

PRESS RELEASE

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DOWN UNDER BERLIN: FILMMAKERS WHO ARE PRESENT DURING THE FESTIVAL

In the following, we will present the filmmakers who will be joining us over the course of the 2nd Down Under Berlin – Australian Film Festival. All directors will take part in Q&A's after the screenings of their films.

We look forward to welcoming:

- **Julian Argus**, who will be presenting the films from his *Wheatfield -Trilogy* for the first time in Berlin,
- **Silke Schranz and Christian Wüstenberg**, who will celebrate the world premiere of their travel documentary *Australia in 100 Days*,
- **Siouxzi Mernagh**, who will tell the audience about the experimental video montages, which form *Siouxzi Mernagh Double Feature*,
- Alex Macbeth and Miriam Hisom, who, with Street Art, find common ground between Melbourne and Berlin (*Children of the Iron Snake*),
- David Hawkins and Kate Talbot, who will tell the audience all they want to know how the way they make films (*Mugged and Progress*),
- Luigi Cutore, whose film *I am the River* will be shown for the first time in Germany.

Accreditation for journalists and industry professionals is €30 and is available to order from 20th August 2012, by emailing ulrike.schmiedtke@downunderberlin.de, it will then be available to pick up from the festival information desk from the beginning of the festival in return for cash payment.

All further information about Down Under Berlin – Australian Film Festival, as well as the full festival program and print-quality film stills can be found on our website www.downunderberlin.de.

Tickets for all screenings are now available to purchase or reserve at www.moviemento.de or by calling 030 692 4785.

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