



FRANCOPHONE FILM FESTIVAL

2-13 April Park Cinema/ Landmark Cinema / Contemporary Art Center YARAT

A selection of movies to illustrate the diversity of the francophone cinematographical creation.

Full program available at : ifa.az

SPECIAL EVENING

Presentation of Jacques Brel, legendary artist

Landmark Cinema – Monday 8 April 18:30 - In English, entry free-of-charge

Join us for a presentation of the ‘Great Jacques’ organized by the Embassy of Belgium, centered around his incredible music, his monumental talent and his adventurous life on the occasion of his 90th birthday.

CONFERENCE

The French language in the Mexican literature

Thursday 11th of April, 11am, University of Languages, Tabriz building

The Ambassador of Mexico, M. Labardini, will hold a conference on the importance of French language in the Mexican literature through the work of three great writers Carlos Fuentes, Alfonso Reyes, Octavio Paz.

Children workshop: « Romanian Fairytales»

Saturday 6th of April, 10 am, Baku Hogwarts School

A presentation of Romanian tales and legends with themes linked to Azeri legends. The children will also have the opportunity to draw according to what interested them the most.

EXHIBITION

Greek Exhibition from 5 to 6 April

Opening of the exhibition on the 5th of April at 12, in UFAZ

Paintings by the Ambassador of Greece M. Kanellos

My Heart is Moldova

Opening of the exhibition on the 10th of April at 6pm, in Museum of Modern Arts

The *My Heart is Moldova* exhibition by two Moldovan artists, Antonina and Vitalie Grisciuc, encompasses 50 artworks performed in various visual arts techniques: oil on canvas, watercolors, pen and ink, engraving on paper, while main motives of the artists’ paintings being Moldovan villages and Old Chisinau architecture, as well as Moldovan people, both adults and children.

Bruno Bourel exhibition - Hungary

Opening of the exhibition on the 11th of April at 6pm, in Maksud Ibragimbekov CreativityCenter

A selection of picture from the French photograph Bruno Bourel from his book *Lightscares* dedicated to Budapest.

Maïa Baghirova’s Exhibition – France

Opening of the exhibition on the 14th of April at 7pm, Art Council.

Maïa Baghirova is an azeri photographer currently studying in France in the prestigious photography school « Spéos ». She collaborated with the French Magazine *Paris Match*. In this exhibition, she presents us her personal view of Paris.

MUSIC

« Ô bel été ! Chansons éternelles » Concert Switzerland

Saturday 30th of March, 7pm, Mugham Center

Monday the 1st of April, 7pm, State Drama Theater - Soumgaït

Project « Ô bel été ! Chansons éternelles » performed by Swiss singer and guitarist Marc Aymon accompany by the drummer (percussion) by Ephraïm Salzman, showcases Swiss heritage songs in a folk and modern way. It was a great success during the year 2018 in Switzerland but also during the first concerts given abroad.

Performance DJ SHLØMO – France

Saturday 6th of April, 11pm, INClub

French DJ, electronic music performance.

Marouan Benabdellah’s Concert « Arabesque » - Morocco

Friday 12th of April, 7pm, Mugham Center

The Moroccan pianist Marouan Benabdellah has for an ambition give a new popularity to the arab world classical music (and from elsewhere) through his project “Arabesque”.



CALENDAR

30th OF MARCH SATURDAY

7 PM - Concert « Ô bel été ! Chansons éternelles »

Mugham Center

Switzerland

1st OF APRIL MONDAY

7 PM - Concert « Ô bel été ! Chansons éternelles »

State Drama Theater – Soumgaït

Switzerland

2nd OF APRIL TUESDAY

7 PM - Tegnap, directed by Balint Kenyeres

Park Cinema – Flame Towers

Hungary

3th OF APRIL WEDNESDAY

5 PM - Dictée Francophonie

UFAZ

France

**7 PM - MILIKA, directed by Valeriu Jereqi / SALIX CAPREA,
directed by Valeriu Andriuta**

YARAT – Contemporary Art Center

Moldova

4th OF APRIL THURSDAY

7 PM - HEIDI, directed by Alain Gsponer

Park Cinema – Flame Towers

Switzerland

5th OF APRIL FRIDAY

**12 AM - Opening of the exhibition of the Ambassador of Greece
Mr. Kanellos**

UFAZ

Greece

7 PM - HAYAT, directed by Raouf Sebbahi

Landmark oôtel - Cinema

Morocco

6th OF MARCH SATURDAY

10 AM - Workshop: « Romanian Fairytales »

Baku Hogwarts School

Romania

3 PM - AN ESTONIAN IN PARIS, directed by Ilmar Raag

Park Cinema – Flame Towers

Estonia

7 PM - POR LA PLUMAS, directed by Neto Villalobos

Landmark Hotel - Cinema

Costa Rica

11 AM - Performance DJ SHLØMO

IN Club

France

7th OF APRIL SUNDAY

11 AM - International Chess Youth Tournament opening

Landmark Hotel - Rotunda

From 7th to 12th of April / *Chess Club Genclik*

10AM - Francophone Educational Fair / UFAZ



8th OF APRIL MONDAY

6 PM 30 - Presentation of Jacques Brel, legendary artist

Landmark Hotel - Cinema

Belgium

9th OF APRIL TUESDAY

10 AM - VERONICA, directed by Elizabeta Bostan

Baku Hogwarts School

Romania

7 PM - Bridges of Time, directed by K. Briede, O. Stonys

Park Cinema – Flame Towers

Baltic-States

10th OF APRIL WEDNESDAY

7 PM - My Heart is Moldova

Museum of Modern Arts

Moldova

11th OF APRIL THURSDAY

11 AM - The French language in the Mexican literature

University of Languages, Tabriz building

Mexico

6 PM - Bruno Brourel – Photographic Exhibition

Maksud Ibrambekov Creativity Center

Hungary

7 PM 30 - CORPORATE, directed by Nicolas Silhol

YARAT- Contemporary Art Center

France

12th OF APRIL FRIDAY

6 PM - "Quoi? Où? Quand?", quizz about Francophonie.

Landmark Hotel

UFAZ

7 PM - Marouan Benabdellah's Concert « Arabaesque »

Mugham Center

Morocco

13th OF APRIL SATURDAY

10 PM 30 - VERONICA, directed by Elizabeta Bostan

Institut français d'Azerbaïdjan

Romania

3 PM - KAZANTZAKIS, directed by Yanis Samarqdis

Park Cinema – Flame Towers

Greece

14th OF APRIL SUNDAY

7 PM - Maïa Baghirova's Exhibition

Art Council

France

15th OF APRIL MONDAY

6 PM - Gastronomical closing of the Weeks of Francophonie in Azerbaijan

Landmark Hôtel – 20th floor