

*The Italian science
and cooperation
at the shadow of K2*

INTERNATIONAL MOUNTAIN FILM FESTIVAL

September 9-10, 2013

National Art Gallery, Islamabad

September 12-13, 2013

Italian K2 Museum, Skardu



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Organized in collaboration with "Orobic Film Festival", one of the most important Italian mountains film contest, the International

IN THE HEART OF ASIA

*Country: Italy-Pakistan
Direction: Stefano Ardito
Duration: 20' Year: 2013*



In 1913 the Italian scientist and explorer Filippo De Filippi organized a scientific expedition in Central Asia. Departed from India, he reached Skardu, Leh, the Rimu glacier, the Depsang Plains, the highest Karakorum passes, and arrived to Kashgar, in the Chinese Xinjiang.

The documentary, thanks to his diaries and his photos, retraces De Filippi's life and work before, during and after this great accomplishment and shows its true historical and scientific value.

Islamabad

September 9 - 6.00 pm

Skardu

September 12 - 6.30 pm

NEXT TIME INSHALLAH

*Country: Spain
Direction: Alex G. de Bikuña
Duration 35' Year: 2011*



The documentary relates the human experiences of Basque Alex Txikon, the Austrian Gerfried Göschl and the Canadian Louis Rousseau, in reaching the summit of the Gasherbrum I during the winter of 2011. For 61 days we will live with the three alpinists and their two Pakistani cooks, showing what life is like and the relationships in the Base Camp and how they take on this powerful mountain, to try and open a new route up the south face with the aim of achieving the first winter of this 8 thousand.

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September 10 - 9.00 am*

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BEYOND THE SUMMITS

*Country: France
Direction: Rémy Tézier
Duration: 75' Year: 2008*



Catherine Destivelle is one of the world's best climbers. She will take us on three spectacular climbs in the Alps. During the ascents, she will share with us the sense of freedom and passion that the mountains inspire and the pleasure of reaching the summits. The film, thanks to the breathtaking and beautiful shot, unveils the magnificent Alpine environment and sheds light on the close relationships that develop between climbers and the special connections made in mountaineering.

Islamabad

September 10 - 9.00 am

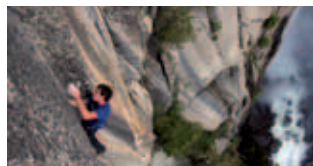
Mountain Film Festival presents six films that show the many-side life of mountains: theater of extraordinary

mountaineering endeavors, field for scientific exploration and environmental resource that needs to be studied and protected.

Guest of honour: Samina Baig, the first Pakistani woman to climb Mount Everest.

ALONE ON THE WALL

Country: USA
Direction: Nick Rosen and Peter Mortimer
Duration: 24' Year: 2009



Alex Honnold is one of the most strong and versatile American climbers. Here we see him climbing in free solo (with no rope) the impressive rock of North America. Starting from the Utah sandstone desert, the images take us to the base of the north-west side of Half Dome, a granite colossus of 2700 meters in the Yosemite National Park, where Alex fulfils his dream and improves rock climbing to a new level.

Islamabad
September 10 - 11.00 am

Skardu
September 13 - 5.30 pm

MOUNT SAINT ELIAS

Country: Austria
Direction: Gerald Salmina
Duration: 100' Year: 2009



Adramatic and awe-inspiring feature documentary following three of the world's greatest ski mountaineers to the Mount St. Elias in their attempt to realize the longest ski descent of the world. Set against the backdrop of Alaska's dangerous beauty, the movie is about a visionary borderline experience where unparalleled physical and mental pressure pushes the protagonists to the absolute limit. A movie about men who accept mountains as a challenge and whose vision becomes a real adventure.

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THE KARAKORAM ANOMALY

Country: Italia
Direction: Niccolò Piazza
Duration: 45' Year: 2013



A documentary about climate change on the Karakoram and Himalayan ranges. The mountains here hold the largest amount of glacier water outside the Poles, and the locals' livelihoods have been depending on it for centuries. The film shows the kind of irreplaceable human heritage that is at risk of being lost because of climate change: the local culture, its rich history, and its miraculously successful symbiotic relationship with the mountains and the glaciers.

Islamabad
September 10 - 6.00 pm

Skardu
September 12 - 8.30 pm

FILM SCHEDULE

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September 9

6.00 pm

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Italian K2 Museum - Skardu

September 12

6.30 pm

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Collaborations and partnerships

