



LIFF 2019 Programme Revealed!

We've launched the full programme for the 33rd Leeds International Film Festival, 6 – 21 November 2019! Details about all the films and events taking place over 16 days are now available on leedsfilm.com. You can also find details on leedsfilm.com of the LIFF 2019 passes which are the best value way of exploring the programme, whether you want to see 6 or 60 films (see 'LIFF 2019 Passes and Tickets' below).

Our free guide is available at 100s of locations around Leeds and Yorkshire, or we can post one out to you (see 'LIFF 2019 Free Guide' below). Since producing our guide, we've added some extra films to the programme including Martin Scorsese's phenomenal crime epic *The Irishman*!

Full LIFF 2019 Programme Listing

Highlights of the LIFF 2019 programme, including opening films & major new announcement *The Irishman*...

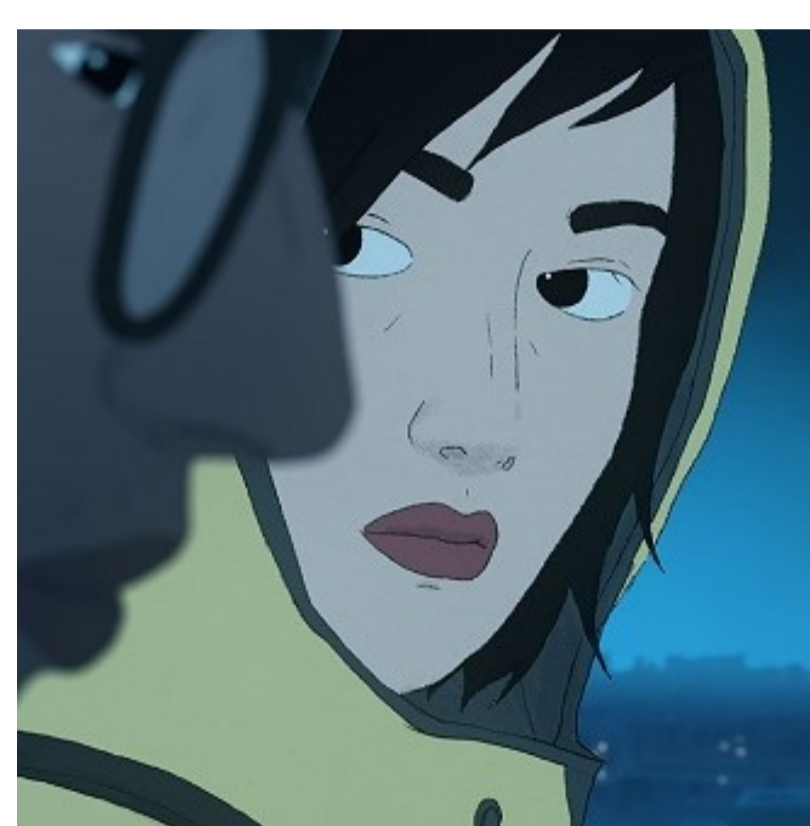
Rocks Opens LIFF 2019

The LIFF 2019 opening film *Rocks* is 'an energetic five-star triumph' (*The Guardian*) and 'a crashing success' (*Screen International*). From Sarah Gavron, director of *Brick Lane* and *Suffragette*, *Rocks* is a vivid portrait of British teen life and a love letter to sisterhood, filmed with a 75% female cast and crew. [Watch a clip from *Rocks*](#)

Weds 6 November, 6.30pm.
Victoria Hall, Leeds Town Hall



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'Spectacular' *I Lost My Body* Opens Fanomenon

Fanomenon is LIFF's home for action, anime, fantasy, horror, sci-fi and much more. This year *Fanomenon* opens with Jérémy Clapin's extraordinary and captivating animated debut about a severed hand that escapes its unhappy fate and sets out to reconnect with its body. 'A spectacular animated achievement' (*Playlist*). [Watch the trailer](#)

Weds 6 November, 9pm.
Victoria Hall, Leeds Town Hall

Major New Addition to LIFF 2019: *The Irishman*

We're thrilled to announce a preview of Martin Scorsese's epic crime saga *The Irishman*, starring Robert De Niro, Al Pacino and Joe Pesci, as part of LIFF 2019. *The Irishman* has already been praised as one of the director's greatest achievements. 'A coldly enthralling, long-form knockout – a majestic Mob epic with ice in its veins.' (*Variety*). [Watch the trailer](#)

Thu 7 November, 6.30pm.
Victoria Hall, Leeds Town Hall



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PJ Harvey documentary *A Dog Called Money* opens Cinema Versa

The recording of singer-songwriter PJ Harvey's acclaimed album *The Hope Six Demolition Project* is documented in the revelatory and insightful *A Dog Called Money*. Award-winning photographer Seamus Murphy reveals the complex creative process behind the album, during which Harvey held an open studio and made journeys to Afghanistan, Kosovo and Washington D.C. to research her songs. [Watch the trailer](#)

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Everyman Leeds

Leeds Short Film Awards 2019

The annual Leeds Short Film Awards are a very popular part of the LIFF experience and this year they feature eight competition programmes celebrating the best of new British and International filmmaking talent. Most of the screenings take place in the luxury Everyman Leeds cinema and this year we've added extra repeat shows due to demand.



[Full listing for Leeds Short Film Awards](#)



[Full film listings for Mother Cutter](#)

Mother Cutter: *Women Who Shaped Film*

The retrospective at LIFF 2019 focuses on the unsung work of female editors, featuring 32 films from across 10 decades including *All About Eve*, *Bonnie & Clyde*, *Häxan*, *Lawrence of Arabia*, *Man of Marble* and *Shoah*. The title of the retrospective is taken from the nickname for Verna Fields who edited *American Graffiti*, *Jaws* and *Medium Cool*, which is also part of the selection.

LIFF 2019 Free Guide

The LIFF 2019 Free Guide is now available, presenting the full Leeds International Film Festival 2019 line-up over 108 pages. You can collect a copy in person from Leeds Town Hall, Hyde Park Picture House and from 100s of venues around Yorkshire. If you're not already on our postal mailing list and would like a guide delivered to your home, email your name and address to leeds.film@leeds.gov.uk



[Book Passes](#)

LIFF 2019 Tickets and Passes

We're offering a selection of different festival pass options to suit all viewers at LIFF 2019! The LIFF Explorer Pass means that for an initial fee of £50, tickets for each screening can be purchased for only £3. Those planning to see 33 films or more can purchase a LIFF Explorer Gold giving full festival access for £150. A LIFF LITE gives access to 6 films for £40, and a LIFF BUZZ gives 10 tickets to those aged under 25 for £10!

