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Mercantour: A Shared Paradise (52') – 2016 - HD

Cocottes Minute / Directed by Caroline Audibert & Olivier Theron

Languages available: French & English

Broadcasters: France 3, Rai



In the Mercantour National Park, there is a surprising problem for natural parks; cohabitation between wild species and man. Such is the case of Christian, a shepherd, for whom the wolf's return challenges ancestral pastoral practices. Alexandrine, a beekeeper, has just given breathing room to endangered species in the valleys, and faces genuine wild alpine bees. Cédric, wildlife photographer, slips deeper into the wild world where we will discover their great rites...

Pacific Black Gold (52') – 2014 - HD

Latitude 21 / Directed by Christine Della-Maggiara and Dominique Roberjot

Languages available: French & English

Broadcasters: France O, Animaux



The Sea cucumber is an animal we know little about. And yet it is the second most exported product from the South Pacific fishing industry. It is fished for and sold to Asian markets, where it is considered to be a luxury product. Demand has reached such levels that many countries in the Pacific have over-exploited this resource. *The Pacific's Black Gold* unveils the issues surrounding this strange animal from New Caledonia to Vanuatu, via Hong Kong and the Fiji Islands.

Selva, the Tropical Rainforest (52') – 2012 - HD

Exode Tropical / Directed by Marie-Anne Bertin & Sylvain Lefebvre

Languages available: French & English

Broadcasters: France 5, RSI, RTL-TVI, TV5



For two years Marie-Anne and Sylvain set out to explore the tropical forests in Mexico, Ecuador, Guatemala and Costa Rica. By day and by night, the jungle unveiled its treasures to them both: stick insects, spider monkeys, Twig-snakes, toucans...and several other species that make this the most complex and bio diverse system on earth...

The Island of the Frigate Birds (52') – 2012 - HD

Toucan Production / Directed by Jean-Philippe Isel

Languages available: French & English

Broadcasters: Guyane 1ere, RTBF, Animaux



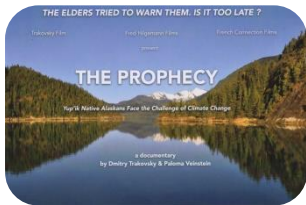
The Grand Connetable Island in French Guiana is home to hundreds of frigate birds. Weighing less than 1.5 kg and boasting a wingspan of 2.3 metres, these seabirds are the best gliders in the world. From April onwards, thousands of gulls, terns and noddies join the frigate birds on this island, the only place in South America conducive to the reproduction of seabirds. The waters surrounding the island are also home to an endangered species of fish: the Atlantic goliath grouper...

The Prophecy: A Warning of Climate Change in Alaska (52') – 2017 - 4K

Fred Hilgemann Films / Trakovski Films / French Connection / Directed by Dmitry Trakovski and Paloma Veinstein

Languages available: French & English

Broadcasters: RTV Slovenija, France 5, ZDF/3Sat



Decades before scientists recognised the looming dangers of climate change, the elders of one of Alaska's indigenous groups, the Yupik people, shared a warning with their children. "When the world changes", they said, "the weather will change along with the people". Over fifty years later, the impact of climate change is becoming more and more visible in Alaska. How will the Yupik people, who are so close to nature, adapt to the changing natural landscape around them?

Unnoticed Chevechette (52') – 2013 - HD

Nomade Production / Directed by Yoann Périé

Language available: French & English

Broadcasters: Ushuaïa TV, France 5



The tiny pygmy owl (known as "chevechette", in French) is a quite unfamiliar bird species. Featherweight with its 60g, the "pygmy" owl sought shelter in some areas of the Alps during the shrinkage of Quaternary glaciers. Throughout this documentary film, you will discover the tiniest owl living in Europe.