

A SUSPEITA (THE SUSPECT)



Portugal, 1999, ANI, 35mm, Colour, 25'

Dolby SR, 1:1.33

Director: José Miguel Ribeiro

Producer: Luís da Matta Almeida, [Zeppelin Filmes, Lda](#)

Script: Levina Valentim, Virgilio Almeida, Gonçalo Galvão Teles

Photography: Carlos B. Cunha

Editing: Frederico Fonseca, João Champlon

Music: Bernardo Devlin

Sound: Mafalda Roma; Samuel Duarte; Henrique Dias

Animation: José Miguel Ribeiro; Indira Su'ad Nedell, Igor Simões

Voz Off: Dora Bernardo, Vitor Soares, Teresa Côrte-Real, Paulo Raposo

Animation Plaster and puppet animation

Technique:

Original Language: Portuguese

Subtitles: Spanish, English

Synopsis: A train compartment, four people, a ticket collector, a Barcelos penknife and a potential assassin. Will they all make it to the end of the journey?

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José Miguel Ribeiro

Jose Miguel Ribeiro was born on January 18th, 1966, in Amadora; completed his degree in Fine Arts - Painting - at Escola Superior de Belas Artes de Lisboa and began his work as an illustrator in 1990; studied Animated Film Direction at Lazannec-Bretagne, Rennes, and at Filmografo, Porto, in 1993/1994; directed several short motion pictures, being O Ovo (The Egg) and O Banquete da Rainha (The Queen's Feast) two of the most significant. In 1999 he directed A Suspeita (The Suspect), which would give him the Cartoon D'Or 2000.

In 2004, directed the animated stop motion series for children As Coisas la de Casa (The Things of my Home), in 26 episodes and the short motion film Abraco do Vento (The Wind's Embrace).

In 2007 he worked as illustrator of the book O rapaz que aprendeu a voar (The boy who's learnt how to fly) by Alexandre Honrado, and founded the Production Company Sardinha em Lata, with Nuno Beato and Eva Yebenes.

In April 2009 completed the stop-motion short film Passeio de Domingo (Sunday Promenade) and in June 2010 finished the short motion film Viagem a Cabo Verde (Journey to Cape Verde).

In 2011 completed the pilot episode O Bala?o Lua (Moon Balloon), of Dodu, o Rapaz de Cartao series (Dodu, the Cardboard Boy) and started the TV special Papel de Natal (Christmas Wrapping Paper).

In 2012 left the company Sardinha em Lata and created a new film production company in Montemor-o-Novo: Praca Filmes. In this same year directed the movie A Energia da Terra Chega para Todos (The Energy of the Earth is Enough for Everyone) for the Municipality of Almada, awarded at Cinanima and sellected for 2013 Annecy International Competition.

In 2014 completed the production of the TV special Papel de Natal (Christmas Wrapping Paper) screening in 10 national theatres at Christmas season of that year. Presently Jose Miguel Ribeiro is developing the project for the feature animation film Nayola, co-directed by Jorge Antonio. Virgilio Almeida adapted the screenplay from the original text A Caixa Preta (The Black Box) by Mia Couto and Eduardo Agualusa.

In the last years he has been dividing his professional activity between animation cinema and illustration in the areas of training, production and creation.

Filmography:

2016 [ESTILHACOS](#)

Portugal, 2016, ANI, HD, Colour, 18'

- 2015 [PAPEL DE NATAL](#)
Portugal, 2015, ANI, HD, Colour, 30'
- 2014 [20 DESENHOS E UM ABRAÇO](#)
Portugal, 2014, ANI, HD, Colour, 7'
- 2010 [VIAGEM A CABO VERDE](#)
Portugal, 2010, ANI, HD, Colour, 17'
- 2010 [DODU - O RAPAZ DE CARTÃO](#)
Portugal, 2010, ANI, HD, Colour, 5'
- 2009 [PASSEIO DE DOMINGO](#)
Belgium, Netherlands, Portugal, France, 2009, ANI, 35mm, Colour, 20'
- 2004 [ABRAÇO DO VENTO](#)
Portugal, 2004, ANI, 35mm, Colour, 2'34"
- 1999 [A SUSPEITA](#)
Portugal, 1999, ANI, 35mm, Colour, 25'
- 1995 **OVOS**
ANI, 35mm, Colour, 1'
- 1996 **O JARDIM DA CELESTE**
ANI, Betacam, Colour, episódio de 1'
- 1996 **O BANQUETE DA RAINHA**
ANI, Betacam, Colour, 1'
- 1996 **O JARDIM DA CELESTE**
ANI, Betacam, Colour, 1'
- 1999 **CINANIMA SPOT**
ANI, Betacam, Colour, 1'
- 2000 **TIMOR LORO SAE**
ANI, 35mm, Colour, 1'
- 2000 **SALÃO LISBOA SPOT**
ANI, Betacam, Colour, 30"
- 2002 **ALMADA SEM CARROS DIA EUROPEU SEM CARROS**
ANI, Betacam, Colour, 20" /25"
- 2003 **AS COISAS LÁ DE CASA**
ANI, Betacam, Colour, 26 X 2'30"

Festival Selections

- 2021 Exibição Agrupamento de Escolas Cidade do Entroncamento, Portugal
- 2020 Programa Especial - Anilogue, Hungary
- 2020 Cinema de animação ao ar livre, Portugal
- 2020 Travelling Film Festival - Rennes, France
- 2019 Medeia Monumental - José Miguel Ribeiro, Portugal
- 2019 Lisbon & Sintra Film Festival, Portugal
- 2019 Turku Animated Film Festival, Finland
- 2019 Animafest - World Festival of Animated Films Zagreb - Agência 20 years, Croatia
- 2019 Mostra no Rio de Janeiro - Portugal 360, Brazil
- 2019 Dia Internacional dos Museus da Rede de Museus de Vila Nova de Famalicão, Portugal
- 2018 Semana Cultural Portuguesa - Porto Alegre , Brazil
- 2017 Semana do Cinema Português em Israel - Novembro, Israel
- 2017 Mostra - Universidade de Valência, Spain
- 2017 Sessão Escolar - Setúbal, Portugal
- 2017 Animatographo Vol. 6 - cinema para a infância e juventude, Portugal
- 2017 ANIMA, Brussels International Animation Film Festival, Belgium
- 2016 Cinanima - International Animated Film Festival of Espinho, Portugal
- 2016 Retrospectiva Cinema de Animação Português - Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

2016 Qualinerente - Vila Real, Portugal
 2016 Cineclube da Guarda, Portugal
 2016 Mostra Cinemateca - Universidade Lusófona, Portugal
 2016 10 Anos de Animação - Odemira, Portugal
 2016 Cinemateca Portuguesa - Janeiro, Portugal
 2015 Mostra - Nassica Style Outlet, Portugal
 2015 Animatou - International Animation Film Festival, Switzerland
 2015 10 Anos de Animação - Odemira, Portugal
 2015 Cinema para Escolas - Setúbal, Portugal
 2014 International Film Festival of Marvão, Portugal
 2014 Annecy - International Animation Film Festival, France
 2014 Semana Europa - Brasília, Brazil
 2013 Cineclube de Viseu, Portugal
 2013 Festival du Cinema de Brive, France
 2012 Fitas Na Rua, Portugal
 2012 Anima Mundi - International Animation Festival of Brazil, Brazil
 2012 FestFilmes - Festival do Audiovisual Luso Afro Brasileiro, Brazil
 2012 International Animation Short Film Festival of Roanne, France
 2011 Festival de Marionetas em Leiria, Portugal
 2011 Teatro José Lúcio da Silva, Portugal
 2011 , Cape Verde
 2011 Ciclo de cinema português na Universidade Hanguk de Estudos Estrangeiros -
 Seoul, Korea
 2011 Cinanima - International Animated Film Festival of Espinho, Portugal
 2011 Portuguese Animation and Short-Film Festival, China
 2011 United Islands of Prague, Czech Republic
 2011 Mostra em Zagrebe, Croatia
 2011 Mostra na Cinemateca de Zagrebe "Cinema Tuskanac", Croatia
 2011 Theatro Circo, Portugal
 2011 Ciclo de Curtas - Helsínquia, Finland
 2011 Go Short International Short Film Festival Nijmegen, Netherlands
 2011 Retrospectiva em Arras - Monstra, France
 2010 Torino Film Festival, Italy
 2010 Centro de Língua do Instituto Camões de Goa, India
 2010 Mostra - Estocolmo, Sweden
 2010 KUGOMA - Maputo, Mozambique
 2010 Corona Cork Film Festival, Ireland
 2010 Festa Mundial da Animação, France
 2010 EL Mes + Corto - IX Mostra Audiovisual internacional, Spain
 2010 Ciclo de Cinema, no Centro de Língua Portuguesa na Universidade de Hamburgo,
 Germany
 2010 Brazilian and Portuguese Film Series, USA
 2010 Leitorado do Instituto Camões na Universidade de Georgetown, USA
 2010 , Poland
 2010 ZOOM Festival, Canada
 2010 Brazilian Kids Film Festival, Brazil
 2010 Serralves em Festa, Portugal
 2010 Portas Abertas - Berlim, Germany
 2010 Rosenlew Museum, Finland
 2010 Universidade Turku, Finland
 2010 Universidade de Pori, Finland
 2010 Cinema Nun'Álvares, Portugal
 2010 Cine Alvalade, Portugal
 2010 Portuguese Speaking Countries Film Festival, CPL UMass Boston, USA

2010 Mostra Lisboa Animated Film Festival, Portugal

2009 International Film Festival Etiuda&Anima, Poland

2009 Cinanima - International Animated Film Festival of Espinho, Portugal

2009 Belo Horizonte International Short Film Festival, Brazil

2009 Degree in Cinema, Video and Multimedia Communication, Lusófona University, Portugal

2009 International Animation Day - Casa da Animação, Portugal

2009 Mostra-me - O Outro Lado do Cinema Português, Mostra de Cinema Português: Animação, Portugal

2009 Mostra Luso-Amazônica de Cinema, Brazil

2009 Mostra de Cinema Português - Departamento de Português da Universidade de Estudos Estrangeiros de Pequim, Embaixada de Portugal em Pequim, China

2009 Kaunasoporto Exchange Jornadas de Arte e Cultura Contemporânea Portuguesa, Lithuania

2009 Festival de Cinema Lusophone Poitiers | Angolagora, France

2009 Nice Short Film Festival, France

2009 Cairo International Film Festival for Children, Egypt

2009 Sandim em Movimento - Junta de Freguesia de Sandim, Portugal

2008 Degree in Cinema, Video and Multimedia Communication, Lusófona University, Portugal

2008 Holland Animation Film Festival, Netherlands

2008 Ciclo Novos Cineastas Portugueses, Teatro Ribeiragrandense, Portugal

2008 Filmini International Short Film Festival, Bulgaria

2008 L'Arrosoir à Emile, France

2008 International Short&Animation Film Festival Open Cinema, Russia

2008 International Kinemastik Short Film Festival - Westside Selekt, Malta

2008 Mostra de Cinema Português - Departamento de Português da Universidade de Estudos Estrangeiros de Pequim, Embaixada de Portugal em Pequim, China

2008 Lucca Animation, Italy

2008 Olho: Aberto, France

2007 International Animated Film Festival Animateka, Slovenia

2007 Anilogue - Budapest Animation Festival, Hungary

2007 Ibéria Animada [Mostra de Cinema de Animação Ibérico], Portugal

2007 Portuguese Festival Berlin, Germany

2007 Curtas Vila do Conde IFF, Portugal

2007 Portugal ConVida, Spain

2007 CinéRail - International Train & Cinema Festival, France

2007 Mostra - Lisbon Animated Film Festival, Portugal

2007 Dia da Europa, Washington (E.U.A.), USA

2007 European Film Festival of Adis Abeba, Ethiopia

2007 European Film Festival, Pakistan

2006 Hola Lisboa - Festival de Cinema Ibérico (Filme Couture), Portugal

2006 Curtas de Animação Portuguesa - Câmara Municipal de Mértola, Portugal

2006 CINANIMA - Festival Internacional de Cinema de Animação de Espinho (10 Anos de Animação Portuguesa - Premiados), Portugal

2006 Projector - Media Arts & Imaging (Project "Hot Shot"), United Kingdom

2006 Mecal - Festival de Cortometrajes de Barcelona (Portuguese Programme), Spain

2006 Portuguese Festival em Madrid - Festival Internacional de Artes e Cultura Portuguesa, Spain

2006 Ciclo de Cinema Português, Germany

2006 Saudade: A língua é a Minha Pátria, Italy

2006 ANIMA, Brussels Cartoon and Animated Film Festival (Retrospectiva), Belgium

2006 European Youth Film Festival of Flanders, Belgium

2006 Expolíngua de Paris, France

2005 Expolíngua de Berlim, Germany
2005 Portuguese Festival em Paris - Festival International des Arts et Culture Portugais, France
2005 Outras Histórias - Educação pela Imagem [Auditório da Biblioteca Municipal de Barcelos], Portugal
2005 I Ciclo de Cinema - Auditório da Biblioteca Municipal de Barcelos, Portugal
2004 Interfilm Berlin - International Short Film Festival (Portuguese Programme), Germany
2004 Festival Internacional de Curtas Metragens de Belo Horizonte - Retrospectiva de Curtas Portuguesas, Brazil
2004 Portuguese Festival (Retrospectiva de Curtas Portuguesas), Spain
2004 12th Stuttgart International Festival of Animated Film (Retrospective), Germany
2003 8th Int. Short and Independent Film Festival, Dhaka (Programa Português), Bangladesh
2003 Siena International Short Film Festival (Retrospectiva Portuguesa), Italy
2003 Portuguese Festival (Retrospectiva de Curtas Portuguesas), United Kingdom
2003 Festival International du Cinema Mediterranéen de Tetouan, Morocco
2003 Porto Arte, Portugal
2003 Cinema Le Melies, Pau,, France
2003 Le Méliès - Pau, France
2003 Tehran International Animation Festival, Iran (Islamic Republic of)
2002 Animadrid, Spain
2002 Casa da Animação - Retrospectiva de Animação Portuguesa, Portugal
2002 Macaquins - Programa ACM/Filmógrafo, Portugal
2002 Semaine de cinema portugais, Mairie de Clermont-Ferrand, France
2002 Wiesbaden Festival, Germany
2002 Iranian Young Cinema Society, Iran (Islamic Republic of)
2002 Mês Cultural Português em Pequim,, China
2002 Imago -IV Festival Internacional de Cinema e Video, Portugal
2002 Festival de Surgères, France
2002 Portobello Film Festival, United Kingdom
2002 Anima Mundi, Brazil
2002 Melbourne/Sidney Animation Festivals, Australia
2002 Institut Jean Vigo, France
2002 Encontros Internacionais de Cinema de Cabo Verde, Cape Verde
2002 Seoul International Animation Festival, Korea
2002 Cineclub de Viseu, Portugal
2002 Travelling Film Festival, Rennes, France
2002 Portuguese Panorama - Clermont-Ferrand, France
2002 IPJ Lisboa, Portugal
2002 Teatr'UBI, Portugal