

# Interviews & Photocalls BIFFF 2026

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Names in **Bold** indicate the interviews take place before the screening.

Interviews of jury members upon request.

Interviews with members of the International Competition Jury on Wednesday 8th.

## Saturday 4 April 2026

**11H45** : International Short Films Competition crews - Photocall

**15H45** : Photocall

- Taratoa Stappard (director) - MARAMA

- Richard Blin, Laurent Micheli, Clotilde Colson (Emerging Raven Jury)

**16H00** : **Asia Argento (actress), Melvil Poupaud (actor), Graham Guit (director)**  
- **STRONGER THAN THE DEVIL- Interviews (Salon Réception)**

**19H45** : Photocall

- Asia Argento (actress), Melvil Poupaud (actor), Graham Guit (director) - STRONGER THAN THE DEVIL

- Cédric Sire, Martine Cadière, Eva Kuperman (Black Raven Jury)

**22H15** : Photocall

- Ritesh Gupta (director), Atit Shah (producer) - THE RED MASK

- Tuppence Middleton, Thea Hvistendahl, Daphné Huynh, Michael Doherty (International Competition Jury)

## Sunday 05 April 2026

**10H00** : Taratoa Stappard (Director) - MARAMA - Interviews (Best Western)

**13H45** : Photocall

- Takahiro Otsuki (producer) - YOU ARE THE FILM

- Mustii, Nicolas Rumpl, Edaya (White Raven Jury)

**14H00** : **Press panel & Interviews** - Salon Réception

- Aaron Fisher (director), Odeya Rush (actress), Sasha Lane (actress), Benjamin Norris (actor), Tyler Alvarez (actor), Elias Kacavas (actor), Ashton Sanders (actor), Omar Sharif Jr (actor), , Kirby Johnson (actress), Zion Moreno (actress), Ellen Toland (actress), , Uri Singer (producer) - CORPORATE RETREAT

**17H00** : Ritesh Gupta (director) - The Red Mask - [Interviews](#) (Salon Réception)

**21H15** : Aaron Fisher (director), Odeya Rush (actress), Sasha Lane (actress), Benjamin Norris (actor), Tyler Alvarez (actor), Elias Kacavas (actor), Ashton Sanders (actor), Omar Sharif Jr (actor), , Kirby Johnson (actress), Zion Moreno (actress), Ellen Toland (actress), Uri Singer (producer) - CORPORATE RETREAT - [Photocall](#)

### Monday 6 April 2026

**14H00** : Takahiro Otsuki (producer) - YOU ARE THE FILM - [Interviews](#) - Salon Réception

**16H15** : [Photocall](#)

- Romain Daudet-Jahan (director), Jules Lefebvre (actor), Marc Missonnier (producer), Emilie Dubois (screenwriter) - KYMA
- Grégory Zalcmán, Aline Magrez, Valerio Caruso - Meliès Jury

### Tuesday 7 April 2026

**14H00** : Romain Daudet-Jahan (director), Jules Lefebvre (actor), Marc Missonnier (producer), Emilie Dubois (screenwriter) - KYMA - [Interviews](#) - Salon Réception

**16H15** : Can Evrenol (director) - THE TURKISH COFFEE TABLE - [Photocall](#) - **TBC**

**20H45** : Julia Jackman (director) - 100 NIGHTS OF HERO - [Photocall](#)

### Wednesday 8 April 2026

**14H00** : Julia Jackman (director) - 100 NIGHTS OF HERO - [Interviews](#) - Salon Réception

**16H00** : Tuppence Middleton, Thea Hvistendahl, Michael Doherty, Daphné Huynh - INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION JURY - [Interviews](#) - Salon Réception

**18H45** : Rupert Grint (actor) - NIGHTBORN - [Photocall](#) - **TBC**

### Thursday 9 April 2026

**14H00** : Rupert Grint (actor) - NIGHTBORN - [Interviews](#) - Salon Réception - **TBC**

**22H15** : Glenn McQuaid (director) - THE RESTORATION OF GRAYSON MANOR- [Photocall](#)

## Friday 10 April 2026

**14H00** : Glenn McQuaid (director) - THE RESTORATION OF GRAYSON MANOR-  
**Interviews**

**18H00** : **Photocall**

- Sam Voutas (director) - YESTERDAY ISLAND

- Geoffrey Clautriaux, Francis De Laveleye, Jessica Matthys (Critic's Jury)

**20H15**: Bjorn Charpentier (DOP) - WHISTLE - **Photocall**

## Saturday 11 April 2026

**11H20** : Belgian Short Films Competition film crews - **Photocall**

**14H00** : Sam Voutas (director) - YESTERDAY ISLAND - **Interviews** - Salon Réception

**17H15** : Cédric Sire, Martine Cadière, Eva Kuperman (Black Raven Jury) - **Photocall**

**17H15** : Dilnaz Kurmangali (actress) SICKO - **Photocall** - **TBC**

**19H15** : Tuppence Middleton, Michael Doherty, Thea Hvistendahl, Daphné Huynh (International Jury) - **Photocall**

**21H10** : Rhys Frake-Waterfield (director), Richard Brake (actor), Kelly Rian (actress), Jack Art Gray (actor), Dan Allen (editor), Scott Chambers (producer), Stuart Alson (producer), Nicole Holland (producer) - PINOCCHIO UNSTRUNG - **Photocall**

## Sunday 12 April 2026

**14H00** : Rhys Frake-Waterfield (director), Richard Brake (actor), Kelly Rian (actress), Jack Art Gray (actor), Dan Allen (editor), Scott Chambers (producer), Stuart Alson (producer), Nicole Holland (producer) - PINOCCHIO UNSTRUNG - **Interviews** - Salon Réception

**15H45** : Clement Virgo (director) - STEAL AWAY - **Photocall**

**18H15** : Simeon Halligan (director) - PAST LIFE - **Photocall**

## Monday 13 April 2026

**14H00** : Clement Virgo (director) - STEAL AWAY - **Interviews** - Best Western

**14H00** : Simeon Halligan (director), Aneurin Barnard (actor) **TBC**, Pixie Lott (actress) **TBC** - PAST LIFE - **Interviews** - Best Western

## Tuesday 14 April 2026

**20H30** : Adrienne Barbeau (actress), Lilimar (actress), Tyler Savage (director), Noah Lang (producer) - ODDITIES - Photocall

## Wednesday 15 April 2026

**14H00** : Tyler Savage (director), Adrienne Barbeau (actress), Lilimar (actress), Noah Lang (producer) - ODDITIES - Interviews - Salon Réception

**15H00** : Paul Urkijo (director) - GAUA - Interviews - Salon Réception

**20H45** : Paul Ukrijo (director) - GAUA - Photocall

## Thursday 16 April 2026

**13H45** : Sean Cisterna (director) - SILVER SCREAMERS - Photocall

**17H00** : Sean Cisterna (director)- SILVER SCREAMERS - Interviews - Salon Réception

**17H45** : Sung-Moon Jing (director)- SISTER - Photocall

**00H15** : Kenichi Ugana (director), Jérôme Vandewattyne (composer)- INCOMPLETE CHAIRS- Photocall

## Friday 17 April 2026

**14H00** : Interviews - Salon Réception

- Sung-Moon Jing (director) - SISTER
- Kenichi Ugana (director) - INCOMPLETE CHAIRS

**18H15** : Eduardo Casanova (director)- SILENCE - Photocall

## Saturday 18 April 2026

**11H45**: European Short Films Competition film crews - Photocall

**14H00** : Grégory Morin (director) - FLUSH - Interviews - Salon Réception

**18H30** : Photocall jurys

- Jessica Matthys, Francis De Laveleye, Geoffrey Claustrioux - Critic's Jury
- Richard Blin, Laurent Micheli, Clotilde Colson - Emerging Raven Jury
- Grégory Zalcmán, Aline Magrez, Valerio Caruso - Meliès Jury
- Cédric Sire, Martine Cadière, Eva Kuperman - Black Raven Jury
- Mustii, Edaya, Nicolas Rumpl - White Raven Jury

**22H00** : Grégory Morin (director), Jonathan Lambert (actor) - FLUSH - Photocall