

The
3rd  **KITALE**
FILM WEEK
FEBRUARY 2-9, 2025

OFFICIAL PROGRAMME

OPENING NIGHT

Date: Sunday, 2nd February, 2025

Venue: Deepsea Resort, Kitale

Time: 5:00pm to 10:00pm

FILM SCREENINGS:

The Fetish (Le Fétiche) (2023) – Kouamé Mathurin Samuel Codjovi, Côte d'Ivoire (+ Feb 4th Deepsea)

Nawi (2024) – Kevin Schmutzler, Toby Schmutzler, Apuu Mourine Munyes, Vallentine Chelluget, Kenya (+ Feb 5th Kitalale Museum)

MONDAY, 3RD FEBRUARY 2025 (DOCUMENTARY SPOTLIGHT)

KITALE MUSEUM AUDITORIUM:

3:00 PM - 4:30 PM: Here We Are (2024) – Violeta Lockhart, MinervasFilmRD, Dominican Republic

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM: Shorts block: Climate Innovation Challenge (Curated by Teddy Warria).

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM: Brief Tender Light (2023) – Arthur Musah, Ghana

DEEPSEA MAIN HALL:

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM: Afrikki (2025) – Gaëlle Le Roy, Senegal (+ Feb 6th Kitalale Town CBD Outdoor)

3:00 PM - 4:30 PM: Shorts block:

He Knows This Place (2024) – Melissa Lefkowitz, Kenya, United States

Sounds of Silence (2024) – Joan Mwhiki Kabugu, Kenya

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM: Descendants of Broken Heroes (2024) – John Waiganjo, Kenya

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM: Shorts block:

The Sorghum Sisters (2024) – Tabitha Maina, Kenya (+ Feb 3rd Kitalale Town CBD + Kipsongo Outdoor)

Bahari Bingwa (2024) – Samuel Wanjohi, Kenya

The Equalizer (2024) – Brenda Maina, Kenya (+ Feb 6th Deepsea)

Unyagoni: Bahati's Sex Education Journey (2024) – Saitabao Kaiyare, Kenya (+ Feb 6th Lessos & 7th Kibomet Outdoor)

9:00 PM - 10:30 PM: Limo On The Run (2024) – Njoki Muhoho, Hanigun Kwenya, Kenya

OUTDOOR SCREENING AREAS:

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM - KITALE TOWN CBD OUTDOOR:

The Sorghum Sisters (2024) – Tabitha Maina, Kenya (+ Feb 3rd Deepsea)

Unyagoni: Bahati's Sex Education Journey (2024) – Saitabao Kaiyare, Kenya (+ Feb 6th Lessos & 7th Kibomet Outdoor)

The Destiny of a Truck Driver (2024) – Yssouf Koussé, Burkina Faso (+ Feb 4th Kitalale Museum)

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM - KIPSONGO CENTRE OUTDOOR:

The Sorghum Sisters (2024) – Tabitha Maina, Kenya (+ Feb 3rd Deepsea)

Unyagoni: Bahati's Sex Education Journey (2024) – Saitabao Kaiyare, Kenya (+ Feb 6th Lessos & 7th Kibomet Outdoor)

Wamaitha (2024) – Kang'ethe Mungai, Kenya (+ Feb 8th Deepsea)

TUESDAY, 4TH FEBRUARY 2025

(NEW AFRICAN FICTION + AFRICAN CLASSICS SPOTLIGHT)

KITALE MUSEUM AUDITORIUM:

3:00 PM - 4:30 PM: The Destiny of a Truck Driver (2024) – Yssouf Koussé, Burkina Faso (+ Feb 3rd Kitala Town CBD Outdoor)

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM: Shorts block:

Mata Hari (2024) – Calvin Mandaga Oyula, Kenya

As I Dream (2024) – Eunice Acan, Uganda

Float (2024) - Lydia Matata, Kenya

The Day I Will Never Forget (2024) – Viboks Omondi, Kenya (+ Feb 4th Kitala Town CBD Outdoor)

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM: Sabotage (2024) – Mathew Nabwiso, Uganda (+ Feb 7th Kitala Town CBD Outdoor)

DEEPSEA MAIN HALL:

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM: Shorts block:

Art Piece (2024) – Chizzi Banda, Zambia

Bella is Dying Maybe Next Week (2024) - Abigail Arunga, Mkaiwawi 'Mkay' Mwakaba, Kenya

Black Skin (2024) – Nephtalie Tyrana Tobona, Daniel Ananias Momou-Mongui, Safari Ally Sengaire, Central African Republic

Home (2024) - Adelle Onyango, Kenya

3:00 PM - 4:30 PM: The Little Girl Who Sold the Sun/ La Petite Vendeuse de Soleil (1999) – Djibril Diop Mambéty, Senegal

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM: Shorts block:

I Too, Crave Death (2024) – Uchenna Ugwu, Nigeria

The Fetish (Le Fétiche) (2023) – Kouamé Mathurin Samuel Codjovi, Côte d'Ivoire (+ Feb 2nd Deepsea)

TicTok (2024) – Cassandra Ndouba, Aminou Mohamadou, Elvera Nkodia, Central African Republic

6:00 PM - 8:30 PM: Kismet (2024) – Ngang Romanus Ntseh, Cameroon

9:00 PM - 10:30 PM: Mandabi / The Money Order (1968) – Ousmane Sembène, Senegal

MAKUTI SPRINGS, MAKASEMBO ROAD, KITALE

5:00 PM - 7:00 PM TRIBUTE TO FRANKI ASHIRUKA

OUTDOOR SCREENING AREAS:

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM - BONDENI SHAURI MOYO OUTDOOR:

Know thy Body, Know Thyself (2024) - Ty Ngachira, Kenya

Bala Bala Sese (2015) – Lukyamuzi Bashir, Uganda

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM - KITALE TOWN CBD OUTDOOR:

The Day I Will Never Forget (2024) – Viboks Omondi, Kenya (+ Feb 4th Kitala Museum)

Nairobi Half Life (2012) – Tosh Gitonga, Kenya (+ Feb 5th Gatua Outdoor)

WEDNESDAY, 5TH FEBRUARY 2025

(EMERGING FILMMAKERS SPOTLIGHT)

NORTH RIFT AND WESTERN KENYA FILM AND TV SUMMIT (9:00 AM - 4:00 PM)

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM: Shorts block of films from North Rift and Western Kenya:

Tiny Winnie; Roots of Renewal; TinderBox; The Concord; Secrets; Silent Prayers

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM: Nawi (2024) – Kevin Schmutzler, Toby Schmutzler, Apuu Mourine Munyes, Vallentine Chellugut, Kenya (+ Feb 2nd Deepsea)

DEEPSEA MAIN HALL:

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM: Shorts block:

Angel in the Stone (2024) – Doyinsola Ajayi, Nigeria

Stray Flower (2022) – Nandi Nastasja, Namibia, Germany (+ Feb 5th Gatua Outdoor)

Emunyenye (2024) – Brian Vons Mukisa, Uganda

Salamatu's Rhapsody (2024) – Abu-bakr S. Adamu, Oluwatimilehin Adejumo, Nigeria

3:00 PM - 4:30 PM: The Passenger (2023) – Hadijah Nakanjako, Uganda

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM: Shorts block:

Obukade Busatu (2024) – Nsiima Chloe Elizabeth, Uganda

Half Chocolate Half Vanilla (2024) – Nodryn Evanci Kabuye, Uganda (+ Feb 8th Deepsea)

Kuyo (2024) – Don Otieno Okinyi, Kenya

The Boy From Kampala (2024) – Vieri Kavuma, Uganda

Endless Loop (2023) – 'Che Messiah, Nigeria

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM: Otis Janam (2024) – Zippy Okoth, Kenya

8:30 PM - 10:00 PM: Hanami (2024) – Denise Fernandes, Cape Verde

OUTDOOR SCREENING AREAS:

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM - GATUA OUTDOOR:

Stray Flower (2022) – Nandi Nastasja, Namibia, Germany (+ Feb 5th Deepsea)

Nairobi Half Life (2012) – Tosh Gitonga, Kenya (+ Feb 4th Kitala Town CBD Outdoor)

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM - KITALE TOWN CBD OUTDOOR:

The Boy From Kampala (2024) – Vieri Kavuma, Uganda

Half Chocolate Half Vanilla (2024) – Nodryn Evanci Kabuye, Uganda (+ Feb 8th Deepsea)

I Know My Rights (2024) – Lord Muga Brian, Kenya (+ Feb 6th Lessos Centre Outdoor)

THURSDAY, 6TH FEBRUARY 2025

GENRE SPOTLIGHT

KITALE MUSEUM AUDITORIUM:

3:00 PM - 4:30 PM: Shorts block

Binti Maji and the Ocean (2020) – Sheldon Mutei Ndumbu, Gift Kyansimire Oroni, Kenya
Gas (2024) – Emmanuel Chege, Rebecca Keli, Kenya
Death Valley (2023) – Kennedy Kyalo, Kenya
Counterpunch (2024) – Rodney Williams, Kenya, Uganda
All Equal! (2024) – Cheikh Ahmadou Bamba Diop, Senegal, United Kingdom

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM: Heroes of Africa: Tetteh Quashie (2020) – Frank Fiifi Gharbin, Ghana

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM: Karamoja (2023) – Mathew Nabwiso, Uganda

DEEPSEA MAIN HALL:

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM: Shorts block:

Fatherhood (2024) – Amisha Mukasa, Kenya, Uganda (+ Feb 7th Kitala Museum)
The Equalizer (2024) – Brenda Maina, Kenya (+ Feb 3rd Deepsea)

3:00 PM - 4:30 PM: Kintu (2024) – Denis Junior Dhikusooka, Kenya

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM: Shorts block:

Fractured (2024) – Josephine Mary Namirembe, Uganda (+ Feb 8th Deepsea)
The Little Things (2024) – Jevin Mulwa, Kenya
Dawn After Darkness (2024) – Muhire Methode, Rwanda
Grogans Lodge (2023) – Isaya Evans, Kenya (+ Feb 9th Deepsea)

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM: A Country Called Ghana (2024) – Frank Gharbin, Ghana (+ Feb 7th Kibomet St Mary's Outdoor)

8:30 PM - 10:00 PM: Mission Xylara (2024) – Denis Junior Dhikusooka, Uganda

OUTDOOR SCREENING AREAS:

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM - LESSOS CENTRE OUTDOOR:

Unyagoni: Bahati's Sex Education Journey (2024) – Saitabao Kaiyare, Kenya (+ Feb 3rd Deepsea; + Feb 3rd CBD & Kipsongo Outdoor)

I Know My Rights (2024) – Lord Muga Brian, Kenya (+ Feb 5th Kitala Town CBD Outdoor)

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM - KITALE TOWN CBD OUTDOOR:

Ndoto (2023) – Omar Hamza, Kenya (+ Feb 7th Deepsea)
Afrikki (2025) – Gaëlle Le Roy, Senegal (+ Feb 3rd Deepsea)

FRIDAY, 7TH FEBRUARY 2025

HADITHI ZA JUMUIYA SPOTLIGHT

KITALE MUSEUM AUDITORIUM:

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM: Dancing in the Dust / Bal poussière (1989) – Henri Duparc, Cote d'Ivoire

3:00 PM - 4:30 PM: Shorts block:

The Street Chase (2024) – Rabin Lucas Makori, Kenya
Rudi (2024) – Derrick Njuguna Kinyanjui, Kenya
Broken (2024) – Clive Nshiiime, Uganda
Fatherhood (2024) – Amisha Mukasa, Kenya, Uganda (+ Feb 6th Deepsea)

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM: Present Past (2024) – N. Salma Bynes, Uganda

DEEPSEA MAIN HALL:

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM: Shorts block:

318 (2019) - Jumbi John, Kenya
I Am Not Corrupt (2019) - Nadine Ibrahim, Nigeria
Ndoto (2023) – Omar Hamza, Kenya (+ Feb 6th Kitala Town CBD Outdoor)
Thief (2024) – Andrew Evans Odera, Greg Kiwo Maole, Kenya

3:00 PM - 4:30 PM: Half Life (2024) – Mulindwa Richard, Uganda

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM: Shorts block :

1992 (2024) – Gilbert Lukalia, Kenya
Unasemaje? (2024) – Kelvin Kagambo, Tanzania
Love Sweet Sound (2024) – Neha Manoj Shah, Kenya

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM: 2 Asunder (2024) – Faki Liwali, Tony Mwaura, Kenya

9:00 PM - 10:30 PM: Maria (2024) – Nana Kagga, Uganda

OUTDOOR SCREENING AREAS:

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM - KIBOMET ST MARY'S OUTDOOR:

Unyagoni: Bahati's Sex Education Journey (2024) – Saitabao Kaiyare, Kenya (+ Feb 3rd Deepsea; + Feb 6th Outdoor)
A Country Called Ghana (2024) – Frank Gharbin, Ghana (+ Feb 6th Deepsea)

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM - KITALE TOWN CBD OUTDOOR:

Grogans Lodge (2023) – Isaya Evans, Kenya (+Feb 6th Deepsea)
Sabotage (2024) – Mathew Nabwiso, Uganda (+ Feb 4th Kitala Museum)

SATURDAY, 8TH FEBRUARY 2025

DEEPSEA MAIN HALL:

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM: Shorts block:

Half Chocolate Half Vanilla (2024) – Nodryn Evanci Kabuye, Uganda (+ Feb 5th Deepsea & Kitale Town CBD Outdoor)

Fractured (2024) – Josephine Mary Namirembe, Uganda (+ Feb 6th Deepsea)

Njambi and The Missing Bananas (2024) – Wanyuru Muiruri, Kenya

Counterpunch (2024) – Rodney Williams, Kenya, Uganda (+ Feb 6th Kitale Museum)

3:00 PM - 4:30 PM: Life Is Beautiful/ La Vie est Belle (1987) – Benoît Lamy & Mwezé Ngangura, DR Congo

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM: Boda Love (2024) – Janet Wells, Kenya

9:00 PM - 10:30 PM: Wamaitha (2024) – Kang'ethe Mungai, Kenya (+ Feb 3rd Kipsongo Centre Outdoor)

SUNDAY, 9TH FEBRUARY 2025

CLOSING NIGHT

Venue: Deepsea Resort, Kitale

Time: 5:00pm to 10:00pm

Kitale Film Week 2025 Film Awards

Film Screenings:

Grogans Lodge (2023) – Isaya Evans, Kenya (+ Feb 6th Deepsea; + Feb 7th Kitale Town CBD Outdoor)

Our Land, Our Freedom (2024) – Meena Nanji, Zippy Kimundu, Kenya

MORE INFORMATION

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