

REC-Filmfestival + Lichtspiele 2014

The Festival for young directors

3rd – 6th of December 2014 at the ufaFabrik, Berlin-Tempelhof



What is a surrealistic documentary film about bipolarity? How to live in "Future", a small village far off in the russian countryside? And whatever was the "Stockholm-syndrome"? Answers will be given at the 23rd REC-Filmfestival from the 3rd to 6th of December 2014, at the new venue: the historical cinema of the former UFA plant in Berlin-Tempelhof.

REC internationales junges Filmfestival will present the films of ambitious young directors from age 16 to 27. It is 35 films from 14 countries, which will be appraised by a jury of established directors. In this competition the jury has two tasks: Beside the awarding of the best films, the jury also has to give a spontaneous and unadorned feedback, immediately after the screening. No simple task, but a valuable help from professionals to the young directors. And the best documentary film will be awarded by the "International Leipzig Festival for Documentary and Animated Film" in cooperation with "Doc Alliance Films" with the "Doku-Clip".

On top of that interesting **workshops** are offered, for example journalism for youth, also workshops about how to use DSLR-cameras, or about audio-equipment like mixers and microphones. Furthermore there is discussion forum with directors and information about education in filmbusiness.

Beside "REC internationales junges Filmfestival" there are two **more competitions**:

"Lichtspiele – Das Berliner Jugendfilmfestival", our new partner, screens up-to-date productions from Berlin pupil in the categories "Under-16" and "Over-16".

"REC for Kids" is the international competition for the films from kids and youth, age 6 to 15. 43 films from 13 countries will be screened. (For the young german audience the films will have a live german voiceover.) On Saturday, the 6th of December selected films for all ages will be screened in a family-program.

At all 95 films from young directors out of 24 countries will be screened in four days at the historical cinema of the ufaFabrik.

On Saturday at 4 p.m. the **awarding ceremony** for all competitions takes place – golden and silver clips with a total value of more than 2.000 € and other rewards will be handed over. Afterwards the awarded films will be screened.

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