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All films open to the public

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\$8.50 general admission/\$6.50 seniors/

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All screenings in Willard Straight Theatre except where noted

For more information visit <http://cinema.cornell.edu>

Casablanca

Sunday, August 20 7:30 Free to new students

Tuesday, August 22 7:00 Free to new students

1942 > USA > Directed by Michael Curtiz

With Humphrey Bogart, Ingrid Bergman, Claude Rains

Catch the legendary American classic that put "Here's looking at you, kid" on the lips of millions of would-be Bogarts.

Based on Cornell alum Murray Burnett's '31 play "Everybody Comes to Rick's."

1 hr 42 min

Orientation to Cornell Cinema & Movie Poster Sale

Monday, August 21 7:00 Free to all

Cornell Cinema is considered one of the best campus film exhibition programs in the country and you can find out why tonight. Munch on FREE popcorn while you watch a slew of coming attractions trailers & cool short films, find out how you can become involved, and win door prizes (including movie passes and t-shirts)! After the presentation, head backstage for a movie poster sale: wide selection of recent films available for great prices! All are welcome. Movie Poster sale begins at 8:45pm.

1 hr 20 min

Beauty and the Beast (2017)

Tuesday, August 22 9:20 Free to new students

Friday, August 25 7:00 Free to ALL CU students

2017 > UK/USA > Directed by Bill Condon

With Emma Watson, Dan Stevens

Disney's live-action musical recreation of the timeless tale is truly enchanting! More at movies.disney.com/beauty-and-the-beast-2017

2 hrs 9 min

Tomorrow

Wednesday, August 23 7:00 Free to new students

2017 > France > Directed by Cyril Dion & Melanie Laurent

An award-winning & optimistic French documentary that showcases alternative and creative ways of viewing agriculture, economics, energy and education in the age of climate change. Student representatives from the Cornell Environmental Collaborative will be on hand to talk about what they do and how you can get involved. Subtitled. More at tomorrow-documentary.com

1 hr 58 min

Get Out

Wednesday, August 23 9:45 Free to new students

Saturday, August 26 9:30

2017 > USA > Directed by Jordan Peele

With Allison Williams, Daniel Kaluuya, Catherine Keener

A young African-American photographer is nervous at the thought of meeting his white girlfriend's parents for the first time. His anxiety soon turns into outright terror when he discovers that the family's seemingly idyllic community is hiding a sinister conspiracy, one that involves the disappearance of several black people in the area. More at getoutfilm.com/

1 hr 44 min

Le Samourai

Thursday, August 24 7:00 Free to new students w/ intro by Jonathan Kirshner (Government, CU)

Sunday, August 27 7:00

1967 > France > Directed by Jean-Pierre Melville

With Alain Delon, Nathalie Delon

A classic of French noir starring Alain Delon, in trenchcoat and fedora, as an emotionless killer on the pitiless streets of 60s Paris. "A razor-sharp cocktail of 1940s American gangster cinema and 1960s French pop culture - with a liberal dose of Japanese lone-warrior mythology - maverick director Jean-Pierre Melville's masterpiece defines cool." (Janus Films)

Subtitled. More at janusfilms.com/films/1019 *Cosponsored with the French Studies Program. Archival 35mm print courtesy of Institut Français. Special thanks to the Cultural Services of the French Embassy.*

1 hr 44 min

Your Name

Thursday, August 24 9:30 Free to new students

Saturday, August 26 7:15

Tuesday, August 29 7:00

2016 > Japan > Directed by Makoto Shinkai

With Ryunosuke Kamiki, Mone Kimishiraishi, Masami Nagasawa

High school students Taki and Mitsuha--one, a boy in Tokyo, the other, a girl in the countryside--wake up after a meteor shower and discover they have switched bodies, creating a mysterious but strong connection between them. **Your Name** unseated **Spirited Away** as the highest-grossing anime film of all time. Subtitled. More at funimationfilms.com/movie/yourname

1 hr 47 min

Guardians of the Galaxy, vol 2

Friday, August 25 9:45 Free to ALL CU students

Sunday, August 27 9:20

2017 > USA > Directed by James Gunn

With Chris Pratt, Zoe Saldana

The Guardians, led by Chris Pratt as Peter Quill, search for answers about Peter's past. With the introduction of the mysterious Ego, the Guardians learn that Peter may not get the straightforward family reunion he is hoping for. More at marvel.com/guardians

2 hrs 16 min

The Red Turtle

Wednesday, August 30 7:00

Monday, September 4 7:00

2016 > Japan/France > Directed by Michael Dudok de Wit

Studio Ghibli's first collaboration with an outside animator is a dialogue-free story about a castaway's life on a deserted tropical island populated by turtles, crabs and birds. "**The Red Turtle** is a fable so simple, so pure, it feels as if it has existed for hundreds of years." (Peter Debruge, *Variety*) More at sonyclassics.com/theredturtle/

1 hr 20 min

Solaris

Wednesday, August 30 8:45

Monday, September 4 8:45

1972 > USSR > Directed by Andrei Tarkovsky

With Donatas Banionis, Yuri Jarvet

A Russian psychologist investigates strange goings-on in a space station and is confronted by his own past in Tarkovsky's mind-boggling philosophical sci-fi journey. Subtitled. More at janusfilms.com/films/1825 *New digital restoration.*

2 hrs 47 min

Dial M for Murder (3D)

Thursday, August 31 7:00

Saturday, September 2 9:15

1954 > USA > Directed by Alfred Hitchcock

With Grace Kelly, Ray Milland

Dial M For Murder has always been one of Hitchcock's most careful and vivid character explorations centering around a twisted murder plot, but he couples that with astonishing use of 3-D, in which it was originally filmed but not released, to prove that the process had more potential as an artistic medium than the shock value many ascribed to it.

1 hr 45 min

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David Lynch: The Art Life

Thursday, August 31 9:30

Sunday, September 3 7:00

2017 > USA > Directed by Jon Nguyen & Rick Barnes

With David Lynch

This new documentary looks at Lynch's art, music, and early films, shining a light into the dark corners of his unique world and giving audiences a better understanding of the man and the artist, and the origins of his nightmarish ideas.

More at janusfilms.com/films/1841

1 hr 28 min

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Dawson City: Frozen Time

Friday, September 1 7:00

Tuesday, September 5 7:00

2017 > USA > Directed by Bill Morrison

Pioneering filmmaker Bill Morrison pieces together a haunting chronicle of the transformations in a Yukon Territory Gold Rush town as told through a collection of rare nitrate stock films discovered buried under a hockey rink and untouched for over 50 years. "Part compelling history, part remarkable aesthetic experience, it's a complete astonishment from beginning to end." (*LA Times*) More at kinolorber.com/film/dawsoncity

2 hrs

The Beguiled

Friday, September 1 9:30

Saturday, September 2 5:00 & 7:15

2017 > USA > Directed by Sofia Coppola

With Nicole Kidman, Elle Fanning, Kirsten Dunst, Colin Farrell

Sofia Coppola goes Southern Gothic in her latest, as a wounded Union soldier stumbles into an all-female academy during the Civil War, setting off a stew of desire and revenge. More at focusfeatures.com/thebeguiled

1 hr 33 min

Mulholland Dr.

Sunday, September 3 9:00

2001 > USA > Directed by David Lynch

With Naomi Watts, Laura Elena Harring, and Justin Theroux

David Lynch picked up the Best Director prize at the Cannes Film Festival for **Mulholland Drive**, "one of the director's best works in years... a return to vintage Lynch territory – a realm of eccentric and dangerous characters, labyrinthine storylines and mysterious symbols reminiscent of **Blue Velvet** and **Twin Peaks**." (*Box Office Magazine*) More at janusfilms.com/films/1839

2 hrs 26 min

The Short Films of David Lynch

Tuesday, September 5 9:30

2002 > USA > Directed by David Lynch

New digital restorations of David Lynch's earliest films, plus a short film made for cinema's centennial: **Six Men Getting Sick** (1967), **The Alphabet** (1968), **The Grandmother** (1970), **The Amputee, Version 1** and **Version 2** (1974), and **Premotions Following an Evil Deed** (1995). More at janusfilms.com/films/1842

50 min

Ithaca Premiere

Pop Aye w/ producer Weijie Lai in person

Wednesday, September 6 7:00

2017 > Thailand/Singapore > Directed by Kirsten Tan

With Bong, Thaneth Warakulnukroh, Penpak Sirikul

On a chance encounter, a disenchanted architect bumps into his long-lost elephant on the streets of Bangkok. Excited, he takes his elephant on a journey across Thailand, in search of the farm where they grew up together. Winner of 4 international awards including the World Cinema Dramatic Special Jury Award for Screenwriting at this year's Sundance Film Festival. Subtitled. More at kinolorber.com/film/popaye

1 hr 42 min

Ithaca Premiere

Letters from Baghdad

Thursday, September 7 7:00 w/ intro by TBA

Saturday, September 9 7:15

2016 > UK/USA/France > Directed by Sabine Krayenbühl, Zeva Oelbaum

With voice of Tilda Swinton

Called the female Lawrence of Arabia, Gertrude Bell's life as adventurer, diplomat and spy played a leading role in shaping the post-WWI Middle East. This documentary is cleverly framed as if it were being filmed in the 1920s, shortly after Bell's death. "The result is something that feels fresh and modern." (*SF Chronicle*) In English & Arabic. Subtitled. More at lettersfrombaghdadthemovie.com *Cosponsored with the Dept of Near Eastern Studies.*

1 hr 35 min

Eraserhead

Thursday, September 7 9:20

Sunday, September 10 9:45

1977 > USA > Directed by David Lynch

With John Nance, Charlotte Stewart, Jeanne Bates

Lynch's first feature is a darkly humorous romp into a degenerate urban world where monster babies and beheadings are strangely normal. More at janusfilms.com/films/1585

1 hr 30 min

Wonder Woman

Friday, September 8 6:45 & 9:35

Saturday, September 9 4:30 & 9:20

2017 > USA > Directed by Patty Jenkins

With Gal Gadot, Chris Pine, Robin Wright

Gal Gadot plays the iconic Amazon princess-turned-superhero, who uses her powers to restore peace to a world in the midst of World War I. More at wonderwomanfilm.com

2 hrs 21 min

A Fish Called Wanda w/ CU Provost's Visiting Professor John Cleese in conversation w/ Jonathan Kirshner (Government)

Sunday, September 10 7:00

1988 > UK > Directed by Charles Crichton & John Cleese (uncredited)

With John Cleese, Michael Palin, Jamie Lee Curtis, Kevin Kline

It's safe to say that **A Fish Called Wanda** is the funniest heist movie ever made. No surprise given that Monty Python's John Cleese wrote, directed and stars in it! More at complex.com/pop-culture/2017/05/the-25-best-heist-movies-of-all-time/a-fish-called-wanda

1 hr 47 min

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Pina (3D)

Wednesday, September 13 7:00

Saturday, September 16 5:00

2011 > Germany > Directed by Wim Wenders

With Pina Bausch, Regina Advento, Malou Airaud

This love letter to late German modern dance pioneer Pina Bausch from director Wim Wenders features dancers from the Wuppertal theater that bears Bausch's name. The film moves beyond the stage and into the streets for an expansive look at the vivacious choreography of one of the art's most influential practitioners. A knock-out in 3D. Subtitled. More at pina-film.de/en

1 hr 43 min

Personal Shopper

Thursday, September 14 7:00

Sunday, September 17 9:40

2016 > France > Directed by Olivier Assayas

With Kristen Stewart, Lars Eidinger, Sigrid Bouaziz

An ethereal and mysterious ghost story starring Kristen Stewart as a high-fashion personal shopper to the stars. She also happens to be a budding spiritual medium. Grieving the recent death of her twin brother, she haunts his Paris home, determined to make contact with him. Subtitled. More at ifcfilms.com/films/personal-shopper

1 hr 45 min

Hamlet (1921) w/ live accompaniment by The Filmharmonia Duo

Thursday, September 14 8:00 Sage Chapel Free

1922 > Denmark > Directed by Sven Gade, Heinz Schall

With Asta Nielsen, Mathilde Brandt, Eduard von Winterstein

The great Danish actress Asta Nielsen produced and starred in this silent version of Hamlet based on an 1881 book that argued Hamlet was a woman. The daring film will be shown with a new score using music of Bach's sons, performed live by Dennis James (organ), Michael Tsalka (fortepiano), and mezzo soprano. Pre-film lecture at 7:15pm discusses the making of the score, commissioned by the National Gallery of Art. *The event is cosponsored with the Dept of Music & the Westfield Center for Historical Keyboard Studies.*

1 hr 50 min

The Killing

Thursday, September 14 9:20

1956 > USA > Directed by Stanley Kubrick

With Sterling Hayden, Coleen Gray, Timothy Carey, Marie Windsor, Elisha Cook, Jr.

A ruined race-track robbery scam and increasingly bitter crooks define this tale, considered by some to be the granddaddy of Tarantino's **Reservoir Dogs**.

1 hr 23 min

The Big Sick

Friday, September 15 7:00 & 9:30

Saturday, September 16 9:55

2017 > USA > Directed by Michael Showalter

With Zoe Kazan, Kumail Nanjiani, Holly Hunter, Ray Romano

Based on comedian Kumail Nanjiani's real-life relationship, this romantic comedy stars Nanjiani as a Pakistani-American stand-up comedian who falls for someone against his parents' wishes, and must deal with the cultural clash when she falls seriously ill. More at thebigsickmovie.com

2 hrs 4 min

Queen of the Desert

Saturday, September 16 7:15

Sunday, September 17 7:00

2017 > Morocco/USA > Directed by Werner Herzog

With Nicole Kidman, James Franco, Damian Lewis, Robert Pattinson

A curious and adventurous young woman eager to explore the world outside of England, Gertrude Bell goes to the British Embassy in Tehran, thus beginning a life-long adventure among the peoples and cultures of the Middle East. To learn more about this real life explorer, see the new documentary **Letters from Baghdad** (Sept 7 & 9). Subtitled. More at queenofthedesertmovie.com *Cosponsored with the Dept of Near Eastern Studies.* 2 hrs 8 min

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Bronx Gothic

Wednesday, September 20 7:15

2017 > USA > Directed by Andrew Rossi

With Okwui Okpokwasili, Ralph Lemon

Filmmaker Rossi follows Okwui Okpokwasili (the daughter of Nigerian immigrants) on the final tour of her one-woman show "Bronx Gothic" about two 12 year-old Black girls coming of age in the 1980s, while dealing with sexual violence at home. Okpokwasili utilizes text, song, dance & comedy to create a tour de force. More at

grasshopperfilm.com/film/bronx-gothic

1 hr 31 min

The Little Hours

Wednesday, September 20 9:15

Friday, September 22 9:35

Sunday, September 24 7:00

2017 > Canada/USA > Directed by Jeff Baena

With Alison Brie, Dave Franco, Kate Micucci, Aubrey Plaza

Alison Brie, Kate Micucci and Aubrey Plaza play a trio of bawdy nuns dealing with repressed convent life in this exceedingly profane comedy, based on Giovanni Boccaccio's 1353 work of short stories The Decameron. Comedic superstars Nick Offerman, Fred Armisen, and Dave Franco fill out a talented ensemble cast. More at

Gunpowdersky.com/portfolios/the-little-hours/

1 hr 30 min

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Strange Weather w/ filmmaker Katherine Dieckmann in person

Thursday, September 21 7:00

2017 > USA > Directed by Katherine Dieckmann

With Holly Hunter, Carrie Coon

Still reeling from the suicide of her son seven years earlier, Darcy Bailor hits the road to settle scores with her son's duplicitous business partner. "Steeped in a strong sense of place and peopled by convention-defying characters, Katherine Dieckmann's **Strange Weather** draws you into its sultry Southern milieu and takes you on a back-roads trek you won't soon forget." (*Toronto International Film Festival*) More at brainmedia.net/films/strange-weather

1 hr 32 min

A Hard Day's Night

Thursday, September 21 9:40

1964 > UK > Directed by Richard Lester

With John Lennon, Paul McCartney

"As the **Citizen Kane** of album musicals, **A Hard Day's Night** brilliantly crystallized such diverse cultural particles as rock 'n' roll, the hand-held camera, frenzied cutting, and the cult of the sexless subadolescent. The studied spontaneity was a living amalgam of cinema verite, the French nouvelle vague, and British Free Cinema." (*Village Voice*) More at

janusfilms.com/films/1615

1 hr 27 min

Ithaca Premiere

Office (3D)

Friday, September 22 7:00

Sunday, September 24 4:30

2015 > China/Hong Kong > Directed by Johnnie To

With Sylvia Chang, Yun-Fat Chow, Eason Chan

Prolific director Johnnie To tells the intertwining stories of the employees of Jones & Sunn as the company approaches its IPO. Board Chairman Mr. Ho and CEO Ms. Chang must navigate their under-wraps affair while a couple of interns begin a new romance in this surprising and comical 3D musical! Subtitled. More at chinalionfilm.com

1 hr 59 min

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A Gentleman

Saturday, September 23 5:00 (free samosas & chai) 5:30 (screening)

2017 > India > Directed by Krishna D.K. & Raj Nidimoru

With Jacqueline Fernandez, Sidharth Malhotra

Bollywood's summer action comedy follows a simple guy looking to settle down with his girl when he gets mixed up with some high-level criminals in a case of mistaken identity - or is it? The movie stars Sidharth Malhotra as a Bollywood James Bond and features Bollywood action favorite Suniel Shetty. Cosponsored with the Cornell India Association. Subtitled.

Running time: TBA

Twin Peaks: Fire Walk with Me

Saturday, September 23 8:45

Sunday, September 24 9:00

1992 > USA > Directed by David Lynch

With Sheryl Lee, Ray Wise, Chris Isaak

In this prequel to his groundbreaking 1990s television series, David Lynch resurrects Laura Palmer, the Homecoming queen found wrapped in plastic at the beginning of the show, following her through the tumultuous last week of her life and teasing out the enigmas that surround her murder. More at janusfilms.com/films/1847

2 hrs 15 min

Ithaca Premiere

Hermia and Helena w/ filmmaker Matias Piñeiro in person

Tuesday, September 26 7:00

2016 > Argentina/USA > Directed by Matías Pineiro

With Agustina Munoz, María Villar, Mati Diop

Pineiro continues his series of films based on Shakespeare's heroines with this riff on "A Midsummer Night's Dream." Argentinian Camila moves to NYC to work on a Spanish translation of the "Dream," and finds herself experiencing "a constellation of shifting relationships (an old flame, a new one, a long-lost relative)." (Film at Lincoln Center) "Filming cityscapes and intimate gestures with avid attention, adorning the dialogue with deep confessions and witty asides, Pineiro conjures a cogently realistic yet gloriously imaginative vision of youthful ardor in love and art alike." (Richard Brody, *The New Yorker*) Subtitled. More at kinolorber.com/film/view/id/2650 *Presented as part of the Cine con Cultura Film Festival.*

1 hr 27 min

Ithaca Premiere

Citizen Jane: Battle for the City w/ intro by Mary Woods (Architecture, CU)

Wednesday, September 27 7:00

Sunday, October 1 7:15

2016 > USA > Directed by Matt Tyrnauer

Urban activist and author Jane Jacobs ("The Death and Life of Great American Cities") fought to save historic New York City during the ruthless redevelopment era of urban planner Robert Moses in the 1960s. This potent documentary reveals how prescient her ideas were. More at altimefilms.com/citizen-jane-battle-for-the-city/ *Cosponsored with the Dept of City & Regional Planning.*

1 hr 32 min

Rififi

Thursday, September 28 7:00 w/ intro by Jack Goldman (nephew of filmmaker Jules Dassin)

1955 > France > Directed by Jules Dassin

With Jean Servais, Carl Mohner, Robert Manuel

Jules Dassin's classic heist film about a gangster out for one last score was a hit with both audiences and critics, winning the top film prize at Cannes. This restored version makes the stylish black-and-white look better than ever, and its retranslated subtitles feature tough-guy classics like, "Bonjour kid, sit your moneymaker down." Subtitled. More at rialtpictures.com

1 hr 57 min

Ithaca Premiere

Sundance Shorts

Thursday, September 28 9:45

Saturday, September 30 5:00

2017 > Directed by various

The 2017 Sundance Film Festival Short Film Tour offers seven short films selected from this year's Festival, widely considered the premier showcase for short films and the launchpad for many now-prominent independent filmmakers for more than 30 years. Including fiction, documentary and animation from around the world, the 2017 program offers

new audiences a taste of what the Festival offers, from laugh-out-loud comedy to contemplative reflections of the world we live in. Program at cinema.cornell.edu
1 hr 35 min

Baby Driver

Friday, September 29 7:00 & 9:30

Saturday, September 30 7:15 & 9:45

2017 > UK/USA > Directed by Edgar Wright

With Ansel Elgort, Lily James, Kevin Spacey, Jon Hamm

Baby is a getaway car driver. The best in Atlanta. When he's given a job, he can't refuse. Unfortunately, the partners Baby is assigned aren't always the most trustworthy. A highly choreographed gearhead heist movie set to the toe-tapping rhythms pouring out of Baby's ever-present headphones. More at babydriver-movie.com

1 hr 53 min

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My Journey Through French Cinema

Sunday, October 1 3:30

Tuesday, October 3 6:45

2017 > France > Directed by Bertrand Tavernier

French auteur Tavernier knows his native cinema inside and out, from the giants like Renoir, Godard, and Melville (for whom he worked as an assistant) to now overlooked and forgotten figures like Edmund T. Greville and Guy Gilles, and his observations and reminiscences are never less than fascinating and well illustrated with a treasure trove of clips. An absolute must-see in conjunction with our Jean-Pierre Melville series! Subtitled. More at cohenmedia.net

3 hrs 15 min

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Goodbye to Language (3D)

Wednesday, October 4 7:00 w/ intro by Andrew Utterson (Screen Studies, IC)

Friday, October 6 7:00

2014 > Switzerland/France > Directed by Jean-Luc Godard

With Heloïse Godet, Kamel Abdelli

Leave it to an 83-year-old French-Swiss man to reinvent cinema (again), but that's just what Jean-Luc Godard did with his first 3D feature. Godard shakes the very foundation of stereoscopic viewing by allowing the 3D camera's gaze to wander as a chameleon's, giving each eye a completely different composition. A truly cinematic brain teaser, wrapped in Godard's usual feast of montages. Subtitled. More at goodbyetolanguage3d.com

1 hr 10 min

B-Side: Elsa Dorfman's Portrait Photography

Thursday, October 5 7:00

2017 > USA > Directed by Errol Morris

With Elsa Dorfman

Morris carefully profiles his friend and portrait photographer Elsa Dorfman and the technology that inspired her art - large-format polaroid photography - a medium that acts as a foil of sorts for her charisma and unbridled creativity. Dorfman's subjects included her longtime friend Allan Ginsberg, Anais Nin, Audre Lorde, Bob Dylan and many more.

More at bsidefilm.com/

1 hr 16 min

The Lost City of Z

Thursday, October 5 9:00

Friday, October 6 8:45

2016 > USA > Directed by James Gray

With Charlie Hunnam, Robert Pattinson, Sienna Miller

The incredible true story of British explorer Percy Fawcett, who journeyed into the Amazon at the dawn of the 20th century and discovered evidence of a previously unknown, advanced civilization that may have once inhabited the region. More at bleeckerstreetmedia.com/thelostcityofz

2 hrs 21 min

Leon Morin, Priest

Wednesday, October 11 7:00

Saturday, October 14 4:30

1961 > France > Directed by Jean-Pierre Melville

With Jean-Paul Belmondo, Emmanuelle Riva

When the men of a small French town leave to fight in WWII, the women are left alone, with only one man, Leon Morin, priest, young and handsome enough to tempt them. A young, communist widow engages in an intellectual relationship with the priest that quickly calls into question his sense of morality. The new restoration includes two additional sequences, totaling 11 minutes, apparently cut after the movie's premiere at the Venice Film Festival. Subtitled. More at rialtopictures.com *Cosponsored with the French Studies Program.*

2 hrs 8 min

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Endless Poetry

Thursday, October 12 7:15

Sunday, October 15 4:30

2016 > Chile > Directed by Alejandro Jodorowski

With Adan Jodorowski, Brontis Jodorowski, Alejandro Jodorowski

In the latest entry of cult icon Alejandro Jodorowsky's cinematic memoirs, a young poet joins a bohemian artist commune in Santiago where he meets a host of circus-like characters and falls in love with a voluptuous, red-haired goddess. "The most accessible movie [Jodorowsky] has ever made, and it may also be the best...Felliniesque and moving." (*Variety*) Subtitled. More at endlesspoetrythemovie.com *Cosponsored with the Latin American Studies Program. Presented as part of the Cine con Cultura Film Festival.*

2 hrs 8 min

Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde w/ live accompaniment by The Invincible Czars

Thursday, October 12 7:30 Sage Chapel \$10 general/\$8 students & seniors

1920 > USA > Directed by John S. Robertson

With John Barrymore, Martha Mansfield

Based on the Robert Louis Stevenson novella and considered by many to be the first important American horror film, **Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde** stars John Barrymore (yes, Drew's grandfather!) playing the dual roles. The Czars have created their most understated, minimal soundtrack to match the introspective, philosophical nature of the film, and incorporated music by Eric Satie and Claude Debussy, for what promises to be a spine-tingling evening. More at invincibleczars.com/silent-film/ *Cosponsored with the Cornell Council for the Arts & the Wharton Studio Museum.*

1 hr 20 min

The Asphalt Jungle

Friday, October 13 7:00

1950 > USA > Directed by John Huston

With Sterling Hayden, Marilyn Monroe

"A classic heist movie, and one of Huston's finest, this adaptation of WR Burnett's novel in which a gang of thieves falls apart after attempting a daring robbery is a taut, unsentimental study in character and relative morality." (*Time Out Film Guide*)

1 hr 52 min

Spider-Man: Homecoming

Friday, October 13 9:30 Shown in 3D

Saturday, October 14 7:15 & 10:00

2017 > USA > Directed by Jon Watts

With Tom Holland, Michael Keaton, Robert Downey Jr.

In *Spider-Man's* first film in the Marvel Cinematic Universe, a young Peter Parker adjusts to his new double life as a high school student and a superhero as he battles a new villain. More at sonypictures.com/movies/spidermanhomecoming/

2 hrs 13 min

Jackie Brown

Sunday, October 15 7:15

1998 > USA > Directed by Quentin Tarantino

With Samuel L. Jackson, Robert Forster, Pam Grier

In his homage to blaxploitation films, writer-director Quentin Tarantino adapted Elmore Leonard's *Rum Punch* to the big screen and cast Pam Grier as a middle-aged flight attendant who gets involved in money smuggling. When she gets set-up for a sting, she decides to team-up with her bail bondsman and run off with all the loot. More at parkcircus.com/films/6194-jackie-brown

2 hrs 34 min

Ithaca Premiere

Solo, Solitude w/ filmmaker Yosep Anggi Noen, producer Yulia Evina Bhara, & actress Marissa Anita via Skype

Monday, October 16 7:00 Free

2016 > Indonesia > Directed by Yosep Anggi Noen

With Gunawan Maryanto, Marissa Anita, Eduward Manalu

Riots break out in Indonesia in July 1996, and Wiji is suspected of dissident activities. He flees Solo for Borneo, thousands of miles away, and has to decide between the fear of detection and the desire to return home. A sensitive portrait of living in pain and dignity under tyranny. Based on the life of major Indonesian poet Wiji Thukul, who disappeared near the end of Indonesia's New Order Regime. Subtitled. *Cosponsored with the Southeast Asia Program.*

1 hr 37 min

Ithaca Premiere

Elective Affinities w/ filmmakers Daïchi Saïto and Tomonari Nishikawa in person

Tuesday, October 17 7:15

> Japan/USA > Directed by Daïchi Saïto & Tomonari Nishikawa

Natives of Japan, Saïto and Nishikawa have developed their respective filmmaking practices outside of their home country. Since the early 2000s, the two filmmakers – Saïto in Montreal and Nishikawa in the US – have continued to produce celluloid-based work in 8mm, 16mm and 35mm. Two unmistakably distinct voices and expressions, their films nevertheless share many of the fundamental preoccupations with the medium, form, process and structure. Program line-up at cinema.cornell.edu

1 hr 11 min

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City of Ghosts w/ intro by TBA

Wednesday, October 18 7:00

2017 > USA > Directed by Matthew Heineman

Raqqa Is Being Slaughtered Silently, a group of citizen-journalists, chronicle the rise of the Islamic State regime in their home city. **Cartel Land** director Matthew Heineman's harrowing documentary looks at the fear and loss of civilians in wartime Syria, even after they flee the nation. More at Cityofghosts.com *Cosponsored with the Dept of Near Eastern Studies.*

1 hr 30 min

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Behemoth

Thursday, October 19 7:00

Saturday, October 21 4:30

2017 > China > Directed by Zhao Liang

Beginning with a mining explosion in Mongolia and ending in a ghost city west of Beijing, political documentarian Zhao Liang's visionary new film details, in one breathtaking sequence after another, the social and ecological devastation behind an economic miracle that may yet prove illusory. Subtitled. More at grasshopperfilm.com/film/behemoth/

1 hr 30 min

Le Cercle Rouge

Thursday, October 19 9:00

Saturday, October 21 6:45

1970 > France/Italy > Directed by Jean-Pierre Melville

With Alain Delon, Gian Maria Volonte, Yves Montand

Melville took what he wanted from potboilers: the crooked moral universe, the honor of men, the thick plots of boozy desperation. Add to that what can only be called coolness, a formal, distant aesthetic that elevates the cop-robber chase and the heist to questions of free will, and you have one of the true classics of modernist film noir. Subtitled. More at rialtopictures.com *Cosponsored with the French Studies Program.*

2 hrs 20 min

Lady Macbeth

Friday, October 20 7:00 & 9:00

Saturday, October 21 9:40

2017 > UK > Directed by William Oldroyd

With Florence Pugh, Cosmo Jarvis, Paul Hilton

Set in 19th century rural England, a young bride who has been sold into marriage to a middle-aged man discovers an unstoppable desire within herself as she enters into an affair with a worker on her estate. More at ladymacbethfilm.com
1 hr 29 min

Captain Underpants: The First Epic Movie

Saturday, October 21 2:00 \$5/\$4 kids 12 & under

Sunday, October 22 4:30

2017 > USA > Directed by David Soren

With Kevin Hart, Thomas Middleditch, Ed Helms

Two elementary school pranksters named George and Harold hypnotize their tyrannical principal into thinking he's a ridiculously enthusiastic, incredibly dimwitted superhero named Captain Underpants. Recommended for ages 6+. More at dreamworks.com/captainunderpants/

1 hr 29 min

Ugetsu

Sunday, October 22 7:00

1953 > Japan > Directed by Kenji Mizoguchi

With Machiko Kyo

“Quite simply one of the greatest of filmmakers,” said Jean-Luc Godard of Kenji Mizoguchi. And **Ugetsu**, a ghost story like no other, is surely the Japanese director's supreme achievement. Derived from stories by Akinari Ueda and Guy de Maupassant, this haunting tale of love and loss—with its exquisite blending of the otherworldly and the real—is one of the most beautiful films ever made.” (Janus Films) Subtitled. More at janusfilms.com/films/1064

1 hr 36 min

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Nostalgia for the Future w/ filmmaker Avijit Mukul Kishore and architect Rohan Shivkumar in person

Tuesday, October 24 7:15 Free

2017 > India > Directed by Avijit Mukul Kishore & Rohan Shivkumar

A film on Indian modernity, the citizen and the architecture of the home. It looks at four examples of buildings made over the period of a century, including Lukhshmi Vilas Palace in Baroda - the gigantic home built by a progressive monarch in the late 19th Century; and Villa Shodhan in Ahmedabad - a private residence which represents the idea of domesticity within Nehruvian modernity, designed by Le Corbusier. Subtitled. More at nostalgiaforthefuture.blog
Sponsored by the Dept of Architecture.

54 min

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Deconstructing the Beatles' Sgt. Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band

Wednesday, October 25 7:15

This filmed lecture by Beatles expert Scott Freiman (illustrated with rare audio and video clips) will give you a behind-the-scenes, making-of look at how the innovative, critically acclaimed, and popular album was assembled, how the cover art was created, and how this legendary and groundbreaking album fit in at the time with the Beatles' own trajectory as a band and their and the album's immediate predecessors, contemporaries, and successors.

1 hr 30 min

Army of Shadows

Thursday, October 26 6:45

Sunday, October 29 4:30

1969 > France/Italy > Directed by Jean-Pierre Melville

With Lino Ventura, Paul Meurisse, Simone Signoret

A brilliant, coolly accurate portrait of a group of resistance fighters in Occupied France during World War Two. A masterpiece. Subtitled. More at rialtopictures.com *Cosponsored with the French Studies Program.*

2 hrs 25 min

A Ghost Story

Thursday, October 26 9:45

Friday, October 27 7:15

Sunday, October 29 7:30

2017 > USA > Directed by David Lowery

With Casey Affleck, Rooney Mara

After he dies, C (Casey Affleck) returns as a bedsheet-sporting ghost to the house he shared with M (Rooney Mara). M moves away, but C stays with the house, ultimately to its end, in this quiet meditation on loss and disappearance. More at a24films.com/films/a-ghost-story

1 hr 30 min

Gravity (3D)

Friday, October 27 9:20

2013 > USA > Directed by Alfonso Cuaron

With Sandra Bullock, George Clooney

Alfonso Cuaron's uniquely crafted space odyssey sets an astronaut and a medical engineer alone, adrift in space, and in a struggle to survive after the destruction of their shuttle. Experience it anew in 3D! More at gravitymovie.warnerbros.com

1 hr 31 min

The LEGO Batman Movie w/ costume parade & treats!

Saturday, October 28 2:00 \$5/\$4 kids 12 & under

2017 > USA > Directed by Chris McKay

With Will Arnett, Michael Cera, Rosario Dawson

Batman, the self-appointed star of **The Lego Movie**, gets his own hyper-aware, deeply silly feature based on the interconnecting children's toys. Recommended for ages 7+ More at legobatman.com

1 hr 44 min

Shaun of the Dead w/ costume contest & party!

Saturday, October 28 7:15 (party) 8:15 (screening)

2004 > UK > Directed by Edgar Wright

With Simon Pegg, Kate Ashfield, Nick Frost

When the dead come back to life on the streets of London, one man takes on the zombies to save his girl, his mum, and his local pub in this brilliant mix of comedy and horror. More at shaunofthedeادمovie.com

1 hr 39 min

Night of the Living Dead

Tuesday, October 31 7:15

Thursday, November 2 9:20

1968 > USA > Directed by George Romero

With Judith O'Dea

"The parallels are simply too good to pass up: like a sunken-eyed ghoul crawling out of its own grave, George A. Romero's 1968 homemade horror show [about flesh-eating zombies] **Night of the Living Dead** has returned to wreak havoc. It's been a long road through hell for the cult film, but with a ravishing new 4K restoration from the Museum of Modern Art and the Film Foundation... one of horror cinema's most seminal works has risen again to stalk the Earth."

(*The Verge*) More at janusfilms.com

1 hr 30 min

Bob le Flambeur

Wednesday, November 1 7:00

Friday, November 3 7:00

1955 > France > Directed by Jean-Pierre Melville

With Isabelle Corey, Roger Duchesne

A gloriously wry and romantic film from the father of the French New Wave, writer-director Jean-Pierre Melville's policier tells the story of a gallant, small-time Paris gambler who wants to make one last grand heist, the robbery of the casino at Deauville. Subtitled. More at rialtopictures.com *Cosponsored with the French Studies Program.*

1 hr 37 min

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Glory

Thursday, November 2 7:00

Saturday, November 4 6:45

2016 > Bulgaria > Directed by Kristina Grozeva & Petar Valchanov

With Stefan Denolyubov, Margita Gosheva

A parable about a railroad worker, the good deed he does, and the devastating consequences that result in a society riddled with fraud and corruption. "A sharply executed, superbly performed Bulgarian tragic dramedy where the lives of a cosmopolitan PR woman and lonely railroad worker come together in some highly unfortunate ways." (*The Hollywood*

Reporter) Subtitled. More at filmmovement.com/filmcatalog/index.asp?MerchandiseID=538 *Cosponsored with the Institute for European Studies.*

1 hr 41 min

Koyaanisqatsi Live! w/Philip Glass soundtrack performed live by the Philip Glass Ensemble

Friday, November 3 7:30 Bailey Hall advance: \$18 general/\$12 students door:\$24/\$18

1982 > USA > Directed by Godfrey Reggio

Titled with a Hopi language word meaning "Life out of Balance," this pioneering art film was unlike anything audiences had previously experienced, and it became a cult sensation. A non-verbal film integrating images, music and ideas contrasting scenes from America's natural and urban landscapes, it was a prescient meditation on the imbalance between humans and our environment, one that's resonating anew with today's audiences.

"Mr. Reggio's images haunt the viewer, accompanied by one of the most startling and original soundtracks ever written...the score for Koyaanisqatsi is invigorating, often tremulously beautiful, and almost extraordinarily in synergy with the visions projected upon the screen." (NY Times) Advance tickets available at BaileyTickets.com beginning mid-August. Presented in conjunction with the Atkinson Forum in American Studies with major support provided by David & Pat Atkinson.

1 hr 27 min

In This Corner of the World

Friday, November 3 9:15

Sunday, November 5 7:45

2016 > Japan > Directed by Sunao Katabuchi

With Non, Yoshimasa Hosoya

In a heartbreakingly beautiful animated tale of the everyday realities of the Second World War, an 18-year-old housewife in Hiroshima struggles to support her family despite food rationing, air raids, and wartime accusations. Subtitled. More at inthiscornermovie.com

2 hrs 8 min

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Shine On! The Best Animated Films from Children's Film Festival Seattle 2017

Saturday, November 4 2:00 \$5/\$4 kids 12 & under

Directed by various

What makes you shine? The characters in these sweet and funny films from around the world have special things that make them glow and grow. Join them as they play with their friends and families, discover new things about themselves, and take journeys to near and far. If you close your eyes and make a wish, you might even be able to join them on a trip to the moon! Find descriptions of all ten films at cinema.cornell.edu. Recommended for ages 5+

1 hr 4 min

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The Island Funeral w/ screenwriter Kong Rithdee in person

Saturday, November 4 4:00 Free

2015 > Thailand > Directed by Pimpaka Towira

With Heen Sasithorn, Aukrit Pornsumpunsuk, Yossawat Sittiwong

Laila, with her brother and his friend, head from Bangkok on a thousand-kilometer road trip to Pattani. Along the way they meet Surin, a soldier from the Northeast. Together they journey through increased military presence into the deep South of Thailand in search of Laila's aunt, lost history, and half-remembered memories. Shot, beautifully, on 16mm.

Subtitled. More at extravirginco.com/wp/?p=499 *Sponsored by the Southeast Asia Program.*

1 hr 45 min

Stalker

Saturday, November 4 9:00

Sunday, November 5 4:30

1979 > USSR > Directed by Andrei Tarkovsky

With Alexander Kaidanovsky, Nikolai Grinko

A Russian sci-fi/film noir, set in a post-apocalyptic age. "Tarkovsky created a challenging and visually stunning work, his painstaking attention to material detail and sense of organic atmosphere further enriched by this vivid new digital restoration." (Janus Films) Subtitled. More at janusfilms.com/films/1844

2 hrs 40 min

Leviathan

Tuesday, November 7 7:00

2014 > Russia > Directed by Andrey Zvyagintsev

With Alexey Serebryakov, Elena Lyadova, Vladimir Vdovitchenkov

A corrupt mayor of a small town near the Barents Sea in North Russia wants a choice piece of land for his own use, but Kolia is determined to hang onto his property despite the mayor's threats. This devastating portrait of modern-day Russia won the best screenplay award at Cannes and features stunning cinematography and a score by Philip Glass.

Subtitled. More at sonyclassics.com/leviathan *Cosponsored with the Institute for European Studies.*

2 hrs 21 min

All the President's Men w/ post-screening discussion

Wednesday, November 8 7:00

1976 > USA > Directed by Alan J. Pakula

With Dustin Hoffman, Robert Redford, Jason Robards

Once upon a time two reporters took down a President. Bernstein (Hoffman) and Woodward (Redford) pursue Nixon's Watergate cover-up in this 70s American classic.

2 hrs 16 min

The Creature from the Black Lagoon (3D)

Thursday, November 9 7:00

Saturday, November 11 5:00

1954 > USA > Directed by Jack Arnold

With Richard Carlson, Julie Adams, Richard Denning

Sheer, stark terror will grip you in underwater 3D, as one of the most terrifying monsters of the ages, raging with pent up passion, devours the screen! It's the Gill-Man, a prehistoric creature found along the Amazon River, who sees every man as his mortal enemy and a woman's beauty as his prey.

1 hr 19 min

Le Doulos

Thursday, November 9 9:00

Sunday, November 12 7:00

1963 > France > Directed by Jean-Pierre Melville

With Jean-Paul Belmondo, Monique Hennessy

In French, "doulos" refers to a kind of fedora and a police informer: both take center stage in this stylish noir-style thriller set in 1960's Paris, with Jean-Paul Belmondo playing the "doulos." Melville takes what is best from American noir - the shadows, the costumes, the smokes, the glamour - and infuses it with an existential French sensibility. Subtitled. More at rialtopictures.com *Cosponsored with the French Studies Program.*

1 hr 48 min

Dunkirk

Friday, November 10 7:00 & 9:20

Saturday, November 11 9:25

2017 > USA/UK/France/Netherlands > Directed by Christopher Nolan

With Tom Hardy, Cillian Murphy, Kenneth Branagh

Allied soldiers from Belgium, the British Empire, Canada, and France are surrounded by the German army and evacuated during a fierce battle in World War II. Like all of Christopher Nolan's recent films, **Dunkirk** was shot on IMAX 70mm and deserves to be seen on the big screen! More at dunkirkmovie.com

1 hr 47 min

Born in China

Saturday, November 11 2:00 \$5/\$4 kids 12 & under

2016 > China/USA > Directed by Chuan Lu

With John Krasinski (narrator)

The latest installment in Disney's nature documentary series captures intimate moments with a panda and her growing cub, a young golden monkey who feels displaced by his baby sister, and a mother snow leopard struggling to raise her two cubs. Recommended for ages 6+. More at nature.disney.com/born-in-china

1 hr 19 min

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The Teacher

Saturday, November 11 7:00

Sunday, November 12 4:30

2016 > Slovakia/Czech Republic > Directed by Jan Hrebejk

With Zuzana Maurery, Peter Bebjak, Monika Certezi

Maria Drazdechova, a teacher at a Bratislavan school in 1983, makes no secret of her connections within the Communist Party. She also thinks nothing of asking her students what their parents do for a living, as she'll likely want to make use of their services. Most parents are willing to oblige, as it seems there may be a connection between their efforts and their children's grades. From the director of **Divided We Fall** (2000), Jan Hrebejk's latest takes a comedic look at corruption and complicity in Communist Yugoslavia. Subtitled. More at

filmmovement.com/filmcatalog/index.asp?MerchandiseID=543 *Cosponsored with the Institute for European Studies.*
1 hr 43 min

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The Destruction of Memory w/ filmmaker Tim Slade in person

Wednesday, November 15 7:15

2017 > USA > Directed by Tim Slade

Based on the book *The Destruction of Memory: Architecture at War* by Robert Bevan, the film examines the alarming rise of cultural destruction - the intentional annihilation of irreplaceable artwork, artifacts, historical sites and their stewards in desperate attempts to erase collective history and identity - over the last century. More at destructionofmemoryfilm.com/ *Cosponsored with the Dept of Near Eastern Studies.*

1 hr 25 min

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Graduation w/ intro by Saviana Condeescu (Theatre Arts, IC), Cornell IES Visiting Regional Fellow

Thursday, November 16 7:00

2016 > Romania/France/Belgium > Directed by Cristian Mungiu

With Adrian Titieni, Maria-Victoria Dragus

Doctor Romeo Aldea thinks that his daughter Eliza's ability to leave Romania to attend college in England will absolve the years he regrets spending in the country. After a stranger attempts to rape Eliza, traumatizing her and threatening her academic future, Romeo has to compromise his formerly solid morals to help Eliza succeed, perhaps more for his sake than hers. Subtitled. More at Bacalaureat2016.com. *Cosponsored with the Institute for European Studies*

2 hrs 8 min

Bottle Rocket

Thursday, November 16 9:45

1996 > USA > Directed by Wes Anderson

With Owen C. Wilson, Luke Wilson, Robert Musgrave

Fresh from a mental institution, Anthony joins his pathetic neighbor Bob on an ineptly-executed string of heists planned by the so-called brains of the outfit, Dignan (a young Owen Wilson), in this comedic caper flick.

1 hr 35 min