

## ALL THE FILMS AT A GLANCE/FEFF28, 2026 LINE-UP

### COMPETITION SECTION [52]

#### CHINA [6]

Jet Lag in Summer, YAN Kunao, *expat coming of age*, China 2025, European Premiere\*

Linka Linka, Kangdrun, *Tibetan homecoming*, China 2025, European Premiere\*

The Shadow's Edge, Larry YANG, *whose eyes? action thriller*, China/Hong Kong 2025, Italian Premiere

Take Off, Pengfei, *Chinese-Icaro dream*, China 2025, Italian Premiere with FESCALL (African, Asian, Latin American FF, Milan)

Unexpected Family, Li Taiyan, *unexpected Jackie Chan comedy*, China 2026, International Festival Premiere\*

A Writer's Odyssey 2, LU Yang, *quirky magnificent fantasy*, China 2025, European Festival Premiere

#### HONG KONG [9]

Another World, Tommy NG, *animated surreal fantasy*, Hong Kong 2025, Italian Premiere\*

Blades of the Guardians: Wind Rises in the Desert, YUEN Woo-ping, *action martial arts*, Hong Kong/China 2026, International Festival Premiere **CLOSING FILM**

Measure in Love, KUNG Siu-ping, *"Another Brick in the Wall"*, Hong Kong/Taiwan 2025, European Premiere\*\*

Night King, Jack NG, *vintage nightlife wonderland*, Hong Kong 2026, European Premiere

Road to Vendetta, NJO Kui-ying, *cool all-out action film*, Hong Kong/Japan 2025, European Premiere\*

The Snowball on a Sunny Day, Philip YUNG, *family screwball comedy*, Hong Kong 2026, European Premiere

Someone Like Me, TAM Wai-ching, *sexuality and disability*, Hong Kong 2025, Italian Premiere

Unidentified Murder, KWOK Ka-hei, Jack LEE, *UFO or not UFO? That is the question*, Hong Kong, 2026, European Premiere\*

We're Nothing at All, Herman YAU, *bomb tragedy at boiling point*, Hong Kong 2026, International Premiere

#### INDONESIA [2]

Dopamine, Teddy SOERIA ATMADJA, *crime romance thriller*, Indonesia 2025, International Premiere

Ghost in the Cell, Joko ANWAR, *art and ghosts in the prison*, Indonesia 2026, Italian Premiere

#### JAPAN [9]

5 Centimeters Per Second, OKUYAMA Yoshiyuki, *rendez-vous in time*, Japan 2025, European Festival Premiere

90 Meters, NAKAGAWA Shun, *caring with love*, Japan 2026, International Premiere

All Greens, KOYAMA Takashi, *bro, want a joint?*, Japan 2026, European Premiere\*

Fujiko, KIMURA Taichi, *dreamlike woman's empowerment drama*, Japan 2026, World Premiere

The Last Blossom, KINOSHITA Baku, *animation with talking flower*, Japan 2025, Italian Premiere

The Sickness Unto Love, HIROKI Ryuichi, *exploring the boundaries of love*, Japan 2025, International Premiere

Suzuki=Bakudan, NAGAI Akira, *investigative film*, Japan 2025, Italian Premiere

Tiger, Anshul CHAUHAN, *stark LGBTQ drama*, Japan 2025, European Premiere

Unchained, YOSHIDA Keisuke, *a parable on evil*, Japan 2026, World Premiere

#### MALAYSIA [2]

The Fox King, WOO Ming Jin, *the twins, the mysterious lady, and the sea*, Malaysia 2025, European Premiere

Mother Bhumi, CHONG Keat Aun, *life and magic at the border*, Malaysia 2025, European Premiere

#### PHILIPPINES [2]

Filipiñana, Rafael MANUEL, *an abstract ballet*, Philippines 2026, Italian Premiere\*

Midnight Girls, Irene VILLAMOR, *to live and survive in Nagoya*, Philippines 2026, World Premiere

#### SINGAPORE [3]

Ah Girl, ANG Geck Geck Priscilla, *the children are watching us*, Singapore 2026, Italian Premiere\*

The Old Man and His Car, Michael KAM, *on the paths of memory*, Singapore 2025, European Premiere\*

We Are All Strangers, Anthony CHEN, *"All the times that I've cried"*, Singapore 2026, Italian Premiere\* **OPENING FILM**

#### SOUTH KOREA [6]

The King's Warden, CHANG Hang-jun, *a King as a guest*, South Korea 2026, International Festival Premiere

My Name, CHUNG Ji-young, *an impossible farewell: the Jeju Island massacre*, South Korea 2026, Italian Premiere

Number One, KIM Tae-yong, *unexpected countdown*, South Korea 2026, International Premiere

Once We Were Us, KIM Do-Young, *the end of a love?* South Korea 2025, International Festival Premiere

The Seoul Guardians, KIM Jong-woo, KIM Shin-wan, CHO Chul-young, *live coverage of a coup*, South Korea 2026, Italian Premiere\*

The World of Love, YOON Ga-eun, *secret scars*, South Korea 2025, Italian Premiere\*

#### TAIWAN [6]

Deep Quiet Room, SHEN Ko-shang, *trauma and hidden truths*, Taiwan 2026, European Premiere

A Foggy Tale, CHEN Yu-hsun, *friendship in an era of terror*, Taiwan 2025, European Premiere

I Blew Out the Candles Before Making a Wish, CHAO Koi-wang, HU Chin-yen, *on the run in Macau*, Taiwan 2026, World Premiere\*

Kung Fu, Giddens KO, *crazy love letter to wuxia*, Taiwan 2026, International Festival Premiere

A Mighty Adventure, Toe YUEN, *silent animation: wonders of nature*, Taiwan/Malaysia/Hong Kong 2026, International Premiere

Sunshine Women's Choir, Gavin LIN, *weepie musical in jail*, Taiwan 2025, International Festival Premiere

### THAILAND [3]

Gohan, Chayanop BOONPRAKOB, Baz POONPIRIYA, Atta HEMWADEE, *a dog's life in 3 episodes*, Thailand 2026, International Festival Premiere

The Last Shot, Puttipong NAKTHONG, *gripping neo-noir thriller*, Thailand 2025, International Festival Premiere

Tha Rae: The Exorcist, Taweewat WANTHA, *an alliance of exorcists*, Thailand 2025, European Premiere

### VIETNAM [4]

Blood Moon Rite 8, PHAN Gia Nhat Linh, *"One Cut of the Dead" lives again!*, Vietnam 2026, International Premiere

Hijacked, Ham TRAN, *hectic action at high altitude*, Vietnam 2025, International Festival Premiere

Ky Nam Inn, Leon LE, *old Saigon-style mélò*, Vietnam 2025, Italian Premiere

Tunnels: Sun in the Dark, BUI THAC Chuyen, *the other side of the war in Vietnam*, Vietnam 2025, Italian Premiere\*

### OUT OF COMPETITION [23]

#### YAKUSHO KOJI: PERFECT ROLES [7]

13 Assassins, MIIKE Takashi, *period action drama*, Japan 2010

The Blood of Wolves, SHIRAISHI Kazuya, *crime*, Japan 2018

The Eel, IMAMURA Shohei, *symbolic drama*, Japan 1997

Perfect Days, Wim WENDERS, *drama*, Japan/Germany 2023

Tampopo, ITAMI Juzo, *comedy*, Japan 1985/4K 2022

Under the Open Sky, NISHIKAWA Miwa, *drama*, Japan 2020

The Woodsman and the Rain, OKITA Shuichi, *comedy-drama*, Japan 2012

#### SPECIAL SCREENINGS [3]

Ciao UFO, Patrick LEUNG, *poetic nostalgia*, Hong Kong 2019/2026, European Premiere

Kokuho, LEE Sang-il, *2 lives on stage*, Japan 2025, Italian Premiere

Tokyo Taxi, YAMADA Yoji, *nostalgic road movie*, Japan 2025, Italian Premiere

#### DOCUMENTARIES [2]

Mr. Kim Goes to the Cinema, KIM Dong-ho, South Korea 2026, European Premiere

The Ozu Diaries, Daniel RAIM, USA 2025

#### RESTORED CLASSICS [11]

Cageman, Jacob CHEUNG, *cage-home camaraderie*, Hong Kong 1992/4K 2026, International Premiere

Love Massacre, Patrick TAM, *passion and brutality*, Hong Kong 1981/4K 2025, European Premiere

Gamera, the Giant Monster, YUASA Noriaki, *kaiju movie*, Japan 1965/4K 2025, International Festival Premiere

Hula Girls, LEE Sang-il, *comedy*, Japan 2006/4K 2025, European Premiere - *Tribute to Lee Sang-il*

Chilsu and Mansu, PARK Kwang-su, *drama*, South Korea 1988/2K 2014, Italian Premiere - *Tribute to Ahn Sung-ki*

Push! Push!, PARK Chul-soo, *black comedy*, South Korea 1997/4K 2026, World Premiere

In the Wink of an Eye, Mike DE LEON, *terrifying true crime*, Philippines 1981/4K 2023, Italian Premiere

Macho Dancer, Lino BROCKA, *LGBTQ drama*, Philippines 1988/4K 2023, Italian Premiere

Connection by Fate, WAN Jen, *ghost odyssey*, Taiwan 1998/2K 2025, World Premiere

Good Neighbors, LEE Hsing, *culture clash in the 1960s*, Taiwan 1962/2K 2026, World Premiere

Love Never Ceases, SHAO Lo-hui, *an everlasting love*, Taiwan 1962/2K 2026, World Premiere

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#### I NUMERI DEL FESTIVAL/FESTIVAL FIGURES

Total films: **75**/Total countries/regions: **12**

Total films in competition: **52**/Total films out of competition: **23**

Female directors: **8 (6 in competition – 2 out of competition)**

\* White Mulberry Award for First Time Director: **12**

\* Mulberry Award for Best Screenplay: **5**

World Premiere: **8 (competition 4) + (out of competition 4)**

International Premiere: **18**

European Premiere: **21**

Italian Premiere: **20**

**ONLINE SECTION**, Total films: **14** (all available in Italy)