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DOCUTAH International Film Festival Announces 2016 Lineup

65 Films Expose Human Experience

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The 2016 Festival includes a series of free intimate filmmaker chats, and special events, which allow the attendees a very special experience, which extends beyond the screenings of the films. The Festival also includes five additional special screenings of films from the award-winning Independent Film Channel's series which is hosted by Helen Mirren, Documentary Now!

The films this year cover such intriguing subjects as :

- A modern country with no military.
- A devotee of a forgotten science called optography. -
- People who live in storm sewers underneath the streets of Las Vegas.
- A tribute to the Breakfast Queen of Chicago.
- An 85-year-old college student.
- Young children training to run with the bulls of Spain.
- Conservation and industry coexisting in Borneo.
- An insanely popular comedy series; each episode 6 seconds long.
- Mango trees saving the lives of young Indian girls.
- A man obsessed with stealing NYC buses and subways then making all the correct stops.
- A Baltimore beatbox rapper teaming up with Mongolian throat singers.
- A politician who was Donald Trump long before Donald Trump was a politician.
- A Canadian Catholic Christmas tree salesman selling his wares in a NYC Jewish neighborhood to Atheists.
- The owner of a crooked auto wrecking company who goes into hiding from the law dressed as a woman and decides he likes it.
- Ghost towns of the American West seen through the eyes of a Frenchman.

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