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Armenian Shelters (52') – 2016 - HD

Mareterraniu / Directed by Mathieu Proust

Languages available: French

Broadcasters: France 3



In the Turkish district of Hatay remains the very last Armenian village in Turkey. One hundred years ago, the people of Vakif and six other villages around managed to climb on the Dejebel Musa hill to avoid deportation... Today their descendants here and in the village of Anjar in Lebanon are obsessed by the consequences of the Syrian civil war and the rise of fundamentalism close to them. They fear a new genocide which will exterminate their residual communities...

By Reason or By Force (52') – 2012 - HD

Les Films Grain de Sable / Mille Plateaux Productions / Directed by Jonathan Cadiot

Languages available: French & English

Broadcasters: Planete



In Chile, the Mapuche indigenous people saw its territory greatly reduced. By waves of expropriations, the ancestral lands were confiscated. They now belong to forest companies and landowners, descendants of European settlers. The inhabitants of the autonomous community of Temucuicui struggle for land recovery.

Guatemala: The Dictatorship's Disappeared (60') – December 2016 - HD

CDP / Directed by Claudio Zulian

Languages available: Spanish, French & English

Broadcasters: Arte



The dark days of civil war and dictatorship in Guatemala led to the death and disappearance of over 200,000 people between 1960 and 1996. In 2012, following a complaint filed by a group of families before the Inter-American Court of Human Rights, the Guatemalan government was sentenced to provide reparations, including the production of a film about missing people. When the State refused to cooperate, the families of victims decided to make the film themselves. This film, sprinkled with rare archival images, takes a look at the dark years of Guatemalan history, shows the impossibility of mourning for the families deprived of bodies and is an homage to their bitter fight for justice.

Romania: The Big Clear-Out (52') – 2017 - HD

Drôle de Trame / Directed by Ruxandra Medrea

Languages available: French & English

Broadcasters: Public Senat, VRT, SVT, ERR, Al Jazeera English, TVP



Romania is known to be one of the most corrupted nations of the EU. Yet it has become the centre stage of one of the most ferocious anti-corruption battles of the last few decades. This radical metamorphosis of Romanian society is mostly the work of a new generation that knew communism when it was young. By what means can this new generation of citizens become a major player in this transformation? This documentary gives us an insider's view of this fight, the only one of the kind in Europe.

Spirits of the Gold Mines in Gengis Khan Country (52') – 2017 - HD

Bagan Films / Directed by Anne-Sylvie Meyza & Benjamin Lauber

Languages available: French

Broadcasters: Ushuaia TV



21st Century Mongolia, the Steppe's new mining Eldorado, is brimming with gold mines inhabited by spirits from the ages who have been disturbed by the destruction and enslavement of their dwellings. Only the Buddhist Shamans and Lamas can calm the anger of these formidable entities and clean the blemishes left by the miners. However, not all of them have agreed to go along with the booming mining development...

When Siberia Will Be Chinese (52') – 2015 - HD

Flair Films / Directed by Richard Prost

Languages available: French & English

Broadcasters: Arte, TVN, MBC Al Arabiya, Deutsche Welle, Axess TV, Air France, PTS

Taiwan, Radio Television Hong Kong



Far Eastern Siberia was Chinese in the 16th century and became Russian after the defeat of the Middle Kingdom by the expansionistic dreams of Nicolas I. Today, could Siberia become Chinese again? Some 7 million Russians thus monitor 148 million Chinese who, little by little, cross the Amur River to live on the other side of the border. A peaceful invasion that concerns Russian diplomacy.