

Stockholm Film Festival presents this year's finalists of the 1 km Film

The short film scholarship 1 km Film gives Swedish filmmakers a chance to realise their dreams. Eight talented directors are competing for the scholarship this year.

The Stockholm Film Festival scholarship 1 km Film is granted every year to a promising Swedish filmmaker as support to finance a new project and advance in their career. The winner is awarded 100,000 SEK from the Swedish Film Institute, (SFI), film equipment from Dagljus and postproduction aid from Sweet and Chimney Group, with a total value of around 500,000 SEK. The Swedish Union for Performing Arts and Film is another partner.

1 km film was founded by Stockholm Film Festival in 1990 and has since then been an infallible indicator for new talents in Swedish film industry. Amanda Adolfsson, Ella Lemhagen and Jesper Klevena's are some of the previous winners.

The films will be screened on Sunday, November 13, 7 pm at Grand 1, Sveavägen 45.

2016 finalists are:

6A by Peter Modestij
Baby by Lovisa Sirén
Brothers in the Midnight Sun by Lars Persson
Dear Kid by Frida Kempff
First Like by Alexander Rönnberg
Mr. Sugar Daddy by Dawid Ullgren
The Body is a Lonely Place by Ida Lindgren
Watamu by Tim Ekendahl

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