FRFF 2026 Program

FRFF DAY ONE
May 15, 2026

10 am Official Opening Welcome

DOCUMENTARY

Dreams
Director: Marcell Leon Viragh
Countries: United States

Emerging From the Shadows: Discovering the legacies of Weinberg & Korngold
Director: Veronika Emily Pohl
Country: Germany

Gaali Kothon: A Tale of Swear Words
Director: Mahamuda Aktar
Country: Bangladesh

Project: A Beautiful Country
Director: Sunny Zhao
Countries: United States, China

Special Mention (screened online only)

Finding Lucy
Director Ginger Johnston
Country: United States

12 Noon - 1:30 PM
Global Entertainment Showcase

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

MICRO SHORT

Be my double.
Director: Fuyubi Kusamori
Country: Japan

Katana
Director: Mickael Abbate
Country: France

Trafalgar
Director Juliette Joy Anquetil
Countries: France, United Kingdom

Under The Sun
Director: Delia Niya
Country: United States

Wandering Forever
Director: Karim Kari
Country: France

Special Mention (screened online only)

Believe in Love
Director: Stacey Simon
Country: Canada

Girls Guide to the City
Director: Ivar Brogger
Country: United States

ANIMATION

King Karno
Director: Richard Thompson
Country: United States

The Adventures of Pretzel Boy
Directors: Kisha Dawkins, James Phinizy
Country: United States

The Smurfs Season 3 - Reaching For The Stars
Director: William Renaud
Country: Belgium

COMMERCIAL

Dreambrew
Directors: Ben Bayliss, Anthony Hampshire, Joel Dutton
Country: United Kingdom

Gift A Feeling
Director: Alex Fouquet
Country: France

Perfume Advertising - Sudden Banality
Director: Liborio Savio Ciufo
Country: Italy

Skechers Football - How's Your Touch
Director: John Reavy
Country: United Kingdom

Vendran Sabores Mejores
Directors: Shakti Maal, Eliú Ramos, Matias Vial
Country: United States

Visit Nagoro
Director: Alessia Ambrosini
Country: Italy

Special Mention (screened online only)

The Secret Behind Hollywood Premieres - About Us Commercial
Directors: Robbie Filios, Davan Firinn
Country: United States

2:30 PM - 3:00 PM

OUT-OF-COMPETITION SCREENING

Free Bird (Drama Short)
Written and directed by Christian James Madsen
Country: United States

Followed by Q&A with Christian James Madsen

FRFF DAY TWO
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9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

COMEDY

Double Dare
Director: Elena Lander
Country: Italy

The Universal Temple
Director: Bertrand Normand
Country: France

WTF DAVOS
Directors: Elijah Knight, Matteo Rolfi
Country: Switzerland

Special Mention (screened online only)

Party Pants
Directors: Trinette Faint, Jennifer Cuciti
Country: United States

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (AI)

Ceremony
Director: Mark Wachholz
Country: Germany

D'ombre et de lumière
Director: Fabien Loïacono
Country: France

Georges
Director: Alphonse Marcel
Country: France

Railbound
Director: Jonathan PerryLoïs Levy
Country: United States

Summer 1990
Director: Loïs Levy
Country: Germany

The Cinema That Never Was
Director: Mark Wachholz
Country: Germany

Special Mention (screened online only)

The Secret Garden
Director: Lodewijk Luijt
Country: Netherlands

SCI-FI/HORROR

The Girl in the Street
Directors: Chris Paicely, Miles August
Country: United States

To Shine Again
Director: Marcell Leon Viragh
Countries: Hungary, United States

WHITCH
Director: Hoku Uchiyama
Country: United States

99
Director: Javier Ideami
Country: Spain

Special Mention (screened online only)

Come The Nightfall
Director: Tom Michaels
County: United States

In Forest
Director: Luck Abidine
Country: France

DRAMA

Aida
Director: Art Arutyunyan
Country: United States

Echoes of US
Director: Joe Rajan
Country: India

Farewellday
Director: Farzad Ranjbar-Nazari
Country: Iran

No Wind to Hold
Directors: Michael Abbate, Chris Conti
Country: France

Out of Sleep
Directors: Elian Lszovsky, Yuval Erez
Country: Israel

The Persian Rug
Director: Gabriel Beristain
Country: United States

The Race
Director: Zoran Pribičević
Country: Croatia

Special Mention (screened online only)

Overlayed
Director: Joanna Bronson
Country: United States

EXPERIMENTAL

Beyond Silence
Director: Javier Ideami
Country: Spain

Hiroshima
Director: Virag Vida
Countries: Hungary, United States

I Deserved It
Directors: Monika Barbrara Ekiert, Aurelia Sobczak
Country: Poland

FASHION

Elysion
Director: Christos Panagiotou
Country: Cyprus

Lèben Presents
Directors: Matthew Zeno, Rick Rocha
Country: United States

The Attraction
Director: Nicholas Wendl
Country: United States

The Weight of Beauty: Fashion and Eating Disorders
Director: Eduardo Bloom
Country: Italy

Special Mention (screened online only)

The Modern Society Residence
Director: Christos Panagiotou
Country: Cyprus

MUSIC VIDEO

Broken Wings
Director: Sima Galanti
Country: United States

Epiphany of Limits
Director: Fuyubi Kusamori
Country: Japan

Passing by
Director: Alexander Coppola
Country: Italy

PDA
Director: Shaun Rylee
Country: France

War and Peace Song
Director: Silvana Zancolò
Country: Italy

Special Mention (screened online only)

Holiday
Director: Dale Fabrigar
Country: United States

STUDENT

OUROBOROS
Directors: Edit Jakab, Anna Rácz
Country: Hungary

The Day the World Fell Apart
Directors: Damon Condon
Country: United States

SCREENPLAY (no screenings)

Amberica
Screenwriters: Amber Shaheen Nelson, Mokotsi Rukundo
Country: United States

Vol et Nocturne
Screenwriter: Shaun Rylee
Country: France