



ASIAN WOMEN'S FILM FESTIVAL

In collaboration with India International Centre, New Delhi

13th to 15th March 2026

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Full Schedule

Programme Key:

- C.D. Deshmukh Auditorium, IIC
- Conference Room 1, IIC
- * Filmmaker / representative present

Seating is on a first come first serve basis.
This schedule is subject to change for technical or other unforeseen reasons.

Day 1 | Friday 13th March 2026

9:45 AM	Qamajai Yerkezhan (Kei) Sabitbekova 2025 Germany, Kazakhstan 2 min. 43 sec. Dare To Dream Ranu Ghosh 2025 India 1 hr. 20 min.
11:30 AM	Auto Queens Sraiyanti Haricharan 2025 India 29 min. 4 sec Conversations and Dreams* Melanya Hamasyan 2024 Armenia, Czech Republic 19 min. 40 sec. Kitchen Films* N Lavanya Ramajah 2025 India 21 min. 47 sec. Land / Water / Dongar / Pani* Sanjivani Kamble 2024 India 24 min. 53 sec.
1:45 PM	Bali Amoli Birewar 2025 India 25 min. 45 sec. The Waiting Game* Kanika Gupta 2025 India 17 min. 56 sec. Ocean of Bandhani / Bandhani No Dariyo* Stuti Prajapati 2025 India 19 min. 47 sec. Nipaniya* Anamika Pal 2025 India 19 min. 55 sec.
3:30 PM	Music in a Village Named 1PB* Surabhi Sharma 2024 India 2 hr. 10 min. 30 sec.
4:00 PM	Like a Rolling Stone Lichuan Yin 2024 China 1 hr. 52 min.
6:15 PM	Opening Ceremony Ms. Understoned Yuki Buma 2024 Japan 11 min. I, the Song* Dechen Wangmo Roder 2024 Bhutan 1 hr. 53 min.

Day 2 | Saturday 14th March 2026

9:30 am	Landscapes of Longing Alisha Tejpal, Mireya Martinez, Anoushka Mirchandani 2025 India 14 min. 5 sec. Skyward / Gagan Gaman* Suruchi Sharma 2024 India 30 min. Denmo - Himalayan Brown Bear* Akanksha Sood Singh 2025 India 38 min. 58 sec.
11:15 am	Oasis* Keiko Okawa 2022 Japan 56 min. Masterclass Reena Mohan in conversation with Director and Editor Keiko Okawa
1:45 pm	Last Night I Dreamed It Was Raining Fish Shradha Khanna 2025 India 16 min. 20 sec. Wake Up, We're Almost Home / Ghar Aayo* Shweta Rai 2025 India 25 min. Alone / Thaniye Anavadya M S 2024 India 5 min. 31 sec. Planty Leilei Xia 2025 USA 8 min. 40 sec. Loop Line / Dhhaavpatti* Renuka Shahane 2024 India 8 min. 18 sec. The Last Bamboo / Koneya Bidiru* Meera Krishnamurthy 2025 India 6 min. 32 sec. Heralds of the Monsoon / Mungarina Ette* Meera Krishnamurthy 2025 India 9 min. 5 sec. Every Now and Then Girls / Aavaar Navaar Chhoriyaan* Shefalee Jain, Shivi Bhatnagar 2025 India 20 min. 52 sec.
2:00 pm to 4:30 pm	Round Table Discussion Film Pedagogy Moderators: Janaki Abraham, Surabhi Sharma Participants: Shohini Ghosh, Sameera Jain, Asha Achy Joseph, Maheen Mirza, Rajula Shah, Shai Heredia, Iram Gulfran, Pinki Brahma Chaudhary, Ruchika Negi, Mausami Bhattacharyya, Gauri D.Chakraborty, Deeptri Khurana
3:45 pm	Central Asia - Kazakhstan And Kyrgyz Republic <i>Curators: Gulnara Abikeyeva and Gulbara Tolomushova</i> Grief / Joqtau Aibota Kali 2023 Kazakhstan 15 min. 31 sec. Little Love* Aizhan Kassymbek 2022 Kazakhstan 17 min. 59 sec. The Burden We Bear* Aruzhan Dossymkozha 2022 Kazakhstan 11 min. 34 sec. Bell at Dusk Saadat Kazakbayeva 2023 Kyrgyz Republic 13 min. 38 sec. Blue Gate Narghiza Dotieva 2024 Kyrgyz Republic, UK 19 min. 23 sec. The Goldfish* Aizhamal Mirbek kyzy 2025 Kyrgyz Republic 12 min. 3 sec. The Seventh Month Aizada Bekbalaeva 2025 Kyrgyz Republic 15 min. 59 sec. Asoh: Soul of the Hills Linda Horam, Takar Pujen 2025 India 51 min.
4:45 pm	Never Stand Down: The Quraishi Family Elena Chang 2025 USA 16 min. 46 sec. Eclipse / Sitav Dilan Tofik 2025 Türkiye 17 min. 39 sec. After the Cat Hoi Ying Chu 2024 Hong Kong 24 min. 32 sec.
6:45 pm	One Seed at a Time Kavita Carneiro 2025 India 15 min. 43 sec. Marriage Cops* Shashwati Talukdar, Cheryl Hess 2025 India, Taiwan, USA 1 hr. 20 min.

Day 3 | Sunday 15th March 2026

9:30 am	Even The Fire Knows* Dipanjali Khakhlyar 2025 India 17 min. 46 sec. Bavita* Aditti Padmanabhan 2025 India 9 min. 31 sec. The Unfated / Aapkarmi* Taruna Khatri 2025 India 24 min. 14 sec.
10:30 am to 12 noon	Films from Asanjo Film Festival, Bhuj, Gujarat <i>Facilitators: Aishwarya Gupta and Bhauna Jainini</i> Samaj aur Study Table Ayesha Manjothi 2026 India 6 min. 20 sec. Aadha Injection Yasmin Khalifa 2026 India 8 min. 16 sec. Khoobsoorti Kya Hai? Afreen Manjothi 2026 India 4 min. 38 sec. Roti Se Degree Tak Shahin Pattni 2026 India 6 min. 7 sec. Ekdi Chadi, Ekdi Peti Shifa Pattni 2026 India 6 min. 45 sec. Aloo Bhindi Shifa Node 2026 India 6 min. 54 sec. Bo Paise Maria Khalifa, Amrin Chattera, Diya Ravat 2026 India 5 min. 51 sec. Hawa, Chand, Badal aur Main Sherbanu Node 2026 India 6 min. Sunitaben No Sundlo Divya Sathwara 2026 India 6 min. 14 sec. Masterclass Participatory Filmmaking
10:45 am	Working Girls* Paromita Vohra 2025 India 2 hr. 13 min. Masterclass Subasri Krishnan in conversation with Director Paromita Vohra
2:15 pm	Films from AniMela Film Festival* Sulaimani Vinnie Ann Bose 2025 France 19 min. Song of Whales Afroza Hossain Sara 2024 Bangladesh, France 12 min. Veins of Grace Lavanya Lodhi 2024 India 7 min. Still Life Lara Jaydha 2025 Belgium, Finland, India, Portugal 6 min. Come Home Shenuka Corea 2025 Sri Lanka 3 min. Ladybugs Still Fly Tanvi Malkarnekar 2025 India 8 min. Ajja Ajji Pickle Bhaashya 2025 India 4 min. First Night Nandhini Sree 2025 India 2 min. The Girl who Lived in the Loo Subarna Das 2024 India 12 min. Masterclass Participatory Filmmaking
4:00 pm	All Hell Broke Loose the Day Before / Kıyamet Önceki Gün Kopmuştu Nur Sultan Bulut 2025 Türkiye 12 min. Whispers Across Wenting Song 2026 China 15 min. Dancing Dragon Shuying Liu 2025 Australia 16 min. 46 sec. Medium Close Up Sholeh Fallah, Gholamreza Hoseinian 2025 Iran 18 min. 54 sec. No Monastery No Village Tashi Lhazom 2024 Nepal 20 min.
4:45 pm	From Fields to Flight* Ipshta Bhattacharyya 2025 India 11 min. 10 sec. Friends of Jilpibala* Debalina Majumder 2025 India 29 min. 20 sec. Room at the Farm / Khooh Waala Ghar* Jasmine Kaur Roy, Avinash Roy 2025 India 22 min. 54 sec.
6:15 pm	Closing Ceremony Shadowbox / Baksho Bondi* Tanushree Das, Saumyananda Sahi 2025 India 1 hr. 33 min. Prachee Bajania in conversation with Tanushree Das and Tillotama Shome