

New Media Scotland announces two events as part of the Edinburgh International Film Festival 2003:

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Crossing Over Time & Moving Movies  
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"One of the highlights of the short film programme this year."  
- The List

Official selection as part the New Europe strand at EIFF 2003

UK premiere - Thursday, 14 August, 1pm  
Filmhouse, 88 Lothian Road, Edinburgh  
Box Office 0131 623 8030  
For further info or to book online visit <http://www.edfilmfest.org.uk>

What happened to the post-Cold War dream of transition to democracy in a new Europe? 23 inspirational short films which display by turns humour, dazzling visual inventiveness and bold attitude.

Diverse storylines include a vertigo-defying journey down the outside of a Zagreb tower block; Call centre workers scripted into a music video drama; Comradeship between Siberian and Appalachian coal miners; and Andres Serrano's infamous "Piss Christ" recreated through performance art.

Directors include Antal Bodozcky (Hungary), Phil Collins (UK), Susan Halpern (USA), Paul Rooney (UK), Herb E. Smith (USA)

Programme selected by Chris Byrne, New Media Scotland. Supported by Scottish Arts Council, Arts Council England.

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Moving Movies  
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EIFF Industry Event

Moving Movies: Film & Wireless Networks  
Friday, 22 August, 10am  
Point Conference Centre, Bread Street, Edinburgh

There has never been a better time for film-makers to unleash the potential of wireless technologies and mobile networks. With new mobile phone technologies, the delivery of one-to-one and one-to-many broadcasts becomes possible. Wi-Fi lets you see a movie in a cafe on your laptop or PDA, and the new camera phones enable you to make and send your own short films.

Will we be watching movies on the go, instead of at home or in the cinema? What are the potentials and constraints of working with these technologies? Who is making films for wireless? How do you tell a story? Who is the audience? What are the business models? These and other questions will be by tackled our panel:

- Fee Plumley, the-phone-book Ltd
- Philippa MacLennan, Orange
- Morgan Petrie, Scottish Screen
- Chris Byrne, New Media Scotland

Who should attend this session? Film-makers, animators, content creators.  
Format: short presentations by each speaker, followed by a panel discussion.

This event organised by New Media Scotland, enabling cultural activity shaped by new technologies.

N.B.: To gain entry to EIFF Industry Events normally you will need to have a delegate or guest pass.

For further information visit  
[http://www.edfilmfest.org.uk/eiff\\_current/pro/industry/](http://www.edfilmfest.org.uk/eiff_current/pro/industry/)

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