

The programme of the 14th edition of CinEast out now

The 14th edition of CinEast (Central and Eastern European Film Festival in Luxembourg), held **from 7 to 24 October 2021** in hybrid format, will present around **110 physical screenings of 55 features and 35 short films**. The full programme was announced yesterday at the festival press conference and published this morning on the festival's website www.cineast.lu and can be downloaded [here](#).

The **7 films in competition** are: *Celts* by Milica Tomović, *Forest - I See You Everywhere* by Bence Fliegauf, *Inventory* by Darko Sinko, *Miracle* by Bogdan George Apetri, *Murina* by Antoneta Alamat Kusijanović, *Never Gonna Snow Again* by Małgorzata Szumowska & Michał Englert and *Saving One Who Was Dead* by Václav Kadrnka ([more info](#)).

The Romanian director and this year's Golden Bear winner **Radu Jude** will preside over the **International Jury** of the 14th CinEast. The other members of the jury that will award the Grand Prix and the Special Jury Prize are Czech director Michaela Pavlátová, Luxembourgish producer and director Nicolas Steil, Luxembourgish actress and director Larisa Faber and Belgian co-director of the Brussels IFF Céline Masset ([photos](#)).

The **Press Jury**, which will award the Critics' Prize, is composed of journalists Teresa Vena (*Cineuropa*), Tobias Kessler (*Saarbrücker Zeitung*) and Gabrielle Seil (*Revue*).

The newly introduced **Young Talents Jury**, composed of students of the BTS Cinema film studies at Lycée des Arts et Métiers (Luxembourg), Alix Andries, Luca Mahnkke, Nikola Ozimkiewicz and Elsa Schweitzer, will choose the winner of the new **Young Talents Award** to the director of first or second movie from the following selection: *Love Tasting* by Dawid Nickel, *Mirrors in the Dark* by Šimon Holý, *Sisterhood* by Dina Duma, *Stop-Zemlia* by Katerina Gornostai, *#dogpoopgirl* by Andrei Hutuleac.

The festival's **opening film** is the Sundance triple winner *Hive* by Blerta Basholli, which will be screened after the Official Opening ceremony held on 7 October at the Neimënster cultural centre. The **main thematic cycle** of the 14th edition "**Dreams of Escape**" provides a reflection on various forms of our hopes for a change, distraction or getaway. The programme features **films from 20 countries** of the former Eastern bloc screened at major venues in the city of Luxembourg (Cinémathèque, Neimënster, Ciné Utopia, Kinopolis Kirchberg) as well as other towns in the country. Most of the films will also be available online – with a limited number of views and geo-blocked to Luxembourg – through "**CinEast Online Cinema**", a dedicated VOD platform (ceneast.eventive.org).

Also on the programme: Focus on Slovenia (organised in collaboration with the Slovenian Film Centre and the Embassy of Slovenia in Brussels), four discussions (ciné-debates) on hot topics, five concerts, an extensive photography exhibition "*Dreams of Escape*", two exhibitions of film posters, youth programmes, special themed evenings and more. The festival will welcome **around 30 guests**, including Radu Jude, Blerta Basholli, Dénes Nagy, Ioana Bugarin, Izabela Kuna, Michaela Pavlátová, Stefan Arsenijević and others. For more details go to our website www.cineast.lu or consult our [presentation](#).

Accreditations (hybrid or online pass, "zero" tickets reservation for each screening compulsory): [link](#)

Pres- only site with all details, film stills and graphic elements: [link](#)

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Details about films and events are available on the official website www.cineast.lu

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