











看與被看的愉悅



歐嘉麗 Sonia Au

十七世紀法國哲學家帕斯卡 (Blaise Pascal)察覺人類在大自 然中猶如風中蘆葦,渺小而脆弱, 但強大的心靈、洞察力和思考力, 卻讓人類超越死亡,迎風而立:「人 最感興趣的,是人類本身。」 文藝 復興以來,歐洲文化藝術的人文 色彩,張膽鮮明,著重挖掘人性。 相對荷里活電影以製造「處境」為 主旋律、歐洲電影主要探討的、是 人物本身,歐洲電影人所思索的 重心,是人性一角色的內心,甚至 是演員的情感世界。《歐洲女神: 男性凝視與女性慾望》電影節目, 針對歐洲影像展示「人」的興味, 邀請你回看「人」、思考人類本性 與電影創作的特質。

無論是穆爾維 (Laura Mulvey) 在〈視覺快感與敘事電影〉 ("Visual Pleasure and Narrative Cinema")一文中談論荷里活電影的男性凝視、情慾與權力關係,還是約翰伯格 (John Berger) 更早地在《觀看之道》(Ways of Seeing) 英國電視節目和其後整理出版的書中所提出男性觀察生性的目光,以及女性由於被「看」而不斷自我觀察的看法,都不同地強調視覺與影像藝術中「看」與「被看」的趣味與創作重要性。《歐洲女神》借題發揮,聚焦在挖掘歐洲電影中「看」的愉悅。

偉大的藝術家,都會拒絕平庸, 拒絕所謂秩序,會對某些東西說 「不」。經歷社會、文化與歷史不 斷變革的歐洲,叛逆與革新,似 是永恒的雙生咒詛,是種建立新

目光的創造魅力。羅渣華汀毫不 掩飾自己對女性的慾望,毫不浪 費光影與男性角色的荷爾蒙來愛 撫碧姬芭鐸的身體,邀請你品嘗 作為「偷窺者」的激情。《惹火尤 物》(Et Dieu...créa la femme) 中的「超道德」,志在不虛偽,讓 碧姬芭鐸縱情地釋放文化歷史在 女性身體的壓抑。當茱麗葉庇洛 仙在安德列達仙尼的景框內,展 開著被粗暴對待的身體,憤怒地 直視男性的慾望大叫著「來吧, 來吧!」,當艾曼妞琵雅扭動著 身上赤裸裸的每一寸,被積葵利 維特用男性目光繪畫成永恒的光 影,當安娜卡蓮娜在尚盧高達的 觀察下不連貫地笑笑說說,讓你 「偷看」螢幕完美影像後被中斷 的「脆弱」美,如脫衣舞孃般,脫 掉鏡頭前「演繹」的外衣,暴露作 為演員卻不能造作表演的時候, 女性/女演員的身體,不但成為男 性慾望的投射物,更是電影人碰 撞觀眾,提出激情而火辣辣問題 的「工具」。

 代女性的個性,就連走在路上,都 是一場耀眼的風景,都有成就創 作「目光」的膽色,都是女神。

觀看光影「女神」與「烈女」節目, 從歐洲電影文化掀幕,延展至美 國 B 級片文化,期望日後有機會 能深入至亞洲及其他文化角度, 挖掘電影中的「看」、「被看」與 凝視內心真實的影像創造力,從 而思考我們具備國際視野和亞洲 生活文化的香港目光。這個具有 獨特視角的電影節目,由2020 年開始籌備,經歷全球疫情、經 濟、歷史與文化的轉變,幸獲康文 署電影節目辦事處(FPO)一直 支持並主辦本節目。感謝敬愛的 前輩黃海先生與何思穎先生邀請 我一同策劃,以及節目統籌招凱 文先生的包容和幫助;感謝影評 前輩及朋友們出席主講映後談, 豐富是次影像研究。最是感謝的, 是能夠與妳/你,一起看電影。

> 聯合節目策劃 黃海 何思穎 歐嘉麗

Foreword

Looking at Looking: Sexuality, Liberation and Feminism



何思穎 Sam Ho

This program is about looking, being looked at and looking at looking.

It's been 47 years since Laura Mulvey changed the way we look, publishing in 1975 her seminal essay "Visual Pleasure and Narrative Cinema". Written at the height of second-wave feminism, Mulvey's work introduced the notion of "male gaze", arguing that women are viewed in mainstream cinema through the eyes of men, which reduce them to passive objects of desire.

Second-wave feminism and Mulvey's thesis were responses — at least in part — to the sexual revolution that had been simmering quietly in the western world after World War II and blossomed in earnest in the freeloving 1960s. Ironically, the spirit of non-conformity that gave rise to sexual liberation at once intensified gender inequality but also called attention to it, as indulgence in the newfound freedom resulted in men exercising and exploiting their dominance over women, who. taking advantage of that same freedom, pushed back. Mulvey's identification of the male gaze's power to objectify, that the simple act of looking is a loaded weapon

perpetuating gender prejudice, was one of the most profound discoveries of our time.

Although Mulvey's thesis was based primarily on Hollywood films, it can be applied to European cinema just the same. While the European film industry had historically been less burdened with the puritanical attitude towards sex the way America was, it was still very much dominated by men. Hedy Lamarr (appearing in her maiden surname Kiesler) did not streak and orgasm herself into history in Ecstasy (1933) without following instructions from the male director Gustav Machaty. Brigitte Bardot might have helped usher in the sexual revolution by sashaving her way into human consciousness with her breakthrough performance in Et Dieu... créa la femme (1956), but she did not accomplish that without being guided by the loving gaze of then husband Roger Vadim.

Did Bardot enjoy being looked at? She went on to become an iconic embodiment of sexual freedom and even hedonistic indulgence. But are being objectified to generate voyeuristic pleasure for men and constructed to

reinforce the patriarchy part of her legacy? Since Lamarr and Bardot, European cinema had never stopped exploring the possibilities of adult themes and using sexuality to examine larger issues. Sexual depiction went from softcore titillation to graphic shock while also oscillating between pandering to primal or exploitative urges and the questioning or challenging of norms sexual, social and political.

Such is the greatness of intellectual pursuits that Mulvey's provocative insights triggered debates and criticisms. One of the most significant reproaches was that the views in her initial essay were based only on white sensibilities. Black American activists, especially those involved in feminism's third wave, spoke up against views defined and dominated by white thinkers and writers, which perpetuated racial prejudice while pursuing gender equality. Author bell hooks, for example, proposed employing an "oppositional gaze" to augment the black person's right to look.

What about the Asian gaze? Or, more specifically, the Hong Kong gaze? What happens when an Asian male looks at the objectified

image of a white woman? Or when an Asian woman looks at the objectified image of a white woman? What kind of oppositional gaze should be assumed by Asians - women, men, transgender and otherwise? And what about the white woman's gaze - on Asians female, male, transgender and otherwise? What kind of gaze results when gender prejudice is loaded with racism? Can white feminists harbor racist sentiments when they look at Asian patriarchal practices? If so, should Asian men assume an oppositional gaze against white racist feminists while coming to terms with our own patriarchal prejudices?

European cinema and western thoughts in general had greatly inspired the people of Hong Kong and the Asian people. But that inspiration had been complicated by one of modern time's disquieting atrocities, that of the west looking at Asia and Asians through jaundiced gaze. This in turn led to an even more appalling atrocity, when Asians started looking at our own land, our own culture and our own people through western gaze, eager to objectify ourselves while striving to become faithful replicas of westerners.

Here in Hong Kong, watching European sex goddesses had been - and still is - an extremely complicated endeavor. Alternative cinema, with its tradition of challenging established morality, had always attracted voyeurs, especially heterosexual men. This is especially true of European films, which, in addition to the casual display of nudity, often couple those challenges with continental sensuousness. Our patriarchal gaze is therefore often loaded with white-envy, peeking not only at the exposed skin but also at the values and culture deeper than skin. And when that gaze is guided by whitemale sensibilities, the plot thickens even more.

It's an experience of the good, the bad and the beautiful, the latter referring not only to the beauty of the human form but also the beauty of art.

The history of art is punctuated with wonderful works informed unfortunately by morally apprehensive sentiments. The silent film *Birth of a Nation* and the opera *Turandot* for example. D. W. Griffith's 1915 movie and Puccini's

final work are both masterpieces. They are also racist. It is humanity's fortune that we can now look back at them, embrace them for their artistic triumphs, criticize them for their moral failures, ponder and discuss the context with which they were produced, and forge ahead with the lessons learned from them.

European belles exercising their sexuality on film were acts of liberation, part of the sexual revolution that was itself an integral part of the evolution of human civilization. But their liberty was, at least initially, partly animated by the men behind the cameras, projecting prejudices shared by spectators through time and space. Yet, with progress in gender politics, the male gaze had taken on complexity. Asians watching European women through the gaze of European men add an extra dimension to the complexity.

Brigitte Bardot in Et Dieu... créa la femme (1956), Anna Karina in Une femme est une femme (1961), Sophia Loren in Matrimonio all'italiana (1964), Françoise Dorléac in La peau douce (1964), Catherine Deneuve in Repulsion (1965), Laura Antonelli in L'innocente (1976), Juliette Binoche in Rendez-vous (1985), Emmanuelle Béart in La belle noiseuse (1991), Isabelle Adjani in La Reine Margot (1994), Monica Bellucci in Malèna (2000). Directed by Roger Vadim, Jean-Luc Godard, Vittorio De Sica, François Truffaut, Roman Polanski, Luchino Visconti, André Téchiné, Jacques Rivette, Patrice Chéreau, Giuseppe Tornatore.

This program on European actresses started as a presentation from a distribution perspective, an important but often neglected angle, especially when it comes to alternative or semi-commercial cinema. Longtime distributor Wong Hoi, based on his rich experience in the field, came up with the topic. Sonia Au and myself were then invited to co-curate. We discovered during the selection of films that European cinema was too wide a scope to cover in just a few films and decided to limit our sight on French and Italian actresses. Other European cinemas that had featured wonderful actresses while offering insights into the complexity of sexuality – those of Germany and Sweden, for example – will have to be examined in a separate forum.

Films in this program were chosen for their confluence of art, politics and morality. It is our hope that this endeavor can elicit thoughts, discussions and debates.

> Co-curators Wong Hoi Sam Ho Sonia Au

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講者 何思穎、歐嘉麗 粵語主講

Post-screening Talk in Cantonese by Sam Ho and Sonia Au





惹火尤物

三男一女的情感糾葛,最「惹火」的不是弟婦與兄長 出軌與情欲戰爭的戲碼,惹來法國全民爭論和觀看 的,是羅渣華汀用劇情和鏡頭來「剝掉」碧姬芭鐸的 衣服,放縱你的目光在銀幕上欣賞自家演員老婆的 身體與女性情慾。華汀的第一部長片,比法國新浪潮 主流更早地突出個人情感與風格,全年輕人的創作 班底,先鋒性地推法國年輕演員入國際視野。五十 年代的尤物,美國有短金髮的夢露,BB (Brigitte Bardot) 卻一頭迎風亂吹的長金髮,打破 Chanel 貼 服的短髮潮流,撕裂女性密密實實去談情說愛的虚 構姿態,少女臉孔下充滿慾望的青春身體那種超道 德的爆炸力,革命性地突破法國電影史上女性只被 視作性幻想物來觀看的被動性,叫人重新審視愛情、 家庭、性與生活,奠定了 BB 性感小野貓與現代女神 的地位。華汀教你看的 BB,自由奔放不虚偽:「我不 改變女人,但令她們有所不同。」飾演弟婦的 BB 在 出軌後的曼波舞中野性、瘋狂又迷人、被惱羞成怒的 丈夫連抽四記辣耳光的顫動小嘴,都是吸人眼球的 真性情。

導演 Director 羅渣華汀

Roger Vadim

編劇 Screenwriters

Roger Vadim Raoul Lévy

攝影 Cinematographer

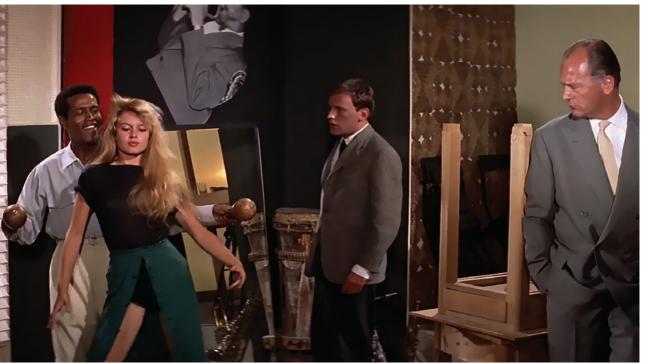
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演員 Cast

Brigitte Bardot Curd Jürgens Jean-Louis Trintignant

1956 | 法國 France | 彩色 Colour 92min | DCP

法語對白,英文字幕 In French with English subtitles



...And God Created Woman Et Dieu... créa la femme This is a revolutionary film on many fronts. With a title suggesting divine inspiration or anthropological practice, it changed forever the way sexuality was portrayed in French cinema, later beguiling also American film and, through it, world cinema. It also changed forever film markets worldwide, including both art and commercial films. And it changed the way women appear in film, how the world looks at them and how they want to be looked at. Brigitte Bardot, directed by husband Roger Vadim, radiates a sublime energy of eroticism, liberation, confidence, self-realization and collective catharsis. She became known as the sex kitten, a laudatory label that went on to also represent what's wrong with the male gaze. Her exuberant dance in a jazz club, now part of history, is at once primal, natural, pure, simple and sophisticated... And men ogled woman.

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Post-screening Talk in Cantonese by Sonia Au

女人就是女人

高達第一部彩色闊銀幕電影,開場就大字報地「廣 播」導演的創作意圖:色彩、聲音、音樂、法國喜劇、 歌劇與情感的故事。二十多歲女子,想生孩子大過 天,男友不合作而吵架後,決定與男友最好的朋友 來個身體接觸,滿足「造人」的慾望。《女人就是女 人》是卡蓮娜和高達繼《小兵》(Le Petit Soldat, 1963) 後合作的第二部電影。戲裏戲外,高達對已成 為妻子的卡蓮娜瞭如指掌。要你看的,是紅藍黃辣 眼伊士曼色彩的喋喋不休,是唱唱講講在巴黎街頭 走來走去的安娜卡蓮娜。卡蓮娜笑,卡蓮娜憂愁。 被《紐約時報》稱為銀幕大美人之一,卡蓮娜是高 達甚至新浪潮電影的繆斯;是高達世界裏,敍事同 時解構看人和看電影習慣的主體。拒絕在《斷了氣》

(Breathless, 1960) 中脫衣演出,卡蓮娜卻在《女 人就是女人》中演個以脫衣表演為生的「舞孃」。演 員,不就是個穿上「衣服」的舞者?高達凝視卡蓮娜 脫掉「演」的外衣,打斷敍事與演出的節奏,記錄演 員演不下去的直接反應,叫你看卡蓮娜的自然、可 愛與神經質。卡蓮娜憑本片獲柏林影展最佳女演員 銀熊獎,成為繼碧姬芭鐸後,揚名國際的法國電影 女神。

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導演 / 編劇 Director/Screenwriter 尚盧高達 Jean-Luc Godard

攝影 Cinematographer Raoul Coutard

演員 Cast Anna Karina Jean-Claude Brialy Jean-Paul Belmondo

1961 | 法國 France | 彩色 Color 84 min I DCP

法語對白,中英文字幕 In French with Chinese and English subtitles A Woman Is a Woman Une femme est une femme

1961

柏林影展最佳女演員銀熊獎、評審團特別獎 Silver Bear for Best Actress and Silver Bear Extraordinary Jury Prize, Berlin International Film Festival

Five years after ...And God Created Woman came A Woman Is a Woman. Anna Karina, directed by her future husband, plays a stripper, a text-book case of an object of male gaze. But the joint where she strips is presented by French New Wave genius Jean-Luc Godard with a certain utopic vision, where women who make a living displaying their bodies are not treated with contempt, where the male gaze is cast more as a healthy exercise of vive la difference acknowledging gender attraction than as exploitative power. The director calls the film a neorealist musical, orchestrating everything with popart schemes like cartoons and splashes of primary colors, self-reflexively challenging the fourth wall with the kind of 1960s rebellious spirit that eventually gave rise to Laura Mulvey's discovery of the male gaze. And Karina looks back at the gaze, literally and figuratively, with sensuousness, intelligence and humor, realizing this playful but also sophisticated masterpiece with her real-life lover, hand-in-hand and eye-to-eye. A Third-Wave feminist film made even before the Second Wave emerged?

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Post-screening Talk in Cantonese by Joyce Yang

結婚進行曲

泥土味的性感、亮麗的感性、剛烈的傲骨,肖像性的蘇菲亞羅蘭,既具意大利天主教文化「聖母」式高貴情操,亦帶地中海文化的濃郁地氣,可謂南歐女性情慾極致。她與馬斯杜安尼,均屬歷來最負盛名的意大利演員,兩人一共合作了十次,每一部電影都顯奇妙的化學作用,不但為時人津津樂道,繼而更名留影史。《結婚進行曲》導演第昔加,縱橫意大利及國際影壇數十載,從偶像明星到新寫實主義大師到愛情輕喜劇作者,遊走於世故與樸實之間,以洗鍊的藝術修養,為時代寫照。此三人同行,各顯風騷,締造出多姿多彩的「性別大戰」,更在意大利的昨天、今天、明天中,展現了戰後西方文明在多元價值衝擊下所產生的矛盾與和諧。

導演 Director 第昔加

Vittorio De Sica

編劇 Screenwriters

Renato Castellani Tonino Guerra Leonardo Benvenuti Piero De Bernardi

攝影 Cinematographer

Roberto Gerardi

演員 Cast

Sophia Loren Marcello Mastroianni

1964 | 意大利 Italy | 彩色 Color 104 min | DCP

意大利語對白,中英文字幕 In Italian with Chinese and English subtitles



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Marriage Italian Style Matrimonio all'italiana

1965

金球獎最佳外語片

Best Foreign Film - Foreign Language, Golden Globe Awards

意大利大衛獎最佳製作、最佳導演、 最佳男演員、最佳女演員

Best Production, Best Director, Best Actor and Best Actress, David di Donatello Awards

意大利銀絲帶獎最佳女配角

Best Supporting Actress, Silver Ribbon Awards

莫斯科國際電影節最佳女演員

Best Actress, Moscow International Film Festival Sophia Loren, perhaps the most famous of Italian actresses in the world, is also one of the most iconic of European belles. Her earthy beauty, glowing sensuality and signature spitfire personality are an embodiment of Italian feminine allure, a Madonna figure and an object of desire who stares back at men. Loren and her Marriage Italian Style co-star Marcello Mastroianni had starred together in ten films, developing a fabled chemistry that had become lasting cinematic lore and a testimony to the many splendors of gender liaison and value reshuffling of their time. Here, she plays a prostitute with a heart of gold and he, a merchant with a heart that's cold. Their relationship spans decades, a battle of the sexes with her fighting for love as well as dignity and him flourishing true affection tainted with machismo, the dark side of love Italian style. Directed by Vittorio De Sica, the film is informed by the pathos of post-war neo-realism but animated by the sophistication of mid-1960s Europe and colored by the charm of Italian expressiveness.

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Post-screening Talk in Cantonese by Stanley Kwan and Sonia Au



柔膚

「對於愛,女人有職業水準,男人只是業餘的。」最 愛女人的導演,杜魯福當之無愧。與鏡頭同步看女 人、聽女人, 杜魯福的眼神總黏着女演員跳貼身探 戈。珍摩露、嘉芙蓮丹露、伊莎貝雅珍妮、芬妮亞當, 「福女神」星光閃閃。要不是法蘭歌多麗(房素娃多 麗雅)在25歲那年車禍早殞,說不定也會光環爍爍。 處理完《祖與占》(Jules et Jim, 1962)的三角浪漫 與哀愁,杜魯福隨後拍攝的《柔膚》,也是個痛不欲 生的三角關係。一段大叔迷戀青春肉體的情感,故 事由杜魯福的戀腿癖開始:著名作家兼雜誌編輯從 窺看空姐穿高跟鞋的腳那一刻,就戀上這白滑腳掌 的美女。擅長男性細膩眼神的杜魯福,乾脆把男女 主角困在電梯裏,讓他把她看過地老天荒。法蘭歌 多麗柔美綫條的臉孔、大露背地舞動的身軀,還有 那被緩緩退下吊帶絲襪、被情癡撫愛的大腿,都散 發着秀色的香。杜魯福讓觀眾看的,是男人坦蕩蕩 的感性與慾望,然而,從來不脫光,從來不骯髒。杜 魯福的電影,是一種女人的藝術。就是妻子發現奸 情,踏着希治閣的節奏去射殺奸夫的複雜與豐富眼 神,你無法不佩服杜魯福看女性的洞察力。

導演 Director 杜魯福

François Truffaut

編劇 Screenwriters François Truffaut Jean-Louis Richard

攝影 Cinematographer Raoul Coutard

演員 Cast

Françoise Dorléac Jean Desailly Nelly Benedetti Daniel Ceccaldi

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The Soft Skin La peau douce

1965

丹麥影評人協會獎最佳歐洲電影 Best European Film, Denmark Bodil Awards

The Soft Skin adds the senses of touch, smell and more to the gaze, the word douce in the French title carrying more meanings than one. Françoise Dorléac, with her expressive eyes, reserved sexuality and lyrical sensuality, is a genteel embodiment of the sexy French belle, the flip side of the kittenish Bardot. Here, she plays a flight attendant – in essence a maid with glamorous looks – who's having an affair with a professor, a writer with rock-star stature. New Wave maverick François Truffaut, self-styled The Man who Loved Women (L'Homme qui aimait les femmes, 1977) and perhaps the last master of European sensuous cinema, tempers his loving gaze of Dorléac with a tribute to Hitchcock, situating her inside the frosty narrative of a thriller. Channeling a British master of classical Hollywood to address the discontent of continental Europe, the film ends up with the gaze of the bookish man fancied by Dorléac's belle confronted by the ice-cold barrel of a shotgun.

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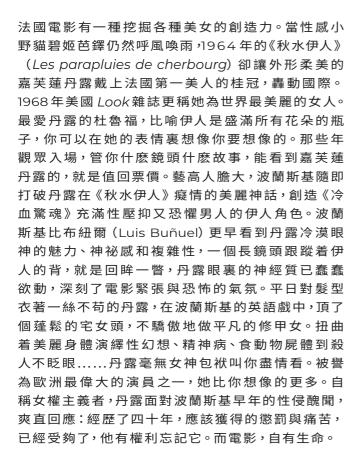
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講者 舒琪 粵語主講

Post-screening Talk in Cantonese by Shu Kei

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導演 Director 波蘭斯基

Roman Polanski

編劇 Screenwriters Roman Polanski Gérard Brach

攝影 Cinematographer Gilbert Taylor

演員 Cast

Catherine Deneuve Ian Hendry John Fraser Yvonne Furneaux

1965 | 英國 UK | 黑白 B&W 105 min | DCP

英語對白,英文字幕 In English with English subtitles

1965

柏林影展評審團特別獎、 國際影評人聯盟獎

Silver Bear Extraordinary Jury Prize and FIPRESCI Prize, Berlin International Film Festival





Repulsion

It is now impossible to screen Repulsion without pondering the accusations of rape and exploitation made against director Roman Polanski. That the man behind a film portraying female sexual psychology with such intimacy and terrifying power could commit such atrocities is at once horrific and illuminating, that humans can be driven by complex and sometimes contradicting impulses. Catherine Deneuve, sexual revolution's ice goddess, plays a lonely woman consumed by sexual repression and fear of men. Her child-like vulnerability wrapped inside a gorgeous body, she's an enticing embodiment of a fetishism at once perverse, cruel and pathologic. Her many struggles are set against the gorgeous indulgence of swinging London, providing at once powerful narrative contrast and also profound commentary on the hidden perils of 1960s sexual liberation. This is a story of a woman looking at herself. That her looking is animated by a male director looking at her behind the camera is a foretelling of feminism's recognition of the male gaze a decade later.

FA 25/12

日 Sun 11:30 am

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六 Sat 2 pm

設映後談

講者 趙嘉薇 粵語主講

Post-screening Talk in Cantonese by Edith Chiu

清白者 ▲

懶洋洋、意綿綿的「睡眼」,一度令真安卡奴真安里尼被譽為「拉丁魅力男」典範。其悠慵的凝視,在《清白者》中,卻經常透着淚光,「放電」之餘,流露出心靈折磨的痛楚。他的雙眼,可謂電影主要角色羅地內。階級、個人間的複雜與矛盾盡收其眼簾。羅劇安妲妮梨,敢於裸露,曾主演多部情慾片或性專場內理想目標。這裏,在導演維斯康堤,為男性凝視的理想目標。這裏,在導演維斯康堤,基為背景,卻成為被丈夫忽視的對象。看與與角色的配搭及互動中彰顯之間的張力,在演員與角色的配搭及互動中彰顯之間的張力,在演員與角色的配搭及互動中彰顯之間的張力,在演員與角色的配搭及互動中彰顯之間的張力,在演員與角色的配搭及互動中彰顯之間的張力,在演員與角色的配搭及互動中彰顯之間的張力,在演員與角色的配搭及互動中彰顯之間的張力,在演員與角色的配搭及互動中彰顯之間的張力,在演員與角色的配搭及互動中彰顯之間的張力,在演員與角色的。其次是有一方。

導演 Director 維斯康堤 Luchino Visconti

Lacinito Viscoriti

編劇 Screenwriters Suso Cecchi D'Amico

Enrico Medioli
Luchino Visconti

攝影 Cinematographer

Pasqualino De Santis

演員 Cast

Laura Antonelli Giancarlo Giannini Jennifer O'Neill

1976 | 意大利、法國 Italy, France | 彩色 Color 129 min | 35mm

意大利語對白,中英文字幕

In Italian with Chinese and English subtitles





1976 意大利大衛獎最佳音樂 Best Music, David di Donatello Awards

The Innocent 🛕

In The Innocent, Giancarlo Giannini's signature sleepy eyes are often seeping with tears, their fabled seductiveness consumed by torment. His eyes are in fact major characters, their gaze representing a muddled myriad of views, from aristocratic arrogance to loving tenderness to macho delusion to intellectual sophistication to narcissistic lament to unresolved guilt. Laura Antonelli, famous for her ready nudity in erotic flicks, plays his wife, by turns an object of neglect and one of desire. Set in the domain of the European privilege, this is a cautionary tale that celebrates indulgence in elegance, luxury and decadence that also negates the indulgence with punishment. Director Luchino Visconti, of blueblood upbringing and openly bisexual, presents this complex of intriguing juxtapositions with stately notes, operatic passion and fetishistic opulence, animating it in the subtlety of moral struggles.

☐ Tue(PH)

11:30 am

設映後談

講者 登徒 粵語主講

Post-screening Talk in Cantonese by Thomas Shin



情陷夜巴黎 ▲

列入法國當代最重要導演群的達仙尼與阿薩亞斯揮 筆合寫的《情陷夜巴黎》,燦爛與幽暗同在。18 歲女 孩遠離家鄉,到花都尋找劇場演員的夢,但卻無處 為家。等待她的,是一眾虎視她肉體的男人,一室慾 望。故事以找房子開展,「房子」寓意深刻幽遠。異 地留宿的空間,演員走動的舞臺,導演糾纏的文本, 觀眾短暫歡愉的好戲,無論羅密歐還是茱麗葉,哪 一個不是任人「進出」、任人施暴的「身體」?哪一 個不是邀請你密會的「房子」?達仙尼決不止於讓你 看茱麗葉庇洛仙,初出茅廬便有大將之風,讓她的 身體被暴力對待,她的私密叢林任你飽覽,他的野 心,是透過晦澀隱秘的事物呈現內心的真實,讓可 見的事物展示不可見的,尤其是對德國表現主義大 師茂瑙(F.W. Murnau) 幽魅影象的愛意。「愛, 並不 在你他媽的舞台上,而是在生活裏。」一意亂情迷的 18 歲姑娘被罵呆了,我們是看傻了一 21 歲的庇洛 仙嫩得青澀可口,稍嫌過度用力的演出,卻閃耀個 性,無怪乎阿薩亞斯說「她的確與眾不同,是這一代 的巨星。」

導演 Director 安德烈達仙尼 André Téchiné

編劇 Screenwriters André Téchiné Olivier Assayas

攝影 Cinematographer Renato Berta

演員 Cast

Juliette Binoche Lambert Wilson Wadeck Stanczak Jean-Louis Trintignant

1985 | 法國 France | 彩色 Color 84 min | DCP

法語對白,英文字幕 In French with English subtitles



1985

康城影展最佳導演 Best Director, Cannes Film Festival

1986

法國凱撒獎最佳新人男演員 Most Promising Actor, César Awards

Rendez-vous 🗥



Juliette Binoche, one of the most accomplished French actors of her generation, is renowned for instilling intelligence into characters. Here, in a breakthrough performance, she is Nina, an aspiring actress squeezed between the yearnings of two men. One is timid and withdrawn, the other, an aggressive but tortured soul who gave up a promising acting career to work in live pornography, choosing to become a sexualized object. In turn, Nina, determined and defiant, takes agency of sexuality to affirm her own realization. Director André Téchiné, the post-New Wave maven of intellectual melodramas, orchestrates the story as a confluence of love, sexual desire and artistic passion, complete with a vellicating tribute to the Bard classic Romeo and Juliet.

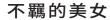
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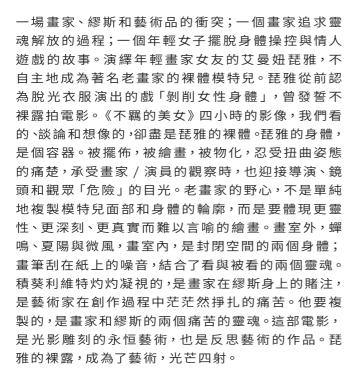
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講者 陳育強、歐嘉麗 粵語主講

Post-screening Talk in Cantonese by Kurt Chan and Sonia Au









導演 Director 積葵利維特

Jacques Rivette

編劇 Screenwriters

Pascal Bonitzer Christine Laurent Jacques Rivette

攝影 Cinematographer William Lubtchansky

演員 Cast

Emmanuelle Béart Michel Piccoli Jane Birkin

1991 | 法國、瑞士 France, Switzerland 彩色 Color | 239 min | DCP

法語對白,英文字幕 In French with English subtitles

The Beautiful Troublemaker La belle noiseuse

1991 康城影展評審團大獎 Grand Prix, Cannes Film Festival Emmanuelle Béart is nude in much of *The Beautiful Troublemaker*. We look at her. The camera, and the director as well as the crew behind it, look at her. In the film, the artist she's modelling for looks at her, as an object, but not a sexual one. Instead, she's an object in his creative endeavor. What's great about *The Beautiful Troublemaker* is that she's also a partner in his creative process. Or is she?



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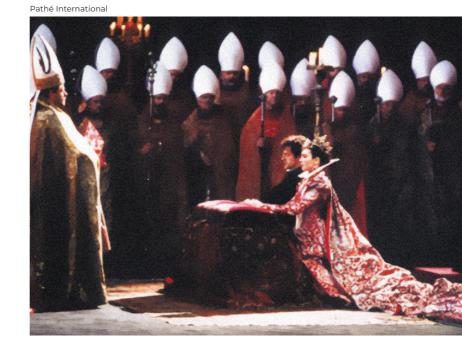
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Post-screening Talk in Cantonese by Roy Szeto and Sonia Au

IS 15/1 **B** Sun





瑪歌皇后▲

瑪歌公主的盛大婚禮,是一場預設的殺戮。瑪歌的 幸福,是誘餌。把基督教人物趕盡殺絕的,是容不 下一丁點異教味兒的皇族。令骨肉相殘,設局操控 的,盡是皇后娘娘的把戲。女人,從來抹不掉「禍水」 這烙印。女性慾望與身體,只是歷史的微塵,是權 力的載體。《瑪歌皇后》來自大仲馬(Alexandre Dumas) 書寫的法國歷史小説,經劇場大師柏提 斯雪浩改編拍攝而成。由真實人設到文字與光影, 雪浩的戲味醇厚芬芳,服裝、場景、影像、演員調 度……無一不華美豐富。就是伊莎貝雅珍妮的臉與 天空色的眼睛,已是華麗的藝術館。她身旁好戲的, 都是優秀的綠葉。雅珍妮與在雪浩的藝術基本功, 都來自劇場。他們從舞台吵架到電影銀幕,相愛相 殺, 互相成就。真實年齡幾乎比瑪歌角色成熟一倍 的雅珍妮,演來不費吹灰之力,美麗浪漫卻又暴烈 殘忍。雅珍妮的美,你永遠看不透。唯一令法國新 浪潮領軍人物杜魯福(François Truffaut)在銀 幕前哭泣,並想盡辦法「偷取」她身體與臉孔萬千變 化的珍寳的女演員,也只有雅珍妮。

導演 Director

柏提斯雪浩 Patrice Chéreau

原著 Novel

La Reine Margot by Alexandre Dumas

編劇 Screenwriters

Danièle Thompson Patrice Chéreau

攝影 Cinematographer

Philippe Rousselot

演員 Cast

Isabelle Adjani Daniel Auteuil Jean-Hugues Anglade Vincent Perez Virna Lisi

1994 | 法國、德國、意大利 France, Germany, Italy | 彩色 Color 158 min | DCP

法語對白,中英文字幕

In French with Chinese and English subtitles



Queen Margot 🛕 La Reine Margot

Isabelle Adjani, like most noted French actresses of the post-New Wave era, has a persona marked by intelligence, fierce independence and unapologetic sexuality. Unique about her is a trace of sadness, often heavy, sometimes neurotic, at once delicate, sensuous and powerful. Queen Margot, based on the historybased Alexander Dumas novel of the same title, is set against the 16th-century French Religious War between Catholics and Protestants. Sex serves many purposes in the palatial intrigues of powerplays and murderous schemes that ensue, and Adjani's Margot takes active agency in it with delicate defiance, her beauty and her strength staring back at the powerbrokers. And the film's arch villain happens to be the matriarch of the courts, an empress dowager of a figure in all her frigidity and misguided ambitions.

1994

康城影展評審團獎及最佳女演員 Best Actress and Jury Prize, Cannes Film Festival

1995

法國凱撒獎最佳女演員、最佳男配角、 最佳女配角、最佳攝影、最佳服裝設計 Best Actress, Best Supporting Actor, Best Supporting Actress, Best Cinematography, Best Costume Design, César Awards

FA 26/12

— Mon(PH) 3 pm

設映後座談會

講者 何思穎、歐嘉麗 粵語主講

Post-screening Seminar in Cantonese by Sam Ho and Sonia Au

FA 14/1

六 Sat 1:30 pm

設映後談

講者 何思穎 粵語主講

Post-screening Talk in Cantonese by Sam Ho

西西里的美麗傳說 ▲

這是一部關於凝視的電影:男人的、小孩的、一整 個西西里小鎮的凝視。在這不太美麗的傳說中,凝 視的能量逐漸擴散,輾轉釀成傷害無辜的不義、也 同時帶領小男孩走過性慾及成長的探索之旅。凝視 的對象,也是凝視的受害者,一個嬝娜迷人、自然地 綻放撩人性感的女子。她,初來乍到,安份守己。然 而,因為具有美麗的軀體、及愈發增加魅力的孤芳 自賞,好管間事、想像力豐富的小鎮男女,積極地把 愛與慾、恨與忌,一廂情願地投射於她身上。綺艷但 可憐的她,由超模出身的歐洲女神莫妮卡貝魯奇扮 演。她的《西西里的美麗傳說》,也是一個回望過去 的故事,透過男孩對她的追憶,回眸二次大戰期間, 簡樸但頗不單純的小城風貌、及意大利在法西斯魔 影籠置下的時代。

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導演 / 編劇 Director/Screenwriter 基斯比湯納度

Giuseppe Tornatore

攝影 Cinematographer Lajos Koltai

演員 Cast

Monica Bellucci Giuseppe Sulfaro Luciano Federico Matilde Piana

2000 | 意大利、德國 Italy, Germany | 彩色 Colour 105 min | 35mm

意大利語對白,英文字幕 In Italian with English subtitles

35mm print courtesy of Cinecittà S.p.A. CINECITTÀ



Malèna 🛕

2001

意大利大衛獎最佳攝影 Best Cinematography, David di Donatello Awards

意大利銀絲帶獎最佳音樂 Best Score, Silver Ribbon Awards This is a film about the gaze: men's gaze, children's gaze and the gaze of an entire Sicilian town. It's about how gazing leads to injustice but also how gazing guides a boy through sexual discovery and imagination. The object of the gaze is the woman in the title, a creature of exquisite beauty and naturally-radiant sexuality. Her mere appearance provokes emotions of all kinds in the people who lay eyes on her: love, lust, desire, jealousy, hatred... emotions so intense that drastic behaviors inevitably follow. Monica Bellucci, a fashion model turned actress, personifies that appearance. Set in Fascist Italy during WWII and told from memory, the story is also about looking back – at a tender age, an earlier time and a different, perhaps less evolved culture.

座談會 SEMINAR

座談會一

SEMINAR I

歐洲女神:男性凝視與女性慾望

European Belles:

Desire, Sexuality and Male Gaze

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- Mon

4:45pm-6:15pm

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Cinema, Hong Kong Film Archive

《西西里的美麗傳說》放映之後

Following the screening of Malèna

講者:何思穎、歐嘉麗

Speakers: Sam Ho, Sonia Au

座談會二

SEMINAR II

美國烈女:男性凝視與 B 片女皇

Queens of the Bs:

Looking at Strong Women

8/1

日 Sun

4pm-5:30pm

英皇戲院尖沙咀 iSQUARE

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《春滿香粉寮》放映之後

Following the screening of Caged Heat

講者:何思穎、喬奕思、趙嘉薇

Speakers: Sam Ho, Joyce Yang, Edith Chiu

粵語主講

In Cantonese

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Queens of the Bs

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In English with English subtitles

設映後座談會

講者 何思穎、 喬奕思、趙嘉薇 粵語主講

Post-screening Seminar in Cantonese by Sam Ho, Joyce Yang and Edith Chiu

FA 15/1

日 Sun 2:30 pm

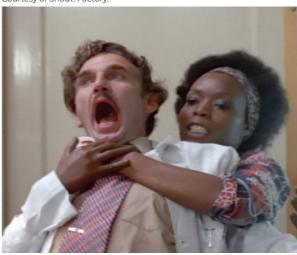
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設映後談

講者 何思穎 粵語主講

Post-screening Talk in Cantonese by Sam Ho Courtesy of Shout! Factory.



春滿香粉寮

以女子監獄為題的影視作品,香港有為人熟悉的電影《女子監獄》(1988),美國近年則有電視劇《勁爆女子監獄》(Orange is the New Black, 2013-19)。其實女子監獄電影在美國由來以久,早在1910年代已出現,至六十年代,社會風氣開放、審查尺度放寬,更趁機在全女子環境中加插裸體場面,因此十分賣座,蔚然成風。「剝削電影」教父羅渣哥曼(Roger Corman)拍過不少女子監獄電影,祖南頓狄米與他數度合作,首執導筒便拍出《春滿香粉寮》。

這是一部典型七十年代電影,當時各種新思潮從不同角度挑戰固有價值觀,產生了很多有趣的矛盾,例如一方面追求解放性的壓抑,另一方面卻延續、甚至加劇性別壓抑。女子監獄電影,在解放條件下賣弄女色,可謂這份矛盾的表彰。

狄米在這種氛圍下,為「剝削電影」拍出了新意。《春滿香粉寮》雖然乖乖地遵守了哥曼的「性愛、暴力、時評」公式要求,一眾女囚犯備受壓迫後的行動,卻併發出動人的力量,將這個通俗類型提升至另一層次。電影更滲透出特別的人文關懷,一份貫徹狄米所有作品的精神,包括後來膾炙人口的《沉默的羔羊》(The Silence of the Lambs, 1991)及其他影片。《春滿香粉寮》在商業運作下的剝削之外,打開了詰問女性壓抑與性別不公的缺口。而男性凝視下物化女性的議題,剝削之餘,又能否帶來道德界線的反思?

導演 / 編劇 Director/Screenwriter 祖南頓狄米 Jonathan Demme

攝影 Cinematographer Tak Fujimoto

演員 Cast

Juanita Brown Roberta Collins Erica Gavin Ella Reid Cheryl Smith Barbara Steele

1974 | 美國 USA | 彩色 Color 83 min | DCP



Caged Heat

Long before *Orange is the New Black* (2013-19), the hit TV series, there was the Women in Prison (WIP) film. It started in the 1910s and became a popular mini-genre in the late 1960s, when changing mores and relaxed censorship inspired filmmakers to add nudity to the mix of females trapped in close quarters. Such a promise was fully capitalized by Roger Corman, godfather of exploitation films, eagerly applying its formula of "a little sex, a little violence, a little social commentary" to churn out a number of profitable WIP flicks.

Jonathan Demme, who went on to fame with *The Silence of the Lambs* (1991), had an extensive tenure in exploitation cinema, working for several years with Corman in different capacities and making his directorial debut *Caged Heat* with Corman's New World Pictures, a masterpiece of the exploitation WIP film.

The film is very 1970s, when long-held values were challenged in ways that were highly contradictory. Demme readily engages in the formulaic obligations of "sex, violence and commentary" but applies them with humor and suggestive subtext. Filtering through is his humanism, as insistent as his artistry is affecting, evident in his first film and persisting through his last. Writers had noted that the WIP film's exploitative premise creates opening to explore issues of oppression and sexual inequality and this is exactly what Demme does in *Caged Heat*. Can a film that objectifies women's body also speak to the moral transgressions of that objectification? This question is answered partly decades later, when Orange became the New Black.

FA 6/1 五 Fri 8 pm

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IS 14/1

六 Sat 4:10 pm

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In English with English subtitles

設映後談

講者 歐嘉麗 粵語主講

Post-screening Talk in Cantonese by Sonia Au

列車女賊

馬田史高西斯成名之前也拍過 B 級片!拍竣第一部獨立長片但仍未製作一鳴驚人的《窮街陋巷》(Mean Streets, 1973)前,尚未成名的大師,泡製了主要針對非主流市場的《列車女賊》。當時荷里活正值轉型期,部份小型公司,為營造新氣象,積極給予新人機會。決意發展電影事業的馬田史高西斯,夥拍「剝削電影」教父羅渣哥曼(Roger Corman),拍出了首部商業作品。

一如其他七十年代「剝削電影」,《列車女賊》也 沿用了具票房保證的「性愛、暴力、時評」公式。 故事發生在美國南部,來自鄉村的女子與工會領 袖聯手,洗劫火車與銀行,情節遠溯美式「法外 英雄」神話、近源數年前十分賣座的《雌雄大盜》 (1967)。活在社會邊緣的女子,違抗性的生活方 式,吻合了戰後嬰兒潮世代那種被普及文化過濾 後的軟性反主流意識,而她與戀人的愛情與事業 關係,亦展現了那個重新思考傳統、固有價值動 搖的年代中,性別政治的演變面貌。

《列車女賊》可能是未來大師未臻上乘之作,但 仍充滿他的招牌元素,如天主教情懷、男性焦慮 和對女性的情慾投射等。要回溯馬田史高西斯邁 向大師的歷程,這是不能或缺的文本。 Boxcar Bertha @ 1972 Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Studios Inc. All Rights Reserved



導演 Director 馬田史高西斯 Martin Scorsese

原著 Novel

Sister of The Road: The Autobiography of Boxcar Bertha by Dr. Ben L. Reitman

編劇 Screenwriters

Joyce Hooper Corrington John William Corrington

攝影 Cinematographer John M. Stephens

演員 Cast

Barbara Hershey David Carradine Barry Primus Bernie Casey John Carradine

1972 | 美國 USA | 彩色 Color 88 min | DCP

Boxcar Bertha

This is a crude commercial film made on the cheap by a master in the making. In 1972, Martin Scorsese had finished his first feature but had yet to shake the world with his third effort, *Mean Street* (1973). Itching to solidify a career in filmmaking, he hooked up with Roger Corman, the maestro of Poverty Row who had given young filmmakers their much-needed early breaks. Scorsese took a detour from New York to the South, and the result was *Boxcar Bertha*, the future master's first mainstream feature.

Typical of 1970s exploitation films, *Boxcar Bertha* comes with the obligatory package of "sex, violence and social commentary." The titled character is a country girl who partners with a union activist to rob trains and banks, ripping one page off the recent success of *Bonnie and Clyde* (1967) and another off the American tome of outlaw folk heroes. She is a woman living on the fringe of society, her defiant way of life an affirmation of the counterculture downloaded and popularized by baby boomers. Bertha's relationship with her partner is also a striking illustration of gender politics during an era of momentous renegotiations of traditions.

Making Boxcar Bertha was a key moment in Scorsese's filmmaking venture. Working on a B-grade movie, trying to balance between commercial demands and the relative freedom for creativity, he made what is considered by some his least accomplished film. Yet the picture is full of signature sensibilities of the future master, from Catholic anxieties to male insecurity to issues of female sexuality. And what followed was history. A useful case study to trace the development of an artist and his creativity.

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FA 30/12 # Fri

五 Fri 8 pm

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設映後談

講者 陳彩玉 粵語主講

Post-screening Talk in Cantonese by Priscilla Chan

六 Sat 2:30 pm

英語對白 英文字幕

In English with English subtitles



白馬英雌與四十大盜

黑衣女子策白馬揚鞭,帶領四十大漢,橫越美國西部的壯觀大地。荷里活西部片多不勝數,但由女子擔綱的卻鳳毛麟角。《白馬英雌與四十大盜》可謂奇葩,作品在影史上載譽,部份歸功這名英姿颯爽的揚鞭女。巴巴拉史丹域飾演富有地主,在西部史上充滿傳奇性、名為墓碑的小鎮上運籌帷幄,統率旗下四十名槍手,領盡風騷。

史丹域戲裏戲外一般堅強,親身上陣危險場面,被馬拖行也毋需替身。西部片仍然當紅的五十年代,《白》片透過刻劃邊境小鎮的政治架構與權力運作,揭示商業、政治、權力、性慾、暴力如何合流、相輔,以觸動人心的方式詰問當代文明的種種問題。森姆富勒一直被視為 B 級片導演,直到法國影評人把他提升到電影作者之列。《白》片讓我們從闊銀幕的亮麗黑白影像中,欣賞到風格化的影像、引人遐思的攝影、奇詭獨特的剪接,一窺導演的藝術世界。電影充滿暗渡陳倉的情色玩笑,其中一項,三年後在法國新浪潮大師尚盧高達(Jean-Luc Godard)首作《斷了氣》(Breathless, 1960)中被借鏡!

導演 / 編劇 Director/Screenwriter 森姆富勒

Samuel Fuller

攝影 Cinematographer Joseph Biroc

演員 Cast

Barbara Stanwyck Barry Sullivan Dean Jagger John Ericson Gene Barry

1957 | 美國 USA | 黑白 B&W 80 min | DCP

Forty Guns

"She's a high-riding woman with a whip," goes the theme song of Forty Guns. Oh yes, she is! The film starts with 40 gunmen galloping across the glorious landscape of the American west, led by a woman — dressed in black, riding a white horse, yielding a whip. Women are often of little importance in westerns, one of the most important genres of American cinema. Forty Guns, written and directed by Samuel Fuller, is a prominent monument in the valley that is the westerns and one key reason for this eminence is the woman who rides high with a whip.

She is Jessica, played by Barbara Stanwyck, a wealthy landowner in Tombstone, a legendary Arizona town in western lore and featured in many films. She controls everyone and everything, lording over the area with the 40 guns she employs. Stanwyck, a brilliant star known for her toughness on screen and off, performed her own stunts in the film, including a dangerous one of being dragged dangling by a horse. Depicting the power structure and political machinery of the frontier town, the film offers a poignant challenge to the western, still in its heyday during the 1950s, questioning the genre by painting a vivid portrait of the confluence of politics, business, power, sexuality and violence in the west — and the dire consequences of that confluence.

Forty Guns is both a B-movie and an A picture, alternately screened as first and second feature of double bills. Director Fuller was a B-movies director for much of his career, until his reputation was rescued by French critics who elevated him to the stature of auteur. He is an original, in both style and content, and Forty Guns offers an instructive glimpse of his art, with stylized iconoclastic images, evocative camera movements and quirky editing, animated on beautifully photographed black-and-white widescreen. He also decorates the film with sexual innuendos, often with hilarious touches, one of them inspiring an homage by the French New Wave's Jean-Luc Godard in his debut Breathless three years later.



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IS 13/1

五 Fri 7:20 pm

英語對白 英文字幕

In English with English subtitles

設映後談

講者 張偉雄

in Cantonese by Bryan Chang

FA 14/1

六 Sat 5 pm

英語對白 中英文字幕

In English with Chinese and **Enalish subtitles**

粵語主講

Post-screening Talk

琴俠恩仇記

比男人還要強悍的女人,在《琴俠恩仇記》裏不止鍾 歌羅馥一個,她在戲中的對手也不遑多讓。一個是 酒館兼賭場主人,另一個自封為牧場「男爵」,兩個 **慓勇女子鬥個你死我活。男人們只是烏合之眾的商** 人、任由擺佈的警長、思想狹隘的民眾;唯一像樣的 男人大概只有「琴俠」——一個剛到達小鎮的寡言 牛仔,佩戴的是結他,不是槍!電影將西部片的性別 角色徹底顛覆,賦予嶄新意義。

這部荷里活片廠期的低成本製作,由小公司共和影 業出品。本馬多 (Ben Maddow) 有份撰寫劇本,不 過因被列入冷戰期黑名單而被逼擔任幽靈編劇。導 演尼古拉斯雷以反傳統風格聞名,場面調度、剪接、 敘事均大 膽創新,教人浮想聯翩。電影以通俗劇筆 觸,結合細緻的心理刻劃,將愛慾、怨恨、憂鬱、歇 斯底里等心理狀態描繪得入木三分。風格化的顏色 重繪了西部片映像美學,令悖妄、嗔怒的激情有歌 劇式的展現。

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導演 Director

尼古拉斯雷 Nicholas Ray

原著 Novel

Johnny Guitar by Roy Chanslor

編劇 Screenwriter

Philip Yordan

攝影 Cinematographer

Harry Stradling

演員 Cast

Joan Crawford Sterling Hayden Scott Brady Mercedes McCambridge

1954 | 美國 USA | 彩色 Color 110 min | DCP

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Johnny Guitar

"I never met a woman who was more man," says one character of another in *Johnny Guitar*. Actually, he should've doubled the number, for there are two women in the film who were more men!

Johnny Guitar is a low-budget western from Republic Pictures, a minor outfit in Hollywood's studio era. Directed by Nicholas Ray and co-written by Ben Maddow - uncredited, because of political blacklisting - the film turns the western genre upside down, subverting conventions to generate brand-new meaning. One remarkable subversion is the reversal of gender roles, animating a contentious battle between two strong women, saloon-casino owner Vienna and Emma, a bossy character who calls herself a "cattle baron", not baroness. And the men? A motley crew of powerful businessman, puppet sheriff, narrowed-minded and easilymanipulated town folks. There's also the titled character, a laconic stranger who gets into town, a cowboy armed with nothing but a quitar!

Ray, an iconoclastic stylist known for his bold and evocative use of *mise-en-scène*, editing and narrative development, projects in the film a melodramatic but subtly deviant mix of psychology, from desire to hatred and from melancholy to hysteria. His visual bravura is marked especially by the stylized use of color that amends the familiar aesthetics of western visage, mounting emotions that are perverse, intense and operatic.

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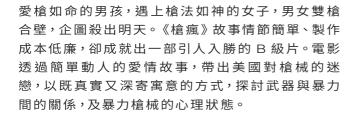
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槍瘋



約瑟勞宜為非常出色的導演,可惜長期工作於拍製 B 級片的電影工業廉價倉,以至藝術成就備受忽略。即使製作資源緊絀,他仍能通過含蓄抒情的影像、大膽設計的場面,為作品注入詩意的溫情,並擅用電影技法,在資金匱乏條件下塑造出特別場境,例如一個精準調度的十分鐘長鏡頭,影史上膾炙人口。

《槍瘋》的製作故事,本身也有寓意性。編劇之一 道頓莊柏(Dalton Trumbo),冷戰期間被列入黑名 單,只能無名參與製作。當年的冷戰,正是人類在 武器、暴力、與政治間的互動過程中,發展出來的 新局面。《槍瘋》的故事與十八年後,在西方文明經 歷「反文化」時期製作的名片《雌雄大盜》(Bonnie and Clyde, 1967)極其相似,可說掌風氣之先,而 今日觀看,不但絕不過時,更有洞悉未來之感,無 怪被廣泛認定為 Cult 片經典與黑色電影傳世之作。



導演 **Director** 約瑟勞宜 Joseph H. Lewis

編劇 Screenwriters MacKinlay Kantor Millard Kaufman

攝影 Cinematographer

演員 **Cast** Peggy Cummins John Dall

Russell Harlan

John Dall Berry Kroeger Morris Carnovsky

1950 | 美國 USA | 黑白 B&W 87 min | DCP **Gun Crazy** (aka Deadly Is the Female)





Boy meets guns, boy meets girl, boy and girl kill with guns — this is a fascinating film told with a simple story. Gun Crazy is a B movie, made with a budget scaled way down, during a time when censorship self-imposed by the industry was very much in force. Yet it manages to tell a compelling love story while profoundly capturing America's obsessive romance with guns and the violence it creates, in ways at once touchingly realistic and powerfully allegorical.

Director Joseph Lewis was an accomplished artist whose artistry had unfortunately been neglected or downplayed largely because he worked at the bargain basement of the film industry. Stretching remarkably the limits of his paltry resources, Lewis instills the film with a poetic tenderness animated by subtly expressive images, audacious situations and sometimes robust cinematic exercises, like a celebrated ten-minute long take executed with calibrated orchestration despite its budget constraints. One profoundly illustrative fact about the film is the unlisted contribution of scriptwriter Dalton Trumbo. who was forced to hide his name from the credits because of the Cold War, an era very much dictated by the introduction of a weapon with previously unimaginable power of destruction. The story Lewis, Trumbo and their gang created is remarkably similar to that of Arthur Penn's Bonnie and Clyde (1967), a work rightfully celebrated for its artistic prowess but made 18 years later. Today, Gun Crazy is considered by turns a cult classic and a masterwork of film noir.

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歧路

《歧路》堪稱最黑暗的公路電影之一,亦是低成本電影的典範佳作。大部分場景在汽車前座發生,令展開人生旅程的公路,變得既開揚又侷促。男主角是紐約小酒館爵士樂手,古典音樂出身的他總覺鬱鬱不得志,決定搭順風車到加州追尋新夢想。路上遇上一名強悍、犬儒兼刻薄的女子,尋夢旅程成為惡夢。女主角簡直是蛇蠍美人原型,今日已成影史上的經典「致命紅顏」(femme fatale),甚至登上了突出奸角排行榜,例如在《時代雜誌》影評人科利斯(Richard Corliss)的廿五大奸角中位列第六。怨天尤人的鬱悶男、張牙舞爪的刻毒女,配搭成影史上令人難忘的一對畸男女。

導演艾加烏瑪其實也有點像男主角,少年時在維也納替著名劇作家萊因哈特(Max Reinhardt)工作,也曾追隨德國表現主義導演茂瑙(F. W. Murnau),移居荷里活後卻當起了B級片導演,多產但不為人所注意,直至退休後才華方為影評人發現。《歧路》承傳德國表現主義的映像風格,配合了美國流行文化、二戰後的人心黑暗與不安惶恐,營造出偏執、焦慮的精神狀態。低成本製作電影儘管資源匱乏,無阻導演創意,如煙霧的運用,一方面營造神秘氣氛,另一方面掩蓋佈景與裝飾的不足。最後更以罕見的殺人手法,為罪惡電影添上另闢蹊徑的一筆。

導演 Director 艾加烏瑪

Edgar G. Ulmer

編劇 Screenwriter Martin Goldsmith

攝影 Cinematographer Benjamin H. Kline

演員 Cast

Tom Neal Ann Savage Claudia Drake

1945 | 美國 USA | 黑白 B&W 68 min | DCP

Detour

Detour is one of the darkest installments of the American road movie. A textbook case of low-budget filmmaking, it is a road movie that takes place largely on the front seat of a car, rendering the road at once open and claustrophobic. Al Roberts is a musician trained in the classics but plays jazz in a smoky club in New York, back when jazz was far from what it is today. He decides one day to hitchhike to California, looking for a new life and, predictably, finding a nightmare. Much of that nightmare is in the form of a woman he meets on the road. Vera is a strong woman, mean and cynical and determined, one of the most memorable femme fatales of film noir. So strong, she is considered a top villain in film history, ranked, for example, number 6 by Time Magazine critic Richard Corliss on his list of "Top 25 Greatest Villains". And the great nihilistic chemistry between the sulking Roberts and the scoffing Vera results in one of the most haunting couples in film history.

Director Edgar Ulmer, like Al Roberts, started with the classics, working on the German stage with famed playwright Max Reinhardt. He later graduated to the renowned cinema movement of Expressionism, working with such celebrated directors as F. W. Murnau and Billy Wilder. He then moved to Hollywood, toiling in B Movies with a productive output, which earned him initial neglect but eventual after-retirement renown as a master. Detour evocatively integrates the stylistic flourishes of German Expressionism with American popular culture and post-war darkness, creating a disturbing, paranoic world of human existence. Ulmer skillfully maneuvers around the limits of Poverty Row filmmaking to tell his story, like the use of thick fog, which saves on set-dressing expenses but also realizes moody, mysterious atmospheres. All of this topped with a murder that finds a place in Hollywood's hallowed tradition of creative ways to kill.



Foreword

Queens of the Bs: Looking at Strong Women

Art has a way of being fair. Just because much resources are invested in a work doesn't guarantee that it would be good, and just because a work lacks resources doesn't mean it would be bad. The Hollywood B film is a provocative example of that fairness.

The B film can be considered in specific or general terms. Specifically, the term has a prescriptive significance, referring to movies produced during the studio era, presented as the second feature in double bills and were shorter and had lower budgets than A films. The term can also be descriptive, applied in general to films produced on the cheap, whether or not they are made during the Hollywood studio era. As such, the exploitation films of the 1970s and some of the low-budget A films are often described as B movies.

The very meagerness of budget contributed to the artistic accomplishment of some B films. In the studio era, makers of B films and A-minus films were often allowed more creative freedom than the major productions. As

long as the films were finished on time and on budgets, the bosses left them largely alone. With 1970s exploitation films, the mantra of Roger Corman, the legendary producer of many cheaply-made but remarkable films and mentor to many directors who went on to fame and prestige - that if directors make films that contain "a little sex, a little violence and a little social commentary," they can do whatever they want - is resounding proof that limited resources do not automatically mean limited artistic accomplishment.

Featured in "Queens of the Bs: Looking at Strong Women" are studio-era B films, low-budget A films and 1970s exploitation films. And, as a companion to "European Belles: Desire, Sexuality and Male Gaze", this program highlights the role of female characters.

All the films in the program feature strong women, and all are directed by men. Hollywood have always had films devoted to women, alternately addressing their concerns, nourishing their dreams and fueling their fantasies. These films – most of them produced, directed and written by

men – thrived on the conflicting impulses between feeding on the lucrative women's market and the patriarchy's negotiation with western civilization's ongoing but difficult progress towards equality. Acknowledgment, appreciation and resentment of strong women naturally resulted.

Detour (1945) and Gun Crazy (1950) are bona fide B movies, both noirish projections of the shady side of the 1940s and both feature tough women as leads, one as fatal as any femme fatale in history, the other as lethal with a weapon as any seasoned gunslinger. Both Johnny Guitar (1954) and Forty Guns (1957) are low-budget productions often referred to as B westerns, their leading characters willful dames who run things not with a cowboy's six-shooter but with moxie and imposing leadership.

And Boxcar Bertha (1972) and Caged Heat (1974) are products of the explosively exciting 1970s. Both are exploitation films made under the auspices of Roger Corman, at the crest of a pivotal moment that ushered in a glorious era of American cinema. Corman's cinema exemplifies the popularization

and commercialization of the era's rebellious counterculture, its depiction of women graphic illustration of how gender liberty had not caught up with the sexual liberty of the time.

This is a program that looks at how gender issues are animated in a particular mode of production, aiming to examine the artistic manifestations at the intersection of business operation and cultural-political-moral expressions.

(The title of this program is a tribute to the book *Kings of the Bs*, by Todd McCarthy and Charles Flynn, the first serious attempt to examine the B-film.)

Curator Sam Ho

美國烈女: 男性凝視與B片女皇

藝術自有其公平之道。坐擁豐厚 製作資源不代表就能創作出好作 品,而在資源緊絀下創作的也不 一定是劣作。荷里活 B 級片正是 一個闡明這種公平、引人深思藝 術奇妙本質的例子。

B級片有狹義與廣義、前設與後設之分。它既有前設性、規範性意義,特指荷里活片廠時代在兩戲連映時「同場加映」的第二部戲;相比第一部放映的 A 片,加映電影時間較短,製作預算也低很多。 B 級片也可以是後設性、描述, B 級片也可以是後設性、描述, C 大十年代的剝削電影和 B 級 片。

預算掣肘有時反而有助 B 級片的 藝術成就。在片廠時代, B 級片 與低成本 A 片的導演,往往比拍 大製作有更多創作自由。只要能 如期拍竣又沒有超出預算,公司 老闆一般都任由導演自行發揮。 一代傳奇影人羅渣哥曼(Roger Corman)曾監製過無數成本低但可觀性高的電影,也培育過不少後來成名的導演;關於七十年代的「剝削電影」,他曾經說過,只要影片包含「一些性愛、一些暴力、一些時評」,導演怎樣拍也可以!他的名句正好說明,資源緊絀不一定限制藝術成就。

「美國烈女:男性凝視與 B 片女皇」選映作品包括荷里活片廠 B 級片、低成本 A 片以及七十年代「剝削電影」。作為「歐洲女神:男性凝視與女性慾望」的姊妹篇,這個節目也聚焦女性角色在作品中的處境。

節目選映的六部作品全部由男性執導,故事圍繞強悍烈女。荷里活一直以來都有以女性為目標觀眾的電影,或回應她們的關注、或養她們的美夢、或滿足她們的美數、如們的美數、如們的美數、如們的人生電影」大面出現應大女性市場的利潤,另一的發展,艱難而又矛盾地、在父權制

度中與男女平等的動力周旋。在 這情況下,電影對性格堅強、行事 烈悍的女性,難免呈現出肯定、欣 賞或仇視的態度。

《歧路》與《槍瘋》是不折不扣的B級片,兩戲均塗上黑色電影色彩,映照出四十年代的社會陰暗面,也同樣由女角擔綱顏」(femme fatale),另一個則槍法如神、媲美令人喪膽的男槍手。《琴俠恩仇記》與《白馬英雌,常被視為B級片,主角都是堅定強勢的女子,臨陣指揮若定,靠的領

來到亢奮的、爆炸性的七十年代, 《列車女賊》與《春滿香粉寮》都 是哥曼旗下電影公司製作的「剝 削電影」,上映時正值美國電影工 業重整,開始邁向輝煌年代的重 要時刻。他的電影見證着、也體 現着這個年代充滿叛逆的反主流 文化如何被普及化、商業化。電影

袖才華。

中對女性的刻劃也活脫脫說明了, 性別解放仍未跟得上那個時代的 性慾解放。

哥曼培育過的年輕導演,不少後來成為七十年代「美國新電影」(New American Cinema)中堅分子。他們對幾年後在世界另一端爆發的「香港新浪潮」,有舉足輕重的影響。香港評論界喜稱當年具重要培育作用的電視界為「新浪潮少林寺」。哥曼的廉價公司,可謂「美國新電影」的少林寺!

這個節目展示了在特定製作模式下,電影是如何既生動又有機地帶出、展現或討論性別議題,希望在商業營運與文化、政治、道德的交匯點,檢視性別政治怎樣透過藝術呈現觀眾眼前。

(本節目名稱,向早在七十年代便 以嚴謹態度研究 B 級片的《Kings of the Bs》一書致敬)

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