

*Alternative Film Festival Fall 2022 Edition*

**SHORT CATEGORY**

**Winners in RED, Nominees in BLACK**

**Nominees for Best Action**

Remember Us - Dir. by Mitch Wheeler (USA)

Curse of the Mononoke - Dir. by Parker Barton (USA)

**Wanderer - Dir. by James Huynh (Australia)**

**Nominees for Best Animation**

Balloom - Dir. by Kayla Borecky (Canada)

Inertia - Dir. by Julie Verstraten (Belgium)

Solstice - Dir. by Tal Castillo, Michelle Chen, Lou Ali, Jomark Bermudez, Angie He, Juliana Belmonte, Nico Jiang, Yuxiao Chen (Canada)

out of control - Dir. by bellopropello (Switzerland)

The Curious Case of the Crimson Curves - Dir. by Jonathan Reich, Aseel Ali Saleh (Israel)

**Laundromonster - Dir. by Mikayla Trainor (Canada)**

**Nominees for Best Comedy**

Highly Favored - Bougie Banton - Dir. by Summer Elizabeth Eldemire (Jamaica)

Armchair Homosapien - Dir. by Luke Bechtel (USA)

SirCooly's Luckiest Holiday - Dir. by Christina Barton, Nolan Schmidt (USA)

A Battle of Equilateral Collateral - Dir. by Jacob St. John (USA)

**A Minute Of Your Time - Dir. by Matt McKisson (USA)**

April at the End of the Month - Dir. by Tim Disbrow (USA)

Critch Audition Slate 2022 - Dir. by Jake Delaney, Neil King (Canada)

**Nominees for Best Dance Film**

Colei Che Attende [She Who Waits] - Dir. by Scotty Hardwig (Italy)

**Matkalla [On the Journey] - Dir. by Scotty Hardwig (Finland)**

Spring Odyssey DANCED PERFORMANCE - Dir. by Elise Morin (France)

**Nominees for Best Documentary**

Art of Resistance - Dir. by Alexander Oleynikov, Sergei Safiullin (Ukraine)

Nostradamus Doomsday Prediction - Death - Dir. by Shihyun Wang (USA)

**Destination Poland - Dir. by Shihyun Wang (Poland)**

### **Nominees for Best Drama North America**

Helen at Dusk - Dir. by Marco Joubert (Canada)

I Promise to Never Forget - Dir. by Guillermo Calva (Mexico)

The Hedgehog Dilemma - Dir. by Shannon Alexis Smith (USA)

Deano's At Three - Dir. by James Chiverelli (Canada)

Stephen King's: All That You Love Will Be Carried Away - Dir. by Bolen Miller (USA)

Domestic Bliss - Dir. by Daniel P Williams, Tara Beavers (USA)

Locked - Dir. by Noah Helinski (Canada)

Look - Dir. by Lorne Warr (Canada)

### **Nominees for Best Drama International**

Rock. Paper. Scissors - Dir. by Dmitry Torgovitsky (UK)

Infection - Dir. by Hoonkwang Kim (Korea)

Choice - Dir. by Neda Zamani (Iran)

Joy - A Selfless Journey to Happiness - Dir. by Nikhil Lama (India)

And Then, The Silence - Dir. by Lucas Trochet (France)

The Last Goodbye - Dir. by Juan Antonio Chavero Briones (Spain)

Camille & Larry - Dir. by Élie Parienté-Gardez (France)

Incite - Dir. by Yeter Çiçek (Turkey)

### **Nominees for Best Experimental**

In Pericula: At Risk - Dir. by Daksha Patel (UK)

Reconsolidation - Dir. by Elanor Nadorff (USA)

Woman Is My Last Name - Dir. by Rana Kadry (Sweden)

The Drawer - Dir. by Tonika Huff (USA)

Make Up Your Mind - Dir. by Hayley Anne Nash (USA)

### **Nominees for Best Horror**

Marriage Graveyard - Dir. by Julz Janzen (Australia)

Wake - Dir. by Gordon (Hei Yuen) Chan (China)

I Moved to Salem - Dir. by Neil Willoughby (USA)

### **Nominees for Best Romance**

Getting Through - Dir. by Mason Beck (USA)

Touch of Freedom - Dir. by Keyan Miao (China)

Hangnail - Dir. by Brian Parks (USA)

The One Hundred - Dir. by Shihyun Wang (USA)

### **Nominees for Best Sci-Fi/Fantasy**

A Dust of Phantasm - Dir. by Mathew Ouzounis (Canada)

**Prescribed Memories - Dir. by Zach Calvento (Canada)**

Zombie Resurrection - Dir. by Brad Prime (USA)

The Fourth Genius - Dir. by Pablo Lewin (USA)

Sunflower - Dir. by Bryan Edwards (Canada)

### **Nominees for Best Thriller**

Stay - Dir. by Jack Ndupuechi (UK)

13 Amsterdam Street - Dir. by Olivier Lopes Barros (France)

Hangnail - Dir. by Brian Parks (USA)

**Duplicitous Minds - Dir. by Robert Rippberger (USA)**

Night and Wrong - Dir. by Aditya Krishna Moorthy (Australia)

Vindicta - Dir. by Yarron Jesuratnam (Canada)

That Night The Moon Shined - Dir. by That Night The Moon Shined (Philippines)

### **Nominees for Best Student Film**

Aldous - Dir. by Francis Rogers (Canada)

Viktoria - Dir. by Ruslan Mashkevich de Matos (France)

SOS - Dir. by Gordon (Hei Yuen) Chan (USA)

The Shack - Dir. by Ben Raschella, Harry Kellaway (Australia)

**Our Highest Priority - Dir. by Emma Macklin, Daniel Karan (Canada)**

Timeless Dialogue - Dir. by George Leontakianakos (Greece)

### **Nominees for Best First-Time Filmmaker**

**Francis Rogers - Aldous (Canada)**

Atoosa Moshashaee - All Qualified Men (Canada)

Ron Lynne - It's Not the End of the World (USA)

Feng Xie - Smiley Smile (China)

### **Nominees for Best Actor**

Richard Garfio - Between Solitude and Loneliness (USA)

**Michael Beran - Zombie Resurrection (USA)**

Tonio Schneider - Aldous (Canada)

Shambhav Jain - Joy - A Selfless Journey to Happiness (India)

Tristan Scot McNelly - A Minute Of Your Time (USA)

### **Nominees for Best Actress**

Marie Tifo - Helen at Dusk (Canada)

Mariana Silva - Stay (UK)

Melissa Taylor - A Dust of Phantasm (Canada)

**Tara Beavers - Domestic Bliss (USA)**

Mayang Adrass - In Between (Indonesia)

### **Nominees for Best Cast**

Remember Us - Dir. by Mitch Wheeler (USA)

The Office Worker - Dir. by Kushan Asitha Samarawickrema (Canada)

A Battle of Equilateral Collateral - Dir. by Jacob St. John (USA)

Duplicitous Minds - Dir. by Robert Rippberger (USA)

**Meraki & The Swan Song - Dir. by Eric Felizardo (Canada)**

### **Nominees for Best Cinematography**

**Zack Trunzo - Deano's At Three (Canada)**

Maxence Lemonnier - And Then, The Silence (France)

Gordon (Hei Yuen) Chan - Wake (China)

Yizhi Yi - SOS (China)

Babour Zainullah - Meraki & The Swan Song (Canada)

### **Nominees for Best Writer**

Nadzeya Mikhalchenkava - The Contest (France)

Luke Bechtel - Armchair Homosapien (USA)

Mason Beck - Getting Through (USA)

**Hayley Anne Nash - Make Up Your Mind (USA)**

Santirta Martendano Aribowo - In Between (Indonesia)

### **Nominees for Best Director**

Robert Rippberger - Duplicitous Minds (USA)

**Élie Parienté-Gardez - Camille & Larry (France)**

James Huynh - Wanderer (Australia)

Yeter Çiçek - Incite (Turkey)

Eric Felizardo - Meraki & The Swan Song (Canada)