

NYU NEWS DOC FILM FESTIVAL 2022



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FRIDAY, MAY 13th 6PM - 9PM
SATURDAY, MAY 14th 1PM - 6:30PM

Q&A WITH DIRECTOR AFTER EACH FILM
RECEPTION FOLLOWING FINAL FILM SATURDAY
19 University Place Room 102

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FRIDAY, MAY 13th | 6pm - Opening Remarks



6:10PM

ANA IS HERE
by Adam Santovac

Serbia, a conservative Balkan country with no LGBT rights, is led by an openly gay Prime Minister. (40 min)



6:55PM

SARZHAL: HALF LIVES AND WHOLE TRUTHS
by Guldana Talgat

A daughter takes an intimate look at a major historical event in Kazakhstan – the Semey Test Site, the most nuked place on Earth, where a father fought to end bomb testing. (30 min)



7:30PM

THE BREEDING SHED
by Celina Torrealba

The traditionally male-dominated world of thoroughbred racing is rapidly changing as a new breed of professional women shatter barriers within the farms that nurture these equine athletes. (27 min)



8:00PM

OUT OF BREATH
by Laura Loguercio

A small Italian town has been fighting against asbestos contamination for over a century. With a new trial on its way, will people who already lost so much finally get the resolution they deserve? (23 min)

SATURDAY, MAY 14th



1:10PM

IN BETWEEN
by Andrea Acosta

Two citizens in Colombia step in to help care for Venezuelan migrants streaming into the country. They struggle to get support for their efforts while fighting anti-immigrant fears. (25 min)



1:40PM

CREATING SPACE
by Julia Eckley

With only three lesbian bars left in New York City, activists Sarah Hollonquist, Loretta Chung, and Kristin Dausch work to create new queer community spaces in innovative ways. (22 min)



2:15PM

BITS OF SUMMER
by YUNBO WU

A Chinese filmmaker, Yunbo, lost his grandparents in the pandemic and rediscovers the meaning of home in the United States. (30 min)



2:45PM

ACROSS THE STREET
by Julie Levy

University Park in south Los Angeles is home to working class and primarily Latinx families. It is also the site of a 21-well oil facility that is just next door to where people live and play. (23 min)



3:15PM

CHILDREN OF SIN
by Soukaina Alaoui El Hassani

After being disowned by her family, Siham navigates the murky waters of shame and rejection as an unwed mother in Morocco. She fights to reconnect with family and gain legal rights for her daughter. (25 min)



4:05PM

LONG WAY HOME
by Serge Kharytonau

After the disputed 2020 presidential elections in Belarus, a group of new exiles led by the winning candidate use their network to help Ukrainians fight the war with Russia. (24 min)



4:35M

ZEHAVA
by Tamar Baruch

Zehava, a 22-year-old Palestinian trans woman asks me to take her to the West Bank before she starts transitioning, to say goodbye to her grandmother, who is unaware of her gender identity. Two months later, Zehava is dead, the police think by suicide. (25 min)



5:05PM

WE'RE GOING TO MAKE IT
by Sydney Bertun

A transfemme glitch artist and a twitter famous investor are trying to make a living with NFTs. (33 min)

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5:40PM

FOUND
by Shuhao Tse

Tang's son was stolen when the child was 3. 12 years later the Chinese police found him but that joy was trapped by a new reality. (45 min)