



PRESS RELEASE

WHAT: Science Film Festival Philippines

WHEN: November 12 to December 07, 2018

WHERE: SM Megamall Cinema 2 and nationwide organized screenings

“Spreading Knowledge Through Entertainment at the 2018 Science Film Festival”

The **Science Film Festival**, celebrated as one of the biggest science event in the Philippines, is now on its 8th year in the country. The festival which will take place on **November 12 to December 07**, is organized by Goethe-Institut with the support from the Department of Education (DepEd), the Department of Science and Technology (DOST), SM Cinema, and GMA Network.

This 2018, the Science Film Festival in the Philippines, invites visitors to enjoy **31 science films** and to explore the theme, **“Food Revolution”**. With this year’s theme on FOOD REVOLUTION, the festival aims to discuss one of the biggest dangers to the planet which is our need for food and the hard truth in meeting the demands of a fast growing global population.

The festival officially opens on **November 12, 2017, 10am, at SM Megamall Cinema 2**, with a special screening of the award-winning documentary special of GMA Public Affairs hosted by Atom Araullo, **“Philippine Seas”**. The documentary features the exploration and expedition on the 13-million hectare Philippine Rise and its potentially rich source of natural gas and other resources.

From November 13 to December 07, organized film screenings will follow at Museo Pambata, The Mind Museum, Manila Ocean Park, Philippine Science Centrum, The National Libraries of the Philippines, Quezon City Science Interactive Centre, Xavier University, Liceo de Cagayan University, Felta Multimedia, ABLAN Foundation, De La Salle University Libraries, and Manila For Kids. There will also be screenings in select public schools and science high schools nationwide through the facilitation of DepEd and DOST-SEI.

With more than 180,000 participants last year, Goethe-Institut aims to reach more this year as it positions itself as a growing and consolidating contributor to science and education in the Philippines. For more information, visit Goethe.de/Manila or send your inquiries to ScienceFilmFestival@Manila.goethe.org.

ABOUT THE SCIENCE FILM FESTIVAL – The Science Film Festival is a festival initiated by the Goethe-Institut Thailand in 2005 that has been expanded into many countries in Southeast Asia and beyond. The festival features films that communicate science and technology in an entertaining and comprehensible way for children aged 9-14 years, as well as a wider audience.

ABOUT THE GOETHE-INSTITUT PHILIPPINEN – The Goethe-Institut is the Federal Republic of Germany’s cultural institute, promoting the study of the German language abroad, and encouraging international cultural exchange.

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