

## COUP DE GRCE



Portugal, 2017, FIC, DCP, Colour, 25'

5.1, scope

Director: Salomé Lamas

Producer: Luis Urbano, Sandro Aguilar

Script: Isabel Pettermann

Script: Salomé Lamas

Editing: Francisco Moreira

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Photography: Rui Xavier

Sound: Miguel Martins

Main Actors: Clara Jost, João Pedro Bénard, Gabriel Abrantes, Margarida Lucas, Álvaro Covelo, Pinto Workers, Miguel Borges

Original Language: Portuguese

Subtitles: Spanish, French, English

Synopsis: Leonor returns from a trip on a day where her dad wasn't expecting her. In twenty-four hours they will live a crescendoing hallucinated reality, led by Francisco's unsettling state of apparent normality.

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## Salomé Lamas

Salomé Lamas (Lisbon) studied cinema in Lisbon and Prague, visual arts in Amsterdam and is a Ph.D candidate in contemporary art studies in Coimbra. Her work has been screened both in art venues and film festivals such as Berlinale, BAFICI, Museo Arte Reina Sofia, FIAC, MNAC – Museu do Chiado, DocLisboa, Cinema du Réel, Visions du Réel, MoMA – Museum of Modern Art, Museo Guggenheim Bilbao, Harvard Film Archive, Museum of Moving Images NY, Jewish Museum NY, Fid Marseille, Arsenal Institut fur film und videokunst, Viennale, Culturgest, CCB - Centro Cultural de Belém, Hong Kong FF, Museu Serralves, Tate Modern, CPH: DOX, Centre d'Art Contemporain de Genève, Bozar , Tabakalera, ICA London, TBA 21 Foundation, Mostra de São Paulo, CAC Vilnius, MALBA, FAEMA, SESC São Paulo, MAAT, La Biennale di Venezia Architettura, among others.

Lamas was granted several fellowships such as the Gardner Film Study Center Fellowship – Harvard University, The Rockefeller Foundation – Bellagio Center, Brown Foundation – Dora Maar House, Fundación Botín, Fundação Calouste Gulbenkian, Sundance, Bogliasco Foundation, The MacDowell Colony, Yaddo, Berliner Künstlerprogramm des DAAD. She collaborates with Universidade Católica Portuguesa and Elias Querejeta Zine Eskola. She collaborates with the production company O Som e a Fúria and is represented by Galeria Miguel Nabinho and Kubikgallery.

### Filmography:

- 2021 [HOTEL ROYAL](#)  
Portugal, 2021, EXP, FIC, DCP, Colour, 29'
- 2020 [EXTRACTION: THE RAFT OF THE MEDUSA](#)  
Portugal, Switzerland, 2020, DOC, EXP, FIC, DCP, Colour, 10'
- 2019 [FATAMORGANA, QUE HORAS SÃO?](#)  
Portugal, France, Lebanon, 2019, DOC, EXP, FIC, DCP, HD, Colour/B&W, 120'
- 2017 [COUP DE GRCE](#)  
Portugal, 2017, FIC, DCP, Colour, 25'
- 2017 [UBI SUNT](#)  
Portugal, 2017, DOC, EXP, FIC, HD, Colour, 23'

- 2015 [A TORRE](#)  
Portugal, Germany, Moldova, 2015, DOC, EXP, HD, B&W, 8'
- 2014 [LE BOUDIN](#)  
Portugal, Germany, 2014, DOC, HD, B&W, 16'30"
- 2013 [THEATRUM ORBIS TERRARUM](#)  
Portugal, 2013, DOC, EXP, HD, Colour, 26'
- 2012 [A COMUNIDADE](#)  
Portugal, 2012, DOC, HD, Colour, 23'
- 2018 **HANGAR-TERMINAL-METRO**
- 2018 **EXTINCTION**
- 2017 **UBI SUNT II**  
Video Installation - in collaboration with Christoph Both-Asmus
- 2017 **UBI SUNT III**  
Video Installation - in collaboration with Christoph Both-Asmus
- 2017 **HORIZON NOZIROH**  
Video Installation - co-directed with Gregorio Graziosi in collaboration with Christoph Both-Asmus
- 2016-17 **SELF PORTRAIT**  
Installation - Photogravure
- 2016 **...RIOTS AND RITUALS**
- 2016 **THE BURIAL OF THE DEAD**  
Video Installation
- 2016 **EL DOURADO XXI**
- 2015 **MOUNT ANANEA**  
Installation
- 2015 **NORTH: TRIAL BY FIRE**  
Video Installation
- 2012 **TERRA DE NINGUÉM**
- 2012 **ENCOUNTERS WITH LANDSCAPE (3x)**
- 2011 **GOLDEN DAWN**
- 2010 **IMPERIAL GIRL**
- 2010-2012 **VHS – VIDEO HOME SYSTEM**
- 2009 **JOTTA: A MINHA MALADRESSE É UMA FORMA DE DELICATESSE**
- 2008 **O PALIMPSESTO DA RAPARIGA CISNE OU CHOVEU DURANTE DOIS DIAS E A PAISAGEM ALTEROU-SE**

### Festival Selections

- 2026 VAIVEM - Semana de Cine Português, Mexico
- 2024 Ciclo Salomé Lamas Um Teatro em Cada Bairro, Portugal
- 2023 (A)mostra de cinema português - Estremoz, Portugal
- 2021 Salomé Lamas at Institute of Contemporary Arts, United Kingdom
- 2021 DocNomads - Portuguese Cinema, Culture and Identity, Portugal

2020 Cineclube Montemor-o-Novo - Marçõ, Portugal  
2020 CGAI-Filmoteca de Galicia , Spain  
2019 Intersección - Encontro Internacional de Arte Audiovisual, Spain  
2019 Semana da Cultura Portuguesa - Arménia, Armenia  
2019 Bilbao Arte, Spain  
2019 Hongseung International Film Festival , Korea  
2019 Semana das Culturas estrangeiras, France  
2019 Semana do Cinema Português em Zhukovski, Russia  
2019 International Kansk Video Festival, Russia  
2019 Semana do Cinema Português na Rússia - Junho, Russia  
2019 Festival Côté Court - Pantin, France  
2019 Festival de Cinema Ibero-Americano, Russia  
2019 Sessões do Carvão - O Cinema Falado, Portugal  
2019 GEGENkino Filmfest, Germany  
2019 Festival de Cinema Português - Rússia, Russia  
2019 La Casa Encendida, Spain  
2019 Regensburg Short Film Week, Germany  
2019 Portuguese Women Directors , Portugal  
2018 Festival de Cinema Português - Rússia, Russia  
2018 Festival Tous Courts, International Short Film Competition, Aix-en-Provence,  
France  
2018 Mostra de Cinema Português na Feira Internacional do Livro de Guadalajara,  
Mexico  
2018 FIDOCSS - Festival Internacional de Documental de Santiago, Chile  
2018 Nice Short Film Festival, France  
2018 Curt'Arruda - Festival de Cinema de Arruda dos Vinhos, Portugal  
2018 VAIVEM - Bogotá, Colombia  
2018 VAIVEM - Quito, Ecuador  
2018 Festival Ibérico de Cinema de Badajoz, Spain  
2018 Porto Femme - Festival Internacional de Cinema, Portugal  
2018 VideoEx - Experimental Film & Video Festival, Switzerland  
2018 International Kurzfilmtage Oberhausen, Germany  
2018 European Media Art Festival Osnabrück, Germany  
2018 Filmfest Dresden - International Short Film Festival, Germany  
2018 CórteX - Festival de Curtas Metragens de Sintra, Portugal  
2018 Festival de Cinema Luso-Brasileiro de Santa Maria da Feira, Portugal  
2018 Go Short International Short Film Festival Nijmegen, Netherlands  
2018 SACO - Semana del Audiovisual Contemporáneo de Oviedo, Spain  
2018 Akbank Short Film Festival, Turkey  
2018 Frames Portuguese Film Festival, Sweden  
2018 Fundação Gulbenkian - France, France  
2018 VAIVEM - Uruguay, Uruguay  
2018 VAIVEM - Mexico, Mexico  
2017 VAIVEM - Chile, Chile  
2017 VAIVEM - Buenos Aires, Argentina  
2017 FICA - Aguilar del Campo, Spain  
2017 Caminhos do Cinema Português, Portugal  
2017 SHORT FILM DAY - Porto/Post/Doc, Portugal  
2017 Gijón International Film Festival, Spain  
2017 Leeds International Film Festival, United Kingdom  
2017 International Film Festival Tofifest, Poland  
2017 International Independent Film Festival of La Plata, Argentina  
2017 Festival du Nouveau Cinéma de Montréal, Canada  
2017 Milano Film Festival, Italy

2017 Curtas Vila do Conde International Film Festival, Portugal  
2017 Extensão Curtas Vila do Conde - Cinemateca Portuguesa, Portugal  
2017 LIMA Independiente Festival Internacional de Cine, Peru  
2017 Berlinale - Berlin International Film Festival, Germany

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