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GANGSTER KAY

GANGSTER KAY: THE AFRICAN



ADORED
Zbožňovaný

new

After a lifetime of work, well-known pediatrician Zdeněk is looking forward to a restful retirement. So is his wife Olga and his daughter Zuzana who is dealing with the break-up of her marriage to Karel. And the most enthusiastic family member is his granddaughter Aneta, who has always looked up to him and even writes a school essay all about him. But Zdeněk is not quite the paragon he seems – for the past 40 years he’s been having an affair with orthopedist Dana, who expects that Zdeněk’s retirement will mean they can finally be together all the time. Zdeněk’s peaceful retirement is about to become a lot less carefree than he’d planned.

94’

HD, m/e track, © 2021
director: Petr Kolečko
producers: Czech Television, MOJOFilm s.r.o.

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TV Video Internet



SPLIFF-UP AND SPLIT
Ubal a zmiz

The best laid plan can go down the pan. A crazy night ride involving big money, a weird deal with a wad of weed, and chopped-off pinkies. Three friends make cash by growing and selling grass. They get an offer that’s not to be refused: to sell their entire crop in one night. But after they make the deal, they find that their grow house has been burgled. Two policemen have been suspended. To get their jobs, they go off on their own to nab a suitcase full of precious loot. André is a rocker with who is held back by the contract he signed. He’d trade his fame for one hell of a rocker’s night. That’s what he gets when he takes someone else’s suitcase at the airport. The well-woven plot is characterized by its humour and stylization.

99’

HD, m/e track, © 2021
director: Adam Hobzik
producer: Flamesite s.r.o. – Kamil Kožíšek
co-producers: CinemArt, SOLID ENTERPRISE – Marek Veselický, Dana Voláková, Petarda Production – Petr Šiška, ATTACK Film, Lama Lights

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TV Video Internet



GANGSTER KAY
GANGSTER KAY: THE AFRICAN
Gangster KA
Gangster KA: Afričan

Radim Kraviec alias Káčko – a highly intelligent man endowed with a talent for the perfect scam. In the blink of an eye, he steals billions of crowns from the government. In the first film, Gangster KAY, he is planning, thanks to his contacts in the political arena, a triumphant master stroke: gaining control of a company that supplies all the fuel in the country. In part two, Kraviec leaves the country. Wherever the gangster ends up, be it on the Seychelles or in South Africa, he destroys the local mafia and lays down his own laws. Káčko transforms from a scam artist with above-average intelligence into the most vile gangster, murderer and drug trafficker.

97', 97'

HD, m/e track, © 2015
director: Jan Pachtl
producers: Czech Television, Movie s.r.o.

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TV Video Internet



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THE LABYRINTH I + II + III

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THE SWAP



THE CAGE
Klec

A psychological drama with elements of a thriller about an unexpected meeting between a lonely pensioner and a youth claiming to be her distant relative. Chatting about common acquaintances and the young man's gallantry brighten the pensioner's life for a while. Serious cracks quickly begin to appear, however, in what first appeared to be an almost sacchrine-sweet encounter, as the young man's intentions are far from pure. The pensioner realises something is not quite right. But what and why? A game of cat-and-mouse begins, but it is not clear who in fact is the cat and who the mouse.

87'
HD, m/e track, © 2019
director: Jiří Strach
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TRAP
Past

The film tells the story of one of the best Czech actresses of the second half of the 1930s and the 1940s, Jiřina Štěpničková, whom the State Security set their sights on in the early 1950s as another of their victims. They led the actress into a trap, provoking her to attempt to flee to the West and then arresting her at the border. After a two-day trial, she was sentenced to fifteen years in prison. Despite her adverse fate, she never gave up and manged to successfully revive her beloved theatre and film career.

94'
HD, m/e track, © 2020
director: Viktor Polesný
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



TRIPLE LIFE
Trojí život

A present-day situation comedy whose central hero is a young man who lives alternately with two women. He pretends to both that he works in another city for part of the week but in reality stays in Prague and simply moves from apartment to apartment. This works perfectly, until the moment when one morning he wakes up after a party in the wrong flat. His two women team up and make his life hell.

81'
HD, m/e track, © 2018
director: Jakub Sommer
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



VETERAN
Veterán

A psychological and conversation-based drama about a former soldier whose journey toward love and a normal life harms him more than the previous twenty years of war. Martin fought as a mercenary for 20 years. He is a man with killer instincts. Now he needs abilities that are completely different. He has to become a more attentive person, someone who knows not only how to take and give punches, but also how to listen and to understand banal concerns. Can a former elite soldier handle normal life, hold on to the woman he loves and find work that does not require the special physical abilities of a killer?

100'
HD, m/e track, © 2020
director: Jan Hřebejk
producers: Czech Television, ARTE
Rights Available:
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(excluding France, Germany)



WHEN COWS FLY
Až budou krásy lítat

A young, full-figured elementary school teacher carefully nurtures her inferiority complex. When accompanying her friend to a course of burlesque dancing, she gets the chance to become attractive despite her ample figure. People around her, however, are not prepared for a "fat girl" in the nude, and she loses her job, her family and her reputation. Will she be able to prove to herself and others that being fat isn't a disability or even a hindrance? Is it better to hide both problem and complex, or fight them head-on with openness?

83'
HD, m/e track, © 2019
director: Tereza Kopáčová
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



WITHOUT A TRACE
Beze stopy

This intimate psychological drama is set during Christmastime. Its peculiar hero lives alone in the woods where he meets no one, encountering only the things people leave behind in their cabins where he spends the night. He is not a thief. He always cleans up after himself. And he never eats more than one can of their food. That's the life he has chosen. He likes the peace and quiet. He is happier alone than when he must watch people ruin their lives. But this winter has not been a good one. Despite his efforts to avoid everyone, his path is crossed by two dubious characters and a child in need of help...

73'
HD, m/e track, © 2019
director: Vít Karas
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TV Video Internet



BEHIND THE CURTAIN **new**
Pozadí událostí

An academia-centred miniseries exploring various topical issues of our time such as gender, sexism, political correctness, various stereotypes and biases, conflicts of interest, and many others. Inspired by her brother, Soňa compensates for the frustration with her dysfunctional marriage by writing an erotic parody novel. She publishes it under a pen name to avoid getting into trouble with an ambitious dean, who has set out to eradicate all persisting sexist stereotypes at the faculty. The tense situation further escalates with a sexually motivated murder of a student. A 35-year-old woman detective – who is expecting a family with her female partner – is assigned to investigate the case.

4× 75'
HD, m/e track, © 2022
director: Jan Hřebejk
producers: Czech Television, Barletta s.r.o.
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



KILLING SHADOWS **new**
Vražedné stíny

A two-part crime drama set in the present day. During a secret meeting with an informer, Alan Kreiner's boss, the Chief of Police, is fatally wounded by a gunman trying to prevent disclosure of damaging information about shady activities involving Kreiner's colleagues. The police do not know – or rather do not want to know – about the mysterious shooter, and Alan is taken into custody as a murder suspect because the weapon used in the shooting was his private handgun. Alan needs to get out of jail to prove his innocence and find the real killer, so he accepts an offer from Mr. Lindner, an attorney who promises to defend his case for an incredibly low fee. Can Lindner clear Alan's name or is there some hidden agenda behind the offer?

90', 88'
HD, m/e track, © 2022
director: Jiří Svoboda
producers: Czech Television,
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



SUSPICION **new**
Podezření

A three-part miniseries presents the story of a nurse Hana, who is falsely accused of killing several patients in her hospital. Ever hard-working, austere and firmly convinced of the righteousness of her actions, Hana relentlessly pursues what she wants. She doesn't put much stock in the opinions of others, because she thinks she knows best what is good for others. Naturally, Hana is not very popular among her colleagues and neighbours, so she finds herself in a tough spot where no one is willing to vouch for her when the suspicion falls on her. How does one decide what is true and what is false when the facts are not clear and all we have to go on are our feelings and assumptions?

4× 52'
(available also as a three-part miniseries: 68', 65', 73')
HD, m/e track, © 2022
director: Michal Blaško
producer: Czech Television
co-production: ARTE G.E.I.E., nutprodukce
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet (excluding Slovakia, Germany, France, Switzerland, Austria)



ACTOR **new**
Herec

A three-part mini-series is a study of human character and behaviour in stressful situations when questions of morality and conduct of the protagonist is by no means clear-cut. A dramatic story of a promising young actor set at the beginning of the 1950's, during the culmination of the communist oppression, when many young people had to choose like him: stand up to the totalitarian regime, adapt to it or even actively participate in it. The choice to be made by the main protagonist is even more complicated. He has to hide his sexual orientation, not just from the regime but from society as a whole. He decides to use his handicap to his advantage and offers to actively co-operate and becomes "the Secret Police's operational informer".

76', 83', 76'
HD, m/e track, © 2020
director: Peter Bebjak
producers: Czech Television, D.N.A., s.r.o., RTVS
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet (excluding Slovakia)



BETRAYER **new**
Anatomie zrady

The film is based on the extraordinary true story of one of the most scorned figures of Czech and European history, a Minister in the Protectorate government, Emanuel Moravec, an apostle of collaboration, betrayal and moral decay. The unsightly countenance of the bloated bald head with buggy eyes brings to mind a parody of a fiend taken from comics. We would expect that only a fool would fall for Nazi ideology... But when we take a closer look at Moravec's personality, we get a completely different picture: a refined, educated, rational man, who took words such as "fatherland, nation and democracy" deadly seriously.

83', 82'
HD, m/e track, © 2020
director: Biser A. Arichtev
producers: Czech Television, Rolling media s.r.o., Český rozhlas
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



BOŽENA **new**
Božena

A story of female strength and male magnanimity. A conflict between married life and personal ambition in a four-part miniseries about the most famous female Czech writer. A story of the clash between two strong personalities that never learned to live together. They entered into matrimony with different ideas. Young Božena, unbound by the morals and conventions of the time and yearning for emancipation, believes that marriage will bring equality and freedom. Josef, a brave, decisive and confident man, is prepared to play the role of leader, protector and breadwinner. Those are the rules of the time as well as of the period marriage law. This is also the basic conflict. Božena was to become the mere wife of Josef Němec. The irony of fate is that it was him that became the husband and collaborator of Božena Němcová.

4× 82-93'
HD, m/e track, © 2021
director: Lenka Wimmerová
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DUKLA 61
Dukla 61

A two-part television film focused on the family of an elite miner and set against the backdrop of the biggest mining disaster of the second half of the 20th century, which left 108 men dead. A family drama capturing the story of a period when socialism was alive, work conditions resembled capitalism and the last of the last was first. In Czechoslovakia's newest city Havířov records were broken, but so were people - in the name of the Red Star shining above the region's showcase, the Dukla mine, which was about to switch from a six-day to five-day working week. It possessed the highest quality coal, coal that needed to be extracted in the interests of the socialist economy. At any price.

Awards: 26th CZECH LION 2018 - Best television film or miniseries

81', 73'

HD, m/e track, © 2018
director: David Ondříček

Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



GAME OF POWER
Vysoká hra

This two-part thriller is based on several specific criminal cases that reach to the upper echelons of the political scene. The degree of their participants' impudence is commensurate to the profit to be gained. Tracking and wiretapping are only a piece in the mosaic of their game plan and thus nobody can be sure who is following whom and why. The main protagonist is a police officer in the Anti-Corruption Department, Tomáš Krása, who is trying to uncover corruption, sometimes on his own, outside of the department. Tomáš joins forces with a self-confident and ambitious reporter and together they dive into the investigation. They run up against cheaters, however, who intend to win at any cost.

87', 92'
HD, m/e track, © 2020
director: Jiří Svoboda

Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



METHANOL
Metanol

ONE SHOT – YOU GO BLIND, TWO – YOU DIE
A two-part television film inspired by real events that could reoccur at any time. At the end of the 2012 summer holidays, the Czech Republic was rocked by an event of a type that neither detectives nor lawyers had ever seen. Within a few weeks alcohol produced from a mix of ethanol and highly poisonous methanol killed at least 38 people and seriously poisoned at least 80 others. However, the concoction had the "potential" to cause 158,000 deaths.

88', 91'
HD, m/e track, © 2018
director: Tereza Kopáčová

Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



REDL
Rédl

A four-part miniseries uncovering the criminal background of a strange story of organised crime in post-revolution Czechoslovakia. Two young students are testing out the new railway tracking system. They discover that certain Soviet cars are inexplicably disappearing on their way east. Both young men decide to get to the bottom of it. Several days later one of them turns up dead and the other is likely on the run. Military prosecutor Lieutenant Roman Redl tries to figure out on his own what the reason for the murder was and how far up the strings go of this crime that might stretch beyond the borders of Czechoslovakia somewhere far to the east.

4× approx 70'
HD, m/e track, © 2018
director: Jan Hřebejk

Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



STOCKHOLM SYNDROME
Stockholmský syndrom

A two-part drama where one unfortunate gunshot intertwines the fates of seven people and changes their lives forever. Investigator Viktor uses his service gun to protect his daughter when a Rottweiler attacks her. The shot ends up killing the dog, but, unfortunately, the bullet also injures the owner, Mr Osecký. Because of this incident, Viktor is suspended and sentenced unconditionally. When he is finally released from prison, he finds he has hit rock bottom: he has been expelled from the police force, his wife has divorced him and is demanding child support, and he is required to pay Jindřich Osecký a very large sum as compensation for the crime that landed him into prison.

74', 72'
HD, m/e track, © 2020
director: Dan Svátek

Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



RASCALS ON THE ROAD **new**
Špunti na cestě

A comedy series for the whole family. Dads are polishing school desks to improve their children's grades, moms are packing for a seaside holiday and the kids can't wait to be on the beach. The Croatian coast is within reach, so what could go wrong? Well, everything! This comedy about strange members of an otherwise normal family shows everything you don't want to happen to you when you are going on holiday. Through fate, their own foolishness and a few misunderstandings, the three-generation Veselý family find themselves in a modified camper van, driving it halfway across the country. A series of small and large disasters gradually turns into an adventure that brings the family closer together. Eventually they end up spending most of their holidays on the road. And it's going to be a ride to remember.

13× 50'
HD, m/e track, © 2022
director: Jiří Chlumský
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



SHADOWS IN THE MISTS
Stíny v mlze **new**

A twelve-part crime series introducing police detective Magda and her new partner Martin. Together they investigate criminal cases in unusual places and crime mystery is often accompanied by the drama of the investigators' personal lives. Magda has to reconcile her time-consuming and mentally demanding work as a police officer with taking care of her family and young daughter. Martin switched flats to avoid losing touch with his teenage son, who had moved to a new home with his mother, Martin's ex-wife. The initial petty rivalry between Magda and Martin slowly grows into mutual sympathy and respect. What either of them doesn't know, though, is that Magda is being stalked by Hrbek, a recently released convict who has a devious plan to take revenge on Magda for arresting him.

12× 62'-77'
HD, m/e track, © 2022
director: Radim Špaček
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THE COTAGERS
Osada **new**

A thirteen-episode family comedy series about a Czech phenomenon – cottage mania. Czechs spend a lot of time at their country cottages. They love their cottages. They go there to have a good time. And they will enjoy the stay in the cottage colony, despite the fact that they are all worlds apart. They are old and young, rich and poor, rightist and leftist, liberals and lovers of traditional values. They see everything through different eyes and it is unlikely they would ever meet at all. And that is the atmosphere in the cottage colony from Friday through Sunday. But eventually everyone manages to return to what is most important and common to them all: to have a good time, even if it means being on their last legs.

13× 55'
HD, m/e track, © 2021
director: Radek Bajgar
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TV Video Internet



THE DEFENDER
Ochránce **new**

A television series about a teacher Aleš Pelán who becomes a School Ombudsman to stand up for children, parents and teachers in need. The story of a man who can help everyone. Everyone except his wife. A teacher bullied by her students. Parents of children harassed by an unmanageable classmate. A girl who's never attended school. Pupils sexually abused by their teacher. A teacher accused of a pupils's death on a school outing. A headmaster who smacked a student. A headmistress who forbid a Muslim student to wear a headscarf. Parents of a boy who committed suicide. ... All this investigated by a man who is not a policeman, but a teacher.. Dramatization of ten real stories which shook the Czech education system...

10× approx 63'
HD, m/e track, © 2021
director: Tereza Kopáčková
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



CRIME SCENE: OSTRAVA
Místo zločinu Ostrava

The individual episodes of this series are inspired by actual criminal cases that occurred over the course of the last few years in the colourful environment of the industrial city of Ostrava. The series is also connected by the on-going personal story arcs of the main characters, seemingly very different investigators: the competitive Ema and the explosive Honza, who remains unconvinced at the start about Ema, the new head of the department. While investigating cases, they gradually become partners that complement each other professionally and perhaps they even find themselves sharing more than just collegial affection.

13× approx 68'
HD, m/e track, © 2020
directors: Dan Włodarczyk, Jan Hřebejk, Jiří Chlumský
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



GENDARMES FROM LUHAČOVICE
Četníci z Luhačovic

A series of historical crime stories from the beginnings of the so-called First (independent Czechoslovak) Republic, almost a century ago. The war was still going on for a couple of months, influencing the situation. The series describes it as we perhaps do not know it. As regards the public police – they had quickly to get rid of their bad reputation as "Austria's henchmen", and so the main qualification of the commander assuming his duties in the spa town of Luhačovice is the fact that he speaks Czech. All the two newcomers joining his team in the chaos know about police work is what they have learned in a preparatory course and what's written in textbooks. And before they can unpack, there's the first case they will have to deal with.

12× 83'
HD, m/e track, © 2017
directors: Biser A. Arichtev, Peter Bebjak, Dan Włodarczyk
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



IN RAGE I + II
Rapl I + II

The main character of this crime series is the colourful detective Major Kuneš, who due to his controversial nature has many problems in both his private and work life. Due to one such problem, he has been assigned to a backwater border region in the mountains. Despite his character, Kuneš is an excellent detective, which he demonstrates many times over the course of the series. Kuneš and his colleagues investigate one crime after another. Each episode contains its own crime and plot, but the whole series is tied together by a main case, which is the storyline for the whole series. In the first season it is the murder of a female police officer, in the second season the detectives are kept busy by the highly active criminal Željko Čubrić.

series I – 13× 60'
series II – 1-12× 60', 13× 70'
HD, m/e track, © 2016, 2019
director: Jan Pacht
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



MILLS OF GOD
Boží mlýny

A crime series combining tension with hyperbole and dark humour. Unlike classic detective stories, we know who the bad guy is: a rogue who escaped justice! The main character, Captain Fait, battles not only the underworld, but also widespread corruption. Pedantic Fait creates an informal group of "avengers", who help the proverbial "wheels of justice" to turn a little faster. This team of diverse talents and personalities plan ingenious traps and provocations, which they use to catch greedy crooks.

6×55'
HD, m/e track, © 2021
director: Jan Hřebejk
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



NORTH
Sever

A six-part psychological story of a man who decides to be a police officer, and a good one at that. This is a crime series with several plots and surprising twists that follows the story of a promising criminal investigator who believes in justice and honour and who refuses to remain indifferent to his superiors' corrupt ways. He is subsequently punished for this, however, and so the investigator finds himself under investigation. The police force is an organisation that is bound by hard-set rules. Its function is intrinsically interconnected with another organisation: the state. Besides the many rules necessary to run it, there are also a great deal of unwritten rules. Our hero has to work within this interlinked maze that both affects and shapes him.

6×57'
HD, m/e track, © 2019
director: Robert Sedláček
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



RABIES
Vzteklina

Six-part crime series „Rabies“ is a story of merciless revenge. It starts in the vicinity of a village in the Bohemian Forest where infected animals show up. A virologist, Pavel Rogl, has the task of finding the cause and to oversee the vaccination process. On top of that, he has been asked to provide an expert analysis report for a team of detectives investigating a mysterious double murder in the nearby forests. The fact that the deadly frenzy is linked to the infection cannot be ruled out. Is the killer a human being or a large predator? More dead are discovered and gradually a dire secret emerges which hides horrifying facts regarding the village's post-war history.

6×approx 59'
HD, m/e track, © 2018
director: Tomáš Bařina
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



THE CRIMES OF GREATER PRAGUE
Zločiny Velké Prahy

A historic detective serial from the 1920s. That was the decade when both the surrounding urban areas but also nearby villages, forests, factories and farms were made part of Greater Prague. Prague's new districts were less rich and glamorous than the centre and brought to the capital specific forms of crime, which began to be investigated by the Prague state police instead of local policemen. The serial's hero is Inspector Budík, an ambitious man who finds it hard to take when political pressure results in him being put in charge of the lowly mud-spattered suburbs and not the posh, bustling centre. The crime stories featured in the serial are inspired by real-life cases from the period.

10×approx 68'
HD, m/e track, © 2021
director: Jaroslav Brabec
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



THE FIRST REPUBLIC I + II + III
První republika I + II + III

The serial depicts the upper stratum that contributed most to shaping the First Republic, and set political and social standards. The fates of the characters, representing a variety of social strata, from the élite to the class of workers and peasants, will blend with the period events, recalling some important moments in Czechoslovak history.

series I – 22×52'; 11×97'
series II – 13×52'
series III – 13×52'
The First Republic – Family Fates – 53'
HD, m/e track, © 2014, 2017, 2018
director: Biser A. Arichtev
co-production: Dramedy International
Rights Available: for part of the territories only



THE LABYRINTH I + II + III
Labyrint I + II + III

In all the episodes of the serial so far, we are confronted with brutal murders. First the detectives are put on the track of the serial killer by the murder of a famous politician. Gradually they unravel the great secret of times long past. In the next seven ones, major Remeš is dealing with another extensive and complicated case. A young attractive girl has been killed in an extraordinarily brutal and painful way. Investigating their death, the detectives are trapped in a labyrinth of gripping events, and leads them to a group of people who fear nothing and stop at nothing.

series I – 7×58'
series II – 7×58'
series III – 7×58'
HD, m/e track, © 2015, 2017, 2018
director: Jiří Strach
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



**THE HEAD
OF MEDUSA**
Hlava Medúzy

A crime series where the central characters are murder investigators headed by Karin. The cases the police officers deal with are not very gory or brutal. The series does not wish to attract viewers with rivers of blood and piles of corpses followed by their "dissection", but rather through the ingenuity of the crimes, perpetrators and the investigators themselves. This applies particularly to Karin, who should win over viewers not only by her professional approach, but especially by her extraordinary empathy, ability to read the evidence in the right way and in time and to use her natural intuition and ability to see things from the female perspective and not being afraid to persevere.

8× 58'
HD, m/e track, © 2021
director: Filip Renč
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THE SWAP
Kukačky

The series The Swap tells the story of two married couples who find out that their children were swapped in the maternity ward. They only discover this terrible mistake when both boys are six years old and they have to decide what to do. There is no easy solution. The swapping of the children in the small town does not only affect the families that are directly involved, but the other inhabitants as well. Seeing that the mix-up took place in the local hospital, the fateful event has affected the lives of many others. In order to understand the ties and relationships between people in the town, the narrative also touches on events from the past. People bear their secrets and unfulfilled desires in private, though they rise to the surface at critical times.

13× approx 55'
HD, m/e track, © 2021
director: Biser A. Arichtev
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- LITTLE RAIN WORMS
- SLIP AND SLAP
- THE COTTAGE ON THE HILLTOP
- HONZA AND THE LAMB
- INVENTOR ALVA
- STORIES ABOUT MUM AND DAD
- THE KOKOŠKA FAMILY ON THE ROAD
- THE SMALLEST ELEPHANT
IN THE WORLD
- WHITE LADY THE BABYSITTER



LITTLE RAIN WORMS
Žížaláci

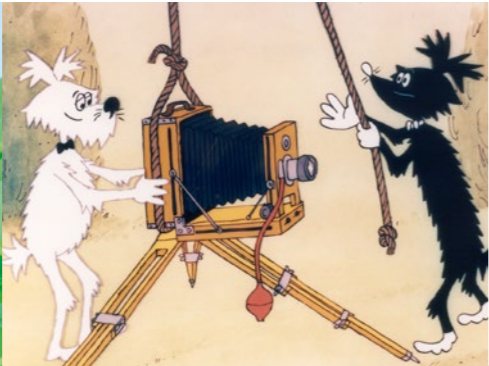
Stories about two young rain worms, who always crawl out of a hole after a shower and start carrying out their "great ideas". Sometimes they tease each other, but mostly they have to help each other. Their problem is that the bird sleeping in a tree above them gets disturbed by their mischief and when it finally wakes up, the bird wants to catch them. But the little rain worms are nifty fellows and they always save their skins at the last moment by fleeing underground.

39×8'

HD (parts 1-13 SD), © 2008-2015, 2018, 2019
artist: Jaromír Gál

Rights Available:

TV Video Internet



SLIP AND SLAP
Štaflík a Špagetka

Two dogs, one small and one large, have made a home together and are up to all sorts of things. Problems come their way in the form of their ever-squabbling neighbor, the crow, who always manages to make the dogs look bad – especially with his own aims in view.

39×7'

HD (parts 1–26 SD), © 1971, 1990–1992, 2014
artists: Zdeněk Smetana, Martin Otevřel

Rights Available:

TV (parts 1–39),
Video Internet (parts 27–39)



THE COTTAGE ON THE HILLTOP
Chaloupka na vršku **new** EPISODES

A puppet series about Tomeš the Woodcarver and his three children – Mařenka, Honzík and Andulka. It is situated in the times when people lived in a much greater harmony with nature than we do today, and respected traditions. And so the woodcarver's children take us through a traditional year in the countryside, with all the now almost forgotten festivals, old customs, crafts and field works connected with the crucial points of the four seasons.

26×7'

HD (parts 1-13 SD), m/e track, © 2008, 2013, 2022

director: Šárka Váchová

Rights Available:

TV Video Internet



HONZA AND THE LAMB
Honza a beránek

The shepherd boy Honza and a black little lamb set off on a journey to see the world. Together they experience all kinds of fairy tale adventures on their travels. Thanks to their shrewdness, playfulness, resourcefulness and bravery, they are able to handle any situation they encounter on their journey. They help save a water sprite from having to move from his pond, outsmart an evil witch and save a princess in a mysterious castle.

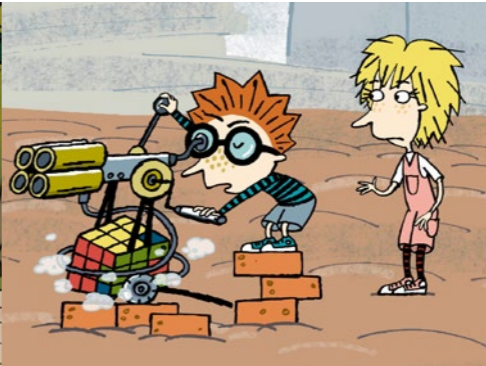
7×8'

HD, m/e track, © 2020

artist: Josef Lada

Rights Available:

TV Video Internet



INVENTOR ALVA
Vynálezce Alva

Alva is an impish bespectacled ginger, his hair tussled all the time, who dreams of the achievements of the third millennium. And he invents things which, he believes, will come in handy in it. He has one for every situation – including those which are better off without his inventions. As a result, he mostly does more harm than good, and causes chaos. But in the process he and his two friends, Denise and her brother Philip, have good fun and experience many an adventure.

13×8'

HD, m/e track, © 2012, 2015

artist: Luděk Barta

Rights Available:

TV Video Internet



STORIES ABOUT MUM AND DAD
Povídání o mamince a tatínkovi

Puppet stories narrated by not-yet-born Tonda from his Mum's tummy. We learn how his Mum Lucie, who's a painter, and Dad Josef, a joiner, met and fell in love with each other, and in the end got married. Adventures full of imagination and original humour are contributed also by Tonda's grandparents. Granny Coco is Madame Chanel in her heart, while the other Granny plays the violin and modestly calls herself Paganini. And of course there are Grandpas Lojza – the confectioner and pastry cook, and Antonín – the joiner, of whom the house is still full although he's not alive any more. Sometimes we also meet the animals living in the nearby wood. In short – this family is great fun!

7×8'

HD, m/e track, © 2016

artist: Kristína Dufková

Rights Available:

TV Video Internet



THE KOKOŠKA FAMILY
ON THE ROAD
Kokoškovi na cestách

The main characters of this animated series are the members of the Kokoška family of chickens. Daddy Kokoška is a journalist who writes reports from various parts of the world, where he takes his family with him, including little rooster Jonáš. Editor-in-chief Turkey, an unscrupulous tabloid-centric creature, demands ever more sensational stories, threatening to otherwise fire Mr Kokoška. Perhaps he is eager for Kokoška to fail so that he can replace him with his assistant Miss Turkeykins. Even though exciting events seem to avoid Kokoška like the plague, in the end everything works out, and all because of little Jonáš. He and his new friends always come up with something!

7×8'

HD, m/e track, © 2019

artist: Jitka Petrová

Rights Available:

TV Video Internet



THE SMALLEST
ELEPHANT IN THE WORLD
Nejmenší slon na světě

Animated series about a tiny elephant which has to survive in the vast world of normal elephants. He is helped by his little friend the crafty hyrax which, according to the atlas of animals, is a distant relative of elephants. The narrative excels in witty dialogue and amusing plots, based on everyday adventures and concerns that will be familiar to every child.

20×7'

HD, 3D animation, m/e track, © 2012, 2015, 2018

artist: Libor Pixa

co-production: EALLIN (parts 8–20)

Rights Available:

TV Video Internet



WHITE LADY
THE BABYSITTER
Bílá paní na hlídání

Mrs Black restores old paintings, Mr Black is officer on an ocean liner, and their children are quite a handful. They were expelled from kindergarten because they had flooded it out when playing at sailors, and none of the babysitters their parents have hired so far lasted out for more than an hour. Until meets Mrs White – who works miracles with the boys! No wonder, considering that in actual fact she is the magic White Lady, a ghost from an old castle, who does not hesitate to use the complete arsenal of her supernatural talents to tame the unruly quadruplets. A fact of which Mrs Black of course has not the slightest idea – because ghosts do not exist, do they? But the boys know otherwise...

13×8'

HD, m/e track, © 2013, 2019

artist: Vhrsti

Rights Available:

TV Video Internet



HOW NOT TO MARRY A PRINCESS

ANGEL OF THE LORD 2

A WIZARD CALLED RYE

A TRUE KNIGHT

BEST FRIEND

THE CHRISTMAS STAR

THE PRINCESS AND HALF THE KINGDOM

THE THIRD WISH

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION 5C

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OUTDOORS WITH JAKUB



HOW NOT TO MARRY A PRINCESS **new**
Jak si nevzít princeznu

A fairy tale in which three Fates foretell the marriage of a young prince to a princess from the neighbouring kingdom. No one could have expected, though, that the two would not be able to stand each other since childhood. The only thing that the prince and the princess have in common is their desire to get rid of this prophecy. And so, using a stolen magic watch, they travel back in time to the moment when the prince was born to prevent the Fates from making the prophecy. But things don't go according to the plan and the entire kingdom is turned upside down. In order to save it, the two will have to stop thinking only about themselves and learn a lot of new things along the way. Of course, they will change for the better, fall in love and there will be a happy ending – just as the Fates have foretold.

91'
HD, m/e track, © 2021
director: Karel Janák
producer: Czech Television
co-production: KiKA – Der Kinderkanal von ARD und ZDF, RTVS – Rozhlas a televízia Slovenska, Universal Production Partners, FilmWorx Studios
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet
(excluding Slovakia, Germany)



ANGEL OF THE LORD 2
Anděl Páně 2

The angel Petronel is still working at the Heavenly Gates but is convinced he deserves a better post. The devil Uriáš, who is forever trying to tempt him, begins to ensnare him. All he has to do is to pluck an apple from the Tree of Knowledge and he'll know all that God knows! However, in a scuffle between Petronel and Uriáš the Apple of Knowledge falls to Earth. God sends them down to find and bring it back. On Earth they experience a great adventure, passing through a number of dangerous situations. Following a series of human and "divine" tests, our heroes finally discover that the path to knowledge leads through oneself, through the discovery of the power of friendship, love and the ability to forgive.

95'
HD, m/e track, © 2016
director: Jiří Strach
producers: Marlene Film Production, Czech Television, Innogy, RTVS, Certicon, Alltoys, Attack film
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



A WIZARD CALLED RYE
Kouzelník Žito

Apolena the healer finds an abandoned newborn in a field of rye. She takes him home and gives him the name Rye. Rye grows up into a young lad with a great passion for justice and righteousness, therefore refusing to serve with the king as a tax collector and ending up in the stables instead. Here he meets the king's ward, Princess Adélka. But aside from Adélka, the demon girl Filištína also takes a liking to Rye, deciding to get him for herself at all costs. She offers Rye wealth and power, but of course he would not be acquiring it in an honest manner. Rye understands that if he were to agree to her offer, he would end up in hell, thus he rejects Filištína.

104'
HD, m/e track, © 2018
director: Zdeněk Zelenka
producers: Czech Television, RTVS
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet
(excluding Slovakia)



A TRUE KNIGHT
Pravý rytíř

A great surprise is awaiting the king, a true knight, on return from war: he finds that he has a son. But Vincent is somewhat different from what the king would wish him to be like: he loves music and literature – and is the very opposite of his father. In the fairy-tale adventurous story, the young prince sets out into the wide world in search of experience, and his father – a warrior – comes as well, in order to keep an eye on him. Together they overcome many a pitfall, defeat an evil sorcerer, set free a princess and find love for each other.

80'
HD, m/e track, © 2016
director: Martin Dolenský
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



BEST FRIEND
Nejlepší přítel

What happens when lowest ranked demon Matěj steals the last piece of bread from kind-hearted Ondra? Lucifer punishes him for this transgression, and Matěj must now fulfil Ondra's every wish until Ondra tells him he is happy. This may take a very long time, however, especially as Ondra has fallen in love with the beautiful countess Rozárka and his wishes know no bounds. Matěj first wants to return to hell, but things get complicated when he falls in love with Marjánka. Ondra is now happy and Matěj has to go home. Will Ondra managed to free Matěj from hell itself? The story is a tale of looking for happiness, love and, most of all, friendship, which turns out to be stronger than wealth or the infernal threat.

97'
HD, m/e track, © 2017
director: Karel Janák
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



THE CHRISTMAS STAR
O vánoční hvězdě

Even stars contend with the same relationship issues that humans do. No one is perfect and each star has its faults. Even our heroine, Morning Star, whose significant other is the much admired Sirius. One day, the jealous Proxima knocks Morning Star out of the sky, and she lands in a village where our terrestrial hero, the teacher Vaclav, lives. Vaclav is secretly in love with a princess. Morning Star has only a few days to get back into the sky, otherwise she will be extinguished. The only other thing that can keep her alive should she not make it back to her heavenly home in time is pure and unselfish love. Morning Star therefore decides to bring Vaclav and the princess together. Her plans, however, keep being thwarted by Proxima, who flies down to Earth to destroy her. Then there is Sirius's helper, however, who sets out to save her...

92'
HD, m/e track, © 2020
director: Karel Janák
producers: Czech Television, Universal Production Partners, RTVS – Rozhlas a televízia Slovenska, MDR – KiKa – Der Kinderkanal von ARD und ZDF, FilmWorx Studios
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TV Video Internet
(excluding Slovakia, Germany)



THE PRINCESS
AND HALF THE KINGDOM
Princezna a půl království

Honza, an ordinary peasant, kills a dragon and gets the princess and half the kingdom. And there, where other fairy tales end, this one begins. Neither the princess nor her royal parents like ordinary Honza. He has no manners and not even the teacher of court etiquette knows how to overcome that particular obstacle. The princess agrees to marry her former suitor, the selfish kind Egon, who had left her at the mercy of the dragon. Princess leaves with Egon for his kingdom, but once there she learns his true nature. When the princess wants to flee, Egon imprisons her and Honza is the only one who can save her. But can he learn courtly manners so that he can infiltrate Egon's castle without being detected and save the princess a second time?

92'

HD, m/e track, © 2019
director: Karel Janák
producers: Czech Television, RTVS
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TV Video Internet
(excluding Slovakia)



THE THIRD WISH
Přání k mání

A family film that tells the story of several forms of love today in a poetic, playful and humorous manner. It explores the sufferings of teenager Albert who is head over heels in – most pertinently unrequited – love with his best friend's sister; the love between Albert's parents, who perform magic shows and are going through a crisis of middle age; and parental love, when the slick charmer Bosák Jr. attempts to win the attention and affection of his father, a powerful hotelier. Albert and the others ultimately realise that one doesn't need magic and spells to be happy but above all the courage to change things around oneself for the better. Naturally, however, that doesn't mean that magic and sorcery don't exist.

Awards: 58th International Film Festival for Children and Youth – Zlín: audience award for best live-action film

102'

HD, m/e track, © 2017
director: Vít Karas
co-production: Promea Communication
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet
worldwide (excluding Slovakia)



CRIMINAL
INVESTIGATION 5C
Kriminálka 5.C

A detective series for children. Episode by episode the young detectives, led by classic-whodunnit-fan Petr Mikina and his classmates, expose the perpetrators of some serious criminal offences – smugglers of critically endangered, protected species of parrots, tortoises, reptiles, orchids and butterflies, as well as eagle-egg thieves and illegal tiger breeders. Each episode brings the children closer and closer to the head of a whole clan of villains, Benny Ryba – but they have no idea who Benny Ryba is or what he looks like. Dramatic and gripping detective work often puts the children in dangerous situations and in direct confrontations with dangerous offenders.

13× 28'

HD, m/e track, © 2019
directors: Juraj Nvota, Tereza Nvotová
producers: Czech Television, ALEF FILM & MEDIA, RTVS, Filmové ateliéry
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet (excluding Slovakia)



GORILLA STORIES
Gorilí povídaní

The series in 13 parts follows up the popular "animal tales" of Václav Chaloupek. This time we will leave the nature of our country and set out to make our acquaintance with attractive African animals. Little Nuru, born to his gorilla parents in the Prague Zoo in 2013, and his auntie Kamba, the only one among the Prague gorillas that was born in the African wilderness, will be our guides. In each of the episodes, we will learn something about the gorillas' life, and Kamba's narration will take us to her native Africa. Together with Nuru, we will not only see how gorillas live in wild nature, but also get to know other African animals. A short fairy tale is added to every "documentary" part.

13× 8'

HD, m/e track, © 2015
director: Václav Chaloupek
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



NATURE NEWS
Novinky z přírody

A series telling a tale about life in nature during different seasons of the year. It is interested in both the plant and the animal realms, and takes us to many bewitching places. Each episode offers new angles of view and interesting facts about the processes taking place in water and forest, on fields and meadows, but also in urban environment. The main purpose of the series is to encourage children better to "cooperate" with nature. For their life in the 21st century, they need to know what is happening around us after the snow melts, to know the basic species of singing birds, have an idea of how fish, inconspicuous sorts of insects, flowers etc. live.

52× 7'30"

HD, m/e track, © 2015, 2016
director: Václav Chaloupek
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



OUTDOORS WITH JAKUB
S Jakubem v přírodě

The children of today master computers, the virtual world and other modern technologies. No wonder that many adults complain that children are not interested in nature. But Jakub, the renowned angler and holder of many records, doesn't agree. This time he invites children to join him on an adventurous expedition in Czech nature. With him Lvíček and Anička tour wonderful places, learn how to survive in extreme conditions, get to know the countryside, plants and animals. Jakub takes them to see his friends, each of whom has some interesting skills and lets the children have a try at them. And of course – as on every trip with Jakub – together they will catch a fish.

26× 26'

HD, © 2015, 2017
director: Antonín Vomáčka
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



DOCUMENTARIES

MYSTERIES IN HISTORY

DEFENESTRATION 1618

VÁCLAV HAVEL - LIVING IN FREEDOM

BEFORE THEY DISAPPEAR

NATIONAL JEWELS - UNESCO HERITAGE;
NATIONAL JEWELS II

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MYSTERIES
IN HISTORY
České tajemno

In this documentary cycle we look into six major historical mysteries. Did the Templars hide the world's most hunted treasure in the Czech Lands? Is the tomb of Attila the Hun located in the Czech Republic? What is the secret of the Voynich Manuscripts? Scientists, geologists, document authentication experts and speleologists are among those who will try to answer these questions.

6×40'

HD, m/e track, © 2020
director: Pavel Jandourek

Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



DEFENESTRATION 1618
Defenestrace 1618

A docudrama recounting the famous Prague event that sparked the Thirty Years' War. Three people thrown out of a window at Prague Castle. So began the bloodiest conflict Europe had then seen. Strange events took place on 23 May 1618 at the seat of Czech kings, Prague Castle: representatives of the Czech Protestant estates, who had come to the offices of the Czech chancellor (representing the Catholic king), attacked two of the king's top officials and flung them out of a castle window. This incident sparked the Thirty Years' War, the largest military conflict in history until the major wars of the 20th century.

85'

HD, m/e track, © 2018
director: Zdeněk Jiráský
co-production: Czech Television, ARTE, ORF
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet (excluding France, Germany, Belgium, Switzerland, Austria inc. South Tyrol)



VÁCLAV HAVEL – LIVING IN FREEDOM
Život podle Václava Havla

A biographic documentary, telling the life story of Václav Havel, Czech writer, playwright, one of the first spokesmen of Charter 77, leading figure of the political changes in November 1989, last President of Czechoslovakia and first President of the Czech Republic. The ambition of the film makers has been to draw his film portrait, with the story narrated by Václav Havel himself. By means of shots and photographs, they offer the viewer a look into Havel's eventful life, all its stages and the roles he played in them – from childhood, compulsory military service and the beginnings of his theatre career to the Chartist and presidential periods.

71'

HD, © 2014
director: Andrea Sedláčková
co-production: ARTE, Alegria productions, Negativ, Václav Havel Library
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet Slovakia, Poland, Hungary, Lithuania, Latvia, Estonia



BEFORE
THEY DISAPPEAR
Ještě než zmizí

An extraordinary journey of Jakub Vágner and his film crew in search of rare tribes that live wildly in our planet's most remote places. We will meet the Huaorani, Waorani and Taronenane people in the heart of the Amazon rainforest. Time is merciless to these tribes. It is our mortal enemy too. A single year is often like an entire decade. What we capture on film today may cease to exist in just one year.

52'

HD, m/e track, © 2021
directors: Jakub Vágner, Jakub Vomáčka
producer: Czech Television
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



NATIONAL JEWELS
– UNESCO WORLD HERITAGE
Národní klenoty
– památky UNESCO

NATIONAL JEWELS II
Národní klenoty II

A unique documentary series on the Czech Republic's unique wealth of architectural, artistic, urbanistic and other cultural treasures included in the UNESCO World Heritage List. The viewers are offered the possibility not only to see them in detail, but also learn about their history, their place in and impacts on the landscape with which they blend so perfectly.

NATIONAL JEWELS – UNESCO WORLD HERITAGE
13× 26' - guide in vision
13× 14' - guide out of vision

NATIONAL JEWELS II
16× 26' - guide in vision
16× 15' - guide out of vision

HD, m/e track, © 2012, 2015, 2017
directors: Jiří Diarmaid Nová, Otto Kalus, Roman Vašíček
producer: Czech Television
co-production: FRMOL, CzechTourism
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



SEEING THE HOME
COUNTRYSIDE
Krajinou domova

A narrative documentary serial, capturing in an imposing way the uniqueness of the Czech and Moravian countryside in the course of all the seasons of the year. In eighteen parts, we will learn what it looked like originally, in its wildest appearance, with dozens of rare plant varieties and animal species. We will also see the most distinctive human settlements, castles, chateaux and villages. None can be separated from the rest...
The cycle has been made with the use of the state-of-the art time-lapse recording technique – specially composed drones thanks to which the viewer will see singular natural phenomena from short distance – 4K resolution etc.

31×26'

HD, m/e track, © 2016, 2017 , 2021
director: Petr Krejčí
producers: Czech Teleivison, Ministerstvo životního prostředí ČR, ORCHIS FILM, Agentura ochrany přírody a krajiny
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



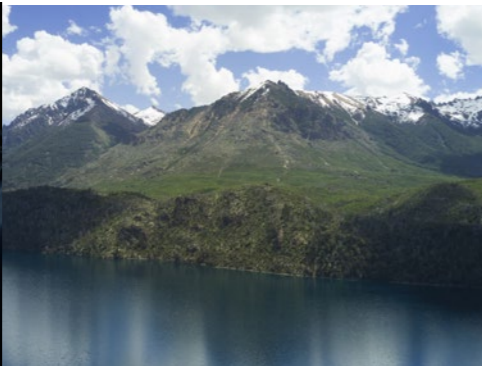
THE WORLD ACCORDING TO TERMITES
Svět podle termitů

Termites - for somebody exotic crap, for others, the pests that are causing tremendous economic damage. The film attempts to show them differently: as a force that significantly influences the ecosystem of our entire planet, and also as an object of intense scientific research that reveals their fascinating life and extraordinary adaptation.

52'

HD, © 2017
director: Jan Hošek
producers: Czech Television, Czech University of Life Sciences Prague, Marián Polák

Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



TRAVELLING AROUND new EPISODES
Na cestě

A documentary travelogue focusing on attractive but less well-known localities. The individual parts of this series bring descriptions of all the typical aspects – natural, historical, cultural and social. However, stress is mainly laid on the lifestyles and traditions of the inhabitants, because it is they who create their environment.

519× 27'

HD (parts 1-145 SD), m/e track, © 2006-2021
directors: Mojmír Kučera, David Sís, Jiří Novák and others

Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



TRAVELING FOR THE ART OF WATCHMAKING
Cesty za hodinářským uměním

In this six-part documentary mini-series we set out to visit world-famous watchmaking companies that are still manufacturing, united by the fact that they produce their own timepieces. We uncover the circumstances of how famous watchmaking companies emerged in a given region, visit old watchmaking families, present archival materials and also take a look at places worth visiting on our journey into the world of watches. For example, we get acquainted with the history of the Czech watch brand PRIM, Swiss MOSER watches and the Japanese brand SEIKO.

6× 40'

HD, © 2018, 2019
director: Jana Škopková
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



HERBARIUM I-IX new EPISODES
Herbář I – IX

Herbarium is an original "herbal show" which introduces ordinary plants and herbs to viewers. The presenters, the mothers Kateřina and Linda, focus on the most common of them and their usage in everyday practice – not just in cooking, but in the cosmetics industry. The series abounds with sage advice handed down from our grandmothers and found in ancient books. Kateřina and Linda teach us how herbs, fruit and vegetables help us keep healthy and avoid common such as the flu, back pain and poor spirits. The combination of a healthy lifestyle and folk wisdom will be appreciated by everyone who wants to draw on the best that nature has to offer.

series I - 11× 26'
series II - 10× 26'
series III - 16× 26'
series IV, V - 12× 26'
series VI – IX - 10× 26'

HD, © 2013-2021
directors: Jaroslav Včela, Adam Martinec
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



CHILDREN ONLINE
Děti Online

A world in which an ever higher number of children spend their free time in a virtual world instead of on a real playground... This documentary film presents the youngest generation as so-called "digital natives", for whom the world of the Internet is an important part of their everyday life and a natural process of discovery. The personal stories of the three protagonists draw attention to some hazards of the Internet – such as cyber-bullying and cyber-grooming. Testifying to the seriousness of these phenomena is not only the rise in the number of children who turn with the above-mentioned problems to helplines, with some unfortunately becoming victims of suicides caused by cyberbullying...

52'
HD, m/e track, © 2017
director: Kateřina Hager
co-production: Bohemian Productions
Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



A YEAR IN THE LIFE OF CHOREOGRAPHER JIŘÍ KYLIÁN
Jeden rok v životě choreografa Jiřího Kyliána

Two special events in the 2018-2019 season in the life of the world-renowned, Czech-born choreographer. The first important event was the gala premiere at the National Theatre held on the occasion of the 100th anniversary of the foundation of the Czechoslovak Republic. The enormously successful programme entitled Kylián – Bridges of Time presented the audience with four ballets that Master Kylián trained with the National Theatre Ballet. The other was the awards ceremony in March 2019 where Jiří Kylián received the Knight's Order of the French Academy of Fine Arts. Jiří Kylián took us behind the scenes of both events and supplemented them with his extremely wise but humble commentary on his life and work.

52'
HD, m/e track, © 2019
director: Martin Kubala

Rights Available:
TV Video Internet



ROMEO AND JULIET
Romeo a Julie

The Romeo and Juliet ballet by Sergei Prokofiev is one of the most important works of its genre. The production of this world-famous material is the work of Petr Zuska, the head of ballet of the National Theatre in Prague. The reason for the eternal discord between the Montagues and Capulets is not closely defined in the original Shakespearean tragedy. As part of the production, Petr Zuska allows this basic aspect to be interpreted as the eternal conflict of the masculine and feminine principle – two polarities mutually oscillating at the edge of attraction and inevitable antagonism.

108'

HD, © 2015
director: Sonia Paramo
co-production: Les films Figures Libres,
Czech Television, Mezzo, ARTE

Rights Available:
TV Video Internet

SOLO FOR THE TWO OF US
Sólo pro nás dva

Petra Zuska's dance theatre piece Solo for the Two of Us comprises several levels at once, particularly the relationship between a man and a woman, between a person and the demon hiding inside of them, between the individual and the society of which they are a part, and between us and nature. And last but not least, it is a solo for Jaromír Nohavica and Beata Bocek, whose music was Petr Zuska's inspiration this time round.

107'

HD, © 2017
director: Petr Zuska
director of recording: Martin Kubala
co-production: National Theatre Prague

Rights Available:
TV Video Internet

SOLO FOR THREE
Sólo pro tři

A riveting performance inspired by the life and songs of three singing poets from the 2nd half of the last century: Jacques Brel, Vladimir Vysotsky and Karel Kryl. Although they spoke different languages, they could be universally understood.

116'

HD, © 2017
director: Petr Zuska
director of recording: Martin Kubala
co-production: National Theatre Prague

Rights Available:
TV Video Internet

VIVALDIANNO

VIVALDIANNO MMXII

VIVALDIANNO 2015 – CITY OF MIRRORS

MUSIC



VIVALDIANNO
Vivaldianno

One of the best contemporary Czech violin virtuosos on the Czech music scene Jaroslav Svěcený, and rock pianist and composer Michal Dvořák, founding member of the Lucie group, which was the most famous Czech music formation of the turn of the century, have created a timeless multi-genre musical project they named Vivaldianno. This stirring, spectacular show is created by forty musicians, dancers and singers from all over the world and was composed in honour of the titan of Baroque music Antonio Vivaldi, whose work inspires musicians of all generations and addresses listeners even now at the beginning of the third millennium.

52'

SD, © 2009
director: David Sís

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MUSIC PERFORMANCE



VIVALDIANNO MMXII
Vivaldianno MMXII

The extraordinarily successful Vivaldianno music project continues. Its chief protagonists, violin virtuoso Jaroslav Svěcený and rock pianist and the project author Michal Dvořák, have prepared for their fans its loose follow-up, presented under the name Vivaldianno MMXII. In experimenting with the sounds of classical, ethnic as well as electronic musical instruments, they have drawn inspiration not only from the timeless music of Antonio Vivaldi, but also that of the geniuses Bach and Mozart, the violinist and composer Fritz Kreisler, and the Argentinian magician Astor Piazzola. The two outstanding Czech musicians are accompanied by musicians from Peru and Bolivia, supported by the quena and siku virtuoso Vlado Urlich. The guests – including Herold Quartet, Melody Quartet, Tam Tam Orchestra and a number of other artists – are a guarantee of supreme quality. The unique blend of music of times past and present thus assumes a new dimension.

53'

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New, magnanimous and ambitious follow-up to the widely successful project. Vivaldianno – City of Mirrors proceeds from the gold and platinum recordings of Vivaldianno and Vivaldianno MMXII. The unique 3D concert show builds upon Baroque music in combination with contemporary sound. The large orchestra employing classical as well as art-rock types of instruments is placed on a platform between large-format front and back projection which, together with the elaborate light design and state-of-the-art technologies, enhances the singular three-dimensional music experience. The author of the libretto is Czech musician, scriptwriter and dramaturge Tomáš Belko, and signed under the visual conception of the event is renowned Japanese artist, director and animator Kosuke Sugimoto, currently working for Prague's Eallin Animation studio.

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