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## A Look Back at the 54<sup>th</sup> edition of ZFF

*Dear friends of the Zlín Film Festival,*

*54th ZFF ended well. We have reached our goals and have met our expectations. We really cannot be mad at the bad weather conditions on Monday and Tuesday since the vast majority of our events were held as planned.*

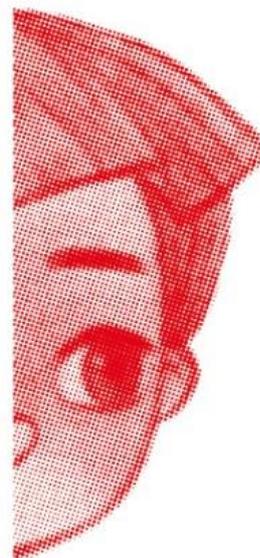
*All of our films were screened as scheduled. In terms of the supporting programme, we are pleased to announce that our concerts, open air cinema screenings, interactive programs and activities in the Zlín Chateau were extremely well attended. Especially our program in the Zlín Chateau proved to be a successful dramaturgic move. A great success was also daily Red carpet show followed by a Radiožurnál DNES talk show with Vladimír Kroc.*

*Once more, we have taken a few steps forward. However, we will not lie back on one's laurels and we will keep improving our program and publicity as always.*

*Minor deficiencies that appear during every massive event like this were only technical and no human errors were involved. Our team worked excellently and I am proud to be part of it!*

*I am extremely pleased to announce that the jubilee edition of the 55<sup>th</sup> ZFF takes place from May 28 (Thursday) to June 6 (Wednesday). We would like to cordially invite all of to Zlín next year again!*

*Markéta Pášmová – Programme Director*



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We would like to express our gratitude to the representatives of both public and cultural sectors for their patronage over the 54th ZFF 2014:

Prime Minister of the Czech Republic **Bohuslav Sobotka**,  
H. E. the Ambassador of the Republic of Poland in Prague **Grażyna Bernatowicz**,  
Czech Minister of Culture **Daniel Herman**,  
Czech Committee for UNICEF,  
Governor of the Zlín Region **Stanislav Mišák**,  
Mayor of the statutory city of Zlín **Miroslav Adámek**.

The organizer of the Zlín Film Festival, FILMFEST, s.r.o., would also like to express special thanks to all its partners and supporters, who were absolutely crucial for making it possible for the 54th festival to happen. Among these are:

Co-organizer the statutory city of Zlín,

General partner ENAPO OBCHODNÍ a.s.,

Financial supporters Czech Ministry of Culture, Czech State Fund for the Support and Development of Czech Cinematography, Zlín Regional Authority, Polish Institute in Prague, the town of Otrokovice

Main partners ŠKODA AUTO a.s., DHL Czech Republic, Zlaté Jablko shopping and entertainment center, Impromat

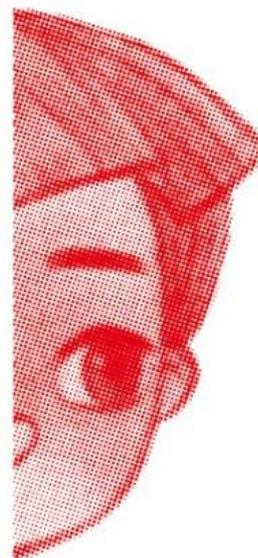
Main media partners Czech Television, Czech Radio, MF DNES, Idnes.cz

Significant media partners CSFD, Radio Kiss, Radio Beat

Stable charitable partner The Drop of Hope Foundation Fund.

Partner of the Days of Polish Cinema - Polish Institute in Prague.

And other partners, supporters, fans and friends.



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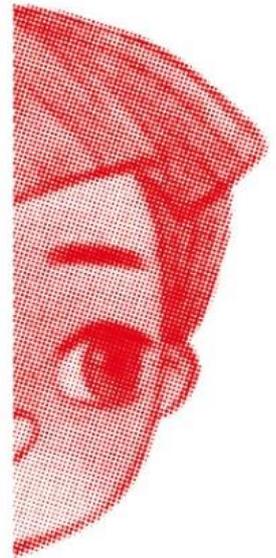
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## STATISTICS

### ATTENDANCE

Film Screenings	42.000
Supporting Programme (including Zlín Chateau)	65.000
<u>Total Attendance</u>	<u>107.000</u>

Attendance of Zlín Chateau 9.000



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## FILM PROGRAM

54th ZLÍN FILM FESTIVAL 2014 will screen a total of **365** feature, animated, and combined films from **55** different countries.

### Premieres

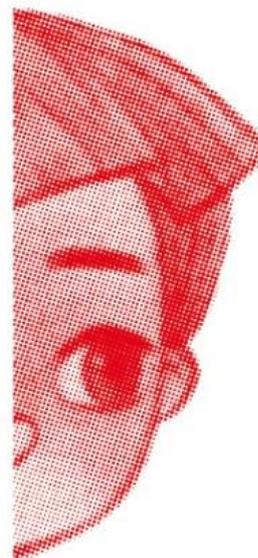
World premieres	10
International premieres	51
Distribution premieres	2
Czech premieres (first run in Czech cinemas)	212
<b>Total number of films to be shown as premieres</b>	<b>275</b>

**Competitive sections:** International Competition of Feature Films for Children, International Competition of Feature Films for Youth, International Competition of Animated Films for Children, International Competition of European Feature Film Debuts, Zlín Dog International Student Film Competition

### Informative section:

Days of Polish Cinema	Young Stars
New Czech Film and Television Productions	Distant Childhoods (new)
Panorama	In the Shadow of War (new)
Documentaries	Tributes to Bohumil Hrabal & Karel
Night Horizons	Kachyňa
A Thousand and One Nights	Grand Prix to Tadeusz Wilkosz

**Complete score sheet is included.**



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## JURIES

### Main jury:

1. Claudia Landsberger (Netherlands)
2. Mitsuo Tahira (Japan)
3. Dorota Kedzierzawska (Poland)
4. Tomy Wigand (Germany)
5. Monica Wahi (India)
6. Pavlína Němcová (Czech Republic)

### Debuts jury:

1. Anna Polívková (Czech Republic)
2. Manlio Castagna (Italy)
3. Marcin Wrona (Poland)

### Animation jury:

1. Ralph Graham (United Kingdom)
2. Michaela Pavlátová (Czech Republic)
3. Magdalena Osinska (Poland)

### Zlín Dog jury:

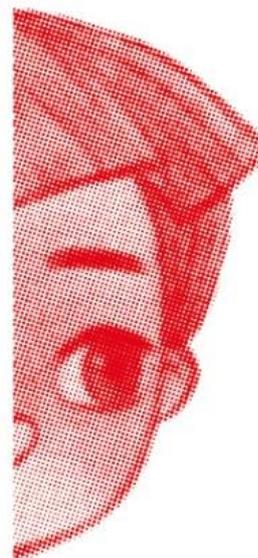
1. Aneta Ozorek (Poland)
2. Arkaitz Basterra (Spain)
3. Benjamin Teske (Germany)

### ECFA jury:

1. Joan Parson (United Kingdom)
2. Lina Užkuraiytė (Lithuania)
3. Reinhold T. Schöffel (Germany)

### Ecumenical jury:

1. Daniela Magálová (Slovakia)
2. Sarah Skoric (Belgium)
3. Charlotte Wells (Sweden)



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## PERSONALITIES OF THE 54<sup>th</sup> ZFF 2014

### Foreign guests

**Marcin Wrona (Poland)**, screenwriter and director.

**Dorota Kędzierzawska (Poland)**, screenwriter and director.

**Massieh Zarrien (United Kingdom)**, 16-year-old debut actor

**Phillipe Muyl (France)**, screenwriter, director and producer.

**Magdalena Berus (Poland)**, actress

**Marian Dziędziel (Poland)**, film, theater and television actor

**Kamil Tkacz (Poland)**, actor

**Wiranu Tembé (Brazil)**, child actress

**Ivo Pietzcker (Germany)**, child actor

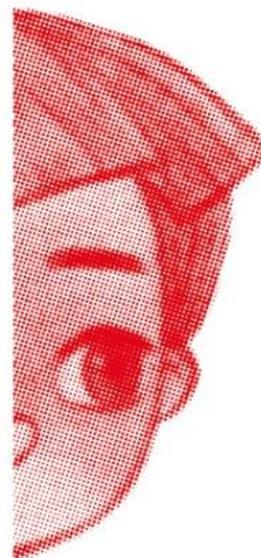
**Ilona Herman** - an internationally recognized makeup artist of Czech origin

### Czech republic/ Slovakia

Daniel Herman  
(ministr kultury ČR),  
Václav Marhoul,  
Mahulena Bočanová,  
Jiřina Bohdalová,  
Martin Dejdar,  
Aňa Geislerová,  
Jan Hrušínský,  
Miluška Šplechtová,  
Vladimír Kratina,  
Jiří Mádl,  
Nela Boudová,  
Pavel Trávníček,

Arnošt Goldflam,  
Jan Hřebejk,  
Václav Vorlíček,  
Zdeněk Zelenka,  
Michaela Dolinová,  
Lenka Krobotová,  
Jan Rosák,  
Vendula Svobodová,  
Josef Dvořák,  
Maroš Kramár,  
Jana Plodková,  
Veronika Kubařová,  
Alena Mihulová,

Ondřej Pavelka,  
Jitka Ježková,  
Hana Vagnerová,  
Lukáš Hejlík,  
Pavel Řezníček,  
Radim Fiala,  
Lucie Štěpánková,  
Michal Suchánek,  
Magda Reifová,  
Gabriela Franková (Miss  
ČR 2014)



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## DELEGATION PRESENT AT THE 54TH ZFF 2014

### INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION OF FEATURE FILMS FOR CHILDREN

**Dennis Reinsma** (actor) for the film **A Christmoose Story** (Netherlands)

**Wiranu Temb ** (actress) for the film **Taina - an Amazon Legend** (Brasil)

**Philippe Muyl** (director) for the film **The Nightingale** (France)

**Neele Marie Nickel** (actress) for the film **Famous Five 3** (Germany)

**Rock Demers** (producer) for the film **The Outlaw League** (Canada)

**Jiří Mádľ** (director), **Petr Šimčák** (actor), **Jan Maršál** (actor), **Miloš Šmídmajer** (producer) for the film **To See the Sea** (Czech reublic)

### INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION OF FEATURE FILMS FOR YOUTH

**Runa Greiner** (actress), **Lea Bloch** (actress) for the **Sitting Next to Zoe** (Switzerland)

**Richard Goudreau** (director) for the films **When We Were Boys** (Canada)

**Gijs Blom** (actor) for the film **Boys** (Netherlands)

### INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION OF EUROPEAN FEATURE FILM DEBUTS

**Sebastian Hiort** (actor), **Lina Leandersson** (actress) for the film **Broken Hill Blues** (Sweden)

**Vittorio Gianotti** (director), **Enrico Audenino** (director) for the film **Maicol Jecson** (Italy)

**Alex K. Lee** (director), **Alix Benezech** (actress), **Angelo D'Agostino** (producer) for the film

**Maybe Tomorrow**

**Bruce Goodison** (director), **Masieh Zarrien** (actor) for the film **Leave to Remain** (United Kingdom)

**Ádam Császai** (director), **András Sütő** (actor) for the film **Land of Storms** (Hungary)

**Marcin Solarz** (director) for the film **Deceived** (Poland)

### YOUNG STARS

**Andrzej Tkacz** (actor), **Kamil Tkacz** (actor) for the film **Run Boy Run** (Poland)

**Edward Berger** (director), **Ivo Pietzcker** (actor) for the film **Jack** (Germany)

**Magdalena Berus** (actress) for the film **Lasting** (Poland)

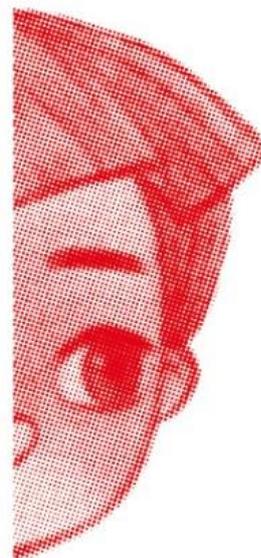
**Paula Kalenberg** (actor), **Tim Oliver Schultz** (actor) for the film **When Inge Is Dancing** (Germany)

### PANORAMA

**René Vilbre** (director), **Miikael Ainla** (herec), **Mariann Vilbre** (actress) for the **Kid Detectives & The Secret of the White Lady** (Estonia)

**Joost Ranzijn** (director) for the film **Urban Rascals** (Netherlands)

**Veit Helmer** (director) for the film **Quatsch** (Germany)



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## DAYS OF POLISH CINEMA

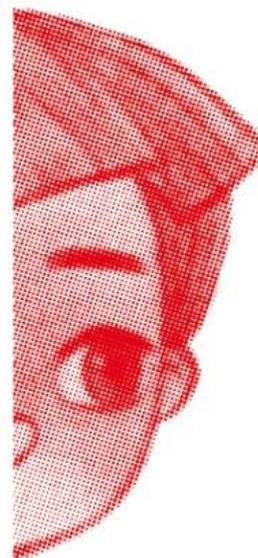
**Dorota Kedzierzawska** (director) for the films **Crows** and **Tomorrow Will Be Better** (Poland)  
**Anna Bluszczyńska – Wieczur** (director) **Gabriela Muskala** (actress), **Marcin Korcz** (actor) for the film **Being Like Deyna** (Poland)  
**Magdalena Berus** (actress) for the films **Lasting** and **Baby Blues** (Poland)  
**Marian Dziedziel** (actor) for the films **Wedding**, **The Mole** and **Rose** (Poland)  
**Kamil Tkacz** (actor) for the film **Life Feels Good** (Poland)  
**Marcin Wrona** (director) for the film **The Christening** (Poland)

## NIGHT HORIZONS

**Bartosz Gelner** (actor), **Mateusz Banasiuk** (actor) for the film **Floating Skyscrapers** (Poland)

## INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION OF ANIMATED FILMS FOR CHILDREN

**Emilio de la Rosa** (director) for the film **Origami** (Spain)  
**Makoto Nakamura** (director) for the film **Cheburaska Goes to the ZOO** (Japan)  
**Lam Ho Tak** (director) for the film **The Untold & Unseen** (Hong Kong)  
**Deborah Cywiner** (director, animator) for the film **Eugenia** (Israel)  
**Divyansh Ganjoo** (director), **Keyur Dekate** (director of photography) for the film **Wish** (India)  
**Alan Shamsudin** (director) for the film **The Lighthouse** (Czech republic)  
**Marina Karpova** (director) for the film **Kolobok** (Russia)  
**Ema Zimonja** (director) for the film **Berta** (Serbia)  
**Emma McCann** (director) for the film **Settling** (France)  
**Jörg Halsema** (animator) for the film **Fred a Anabel** (Germany)  
**Sami Guellai** (director) for the film **Tulkou** (France)  
**Henrike Rothe** (director), **Lisa Neubauer** (animator) for the film **Tibiaq** (Germany)  
**Valoo Toomla** (director) for the film **Lemonade Tale** (Estonia)



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## SUPPORTING PROGRAMME

**ZLÍN CHATEAU – NEW!** Children Kingdom – screenings, fun activities, education, interactive activates inside and outside of the Chateau, trampoline

**OPEN AIR STAGE – even more activates:** film screenings, concerts, DJs, creation of 3D objects, sickling, graffiti, trampoline

### ITINEARY of the 17<sup>th</sup> edition of the project MINISALON – FILM FLAPS 2014

Mladá Boleslav, ŠKODA Museum, exhibition 12/3–4/4 2014

Prague, Hybernia theatre, exhibition 8/4–30/4 2014

Zlín, Golden Apple shopping center, exhibition, 5/5–25/5 2014

Zlín, Congress center Zlín, exhibition, 28/5–2/6 2014

Zlín, Academia centrum – entry hall, auction 3/6 2014 at 13:00 **AUCTIONED AMOUNT:**

**1,331.500Kč**

### JOURNEY OF THE CINEMATRAIN

15/5 Mladá Boleslav

16/5 Jičín

19/5 Vrchlabí

20/5 Trutnov

21/5 Walbrzych (PL)

22/5 Broumov

23/5 Náchod

26/5 Hradec Králové

27/5 Rychnov nad Kněžnou

28/5 Letohrad

29/5 Olomouc

30/5 Přerov

2/6 Otrokovice

3/6 Zlín

### CONCERTS, SHOWS

Ewa Farna, Friday 30/5 The main square (Náměstí Míru)

Xindl X, Saturday 31/5 The main square (Náměstí Míru) (ENAPO day)

Kašpárek v rohlíku, Sunday 1/6 (Radio Junior Day – Czech Radio)

Simona Stašová - Svatopluk Skopal, Sunday 1/6 Zlín Congress Center

Jaroslav Uhlíř, Monday 2/6, Zlín Congress Center

Chinaski, Monday 2/6 (MF DNES day)

Magda Reifová + Michal Suchánek, Tuesday 3/6 in front of Velké Kino

Bára Basiková (concert for the Nadation Kapka naděje), Tuesday 3/ The main square (Náměstí Míru)

Nebe, Thursday 5/6, The main square (Náměstí Míru)

Lenny, Thursday 5/6, The main square (Náměstí Míru)

### BIG INTERACTIVE PROGRAMME AT THE MAIN SQUARE (NÁMĚSTÍ MÍRU)

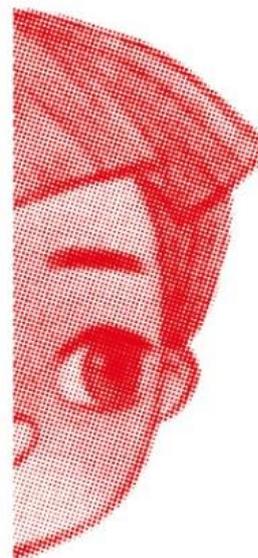
ENAPO day - Saturday 31/5

Radio Junior day (Czech Radio) – Sunday 1/6

MF DNES day – Monday 2/6

Czech TV day - Wednesday 4/6

Tour 4 Change – Black horses – Thursday 5/6



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