



## VIFF 2022 Fast Facts

41<sup>st</sup> Vancouver International Film Festival  
September 29 – October 9

### This year's VIFF program features:

- 237 films
  - 135 features
  - 102 shorts
  - 60 narratives
  - 57 documentaries
- 75 countries of production and of interest represented
- 73 languages represented
- 112 female and non-binary filmmakers
- 33 world premieres
- 8 international premieres
- 42 North American premieres
- 56 Canadian premieres
- 19 Canadian features films
  - 5 features by BC filmmakers
- 51 Canadian shorts
  - 18 shorts by BC filmmakers
- 27 Canadian documentaries
  - 11 documentaries by BC filmmakers
- 47 works by female and non-binary filmmakers
  - 22 features
  - 25 shorts
- 24 films on VIFF Connect
- 7 venues
- 4168 submissions

### Series:

- **Galas & Special Presentations:** Highly anticipated films screening in our marquee venue.
- **Showcase:** Exceptional cinema that will resonate strongly with VIFF audiences.
- **Panorama:** An array of remarkable narrative films from every corner of the globe.
- **Vanguard:** Rising international talents bring their singular visions to the screen.
- **Northern Lights:** The next wave of Canadian and Indigenous storytellers.
- **Insights:** Documentaries that change the way we see the world.



- **Spectrum:** A collection of innovative nonfiction filmmaking.
- **Portraits:** A kaleidoscope of ground-breaking artists, great performances, and cultural icons.
- **Altered States:** This is where the wild ones come out to play.
- **VIFF Short Forum:** The perspectives and approaches that are elevating short-form storytelling in Canada.
- **International Shorts:** In only minutes, these films immerse you in fully realized narratives that leave a mark.
- **MODES:** International short works that explore how far the form of cinema is capable of bending.