DEDICATION

ALIFFF 2021 is dedicated to the memory of **Christopher R. Smith**.

AWARDS

We'll be giving out five awards during the Awards Ceremony on Sunday.

My panel of judges have chosen the winners of three: **Best Horror Short**, **Best Sci-Fi Short** and **Best Other Short**, using what criteria they deem appropriate.

I'm giving out my **Festival Director's Award** to a film I feel is especially worthy.

That leaves **Best Feature**, which is an audience favourite award and so where **YOU** come in. After each feature, we'll hand out a voting slip with numbers at the corners. Please fold over **ONE** corner only to vote and hand back the slip or place it in the black box at the back. The film with the highest average will take home the award! 4 is the best and 1 is the worst.

THANKS

While this is my film festival, it isn't mine alone. I'd like to thank the other wonderful people who helped me to bring it to life, always starting with my long suffering better half, **Dee Astell**, for taking this fantastic journey with me and working through it. She runs front of house.

Thanks to all the filmmakers who submitted this time out, for trusting me with their cinematic babies, in some instances to introduce them to the world.

Thanks to my relentless panel of judges, who this year were **Sarah-Anne & Matthew Stubbs**, **Christopher Bradley** and **Noah Richman**.

Thanks to my artists: **Jason Drotman** of Steamheart Design (steamheart.com), who designs my graphics, and **Tom Deadstuff** of Den of Odd (tomdeadstuff.com), who once again designed and created the utterly unique awards.

Thanks to **Jeremiah Wilkerson**, who handles our projection and sound, **Michael Flanders**, for documenting the event on video and MC'ing, and my trusted staff, **Ivy Flanders** and **Kira Snyder**.

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Extra special thanks to the **2 Gay Geeks** (tggeeks.com) for everything they do and all those who interviewed me or covered the event for press.

Thanks to all submitting filmmakers, selected or not. And thanks to you, the audience, for paying good money to see what made it into the show!

APOCALYPSE LATER EMPIRE

The latest book from **Apocalypse Later Press** is *The Awesomely Awful '80s, Part 2* by Hal C. F. Astell.

The **Apocalypse Later Roadshow** will return for event #43 at Wild Wild West Steampunk Convention 10 in Tuscon, AZ in March 2022.

ALIFFF 2022, the sixth annual Apocalypse Later International Fantastic Film Festival, is set for October 8-10, 2022 (Saturday to holiday Monday). Submissions will go live in FilmFreeway by November 2021. Early bird rate until New Year.



Welcome to ALIFFF 2021, the fifth annual Apocalypse Later International Fantastic Film Festival! Phoenix Center for the Arts | October 8-10, 2021

We're proud to be an independent genre film festival, bringing the very best in features and short films to new eyeballs, all selected from submissions and sourced from across the fantastic genres and across the globe.

DAY	SET	START	END	LENGTH
FRI	Sci-Fi Shorts A	11:00am	12:19pm	1h 20m
	In Action	12:40pm	1:59pm	1h 19m
	Horror Shorts A	2:20pm	3:39pm	1h 19m
	The Basement	4:00pm	5:35pm	1h 34m
	Other Shorts A	5:55pm	7:15pm	1h 20m
	A Worrisome Thing	7:35pm	8:44pm	1h 9m
	Genre-Hopping Shorts A	9:05pm	10:37pm	1h 31m
SAT	Genre-Hopping Shorts B	11:00am	12:25am	1h 26m
	Horror Shorts B	12:45pm	2:05pm	1h 20m
	What Doesn't Kill Us	2:25pm	3:58pm	1h 33m
	Sci-Fi Shorts B	4:20pm	5:45pm	1h 25m
	Trans	6:05pm	7:38pm	1h 33m
	Genre-Hopping Shorts C	8:00pm	9:19pm	1h 19m
	Other Shorts B	9:30pm	10:42pm	1h 12m
SUN	The Psychologist	11:00am	12:12pm	1h 12m
	Sci-Fi Shorts C	12:35pm	2:17pm	1h 42m
	Adam's Package	2:40pm	4:02pm	1h 22m
	Other Shorts C	4:25pm	6:06pm	1h 41m
	A Feral World	6:30pm	8:15pm	1h 45m
	Final Set and Awards	8:30pm	9:15pm	45m

Title (Year)	Director(s) (Country)	Length	Première	Title (Year)	Director(s) (Country) Lengtl	Première	;
Friday	SCI-FI SHORTS A		11:00am	Saturday	SCI-FI SHORTS B	4:20pm	1
Displaced (2021)	Carl Thiel (USA)	17:26	Arizona	Splat! (2020)	Romain Revert (France) 1:05	Arizona	ı
The Handout (2020)	Gianni de Blasi (İtaly)			Aftermath (2021)	Joel Kaye (USA) 10:55		
Fearfully Made (2020)	Jamie Foreman (UK)		no	Absence (2020)	Richard Marx (Germany) 13:22		
A New Present (2020)	Marieke Niestadt (Netherlands)	9:34	Arizona*	Blood Light (2020)	Danylo Hauk (Ukraine) 15:55		
Jeff Drives You (2019)	Aidan Brezonick (USA)	16:46	Arizona*	Sol (2020)	Andy Alvarez (Canada) 14:11		
Friday	<u>FEATURE</u>		12:40pm	The Download (2021)		WORLD	
In Action (2019)	Sean Kenealy & Eric Silvera (USA)		-	Ellipsis (2021)	Jorgi Capri (Mexico) 22:11		
Friday	HORROR SHORTS A		2:20pm	Saturday	FEATURE	6:05pm	
The Internet Kills (2020)	Ari Costa & Eren Celeboglu (USA)	8:13	Arizona	Trans (2019)	Naeri Do (South Korea) 93:00		
Sleep Tight (2020)	Michael Seabolt (USA)		Arizona	Saturday <u>9</u>	Saturday <u>GENRE-HOPPING SHORTS C</u>		1
Evenfall (2020)	Dean Butler (Australia)		Arizona	Alvin (2019)	Christy Anna Wu (USA) 14:53	Arizona	ı
Spore (2021)	Adrian Picardi (USA)	9:32	Arizona	The Other One (2021)	Lukas Baier (Germany) 26:23	WORLD	,
Crumbs (2021)	Jessey & Cody Nelson (Canada)	15:33	US	Identity Check (2020)	Patrick Devaney (USA) 17:46	Arizona [:]	*
The Gloom (2020)	Dani Viqueira (Spain)		Arizona	Off Grid (2019)	Carl Timms (UK) 19:55	no	
Fantasmagoria (2019)	Riccardo Grippo (Italy)	9:17	Arizona	Saturday	Saturday OTHER SHORTS B		1
Friday	<u>FEATURE</u>		4:00pm	The Beast of Bourbon (2020)	Bradford Uyeda (USA) 2:58	9:30pm no	
The Basement (2020)	Choi Yang Khun (South Korea)	94:00	-	Smiles (2019)	Javier Chavanel (Spain) 13:25	Arizona	1
		<i>)</i> 1.00		X-Mas on Fire (2020)	Florian Frerichs (Germany) 11:55		
Friday	OTHER SHORTS A		5:55pm	Finally, You (2020)	I. R. Rivera (USA) 17:40	no	
I Just Wanna Go Home (2021)	Daniel Tucker (USA)			Lifelike (2019)	Jay Reid (Canada) 18:21		l
Firefalls (2020)	Ariel Neo (France)		Arizona*	God: The Performance Review			
Tinder Tango (2021)	Cecilia Robles (USA)	6:47	no	Sunday	FEATURE	11:00am	
Iron Head (2020)	Cameron Thurman (USA)			The Psychologist (2021)			
Witchin' (2019)	Christina Diamantara (USA)	20:16			Anton Kurza (Ukraine) 72:00		
Friday	<u>FEATURE</u>		7:35pm	Sunday		12:35pm	1
A Worrisome Thing (2020)	Amelia Yokel & Jacob Egbert (USA)	69:00	WORLD	The Prospector (2020)	Wade Chitwood (USA) 16:46	no	_
Friday <u>G</u>	ENRE-HOPPING SHORTS A		9:05pm	Consume (2020) Sundown Trail (2020)	Bruno Gradaschi (Argentina) 13:38 Luke Guidici (USA) 13:59		ı
Forever Gardens (2019)	David Haddad (USA)	21:50	WORLD	Transfert (2019)	Jonathan Degrelle (France) 13:15	no Arizona	,
Colossus (2021)	James Roe (USA)			Human Trash (2020)	Aitor Almuedo Esteban (Spain) 16:38		
SeaSapien (2019)	Sascha Karner (Australia)	8:12	Arizona	Ballistic (2020)	Zack Harris (USA) 13:12		
Swiped (2021)	Billy Kay (USA)	13:41	Arizona	Echo (2019)	Aitor de Miguel (Spain) 14:15		
Erebus (2020)	Will Ammann (USA)	18:55	Arizona		• •		
Remember Me in Therapy (2020	Jacob Mollot (USA)	11:52	Arizona	Sunday	FEATURE	2:40pm	
Saturday <u>G</u>	ENRE-HOPPING SHORTS B		11:00am	Adam's Package (2019)	Andrew Chiaramonte (USA) 82:00		
Double Helix (2021)	Qiu Sheng (China)	26:22	US	Sunday	OTHER SHORTS C	4:25pm	1
The Alluring Frontier (2018)	Adolpho Navarro (USA)	29:27	no	<i>Uprising!</i> (2020)	Ben Hansford (USA) 14:11	Arizona [:]	*
Monstrus Circus (2019)	Jordan Inconstant (France)	29:59	Arizona	M1das (2019)	Razan Takash (United Arab Emirates) 12:42		
Saturday	HORROR SHORTS B		12:45pm	The Blood Bride (2019)	Hannah McKibbin & Caspar Leopard (UK) 19:03		*
•	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		-	Sylvio (2020)	Léonard Khan (France) 13:59	US*	
A.J.E. (2019)	Benjamin Germany & Jérémy Lafar (France)			The Tell Tale Heart (2020)	McClain Lindquist (USA) 22:04		
Fig (2019)	Rami Cohen (USA) Yurong Xu (China)			Eat the Rainbow (2019)	Brian Benson (USA) 19:31	Arizona ³	*
Good Feng Shui (2020) Koreatown Ghost Story (2021)	Minsun Park & Teddy Tenenbaum (USA)		no no	Sunday	<u>FEATURE</u>	6:30pm	1
Cutter (2021)	Dan Repp & Lindsay Young (USA)		no	A Feral World (2020)	David Liban (USA) 105:00	no	
You Will Never Be Back (2020)	Mónica Mateo (Spain)						_
Saturday	FEATURE		2:25pm	Sunday	FINAL SET AND AWARDS	8:30pm	
-		02:00	-	Lost on Barduino (2019)	Asali Echols (USA) 13:19	Arizona	Ţ
What Doesn't Kill Us (2021)	Z. Schlapkohl, J. Kiesling & E. Cartwright (USA)	93:00	Arizona *		* première status not confirmed		