Movie Session – Cine Migration: Encampment
30 January 2020, 19:30 at Kino in der Reitschule Bern

Feeling of a Home

Bunkers

Cast Away Souls
Feeling of a Home
Directors: Io Chaviara and Michalis Kastanidis
Documentary, Greece, 2017, 25 min - OmU Arabic and English

Idomeni, 2016. The refugee camp's liveliness – portrayed through the everyday life of a group of Palestinian friends – converses with the early border stories told by the oldest inhabitant of the village. What then creates the feeling of a home?

Bunkers
Director & Producer: Anne-Claire Adet and Yasmine Abd El Aziz
Documentary, Switzerland, 2016, 14 min - OmU English and French

The documentary is a sensorial immersion in the suffocating life of an underground shelter where asylum-seekers are crammed into upon their arrival in Geneva. Anne-Claire Adet uses refugees’ own footage and interviews one Sudan journalist who has been housed in a bunker. Considered from the start as a temporary solution, the settling of migrants in shelters has been normalised. In 2016, 10 bunkers housed over 600 people.

Cast Away Souls
Directors: Stanley Edwards, Markus Fiedler, Nanna Hansen, and Thomas Elsted
Documentary, Denmark, 2019, 35 min - OmU English

This documentary details the political setup of deportation centre Sjælsmark in Denmark, which houses people who await deportation. The conversation between Stanley Edward, a resident and the director of the deportation centre reveals specific mechanisms at work. Cast Away Souls addresses questions of human compassion and responsibility in the dehumanising and bureaucratic deportation apparatus.

The screening is followed by a discussion with Stanley Edward, Director of Cast Away Souls (via Skype) and Anne-Claire Adet, director of Bunkers, moderated by Lisa Maria Borrelli and Christina Mittmasser, nccr – on the move.

Entrance: pay what you want

Location: Kino in der Reitschule
Neubrückstr. 8, Bern, http://kino.reitschule.ch

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