



# International Film Festival - Human Rights

## Film Descriptions

### **Face Off (30 minutes)**

Director: Yong bin Yuk

In the face of economic growth and prosperity there is a powerful and growing populist movement in South Korea fighting for worker's rights. This film documents these current mobilizations and illustrates their effects on Korean society.

### **The Kidnapping of Ingrid Bentacourt (75 minutes)**

Directors: Karin Hayes & Victoria Bruce

The story of a Colombian presidential candidate held hostage by leftist guerrillas and her family's desperate quest to free her and keep her campaign alive.

### **Leche & Mala Leche (75 minutes)**

Director: Naomi Uman

For the past 5 years filmmaker Naomi Uman has chronicled the life of a family from Aguacaliente, Mexico. In these two short films she examines their Mexican roots and culture and how it transforms as they immigrate to small central valley town in California.

### **Living in Conflict (60 minutes)**

Directors: Mikayla Mickelberg

Five interviews with various Israeli's & Palestinians talking about life, culture, music, religion and what it will take to bring peace to the middle east.

### **Mercy (50 minutes)**

Directors: Jeanne Hallcy & Jamlong Saiyot

Filmed over two years at a community hospice in Klong Toey, Thailand, the story unfolds as a thirteen-year old girl, Luk Nam, recalls the loss of her family to Aids.

### **Plan Columbia (60 minutes)**

Directors: Gerard Ungerman & Audrey Brohy

A look into the United States government's hidden agenda in Latin America.

### **Sir Alfred (50 minutes)**

Directors: Hamid Rahmanian & Melissa Hibbard

Story of an Iranian man who has been living in the Charles de Gaulle Airport for the past 15 years.



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## Film Schedule

### **FRIDAY, October 24**

### **Humanities Building on UCI Campus**

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7:30PM – 8:00PM

Opening Ceremonies

Master of Ceremonies: Irvine Mayor Larry Agran

Welcome: UCI Film Studies Director Akira Lippit

Film Festival Director: Paolo Davanzo

SGI-USA Award Ceremony – Honorees: Mayor Agran and Dr. Parham

UCI Model United Nations: Jenny Tran

UNA of Southern California: Kam Leung

8:00PM – 9:30PM

*The Kidnapping of Ingrid Betancourt* (75 min)

9:30PM – 10:30PM

Q&A with directors Karin Hayes & Victoria Bruce

*Friday evening screenings will take place at UCI's Film and Video Center located in Humanities Instructional Building 100*

### **SATURDAY, October 25**

### **Irvine City Hall Council Chambers**

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1:30PM – 2:00PM

Welcome to the Film Festival

Raising of the UN Flag at City Hall

Welcome by the Irvine Mayor Larry Agran

2:00PM – 3:00PM

*Living in Conflict: Voices from Israel & Palestine* (60 min)

3:00PM – 3:30PM

Q&A with director Mikayla Mickelberg

3:30PM – 5:00PM

*Lech & Mala Leche* (60 min)

5:00PM – 5:30PM

Q&A with director Naomi Uman

5:30PM – 6:00PM

Dinner break

6:00PM – 7:00PM

*Plan Columbia* (60 min)

7:00PM – 7:30PM

Q&A with directors Gerard Ungerman & Audrey Brohy

7:30PM – 9:00PM

Closing Reception/Keynote Speech by Terree Bowers

### **SATURDAY, October 25**

### **Community Meeting Room, City Hall**

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2:30PM – 3:30PM

*Face Off* (30 min)

4:00PM – 5:00PM

*Mercy* (50 min)

5:30PM – 6:30PM

*Sir Alfred* (50 min)

*Saturday's screenings will take place inside the Irvine Civic Center located on the corner of Harvard and Alton*



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## **MOVIES BEING SHOWN**

**Face Off (South Korea)**  
**The Kidnapping of Ingrid  
Bentancourt (Columbia)**  
**Leche & Mala Leche (Mexico)**  
**Living in Conflict (Israel and  
Palestine)**  
**Plan Columbia (Columbia)**  
**Sir Alfred (Iran)**

### **Sponsors**

UNA Coastline Chapter  
UCI Global Peace and Conflict Studies  
UCI School of Humanities  
UCI Film and Video Center, Akira Lippit  
City Of Irvine  
Amnesty International

**UCI Film and Video Center • Irvine Civic Center**

Friday - October 24<sup>th</sup>

Saturday - October 25<sup>th</sup>

Presenting the third annual UNA International Film Festival – Human Rights 2003 at UCI and Irvine Civic Center. We are proud to bring you two days of international cinema dealing with issues of human rights. Introducing many of the documentaries will be the director, of the documentary. The highlight of the festival will be the keynote address Saturday, October 25<sup>th</sup> given by Terree Bowers, former war crimes tribunal judge for Yugoslavia and Rwanda.

Friday's screenings will take place at the Film and Video Center located at 100 Humanities Instructional Building on the UCI Campus. Saturday screenings will take place at Irvine Civic Center, located on Alton and Harvard in Irvine. Tickets will be sold both days on the premises. Advanced tickets can be purchased at Alakazam at 4237 Campus Drive in the UCI Market Place or through Irvine Community Services 949-724-6610 or online via [www.irvinequickreg.org](http://www.irvinequickreg.org). Admission is \$10 per day general public, \$8 per day for students and seniors with proper identification. Two day passes are available for \$14 for the general public and \$12 for students and seniors. UCI Parking is \$5.00. City of Irvine parking is free. All profits from this film festival will go to the UCI Model United Nations Club, a non-profit organization.

## **Donations and Sponsorships Welcomed**

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This festival is dedicated in  
memory of **Lynne Davanzo**.

