



PRESS RELEASE

WHAT: 12th International Silent Film Festival Manila 2018

WHEN: August 30 – September 02, 2018

WHERE: Cinema 2, SM Megamall, Mandaluyong City

“The International Silent Film Festival Manila is back for its 12th edition”

It's the time of the year again to watch silent films with live music scored by Filipino artists at the 12th edition of the International Silent Film Festival Manila (ISFMM)!

The International Silent Film Festival Manila (ISFFM) is renowned as the first and oldest silent film festival in Southeast Asia. Founded in 2007, the festival was a unique collaborative initiative led by the Goethe-Institut Philippinen together with the Japan Foundation - Manila, and the Instituto Cervantes de Manila. The festival has grown as it continues to celebrate arts and cultural heritage through international silent films with live music, scored by Filipino artists. This year, there are eight participating countries to celebrate yet another year of intercultural collaboration - Austria, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, Spain, U.S. and the Philippines.

Happening from **August 30 to September 2**, the ISFFM is partnering with **SM Megamall** to screen **eight (8) silent films**, to be live-scored by local musicians. The participating embassies and cultural institutions include: the Film Development Council of the Philippines, the Goethe-Institut Philippinen, the Philippine-Italian Association, Japan Foundation-Manila, Instituto Cervantes de Manila and the Embassies of the United States of America, Austria and France.

All screenings will be open to the public on a first come first served basis. For the film presented by Goethe-Institut Philippinen entitled „*The Cabinet of Dr. Caligari*“, a free ticket registration site will be opened online for the public on August 19. For more information about the ticket registration for the said film, visit bit.ly/ISFMM_TheCabinet.

The 12th International Silent Film Festival is made possible in partnership with SM Cinema, SM Cares, Amici, Sunny16 Lab, Cineteca Bologna, Institut Francais, Embassy of Japan, Embassy of Spain, Filmoteca Española, Austrian Presidency of the Council of the European Union, HearLife Foundation, Inc., Med El, Fringe Creative, and the Barista & Coffee Academy of Asia. For more information about the event, visit fb.com/InternationalSilentFilmFestivalManila.

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Schedule of Screenings

August 30 (Thursday)

08:00 pm ITALY - Rapsodia Satanica (Satanic Rhapsody)

Accompanying musician: Miles Experience

August 31 (Friday)

07:00 pm PHILIPPINES - This is Not A Lost Film

Accompanying musician: Khavn & the Kontra-Kino Orchestra

09:00 pm FRANCE - La Passion de Jeanne D'Arc

Accompanying musicians: Dingdong Fiel, Andrew Constantino and Kyongmin Nam

September 1 (Saturday)

04:00 pm GERMANY - Das Cabinet des Dr. Caligari (The Cabinet of Dr. Caligari)

Accompanying musician: Kontra-GaPi

06:00 pm JAPAN - A Straightforward Boy

Accompanying musician: Tanikala Tribe

08:00 pm USA - Our Hospitality

Accompanying musician: Brass Monkeys

September 2 (Sunday)

05:00 pm SPAIN - Frivolinas

Accompanying musician: Tapati

07:30 pm AUSTRIA - Die kleine Veronika

Accompanying musician: Joee & I

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