



Aziz Zoromba

Director | Screenwriter

FILMOGRAPHY

SIMO | 2022

Short film

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Produced by Rosalie Chicoine-Perreault | Distribution H264, SCARA—B Films

* The film is #ForYourConsideration for Best Live Action Short Film

50+ Festivals | 25+ Awards

Canadian Screen Awards, 2023 | Winner Best Live Action Short — OSCAR® QUALIFYING AWARD

Toronto International Film Festival, 2022 | Best Canadian Short — OSCAR® QUALIFYING AWARD

Young Directors Awards — Winner Gold Screen Short Film 15 min plus, Cannes (2023)

Gala Prends Ça Court! Montréal, Québec | 8 Awards including Denis Villeneuve's Favorite Short Award

Sundance Film Festival, 2023 | World Premiere - Vimeo - International Fiction Award Winner (unofficial award)

73rd Berlinale, Generation 14plus, 2023 | GERMANY — European Premiere

*Festival du Nouveau Cinéma (FNC), October 2022 (Montréal) *AUDIENCE AWARD*

*South Western International Film Festival, November 2022 * AUDIENCE AWARD*

Canada's TOP TEN (TIFF), January 2023

*Festival REGARD, March 2023 (Saguenay, Québec) *SPECIAL MENTION BEST YOUTH COMPETITION*

*Festival de Cinéma Vues d'Afrique, April 2023 (Montréal, QC) *REGARD D'ICI AWARD*

*Zawya Shorts, May 2023 (Cairo, Egypt) *AUDIENCE AWARD *BEST FILM AWARD*

*Toronto Arab Film Festival, June 2023 (Canada) *QAYQUB JURY PRIZE WINNER *HONORABLE MENTION
- YAMAMA AUDIENCE CHOICE AWARD FOR BEST SHORT FILM*

*Festival du film de Knowlton, Septembre 2023 (Québec) *PREMIER PRIX DU JURY*

*Le Cri du Court, Octobre 2023 (France) *Prix scolaire lycée et mission locale*

*Durham Region International Film Festival, Octobre 2023 (Canada) *BEST CANADIAN SHORT AWARD*

*International Short Film Festival of Cyprus, Octobre 2023 (Chypre) *HONORARY MENTION*

Palm Springs ShortFest, June 2023 (California, USA) - in Competition for Young Cineastes Award, Best of the Festival Award

Durban International Film Festival, July 2023 (South Africa) - African Premiere

Melbourne International Film Festival, Août 2023 (Australia) - Australian Premiere

HollyShorts Film Festival, Août 2023 (Canada) - Official Selection

The Corner Seats International Film Festival, April 2023 (India)

Norwegian Short Film Festival, June 2023 (Norway)

Cinema Jove - Valencia International Film Festival, June-July 2023 (Spain)

New Directors New Films, June 2023 (Portugal)

CineFest Miskolc, Septembre 2023 (Hongaria)

Galway Film Fleadh, Juillet 2023 (Ireland) (UK)

Festival de cinéma de la ville de Québec (FCVQ), Septembre 2023 (Québec)

Filmoramax, Septembre 2023 (Lyon, France)

Off-Courts Trouville, Septembre 2023 (France)

Twin Cities Arab Film Festival, September 2023 (USA)

Sarajevo Film Festival, Août 2023 (Bosnie)

Cinemagic Belfast, Octobre 2023 (UK)

Arab Film Festival, Novembre 2023 (San Francisco)

CineKid Festival, Octobre 2023 (Netherlands)

CUT TO : GENT Short Film Festival, Septembre 2023 (Belgique)

Tehran International Short Film Festival, October 2023 (Iran)

KUKI Film Festival (Interfilm Berlin), Novembre 2023 (Allemagne)

Chicago International Children's Film Festival, November 2023 (USA)

Beirut Shorts Film Festival, November 2023 (Lebanon)

Izmir International Short Film Festival, November 2023 (Turkey)

Plein(s) Écran(s), Janvier 2024

Sapporo International Short Film Festival & Market, November 2023 (Japan)

Sharjah Film Platform, December 2023 (Sharjah)

Gala IRIS Quebec Cinema, December 2023

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FARAWAY | 2020

Documentary short

Director | Screenwriter

Produced by Aziz Zoromba, Carol Nguyen | H264 Distribution, SCARA—B Films

30+ Festivals

Vimeo's Staff Pick's Best of the Year (2022)

RIDM, 2020 / Montréal
Slamdance, 2021 / Park City, Utah
Tirana International Film Festival, 2021
Palm Springs International ShortFest, 2021 / Palm Springs
Indy Shorts International Film Festival, 2021
Camerimage Festival, 2021 / Poland
Camden International Film Festival, 2021

Feature Film Debut (Untitled) | In development
Screenwriter and Director

Chef Saïd | In development
Short animated-documentary film
Produced by SCARA—B Films | Distribution H264

MENTORSHIP & EDUCATION

TIFF TALENT LAB (2023)
RIDM Talent Lab (2021)
Sundance Ignite Fellow (2019)
Mel Hoppenheim, Concordia University / BFA Film Production (2015-2018)

BURSARIES & GRANTS

CHEF SAÏD

Canada Council for the Arts — Development grant
SIMO (2022)
SODEC — Production grant
Conseil des arts et des lettres du Québec (CALQ) — Production grant
Arab Fund for Arts and Culture (AFAC) — Production grant
Canada Council for the Arts — Production grant
Canada Council for the Arts — Development grant

FARAWAY (2020)

Hot Docs Canada Cross Current Fund

Canada Council for the Arts — Production grant

Sundance Ignite grant

SODEC — Distribution grant

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