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9th Annual Arkhaïos Film Festival Cultural Heritage and Archaeology

Virtual Edition, October 11-17, 2021

7 Days – 25 Films – 19 Countries – 22 Cultures
Program

Pittsburgh, PA - The Arkhaïos Cultural Heritage and Archaeology Film Festival is in its 9th year, and for the second time a virtual festival.

The Arkhaïos Virtual Edition allows for all the films to be viewed at any time during the week of the festival, from Monday, 11 October @ 9 am through Sunday, 17 October @ 11:59 pm. Go to the Arkhaïos festival site <https://arkhaïosfilmfestival2021.eventive.org/welcome> and enjoy the free festival at your leisure !

Monday October 11, 2021 to Sunday October 17, 2021 Films can be screened on demand 24/7		
OFFICIAL SELECTION FILMS		
Ark of the Covenant <i>Director Thierry Ragobert, (France)</i>	Songs of the Water Spirits <i>Director Nicolò Bongiorno, (Italy)</i>	The Last Ice <i>Director Scott Ressler, (USA)</i>
Bang the Drum <i>Director Will Nitzky, (USA)</i>	The 1001 faces of Palmyra <i>Director Meyar AL Roumi, (France)</i>	The Lost Kingdom of the Black Pharaohs <i>Director David Starkey, (France)</i>
Homo Sapiens, a New Departure <i>Director Olivier Julien, (France)</i>	The Dune People <i>Director David Geoffroy, (France)</i>	Twelve Decades of Discovery <i>Director Nikos Dayandas, (Greece)</i>
Ladies and Princes of Prehistory <i>Director Pauline Coste, (France)</i>	The Forgotten Refuge <i>Director David Geoffroy, (France)</i>	We Are The Land <i>Director Jesse Dizard, (USA)</i>
Schnidi, The Ghost Of The Neolithic <i>Director Thibaud Marchand, (France)</i>	The last hours of Pompeii - Parts 1&2 <i>Director Pierre Stine, (France)</i>	AWARDS Saturday October 16, 5pm
FESTIVAL SELECTION FILMS		
Comprehending the history. Mysteries of ancient Kultobe <i>Director Alexey Kamensky, (Kazakhstan)</i>	Sankara is not Dead <i>Director Lucie Viver, (France-USA)</i>	The West Indies Fleet <i>Director Antonio Pérez Molero, (Spain)</i>
Ganj Dareh <i>Director Keyvan Tabatabaie Samimi, (Iran)</i>	Saving the Sacred <i>Director Daniel Bruns, (USA)</i>	Vallus, the Teeth of the Earth <i>Director Philippe Axell, (Belgium)</i>
KAPAEMAHU <i>Director Hinaimoana Wong-Kalu, Dean Hamer, Joe Wilson, (USA)</i>	Submerged Paleocultural Landscapes Project <i>Director Alex DeCiccio, (USA)</i>	Who wrote the Bible ? <i>Director Nathalie Laville, (France)</i>
No Roses On a Sailor's Grave <i>Director Daniel Oron, (Canada)</i>	The Trace of Time <i>Director Dionysia Kopana, (Greece)</i>	

In addition to the 25 films above, the festival will present two tributes for an additional 8 films. The tribute to the "Humans of Steel" chronicles the rise of the steel industry from its epicenter in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, its most prosperous years and its eventual decline and collapse. A story of immigration and labor in early industrial America. The "Tribute to George F. Bass" is a celebration of the life of the "Father of Underwater Archaeology", founder of the Institute of Nautical Archaeology (INA), who passed away this year.

In the meantime, enjoy a cursory look at the Official Selection trailers. Here is a link to the snappy festival trailer:



The synopsis and trailer of each film is also posted on the Arkhaios Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/ArkhaiosFilmFestival>

The Awards Winners of the juried competition will be posted on the Arkhaios Festival site on Saturday October 16, 5pm EST. <https://arkhaiosfilmfestival2021.eventive.org/AWARDS>

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The Arkhaios Cultural Heritage and Archaeology Events corporation is a non-profit, 501(c)(3) organization producing the Arkhaios Film Festivals in South Carolina and in Pennsylvania, when possible. A Virtual Edition has been added to screen the films online.

The multi-day Arkhaios Cultural Heritage and Archaeology Film Festival is an annual juried competition, part of Archaeology Month celebration. It is free, open to the public, and is an educational event showcasing the discovery of past cultures gained from ethnological or archaeological research, and illustrated through documentary films.

The Arkhaios Film Festival is sponsored by the SC Institute of Archaeology and Anthropology (SCIAA) and the Department of Anthropology of the University of South Carolina, and the Greater Piedmont Chapter of The Explorers Club, in South Carolina, and in Pennsylvania by the Department of Anthropology of the University of Pittsburgh, and the Allegheny Chapter #1 of the Society for Pennsylvania Archaeology.

Visit the Arkhaios website at: <http://www.arkhaiosfilmfestival.org/>
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