

ProgrammationTechnology on screen... FESTIVAL DU FILM MERVEILLEUX

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The Festival du Film Merveilleux is an international film festival held in Paris, focusing on themes of magic and fantasy.

Ahead of its 13th edition in September 2023, the London public has been invited to discover a wonderful world of technology, a kingdom of digital fantasy and other digital tales in a unique selection of short films.

This selection around the theme of wonder, science fiction and technology invites us to reflect on the use and place of new technologies in our lives. The public were invited to vote for their favourite short film!

Following the screening, free VR workshops.

Print your guy directed by Alwin Leene, Sarah Barry, Quentin Cornillon, Laura Gisselaire, Lucas Scheurer and Thomas Sigaud.

Runtime: 6'44

Production: Bellecour école 3D

Country: FRANCE

Synopsis: Pamela lives on her own in an apartment in Paris. One evening while watching a movie she sees a commercial for a company who claim they can print her perfect guy, by logging on at printyourguy.com. Very excited, she runs to her computer to order one, but when it arrives, she realizes that the product doesn't act as she was expecting.

The nostalgist directed by Giacomo Cimini

Runtime: 17'42

Production: Wonder Room production

Country: UK

Synopsis: Somehow, an unforeseen malfunction in a man's spectacles blurs the frail bounds between reality and parallel reality, allowing instances of a dark and dystopian future to seep into his world.

Rise Pathfinder directed by Chloé Dumoulin, Clémentine Dudreuilh, Gabriel Sepulchre, Alexandre Fruitet, Mégane Nousse

Runtime: 9'10

Production: Ecole Georges Meliès

Country: FRANCE

Synopsis: In the 70's, a team of scientists develops a robot whose main mission is to calculate the

distance between the Earth and the end of the Universe.

Galaxy princess directed by Hugo Lemonnier

Runtime: 4'22

Production: Ecole Estienne

Country: France

Synopsis: A little princess gets lost in space and tries to find her way back

Selfiecat directed by Elsa Divet, Geoffrey Assie and Émeline Bernard

Runtime: 3'20

Production: Artfx

Country: France

Synopsis: A girl is the most popular person on a cat social media site but is dethroned. She will do

anything to regain her title, but her cat has its own plans.

Time's Down directed by Yan Weitlauff, François Brugaliérès, Valentin Soulard, Nils Lemonnier, Jonathan Bacheter

Runtime: 4'20

Production: ArtFX **Country**: FRANCE

Synopsis: A thief uses time manipulation to escape the time police.

Galaxy girl directed by Richard Grover

Runtime: 3'51

Production: Student Movie Digi Pen Institute of Technology, Andrea Calleja

Country: USA

Synopsis: An aspiring comic book artist, stuck in her dead-end job at a pizza shop, receives

unexpected inspiration for her comic during an unusual delivery.

Coincidate directed by Wei-Lin Chen

Runtime: 6'28

Production: Wei-Lin Chen

Country: Taiwan

Synopsis: It was originally thought to be an only meet in life, but they seemed to be made for each other and quickly fell in love. "Two strangers have fallen in love, but only one person knows that it is not a coincidence." There is a hidden side behind the seemingly ordinary encounter.



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