

PANAVIEW FILM INSTITUTION &
DUT VIDEO TECHNOLOGY PRESENTS



International
Township TV & Film
Festival
2025

27-30 MAY 2025

CLERMONT COMMUNITY HALL, ZAZI ROAD,
CLERMONTTOWNSHIP, KWAZULU-NATAL RSA 3610

FOCUS

HORROR TV/FILMS, VFX SFX,
PRODUCTION DESIGN TRAININGS

THEME

ECHOES OF FEAR

PROGRAMME

“EMPOWERING TOWNSHIP & RURAL CREATORS THROUGH FEARLESS STORYTELLING.”

THE POWER OF TOWNSHIP STORIES

**PROGRAMME DIRECTOR -
SIMO NZAMA AND SELBEYONCE MKHIZE RADIO PERSONALITY**

**GUEST SPEAKER: :
SIYABONGA GODFREY DLAMINI - FILMMAKER/WRITER AND DIRECTOR**

<p>08:00 AM - 09:00 AM</p>	<p>REGISTRATION: WELCOME & NETWORKING Opening Performances by Local Musicians LoveWorld Zulu - Mabhie Goes Live Original Pantsula</p>
<p>09:15 AM - 11:00 AM</p>	<p>OPENING CEREMONY:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Opening Prayer: Ndumiso Ngcobo (ITTF) Fundraising Manager ▪ Welcome: Andile Gumbi (Chairperson, ITTF) ▪ Ward 21 Councillor: Neli Nyanisa ▪ Clermont Tourism/CTOs Chairperson: Chris Phili ▪ Chairperson ECCOD: Thembo Ntuli ▪ Keynote: Siya Godfrey Dlamini - "The Future of African Horror Cinema" ▪ Programme Unveiling <p style="text-align: center;">11:00 AM (15 MINUTES BREAK)</p>
<p>11:30 AM - 1:00 PM</p>	<p>PANEL DISCUSSION: THE ROLE OF FILM IN SOCIAL TRANSFORMATION PANELLISTS: Siyabonga Godfrey Dlamini VFX Talks & Film Creative Direction - Joining virtually Mr. Khoza CIPC - Copyright & IP Rights Sphe Mbhele THE MUSIC IMBIZO: Music in Film/TV - Join virtually Scelo Nxumalo DUT Video Technology Department Sound</p>
<p>01:00 PM</p>	<p>LUNCH BREAK</p>
<p>2:00 PM - 3:07 PM</p>	<p>HORROR FILM SCREENING: "IZIZWE AND THE ODD SPIRIT HORROR FILM" (SA) Written, directed & Produced by siyabonga godfrey dlamini</p>



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**3:30 PM -
5:00 PM**

**PANEL DISCUSSION:
THE ROLE OF FILM IN SOCIAL TRANSFORMATION**

PANELLISTS:

Noxolo Lushozi
[Camera Operator \(Uzalo\)](#)

Michael Celender
[Screenwriter/Filmmaker - Joining Virtually from Johannesburg](#)

Sphe Mbhele
[THE MUSIC IMBIZO: Music in Film/TV - Join virtually from Johannesburg](#)

Kwaku Sikahene-Adarkwa "KaayDifilmer"
[Writer/Producer & Director, Joining virtually for Ghana](#)

Durban Film Office Representative

KZN Tourism & Film Authority Representative

5:15 PM

Networking & Cocktail TILL LATE

DAY 1



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INDUSTRY INSIGHTS & CREATIVE EXCELLENCE

PROGRAMME DIRECTOR - SIMO NZAMA

Guest Speaker: Brian Khawula
Filmmaker & Director

08:00 AM - 08:45 AM	REGISTRATION:
09:00 AM - 10:30 AM	<p>PANEL DISCUSSION BUILDING A SUSTAINABLE FILM BUSINESS INDUSTRY EXPERTS SHARE INSIGHTS ON FILM FUNDING, PRODUCTION, AND CREATIVE OWNERSHIP</p> <p>PANELLISTS: Lubabalo Mfungula DOP Bonie Sithebe DMP Production House Cebile (USA - SFX Expert) Joining Virtually Talent Dube VFX Editor Fezile Pheko Durban Film Office</p>
10:30AM	TEA BREAK
11:00 AM	<p>PARALLEL WORKSHOPS & TRAINING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Directing & Cinematography - 11:00 AM - 02:00 PM ▪ VFX, SFX Makeup & Creature Design 11:00 AM - 02:00 PM ▪ Scriptwriting - 11:00 AM - 02:00 PM ▪ Acting - 11:30 AM - 02:00 PM ▪ Sound - 1:00 AM - 1:30 PM
2:10 PM - 4:15 PM	IP & COPYRIGHT WORKSHOP
4:30 PM	<p>FILM SCREENING (NON-HORROR) My Father's Shadow (KZN 1hour 34min) Brian Khawula</p>
6:15 PM	<p>FILM SCREENING (NON-HORROR) Safe Space (SA/USA, 10 mins)</p>



TRAINERS/FACILITATORS ASSIGMENTS

PROGRAMME DIRECTOR - SIMO NZAMA

Training/Master Classes will run Parallel and CIPC will accommodate everyone

Siyabonga Godfrey Dlamini:

Directing VFX, SFX, Production Design

Brian Khawula:

Directing

Bonie Sithebe: Panaview Film Institution

Scriptwriting & Producing

Lubabalo Mfungula - DOP:

Camera & Lighting

Sbu Masinga - DOP:

Camera & Lighting

Noxolo Lushozi:

Editing & Women Empowerment Workshops

Mr Khoza (CIPC):

Copyright/IP Law

Scelo Nxumalo DUT Video Technology:

Sound/Scoring

Cebile (USA):

Virtual SFX/Makeup

Khonza Khwela:

Actor, Arts Director

DAY 2



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WOMEN IN FILM & TV BUSINESS

PROGRAMME DIRECTOR - SLINDILE LANGA & PORTIA NCWANE

Guest Speaker: Bonie Sithebe
Co-founder, DMP Production House

08:00 AM	REGISTRATION
09:00 AM	<p>PANEL DISCUSSION WOMEN IN FILM</p> <p>PANELLISTS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Bonie Sithebe ▪ Happiness Mpase ▪ DUT Drama Lecturer ▪ Noxolo Lushozi
11:30 AM	<p>SPECIALISED WORKSHOP EMPOWERING WOMEN IN THE HORROR FILM INDUSTRY</p> <p>Writing for Horror Bonnie Sithebe</p> <p>Cinematography & Editing Noxolo Lushozi</p> <p>Speech & Drama DUT Lecturer</p> <p>VFX/SFX/FSXT raining for Women Talent Dube and team</p>
04:30 PM	<p>Film Screening (Horror Competition 3) TITLE: "WHERE THE F IS NOSI" (SHORT HORROR)</p>
05:00 PM	<p>NON HORROR FEATURE (Special Screening) TITLE: "MINENHLE" (DRAMA, SA)</p>

GRAND FINALE

DAY 4

PROGRAMME DIRECTOR - SIMO NZAMA

FOCUS: SCREENINGS, TRAINING, AWARDS BEST DIRECTOR (HORROR GENRE) & CELEBRATION

Guest Speaker: Andile Buwa

Chairperson and the founder of the Ethekwini Filmmakers Association

09:00 AM	Andile Buwa Filmmakers Association Presentation
09:45 AM	SHORT BREAK
10:00 AM	Michael Ngema Umlazi international film festival Presentation
10:17 AM	Siyabonga Godfrey Dlamini Waterloo film festival Presentation
10:32 AM	CAFM Representative
10:40 AM	Lunch break
11:30 AM	FINAL TRAINING/RECAP SESSIONS Acting & Performance Khonza Khwela & DUT Lecturer Post-Production & Sound DUT Sound Lecturer VFX - SFX Recap Talent Dube and team
03:40 PM - 4:00 PM	SHORT BREAK
4:15 PM	HORROR COMPETITION FILM TITLE: "SOUTH AFRICAN SLASHER" Directed by Thomo Tshipinyane Written: by Mpho Nkoana Produced by Azizipho Potwana
4:43 PM	NETWORKING AND CLOSING



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SCREENING SUMMARY TABLE

Date	Time	Title	Genre	Country	Venue
27 May	2:00 PM	Izizwe and the Odd Spirit	Horror	South Africa	Plenary - Auditorium
28 May	04:30 PM	My Father's Shadow	Drama	South Africa	Clermont Hall 2
28 May	06:15 PM	Safe Space	Short Drama	SA/USA	Clermont Hall 2
29 May	4:30 PM	Where the F is Nosi	Horror Short	South Africa	Plenary - Auditorium
29 May	05:00 PM	Minenhle	Drama	South Africa	Clermont Hall 2
30 May	04:15 PM	South African Slasher Directed by Thomo Tshipinyane Written: by Mpho Nkoana Produced by Azizipho Potwana	Horror Short	South Africa	Plenary - Auditorium



KEY TAKE AWAYS FROM ITTFF 2025

Ground-breaking horror film festival focusing on innovation & skills development. A dedicated platform for township & rural filmmakers. Educational Workshop, Trainings & high-quality networking opportunities. A competitive awards programme that will elevate African horror filmmaking.

#ITTFF2025 #Theme_EchoesOfFear
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#FilmFestivalKZN



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