

ICE 2006 digital short film festival: selected films for screening at CALAA

Blank Verse

Running Time: 00:15:00

Film Category: Experimental

Writer: Indrayanee Mukherjee

Director: Indrayanee Mukherjee

Cinematographer: Mahendra Shetty

Music Composer:

Ashwin Shrinivasan, Vinayak Netke, Aatur Soni

Editor: Sadanand Chhatbar, Bhushan, Reena.

Synopsis:

The film is about an exploration of womanhood through the eyes and psyche of 'Men'.

Lemon Yellow Afternoons

Running Time: 00:12:30

Film Category: Fiction

Writer: Monisha Baldawa

Director: Monisha Baldawa

Cinematographer: Shraddha Pasi

Music Composer: Amol Bhave

Editor: Monisha Baldawa

Key Cast:

Amma- Indira Sundaram

Chinu- Ritika Gujjar

Synopsis:

The story is an exploration of a relationship between Amma and Chinu who are neighbours, Amma is a Tamilian house wife and Chinu is a Maharastrian girl. Strong bonds are usually formed over the process of doing little nothings, Void afternoons in a Chawl becomes the space for Amma and chinu to chords of a companionship.

The Potato Eaters

Running Time: 00:5:00

Film Category: Fiction

Writer: Sachin Kundalkar

Director: Abhijeet Deshpande

Cinematographer: Gogineni Babu

Music Composer:-

Editor: Suchitra Sathe

Key Cast:

Editor- Amruta Subhas

Chef- Nilesh Phal

Synopsis:

A Chef after a long tiring day goes to visit his friend. who is editing a special film.

Critical Chaos

Running Time: 00:12:00

Film Category: Experimental

Writer: Huned Contractor

Director: Huned Contractor

Cinematographer: Damien Rea

Music Composer: Oceanic

Editor: Huned Contractor

Key Cast:

Citizens of Pune

Sujit Patwardhan

Lata Shrikhande

Vidyadhar Deshpande

Synopsis:

The film uses music & images to evoke awareness of how the rapid urbanisation of pune now created many problems and also suggests ways by which we can prevent further detereoration

Tyachi Goshta

Running Time: 00:17:00

Film Category: Fiction

Writer: Mohit Takalkar

Director: Mohit Takalkar

Cinematographer: Milind Jog

Music Composer: Jui Rajshekhar

Editor: Abhijeet Deshpande

Key Cast:

Abhishek Tilgulkar – Shambhu

Dilip Vengurlekar – Writer

Mandar Patwardhan – Hotel Owner

Synopsis:

It's a story of a writer who has gone dry & cant write anything new. So he comes to a Place where he meets Shambhu a small boy. Days go by...

Kalakaar

Running Time: 00:12:20

Film Category: Fiction

Writer: Tejas Deoskar

Director: Tejas Deoskar

Cinematographer: Anurag Kulkarni

Music Composer: Susmit Limaye

Editor: Tejas Deoskar / Anurag Kulkarni

Key Cast:

Rajat Kapoor – Artist

Scientist – Atul Pethe

King – Dinkar Bedekar

PM – Sadanand Kulkarni

Shayka Parveen – Princess

Synopsis:

A delightful tale about how the rubber Eraser gets accidentally invented & saves a sketch artist from going to the gallows.

LimbuTimbu

Running Time: 00:05:00

Film Category: Fiction

Writer: Varun Narvekar

Director: Varun Narvekar

Cinematographer: Milind Jog

Music Composer:

Editor: Abhijeet Deshpande

Key Cast:

Jyoti Subhash – Grandmother

Assem Puranik – Grandson

Synopsis:

For the first time, grandmother makes pickle in the house & her grandson wants to eat it. But grandmother is not going to give him single chance before it gets matured. Days go by...

Don Shiva The Dancer (Animation film)

Running Time: 00:00:45

Film Category: Experimental

Writer: Anand Bhutkar

Director: Anand Bhutkar

Music Composer: Bhuddha Bar

Key Cast: God Shiva – Animated character

Synopsis:

The film captures the spirit of Shiva(The God of destruction). The film uses an interesting style of animation to glorify the dance & dignity

Faith

Running Time: 00:10:50

Film Category: Fiction

Writer: Rajesh Kolan

Director: Amit Phalke

Cinematographer: Sandip Patil

Music Composer:

Editor: Deepak Naidu

Key Cast:

Amit Phalke

Shirish Apte

Pranav Panse

Synopsis:

Shukravarcha Akash (Friday Skies)

Running Time: 00:05:00

Film Category: Fiction

Writer: Emmanuel Palo

Director: Emmanuel Palo

Cinematographer: Kaushik Mandal

Music Composer:

Editor: Manoj K.

Key Cast:

Santosh Vilas – Dipu

Prashant Vilas – Vishal

Vrunda Sathe – Mother

Synopsis:

Two young siblings patiently wait for the airplane that flies over their village every Friday hoping that their father who is on board that plane would see them, if he looks down from the aircrafts window.

The Hidden Cosmos

Running Time: 00:11:22

Film Category: Docu.Fiction

Writer: Rahul Ouhal

Director: Dhaval Ganbote

Cinematographer: Yogesh Ashtekar

Music Composer: Nakul Jogdeo

Editor: Ashok Shelar

Key Cast: Vaibhav Shah – Sketching Artist

Synopsis:

Arya Bhushan Theatre- Oldest place in Pune for the folkart called 'Tamasha'.The deep insight what this folkart means, lifestyle, daily routine of the inhabitants, why are they common but uncommon ones is all shown in this film.

A Visit to the market*

Running Time: 00:24:00

Film Category: Fiction

Writer: Abhineet Gogne

Director: Abhineet Gogne

Cinematographer: Abhineet Gogne

Music Composer: Abhineet Gogne, Dentagram, Rajat Deep Rana

Editor: Abhineet Gogne

Key Cast: Ayesha Mohan – Narrator

Synopsis:

Constipated, Hung-over. Need cigarettes .Out of cigarettes. Mild Cigarettes. Need a visit to the market, which one? They're all the fucking same want, need, choose, see, love, agony, peace. Buy Avail a fucking sale. Dark sunglasses light sunglasses. Experience. Beatitude, Delirium. Ebullience. Get. Got? Think.

**-was not shown in the competition category, but due to a special mention by the jury.*

Mochi

Running Time: 00:12:00

Film Category: Fiction

Writer: Pravin Bhamre

Director: Pravin Bhamre

Cinematographer: Sameer Athaley

Music Composer: M.A.R.K.S.

Editor: Subhash Indulkar, Jeshal Seth

Key Cast:

Nilu Phule

Usha Nadkarni

Upendra Limaye

Ashwini

Synopsis:

It's a story of unemployed youth. His father is a shoemaker. He is ashamed of his fathers

profession . He tries to find a job everywhere but cant succeed because he have neither influence nor money to bribe. One day accidentally he have to pick up his fathers 0tools & realise the dignity of self-employment.

The Mime

Running Time: 00:00:50

Film Category: Experimental

Writer: Pradeep Beri

Director: Pradeep Beri

Cinematographer: Amit Mehta

Music Composer:-

Editor: Amit Mehta

Key Cast: Shekhar Puri – Mime Artist

Dharma Ramoshi

Running Time: 00:19:47

Film Category: Fiction

Writer: Pundlik Dhumal1

Director: Pundlik Dhumal

Cinematographer: Devendra Golatkar

Music Composer: Kaushal Inamdar

Editor: Jameel Shaikh

Key Cast:

Leeladhar Kambli - Dharma Ramoshi

Ashwini Gorkhe – Kamli

Sandeep Jangam – Sampat

Jyoti Subhash – Mother

Sunil Deo - Brother

Dawn to Dusk and Further

Running Time: 00:10:25

Film Category: Documentary

Writer: -

Director: Neal Kartik

Cinematographer: Anuj Dhavan

Music Composer: -

Editor: Yagya Priya Gautam

Key Cast:-

Foot-age

Running Time: 00:03:54

Film Category: Experimental

Writer: Mangesh Joshi

Director: Mangesh Joshi

Cinematographer: Harish Kulkarni

Music Composer: Suprateek Chaterjee

Editor: Mayur Sagari

Key Cast:

Nivedita Khot

Rohan Mankani

Madhura Mulkar

Nitant Joshi

Synopsis:

If you don't give Foot-age to your life life will not give foot-age to you. The film Foot-age through its simple depiction of how we take even our relationships casually tries to be forward. An increase in danger of falling to the disease of aids.

Life goes on

Running Time: 00:05:50

Film Category: Documentary

Writer: Mayuresh & Suparna

Director: Suparna Gangal

Cinematographer: Ganesh Phuke

Music Composer: Adwait Patwardhan

Editor: IME (Pune)

Synopsis:

The film is a simple documentation of what goes on in broad daylight when it comes to disposing hazardous bio-medical waste. What is shocking is the matter of fact narrative of the nagpicker woman about how she braves the danger of harming her own health and that of her husbands. While they do so, "Life goes on" for those living in favourable conditions.

The Matheran Odessey

Running Time: 00:12:00

Film Category: Documentary

Writer: Aniruddha Pimpalkhare

Director: Aniruddha Pimpalkhare

Cinematographer: Aniruddha Pimpalkhare

Music Composer: -

Editor: Aniruddha Pimpalkhare

Synopsis:

The film is about the Neral-Matheran Hill train. Chronicling its journey from 1907 the documentary takes a close look at this engineering marvel. Shot in 2005, it reveals the magic of the 20 KM uphill journey, taking help of archival material

Dhyaas

Running Time: 00:19:00

Film Category: Fiction

Writer: Sukhada Gokhale

Director:

Cinematographer: Sukhada Gokhale

Music Composer: Nakul Jogdeo

Editor:

Key Cast:

Amey Wagh – Elder Pickpocket

Kid – Omkar Gaikwad

Synopsis:

Bloodline

Running Time: 00:11:47

Film Category: Fiction

Writer: David Abaya

Director: Balshankar Menon

Cinematographer: Naim Sutherland

Music Composer: David Abaya

Editor: Naim Sutherland

Key Cast:

Emily Livingston – Jamie

Lynna Goldhar – Maggie

Marty Gage – Benny

Colin Newfeld – Thomas

Synopsis:

Jamie is afflicted with a rare hereditary blood disease known as medical vampire. Her mother Maggie reports to what she can to ensure Jamie's survival. Strangled by this way of life, Jamie seeks to break away, becoming everything her mother has to fear.

En Passant

Running Time: 00:10:07

Film Category: Fiction

Writer: Balshankar Menon and Robin Kupferman

Director: Balshankar Menon

Cinematographer: David Abaya

Music Composer: Mackenzie Stubbert

Editor: Jay Jones

Key Cast:

Harold Warren – Daniel

Tony Ali – Ibrahim

Jeff Sarsfield - John

Synopsis:

Daniel, a construction worker spends his free time playing chess at a local café. One day, he meets Ibrahim and the two form a bond through their mutual love for chess. But suspicious rear their ugly head and threaten to destroy their friendship.

Portrait

Running Time: 00:05:00

Film Category: Fiction

Writer: Katta Nagaraju Goud

Director: Katta Nagaraju Goud

Cinematographer: D.Shrikanth

Music Composer: Pragya Pallavi

Editor: D.Shrikanth

Key Cast:

Veena Vilenga - Mother

Shahaj Shukla - Son

Synopsis:

This film showcase issue on children's innocence and the world they are haring in today's life and the film is about a son, who needs to act accordingly to his mother's instructions... And about a mother, whose constant attempts to capture a smile (Innocence) of her son. The film is an experimental fiction in an unconventional and fresh approach.

These Bloody Mice...!

Running Time: 00:11:30

Film Category: Fiction

Writer: -

Director: Hrishikesh Deshpande and Suhrud Godbole

Cinematographer: Amalendu Chaudhari

Music Composer: Amit Parwardhan

Editor: Suhrud Godbole

Key Cast:

Amit Patwardhan - Sid

Sunil Abhyankar - Inspector

Pravin Tavde – Killer

Vibhavari Deshpande – Neha

Synopsis:

Interruptions are the last thing any creative person would want. Siddharth Deshpande, a budding music director running short on deadlines and interruptions haunt him all night. But the next morning e realises that a few interruptions were not in fact that he thought they were.

Whatever

Running Time: 00:12:00

Film Category: Experimental

Writer: Dheeraj Akolkar

Director: Dheeraj Akolkar

Cinematographer: Dheeraj Akolkar

Music Composer: Clifton Roderick's, Tarali Sharma,
Partial use of 'Que Sera Sera'

Editor: Tushar Ghogale

Key Cast:

Mimos – The Frozen street performances
at the piazzale of the uffizi Florence

Synopsis:

It is a story about street performances
frozen in a strange sense of time, surrounded by
the most famous stories in stone –
The sculptures of Michael Angelo.