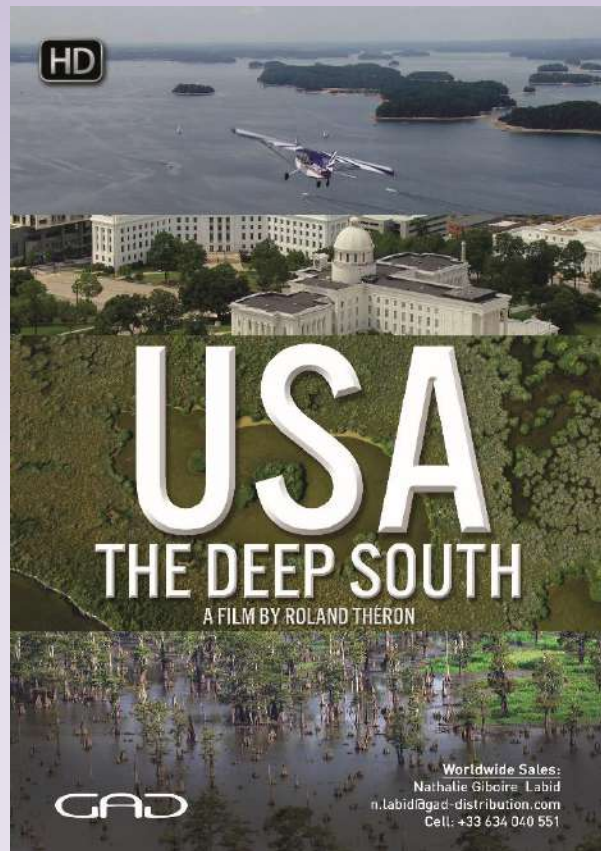
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From the State of Georgia to the Gulf of Mexico, across Alabama and then down the Mississippi to its mouth, "USA, the Deep South" is a journey of encounter with those who love the Deep South. Elgin Wells combines his two passions: music and stunt flying. Pilot, musician, poet, he is one of the few in America to present nighttime aerial displays.

**TITLE :**  
The passage  
La traversée des mondes

**LENGTH :**  
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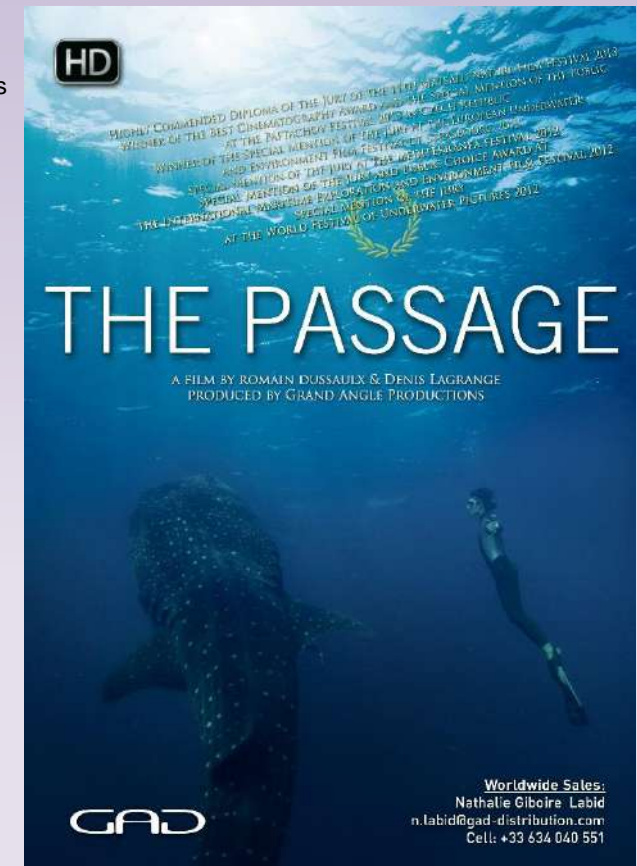
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The Yucatan. A tiny corner of the world bathed by the oceans. A land of crystal clear waters and dense jungle linked by hitherto unexplored subterranean networks. The cradle of the Mayan civilization and the point of impact of the Chicxulub meteorite, which is said to be the cause of the disappearance of the dinosaurs. To explore this land so steeped in history and discover its secrets: one man.



**TITLE :**  
Explorers  
Les explorateurs

**LENGTH :**  
5x15'

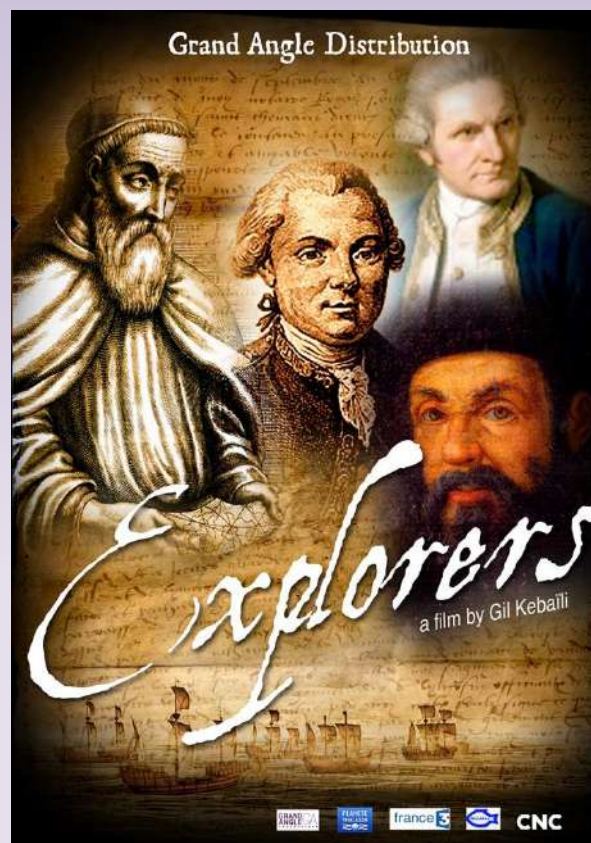
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- Amerigo Vespucci
- Magellan
- Bougainville
- La Pérouse
- James Cook

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The “Explorers” series shows how Europe plotted the maps of America and the Pacific between the 15th and 18th centuries. From these three prolific centuries of exploration, five illustrious characters stand out, standard bearers of some of the greatest voyages in the history of humanity.



**TITLE :**  
Er Vets  
Urgences Vétro

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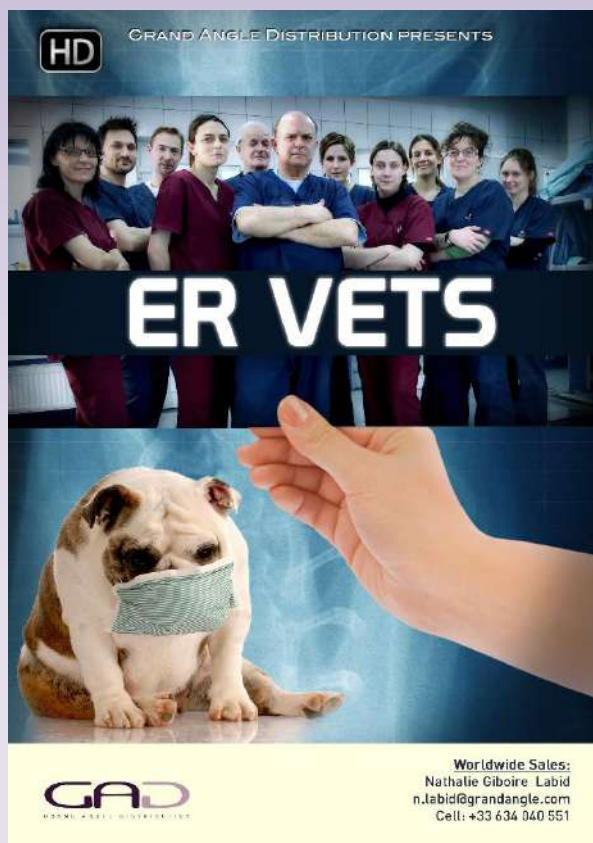
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Discover funny, poignant, touching stories... stories about human beings, stories about animals. An immersion into the everyday lives of vets through reports that reveal those life and death moments as they unfold in clinics and vets' offices, those unavoidable crossroads where veterinarians, animals and owners all come together.

**WELCOME TO THE CLINIC**

**LENGTH :**  
52'

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Doctor Bertrand is worried: his patient is suffocating. He calls his colleague, the duty surgeon, Doctor Brasseur. Interns and nurses stand ready. 6 doctors, 3 specialized veterinary assistants, several interns. Operating and examination rooms, a test laboratory, an X-ray room and a medical imagery system, human presence 24/7... You laugh, you cry, what you don't do is get bored!

**HOME VISIT**

**LENGTH :**  
52'

**LANGUAGE VERSION AVAILABLE:**  
French



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Did you like Vet ER episode 1? Did you laugh or cry as you followed the adventures of Antoine, the young intern with the 12-man team at the Brasseur Clinic? Were you enthralled as you followed the surgeons on call 24/24 to treat and save animals? Were you amazed as you discovered one astonishing animal after another? Then you will love episode 2. Because they are back!

**TITLE :**  
 Massage, Age-old tradition  
 worldwide phenomenon  
 Massage, Tradition  
 millénaire... Mode planétaire

**LENGTH :**  
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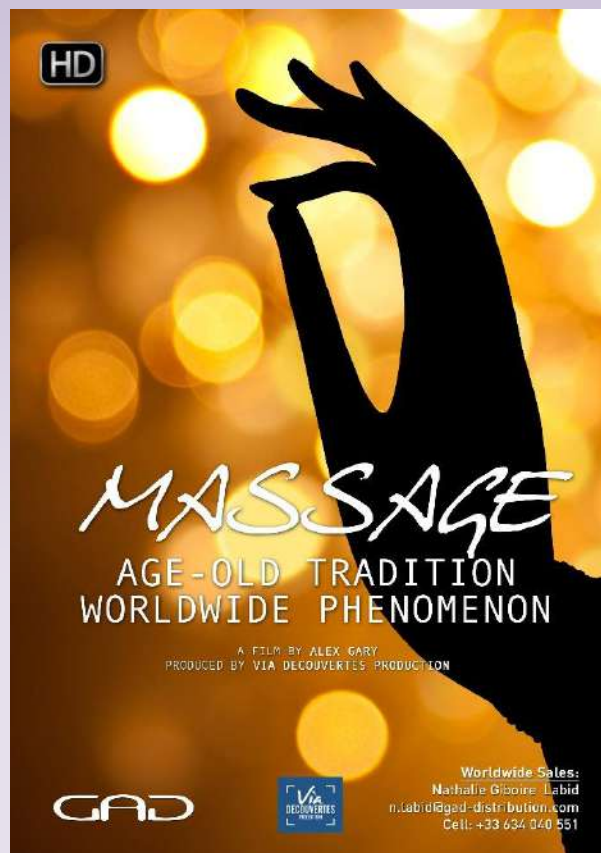
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Age-old tradition, worldwide fashion, massages are a bubble of wellbeing where one can seclude oneself, where time no longer seems quite as important. They represent an ever growing need that is symptomatic of the whirlwind of our society. Global economic crisis, new technologies that are more and more intrusive in our daily lives, stress generated by pervading pessimism, contribute to push millions of people towards massage.

**TITLE :**  
 My bag, my life and my  
 next bag  
 Les sacs à main, toutes  
 accros

**LENGTH :**  
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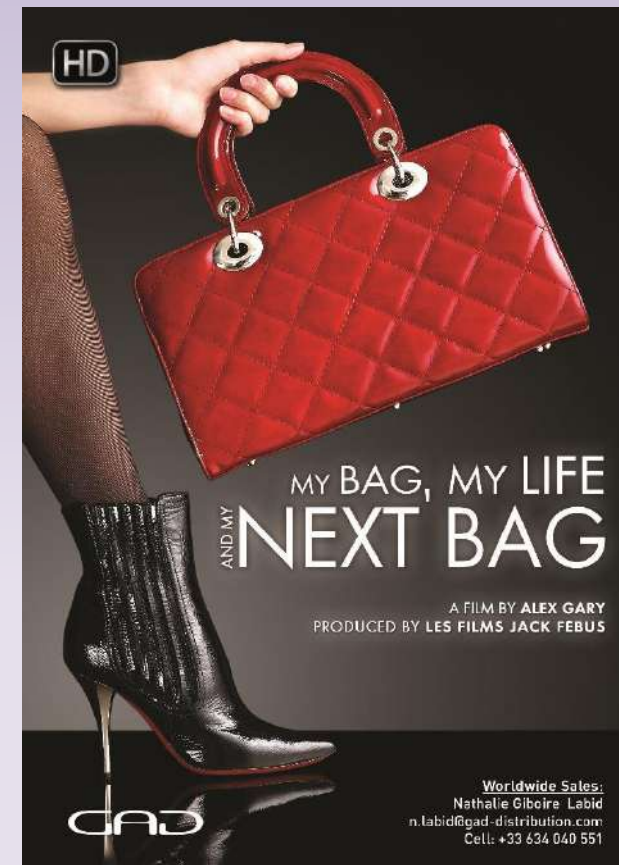
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In 15 years it has become the must-have accessory. There's not a women's store, or a showcase in a ready-to-wear designer's where you cannot see a... handbag. Why spend 1,000, 1,500 or 2,000 Euros on a bag? Some women are prepared for anything in order to obtain the object of their fantasies. Handbags: a look into the world of fashion half-way between irrational passion and ultra-profitable business.

**TITLE :**  
Beneath the Lingerie  
Les dessous de la lingerie

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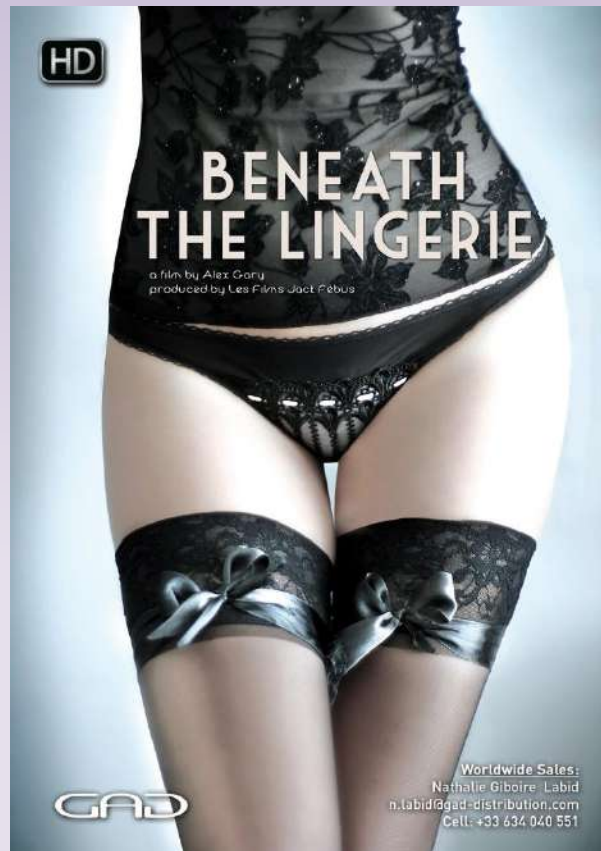
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100, 400, 500, 1000 dollars for a complete outfit and sometimes a lot more... women the world over no longer hesitate at spending a small fortune on bras and panties. Lingerie is one of the rare sectors that is not suffering from the crisis. They're innovating with new textiles, shapes are changing and trends are increasingly naughty. How did lingerie become the mirror of a society and does it reveal the evolution of women on different continents? An investigation beneath the lingerie...

**TITLE :**  
The SPA boom  
Le business des spas

**LENGTH :**  
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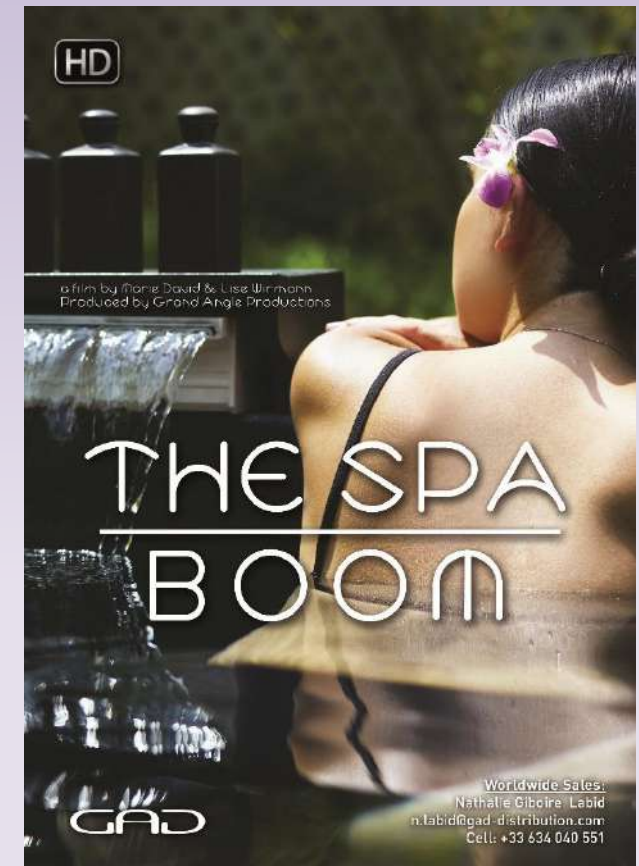
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Massage with chocolate or spices, anti-stress cure, balneotherapy, grape seed modeling... the well-being and Spa market is booming. For the millions who now frequent these establishments, whether in France, or Bali or New York, the quest is the same: take care of yourself, give yourself a magical break, a few moments of happiness. Considered an extravagance only a few years ago, the Spa is now an obvious choice.



**TITLE :**  
The new luxury trades  
Les nouveaux métiers du luxe

**LENGTH :**  
52'

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1210... that's the number of billionaires in the world in 2011... and that number is rising every day... In order to assist them in their excesses, some people have invented new trades to fulfill their expectations... Such as creating tailor-made perfume for \$60.000... or running agencies specialized in personal assistants, 24/7.

**TITLE :**  
Iceland From the Sky  
Couleurs d'Islande

**LENGTH :**  
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In autumn, Iceland changes its colours: after weeks of permanent quasi-daylight the vegetation bursts out everywhere. Carpeted with moss and lichens, the lava flow on the flanks of the capricious volcanoes turns to fluorescent green. The same applies to the white of the glaciers and the deep blue of the fjords in the northwest. Seen from the sky, the panorama is breath-taking!

**TITLE :**  
USA from the sky  
Les Etats-Unis vus du ciel

**LENGTH :**  
4x27'

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Yannick Charles

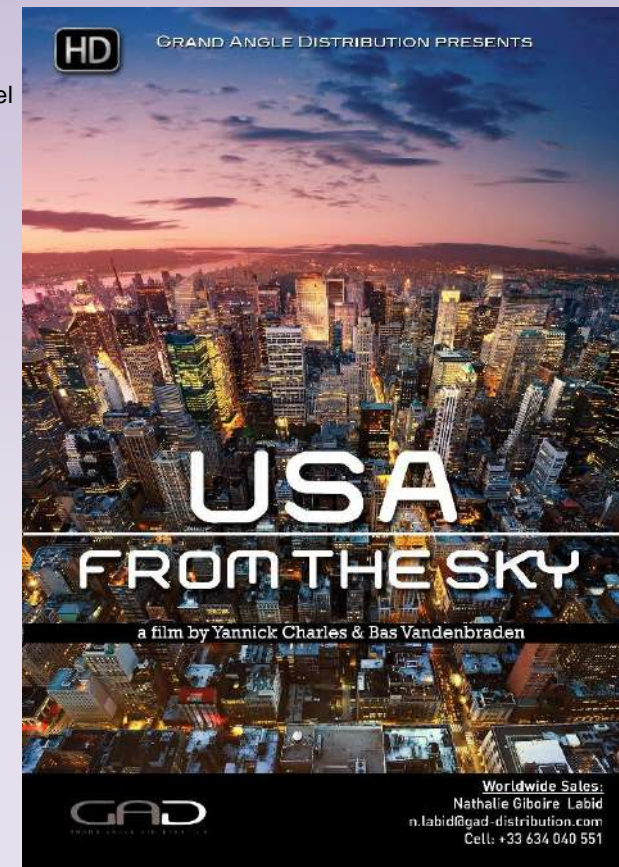
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*Destinations:  
East, West, South  
and Northwest  
Coasts*



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Filmed in HD, the “Coasts of the United States from the Sky” is a panoramic journey along a coastline that it is both one of the wildest in the world and one of the most sought after. To approach America from the sky, along its coasts, is a new way of discovering the extreme variety of marine landscapes of the United States. 20,000 kilometers of beaches, steep coastlines or swamps, from desert areas to the most urbanized of spaces.



**TITLE :**  
 The French Coasts from  
 the sky  
 Les côtes françaises vues  
 du ciel

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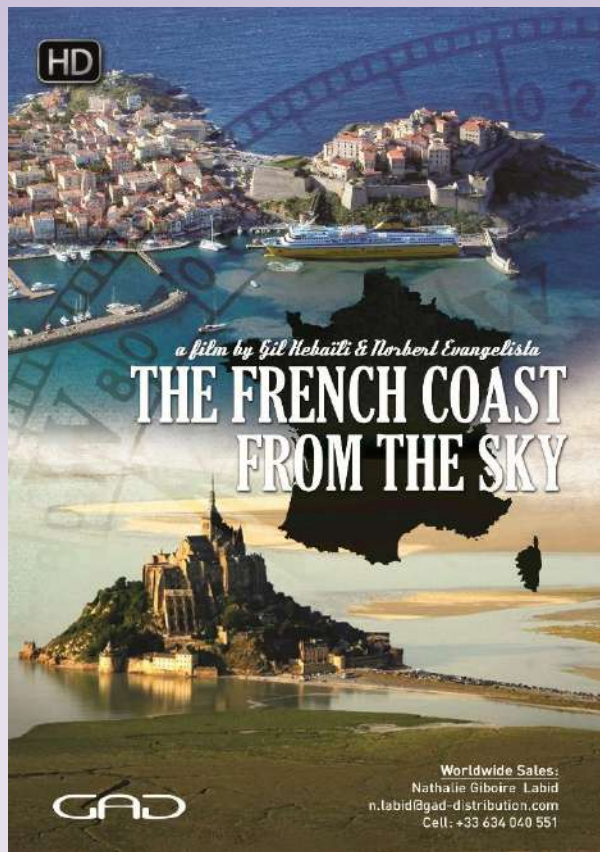
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Immediate boarding for a breath-taking spectacle on the frontier between the immensity of the seas and oceans and the continent. France: the world's number one tourist destination. The rich medley of her landscapes enhanced by a centuries-old heritage, her coastline draped in the gold of her beaches, the sheer drop of her cliffs and her carpet of forests are evidence enough.

- Destinations:*
- *The North Sea and the Channel*
  - *Normandy*
  - *Normandy, Cotentin*
  - *Northern, Brittany*
  - *Brittany, the Iroise Sea*
  - *Southern Brittany*
  - *The Atlantic, Côte des Lumières*
  - *The Atlantic, Côte d'Argent*
  - *The Mediterranean, Golfe du Lion*
  - *The Mediterranean, Côte d'Azur*
  - *The Mediterranean, Corsica*

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 The French Coasts from  
 the sky  
 Les côtes françaises vues  
 du ciel

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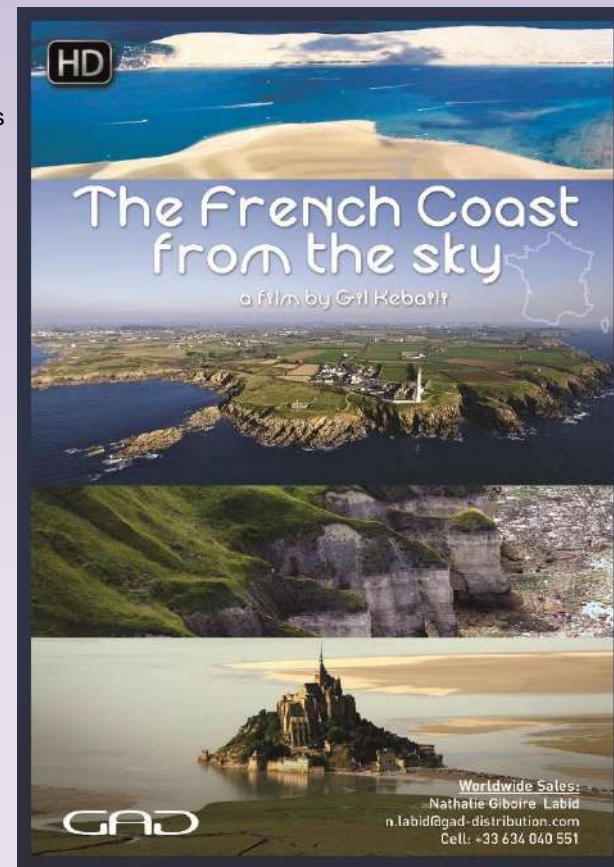
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**AVAILABLE:**  
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- Destinations:*
- *Aber Wrac'h,*
  - *Dunkerque, Dieppe,*
  - *Honfleur, Saint Vaast la Hougue,*
  - *Granville, Saint Malo,*
  - *Saint Brieuç,*
  - *Brest, Concarneau,*
  - *La Trinité sur Mer, Le Croisic, Les sables d'Olonne, Rochefort,*
  - *Bordeaux, Bayonne,*
  - *Vendres, Sète,*
  - *Marseille, Toulon,*
  - *Porquerolles, Saint-Tropez, Nice,*
  - *Monaco, Calvi, Ajaccio.*

To tour France by following her coastline -and in the air, too- is the guarantee of a wonderful voyage in three dimensions and between three worlds: the sea, the countryside and the city. Naturally, we fly above the 3,427 kilometres of coast. However, each film will have the same structure to satisfy the spirit of a "collection". 26 city ports have been selected as staging posts along the journey. So, in addition to the sea and the countryside we will have cities.



**TITLE :**

The Yin and the Yan of Taiwan

Le Yin et le Yang de Taiwan

**LENGTH :**

11'

**DIRECTOR:**

Yannick Charles

**PRODUCERS:**

Grand Angle Productions,  
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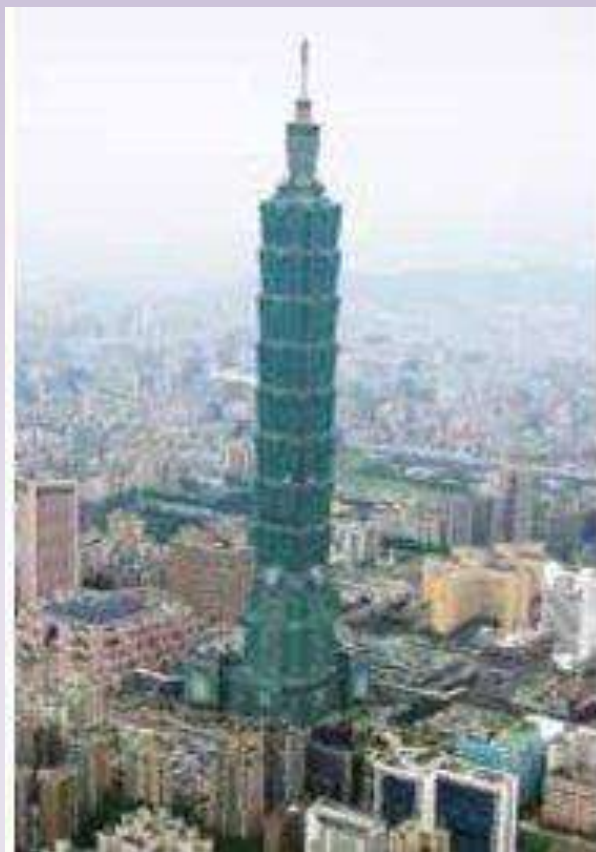
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**LANGUAGE VERSION AVAILABLE:**

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Taiwan lies between the China Sea and the Pacific to the east of the Strait of Formosa. A secret island, with many, paradoxical facets. From Taipei, its capital and largest city in Taiwan, we fly towards the Strait of Formosa. 180 kilometres of sea and wind separate the People's Republic of China from the island of Taiwan. In the middle of the Strait lies an archipelago: the Penghu Islands, more commonly known in Europe as the Pescadores Islands.

**TITLE :**

From the Mediterranean to South Africa, seen from the sky

De la Méditerranée à l'Afrique du Sud, vu du ciel

**LENGTH :**

11x13'

**DIRECTORS:**

Yannick Charles

**PRODUCER:**

Grand Angle Productions

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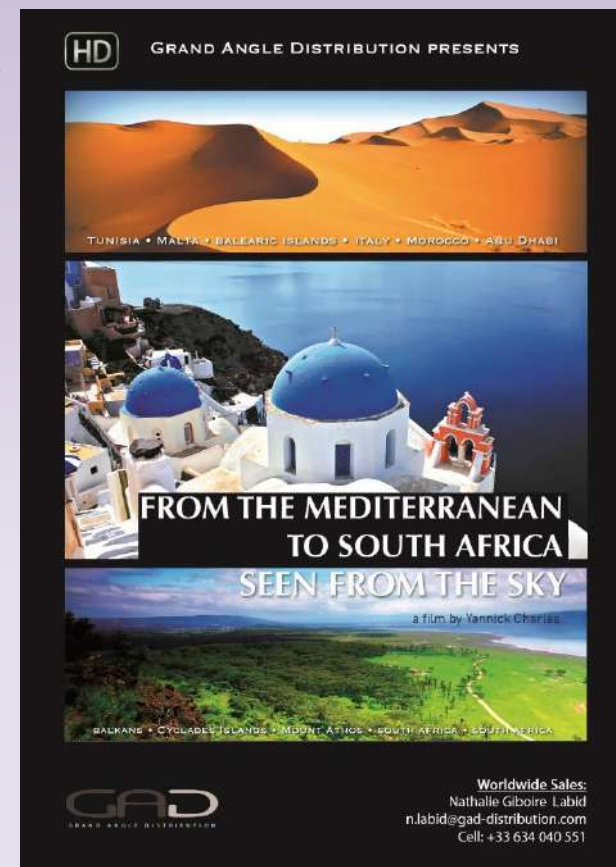
2009-2010

**LANGUAGE VERSION AVAILABLE:**

French, English & German

*Destinations:*

- *Morocco*
- *Tunisia*
- *Balearics*
- *Malta*
- *Italy*
- *Mount Athos,*
- *Corfu & the Cyclades*
- *Balkans*
- *Abu Dhabi*
- *South Africa*



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It's the most beautiful, the bluest, the hottest, the most desired and sometimes the most disputed. A synonym for conquest and exchange, the Mediterranean is laden with history and hopes. Seen from the sky its coastlines relate the epic adventures of a world gone by, the contradictions of a world on the march. Archaeological remains, island refuges for populations in transit, sublime cities, unspoiled natural spaces, the Mediterranean Sea is multiple and unique.

**TITLE :**

Paradise Islands from the Sky  
Les Iles paradisiaques vues du ciel

**LENGTH :**

10x13'

**DIRECTOR:**

Yannick Charles

**PRODUCER:**

Grand Angle Productions,

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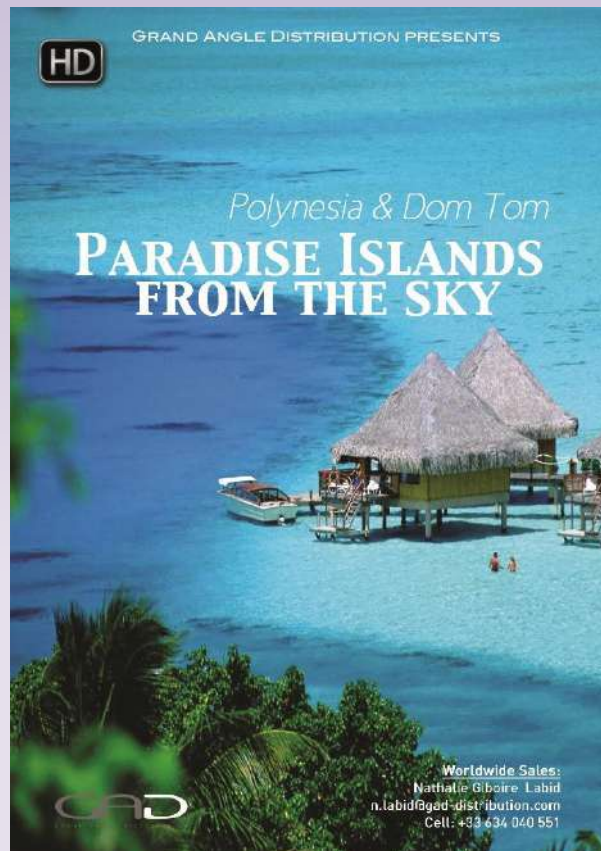
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2009

**LANGUAGE VERSION**

**AVAILABLE:**

French, English,  
German & Arabic



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Travel to the heart of the South Pacific to discover French Polynesia, which spreads its 118 islands over a maritime territory of 4.5 million km - the surface area of Europe. Seen from the sky in sweeping movements and through images of exceptional beauty, you can admire the incredible diversity of shapes, patterns and shades of the lagoons, atolls, forests and mountains.

**TITLE :**

Exceptional boats  
Les bateaux insolites

**LENGTH :**

12x13'

**DIRECTOR:**

Herlé Jouon

**PRODUCER:**

Grand Angle Productions

**COPRODUCER:**

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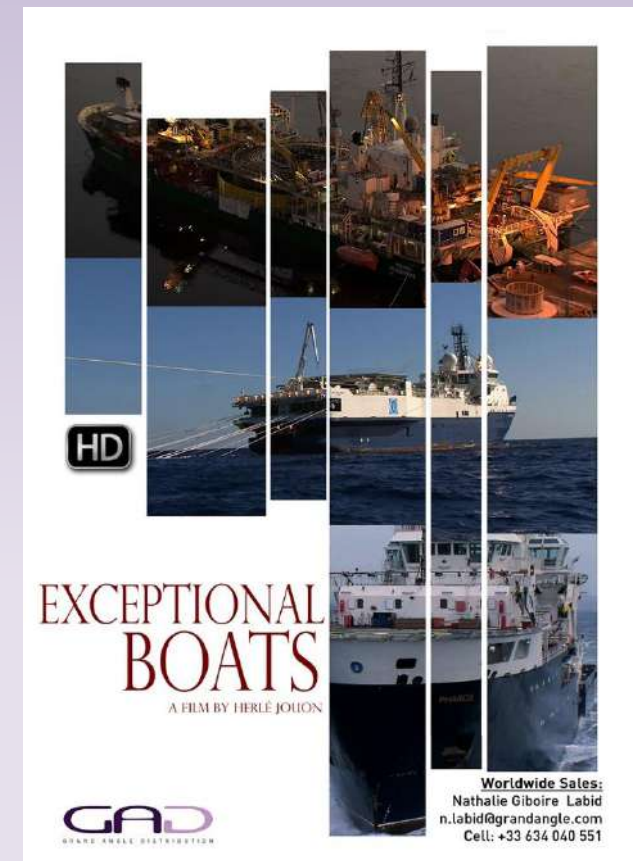
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2008 – 2009

**LANGUAGE VERSION**

**AVAILABLE:**

French, English &  
German



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**6x13' Luxurious Boats:**

- Queen Mary II
- Maltese Falcon
- Royal Clipper
- Mirabella V Alysia Savarona

**6x13' Working Boats:**

- Blue Marlin
- Hovercraft
- Geo Challenger
- Pharos
- Skagerrak
- Abeille Bourbon

All over the world's seas, crews work and live on incredible floating units. Work boats, ocean liners, all sorts of crafts and yachts often have very special architecture, operation procedures, characteristics and roles... "Exceptional Boats" allows you to climb aboard these different ships and experience unique trips and surprising cruises by exploring them from top to bottom.

**LENGTH :**

11x 20' to 33'

15x 16' to 19'

12x 6' to 15'

**DIRECTORS:**

Several

**PRODUCER:**

Via Découvertes

Grand Angle Productions

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Pacific Ocean, Caribbean, French coastline, Polar Ocean or African coast, "Around the Sea" is a discovery of the world through the sea. Enjoy the trip as we sail and learn everything about the aquatic life of our Blue Planet, through the eyes of the inhabitants, who live and work around these unusual places. A paradise for some and ecological suffering for others...



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- **Message in a bottle** - 11' ENGLAND
- **Yelle** - 11' FRANCE

33'

*English & Arabic  
version available*CHINA  
2008**THE SILVER DRAGON***Rendez-vous avec le dragon*

This is one of nature's most unusual features: an inland wave far from the sea or the ocean. A wave that comes up the river against the current. A wave that the inhabitants of Qiantang have both feared and admired for 2,000 years. The Silver Dragon – or Chinese tidal bore – is not a wave that is easily tamed or understood. The phenomenon arises from the meeting of the incoming tide and the river's outgoing current. The wave invades the estuary and comes up the river, filling it with a swirling wave. It has long brought destruction. With terrible power, the wave breaks dams and spreads turbid salt water into the fields. Famines have been frequent. The very votive population has begged its forgiveness, offered sacrifices, or shot arrows in its direction.

32'

FRANCE  
2014**BEAUDUC, THE DIE HARDS BEACH***Beauduc, la plage des irréductibles*

On a beach in the French Camargue region, a community of die hards is fighting to maintain their space of liberty. The village of Beauduc is a hamlet of a few dozen cabins that stand apart and its existence is threatened.

32'

*English version  
available*CANADA  
2014**THE ICE-MAD ON THE SAINT-LAWRENCE***Les Givrés du Saint-Laurent*

The St Lawrence River is one of the most dangerous maritime routes to navigate on the planet. During the winter months, the Canadian Coast Guard icebreaker plows endlessly up and down between the Atlantic and Montreal to clear a passage for cargo ships. For three months we followed the daily lives of the crews of the Amundsen, one of Canada's biggest icebreakers. The task of its crew is to free cargo ships trapped in the ice. However, the St Lawrence is not just a vital artery for the economy of Quebec, it also provides a formidable, open freedom for those who live along its banks. So our crew ventured onto the ice field together with some of those who are wild about the river. Rémi and his friends are experts at white fishing, an ancestral Amerindian technique consisting of tracking the fish under the ice. Every winter they set up a large, temporary village on the ice in the Saguenay fjord.

30'

NIGERIA  
2009**MAKOKO: THE BLACK VENICE***Makoko, la Venise noire*

With its wooden houses on piles, channels with hundreds of pirogues reaching each part of the village and going from house to house, and tree-trunks by the thousand floating nearby, Makoko is an incredible village on piles. 60,000 people are thought to live in this suburb of Lagos. Fishermen mostly, coming from Ganvié (another pile-dwelling village, in Benin) or from the inland villages of Nigeria. The inhabitants work on Lagos harbour, run little shops, sell water and gas, or work for the wood traders. From the sky, it looks like a huge village crossed by hundreds of channels. Houses are sometimes isolated, sometimes reached by wooden foot bridges.

29'

*English**version available*

COSTA RICA

2009

**COSTA RICA, A LAND FOR SALE***Costa Rica, une terre a vendre*

Between the Pacific Ocean and the Caribbean Sea, the smallest country in Central America is now the planet's champion in biodiversity. However, for several years, the success of ecotourism has been driving Costa Rica into runaway urbanisation. Today the country is for sale, regardless of biodiversity. That is why the State has created the Environmental Tribunal. A battle has been engaged. The green judges have declared war on illegal property developers.

29'

*English & Arabic**versions available*

MEXICO

2008

**LA ISLA DE LA NATIVIDAD**

It's a story of a small Mexican fishing community in a hostile area which has now become a model for the conservation of its maritime environment and resources. Today, around three hundred people live there. They are totally self sufficient. After having over-exploited its environment, the community has adopted a policy of strict conservation, going well beyond that imposed by governmental authorities. They have even created their own marine reserves. They have introduced a draconian surveillance operation to ensure that no one can loot them. This is their story...

27'

SOUTH AFRICA

2012

**COACHES AND SWIMMERS***Maitres et nageurs*

Aphelile has been able to swim since the age of 12. He lives some dozen miles from the centre of Cape Town near the Monwabisi beach that adjoins the last remaining "sharks" of Khayelista, the most deprived shanty towns in the giant agglomeration. This is where Aphelile lives. He is one of the rare breed of top-level, Black South African swimmers. An exception in a community that is barely familiar with the sea. In Cape Town, Monwabisi is the beach for the Black population. It's a dangerous beach where every year the currents and the waves cause a string of drownings. A beach made all the more dangerous because most of those who go there cannot swim. For several years now, a swimming club at Monwabisi has been trying to knock the old ideas on the head: no, drowning is not a matter of fate; yes, Blacks can also learn to swim. This is Aphelile's mission.



26'  
FRANCE  
2014

### FROM ISLAND TO ISLAND

*D'île en île*

Who has never dreamed of going far away, for just a while, or for ever? For a change of air, a change of life... Or simply to live out some new adventure. Brittany and its islands have never been short of bold adventurers setting off to seek treasure, excitement or just to try a human experience. Patrick Saigot and his family settled on the Ile de Groix some 10 years ago. There they led a quiet, simple life till the day when the mussel farmer decided to up anchor and leave for the other side of the planet along with his wife, Faustine, and their three children. Destination: Madagascar with a new challenge to be faced. Patrick was going to open the first oyster farm on the island. Madagascar is one of the poorest places in the world. Patrick gave himself two years to pull off his gamble, two years to adapt the techniques of oyster farming, pass on his knowledge and offer a future to a village cut off from the rest of the world. We followed the family from Groix to Madagascar... An adventure far off the beaten track, an adventure from island to island.

24'  
*English*  
*version available*  
NIGERIA  
2011

### THE FORCED LABOURERS OF THE LAGOON

*Les forçats de la lagune*

In the middle of the night they dive and dive again into the murky waters of Lagos lagoon. Equipped only with simple buckets, most of the time naked, they scratch at the bottom ten feet below to scrape up the sand before the sun becomes unbearable. Slowly their pot-bellied ships are filled, one free dive after another, and then they hoist the sails and head back to the village. These forced labourers of the lagoon might be right out of deepest antiquity, with no other power than their muscles and the wind. Thousands of dives to provide the capital's construction sites with its raw material. Harrowing work, but with a timeless beauty. At dawn, as the Nigerian capital is awakening, sailing boats with sumptuous patchwork sails glide softly to their home port. The men are exhausted. The images are resplendent. Then they must off-load the sand, basket by basket. The boats are built on the beach, the sails sewn in back yards out of rice sacks and the trucks gnaw at the mountains of sand erected by the men. And yet, the whole sand economy is run by women, in this violent country, which long ago granted them equality. Pauline is the owner of a boat, and of a crew. She runs her little business like an astute businesswoman. Without voyeurism, sharing the lives of the workers, Thalassa spent several days aboard these boats in the company of the sand divers. A report on one of the many faces of people at work and an incredible human adventure.

- 22'  
German  
*version available*  
SPAIN  
2013
- THE WINGS OF THE DELTA**  
Les Ailes du Delta
- With its dunes and its wetland areas, the Ebro Delta is a paradise for birds and a favourite haunt for ornithologists. In this protected area, we follow Rémi, a French ornithologist newly arrived in Barcelona. In every season there is an extraordinary diversity of species to be observed: flamingos, terns, ducks and herons that nest upon these lands or make them a stop-over on their long migration routes. With a team of bird-ringers from the Nature Reserve, he is taking part in a survey of an endangered species: Audouin's Gull. The Ebro delta is also the granary of Spain. A vast, flat delta ideal for growing rice for over a century.
- 20'  
German  
*version available*  
USA  
2013
- USA, THE DEEP SOUTH BY WATER**  
USA, le Grand Sud au fil de l'eau
- From the State of Georgia to the Gulf of Mexico, across Alabama and then down the Mississippi to its mouth, "USA, the Deep South" is a journey of encounter with those who love the Deep South. Elgin Wells combines his two passions: music and stunt flying. Pilot, musician, poet, he is one of the few in America to present nighttime aerial displays. At Natchez, on the banks of the Mississippi, Pat Martin and Gay Guercio open the doors to Stanton Hall and Longwood, two magnificent mansions in the heart of the old cotton plantations. In the Atchafalaya Basin, an extraordinary nature reserve that is a paradise for birds, crawfish and alligators, Roy Blanchard and Shane Doucet are fighting to preserve their identity as Acadians, descendants of the first immigrants, who still speak old French.
- 19'  
FRANCE  
2019
- THE DIE HARDS OF BEAUDUC**  
Les irréductibles de Beauduc
- On a beach in the French Camargue region, a community of die hards is fighting to maintain their space of liberty. The village of Beauduc is a hamlet of a few dozen cabins that stand apart and its existence is threatened.
- 19'  
FRANCE  
2018
- THE TIDAL BORE**  
Mascaret
- Around Saint-Pardon, on the shores of the Dordogne river, thousands of spectators come every year to watch the tidal bore phenomena when the full moon arrives. Dozens of surfers seize this unique opportunity to surf this huge wave, side by side, in a very atypical in-river dance.

19'  
EUROPE  
2011

### THE PRINCE WHO VANISHED

*Le prince disparu*

While underwater archaeologist Luc Vanrell was working to elucidate the mystery of the death of St Exupéry, he came upon the trail of another strange affair. Near the Riou archipelago, within a few dozen metres of the wreck of the plane flown by the author of the *Petit Prince*, he chanced upon another wreck: that of a German plane... So, at the same spot under the sea, lie two planes from the Second World War: one German, the other French. Is there a link between St Exupéry's crash and this German plane? Thanks to an incredible investigation and following the discovery of a skeleton on the Riou archipelago, Luc Vanrell swiftly solves this new enigma. A journey full of twists and turns between the Bay of Marseilles, Germany and California...

19'  
JAPAN  
2010

### TALES AND LEGENDS OF MOUNT ASO

*A l'ombre des volcans*

Japan has more than 200 active volcanoes. In Kagoshima, in the south of Japan, 700,000 people live in the shadow of a potentially dangerous volcano. Not far away, on Mount Aso, thousands of tourists come to sniff the sulphurous odours at the rim of its crater. From lyrical farmers to committed researchers, Sarah Carpentier has met the people who live in cohabitation with their smouldering neighbours - half alert; half fascinated. A traveller's log.

18'  
*German*  
*version available*  
FRANCE  
2011

### RACE AGAINST THE TIDE

*La marée au galop*

Once a year, four beaches in France turn into race courses while the tide turns. At noon, you would never imagine a horse race. Nor at 7 O'clock. However, between the two, a track is drawn out and a hundred horses take part in several races. The State Betting organisation sets up its stands and takes bets from thousands of spectators. The course officials judge the finish, they follow the race in cars to ensure that the trotters remain within the rules and, if necessary, they consult the video images recorded by the Horse Racing Federation. For several hours the beach is no longer a beach... At Lancieux we follow a race against time... and against tide.the world today...

18'  
ZAMBIA  
2011

### THE MIRACULOUS BEE OF THE LUNDAS

*La miraculeuse abeille de lundas*

We know about the big wild beasts of Africa... but Sarah Carpentier set out in search of the tiny beast... the Zambian wild bee, to be precise. After two days along tracks, she plunged into one of the largest tropical forests in the world and met the country's traditional beekeepers. For two centuries the Lunda tribe has been setting hives in the trees, 50 feet above the ground and they produce honey that is incredibly pure. Today, this nectar is worth its weight in gold... the Lundas' honey is purchased by an organic brand and marketed in Europe. A fresh perspective for one of the poorest tribes in Africa.



17'  
FRANCE  
2018

### THE BARTHEROTTE FAMILY

La tribu Bartherotte

Benoît Bartherotte, a former director of a high fashion house, spent all his fortune in the construction of a dyke that was supposed to protect his land from high tides. For forty years, hundreds of thousands of trucks came to discharge rocks to stabilize the coastline. Today, in front of the dyke of Pyla, the land on which he built a few dream huts has become a paradise on earth. His children are now taking over...

17'  
*German*  
*version available*  
POLYNESIA  
2014

### RESCUERS IN PARADISE

Les sauveteurs du paradis

Sam Roscol is an athletic 50 year-old and he's Mr. Safety in Polynesia... 1.85m of energy, commitment and love of life. Sam Roscol is the head of the GPI, the Polynesian Emergency Service. With his team of volunteers, he is responsible for the safety of people on Polynesian territory in case of natural disasters. Their activity: rescue... anywhere, under any circumstances... cyclone, tsunami, accident on the mountain or at sea, plane crash... the range of their interventions is wide. But when he's not on a mission, Sam and his team play at explorers. He's already opened up some 180 canyons by making some tricky passages safe. We accompany Sam Roscol and his team during their training and we follow one of their dangerous missions step by step.

17'  
GREECE  
2016

### HYDRA, NO NOISE, NO RUSH

Hydra, sans bruit et sans fureur

A passing visitor to Hydra doesn't notice it right away. But, very quickly, he senses that something is different: that something is missing and that it's not at all unpleasant. And, sure enough, this island is special in Greece, unique...It's one of the rare spots in the world where there are no motor vehicles. Not a car, not a motorbike, not a motor scooter! Nothing, apart from two tiny garbage trucks, an ambulance and two fire-cars, which practically never ever go out. It has to be said that this village of 2,500 and the rest of the island have never allowed the car in.

17'  
GREECE  
2016

### MILOS, THE KINDLY VOLCANO

Milos, les bienfaits du volcan

Milos is unique amongst the Greek islands. A tiny patch of earth of 160 km<sup>2</sup> with extraordinary mineral wealth. Because Milos is a volcano, a sleeping volcano to be sure, but with just enough wreathes of smoke in its crater to remind the island's 5,000 inhabitants of its presence. As one eruption followed another (the last dates back 80,000 years) it formed the rocks to provide a veritable treasure store that men have been exploiting for thousands of years. This volcanic activity has also created exceptional and bewitching landscapes and a large part of the islanders today live from this "fire from the earth". And some others in a more unusual fashion.

16'  
SCANDINAVIA  
2017

### LOFOTEN ISLANDS: FOR THE LOVE OF COD

*Aux Lofoten, la morue est reine*

Nestled at the world's end, in northern Norway, the Lofoten islands offer a surprising scenery. Peaking at over 1000 meters above sea level, the picturesque mountains are surrounded by turquoise waters. Situated above the Arctic Circle, the islands nevertheless enjoy mild temperatures thanks to the warm air brought in by the Gulf Stream, which protects the seven-island archipelago from extreme weather conditions. Thanks to this exceptional climate, life in Lofoten is surprisingly frantic in the middle of winter. Every year, between January and April, the world's largest reserve of cod migrate to the tiny archipelago to spawn en masse. A miraculous fishing follows, feeding the region since the 10th century! Once dried, the fish is referred to as 'salted cod', before making its way to the Portuguese, Spanish and Italian markets.

16'  
GREECE  
2016

### PANOS THEODOROPOULOS, TAILOR TO THE POPES

*Panos Theodoropoulos, tailleur des papes*

Old wooden paneling, ageless tailor's shears, cloth of brocaded gold neatly arranged in showcases... Going into Panos Théodoropoulos' workshop is like entering a cocoon. You feel calm, protected, outside of time. His great-grandfather opened the shop, more than a century ago. It is the apple of Panos' eye. He's about forty and he is a tailor. His clients are the popes: orthodox priests from all over Greece. With his dozen seamstresses, he makes their albs, their chasubles and their shawls... uniquely made-to-measure. It's a fine trade because the Greek church is not experiencing the crisis. And yet Panos is only one of two still practicing the art. His shop is in the heart of Monastiraki, the old quarter of Athens, with its small traditional restaurants and its flea market.

16'  
*English  
version available*  
FRANCE  
2010

### THE LAST FLIGHT OF ST EXUPERY

*Le dernier vol de Saint Exupery*

On July 31 1944, the Lightning P-38 of Captain Saint Exupéry, which took off at 8h45 from the aerodrome of Bastia-Borgo, was heading for the south of France on a reconnaissance and photographic mission in preparation for the landings in Provence. In 1998 a fisherman from Marseilles pulled up a chain belonging to the lost aviator in his nets. The first object directly linked to the lost author. That was all it needed to reignite the mystery that so many devotees have been trying to resolve for 60 years.

16'  
SOUTH AFRICA  
2012

### THE WHITE CAPE

*Le Cap, la blanche*

Lying nearly 10,000 kilometres from Amsterdam, Paris or London, Cape Town is without doubt the whitest and most European city in Africa. An enclave in the heart of the black continent. Just as it was in the sixteenth century when Dutch pioneers or French Huguenots were touched by the grace of the location and never left it. They created a jewel out of this extreme point of Africa, transplanting their architecture, their interiors, their customs, their spirit of enterprise. Three centuries later, with Apartheid abolished, the descendants of those Cape pioneers, whether of Dutch or British origin, perpetuate a way of life at the very end of the African continent that is quite apart.

15'  
ZAMBIA  
2011

### SHEILA AND HER APES

*Sheila et ses singes*

This is the story of a heroine such as you read of in novels. An elderly English woman, who chose, 60 years ago, to set down her bags in a corner of the Zambian bush. Sheila has since swapped her Labrador for a 3-tonne pet and she laughs at our surprise! Sheila has been a racing driver, dairy farmer, nurse... but, above all, she has built the biggest Chimpanzee sanctuary in the world.

14'  
*German*  
*version available*  
IRELAND  
2013

### A WEEK IN BALLOONS

*Une semaine en ballons*

It's a tough mission for Joe Daly! A professor of marketing and a hot-air balloon pilot for 10 years, he volunteered to organize the 44th Irish hot-air balloon championships. It's the oldest gathering of airships in the world. A true challenge! Irish weather is not reputed for favoring aerial sports. However, the important thing for Joe is to commemorate the 1100th anniversary of Waterford, the oldest city in Ireland, founded by the Vikings. And to offer the citizens of the County an unforgettable spectacle. Because of their friendship for Joe, twenty-eight pilots, from all background, answered the call, without knowing if they would even be able to take off.



13'  
CAMEROON  
2012

### SAPEURS

#### Sapeurs

The 'sape' phenomenon was born during central Africa's rush to independence. It was the Congo that first saw the appearance of men adopting Western fashions, but adding a highly personal touch, especially where colour is concerned. Today sape is a veritable life-style that has spread far beyond the frontiers of the Congo. In Cameroon we set out on the trail of these devotees, rich and poor, who are willing to make huge sacrifices to invest in clothes. They open their wardrobes and share their little sapeur secrets with us. Because you don't just play at being a sapeur—you are born a sapeur.

13'  
FRANCE  
2012

### SIGNAL IN DISTRESS

#### Signal en détresse

It's the building they love to hate in Soulac-sur-mer. The building on the sea front called the Signal is the subject of much debate. First, its architect is not to everyone's taste. And now the building and its resident find themselves in a very worrying situation. Erosion threatens. Every day the waves nibble away the dune at the foot of the building. Every day the residents wait to be protected. Confronted by the ocean and the critics, the Signal and its residents are feeling increasingly isolated.

13'  
*English*  
*version available*  
ITALY  
2010

### BAIA

#### Baia, l'ardente de l'empire romain

Pompeii, Vesuvius... two sites so evocative of the archaeology and volcanism of the Naples region. So who spares a thought for Baia and the Flegrean Fields? And yet, at the time it was the supreme resort for the emperors and aristocracy of Rome, a totally other world on the other side of the bay which represented every vice cited in ancient texts. Today Baia is a sunken city, swallowed up by a very rare and particular form of volcanic action: bradyseism.

12'  
FRANCE  
2011

### CAMPING UP NORTH

#### Un camping au Nord

As holiday makers plunge into the traffic jams and head for the sun, we decide to test holidays in the north. So we set down our bags (and our prejudices) in the most northerly campsite in France, at Bray-Dunes, on the Belgian border, set on the sands of a beach that is characteristic of the region. There, we share the everyday lives of Chantal and François, regulars for over thirty years, and José, the camp's Jack-of-all-Trades, and also its living memory. Meeting them, our prejudices soon disappear...

- 12'  
POLYNESIA  
2012
- WHERE HAVE ALL THE VAHINAS GONE ?**  
*Où sont passées les Vahines?*  
An investigation into the myth embedded in our minds: that of the vahine, the Polynesian island woman, of rare and savage beauty, whom the early explorers described in their journals page after page. We go to meet those who perpetuate this wonderful story, but also those who believe the myth is just a traveler's fantasy.
- 12'  
FRANCE  
2009
- THE SKELETONS OF QUEMENES**  
*Les squelettes de Quemenes*  
On March 10 2008 a ferocious storm is unleashed upon Brittany. Off the coast of Finistere, in the Molene archipelago, the tiny island of Quemenes is battered by giant waves. It was on this tiny island that a young couple had arrived to give new life to an abandoned farm by turning it into holiday accommodation. That day, when David is taking a solitary stroll along the beach, he discovers four skeletons in a state of perfect preservation. From that moment an enthralling investigation is launched... into a realm somewhere between fantasy, myth and reality.
- 11'  
FRANCE  
2012
- THE SAILS OF ST. TROPEZ**  
*Les voiles de St. Tropez*  
At the end of every summer, the famous village with the coloured bell tower holds a race that is unique in the world. The "Sails" is the largest gathering of sailing boats in the world. Three hundred boats sail the Bay of St Tropez to win the most prized trophy of the season, the final regatta before winter, the Holy Grail for classic yachting crews. This year we invite you to experience the race as you've never lived it before, aboard two emblematic yachts of the 30s, both from the drawing board of the famous Scottish designer, William Fife: Tuiga of the Monaco Yacht Club and Mariska with its Swiss crew. These two monuments of sail are the ultimate sporting boats and their identical dimensions make them close competitors. Aboard are the finest sailors of the day, constantly working their cathedrals of sail with one single objective: to cross the finishing line first.
- 11'  
ENGLAND  
2011
- MESSAGE IN A BOTTLE**  
*Messengeries Maritimes*  
SOS, love letters, expressions of friendship... Stuart commits to the sea the emotional outpourings of those who, unlike himself, are not fortunate enough to live on the Channel. This seaside English postman receives hundreds of e-mails from all over the world that he prints, puts into a bottle and tosses into the sea. Maybe one day his bottles will fetch up on the beaches of the North Sea, which Wim has been relentlessly scouring for 30 years. This solitary pensioner has found nearly 800 messages in bottles brought to him by the simple chance of the tides. We go to meet two men passionate about maritime messaging: anchors aweigh!

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FRANCE  
2011

## YELLE

Yelle

Saint-Brieuc has its star. She is young, fresh, smart and friendly. She electrifies theatres and dance floors on all continents. She's better known around the world than she is in France. Her name? Julie Budet, aka Yelle... Hip globetrotter, but with roots deep in Saint-Brieuc. A girl almost like any other. And it runs in the family: her father wrote and composed one of the most famous of Breton sea shanties.





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