

MODERN LANGUAGES & LINGUISTICS FILM SERIES | SPRING 2023

All films are shown at 4:30 p.m. in E690

This film series is free and open to everyone!



My German Friend

(German/Argentina, Jeanine Meerapfel, 2012)

The story of a German-Jewish girl becoming friends with the son of an SS officer in Argentina. The two stay friends throughout their adolescence and into adulthood. Rated NR (In German/Spanish w/ English subtitles)

Wednesday, January 18 and Monday, January 23



Delicious

(France, Eric Besnard, 2020)

France, 1789, just before the Revolution. With the help of a surprising young woman, a chef who has been sacked by his master finds the strength to free himself from his position as a servant and opens the first restaurant.

Rated PG (In French w/ English subtitles)

Wednesday, February 8 and Monday, February 13



Radiance

(Japan, Naomi Kawase, 2017)

At a firm specializing in creating audio descriptions for films for the visually impaired, a transcriber comes to know a panel member who was a successful photographer who has lost much of his eyesight. The new friendship leads to coming to terms with their lives and professions and seeing the world in new ways.

Rated NR (In Japanese w/ English subtitles)

Wednesday, March 1 and Monday, March 6



Zizou and the Arab Spring

(France/Tunisia, Férid Boughedir, 2016)

The sweet story of Zizou, a naive and sincere optimist whose crush on a beautiful girl leads him to become the unwitting face of a revolution. This delightful movie will win you over with its bewitching story set against the gorgeous backdrop of a colorful Tunisia as it attempts to become the first true democracy in North Africa.

Rated NR (In French/Arab w/ English subtitles)

Wednesday, March 15 and Monday, March 20



On This Side of the World

(Spain, David Trueba, 2020)

An engineer is fired from his company just as he plans to buy a house with his girlfriend and have a child. He accepts an assignment from his former boss to travel to the city of Melilla, a Spanish enclave in north Africa and gateway to Europe.

Rated NR (In Spanish w/ English subtitles)

Wednesday, March 29 and Monday, April 3