

**THE YEAR 2018 IN PICTURES - EXCELLENT - MOVIES IN CINEMA -
COMING SOON - APPLICATION DEADLINES**

+++ Save the date - Feb. 09, 2019 - Animation Germany @ Berlinale +++

Newsletter #6

Dear all,

An exiting year with many events is coming to an end. Let's flip through the year and bring back some highlights:

- "Überflieger - kleine Vögel, großes Geklapper" wins the Bayerischen Filmpreis
- Christian Davin, president of Cartoon Media, presents the European Animation Action Plan to stakeholders of the German animation and VFX sector at the Berlinale.
- For the first time, an animation film opens the Berlinale: "Isle of Dogs."
- The new coalition agreement between CDU, CSU, and SPD explicitly points out subsidies for animation and VFX.
- The DFFF2 is adopted and subsequently adjusted to take into account the VFX sector's requirements for competing internationally.
- A record number of visitors attend the "Animation Production Days" in Stuttgart.
- For the first time, Animation Germany presents a trailer at Annecy introducing the annual program of animation as well as VFX works.
- In cooperation with the European market leader France, Animation Germany organizes a discussion platform on coproduction opportunities.
- Eight German projects are presented at the Cartoon Forum in Toulouse – more than have been presented in over a decade.
- With Creative Europe's marked increase in commitment to animation, AVMD 2020 is being prepared in consultation with other European countries (as announced in the Animation Plan for Europe).
- Mackevision Medien Design GmbH wins the Juryprize of BMWi's Wirtschaftsfilmpreis, awarding excellence in digital media and design

An organization like Animation Germany can only be successful with the active support of very many people.

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With these impressions we say goodbye to 2018 and wish you a **merry Christmas and a happy new Year 2019!**

Tania Reichert-Facilides & team **Animation Germany**



The year 2018 in pictures



Berlinale - February 22, 2018

Christian Davin presented the Animation Plan for Europe



Berlinale - February 22, 2018

Networking during the Animation Germany event at Trixter



Annecy - June 12, 2018

Presentation of the Animation Germany Trailer and Networking Breakfast with our french guests



Annecy - June 12, 2018

AMCRS and AG-Animationsfilm together with Animation Germany



Cartoon Forum - September 10, 2018

Constructive French-German Co-prodiscussions in Toulouse



Cartoon Forum - September 10, 2018

Networking at Animation Germany's pre-event



Bayerischer Filmpreis - January 19, 2018

Great success for 'Überflieger - kleine Vögel, großes Geklapper'



Panel Social Media and Animation@Morrison Forster -

February 22, 2018

Pulling forward the creative potential of animation together with Wes Anderson, the director of 'Isle of dogs'



Animation Production Day - April 26, 2018

Animation Germany has 80 companies under its umbrella



Kindermedienkongress Munich -

November 06, 2018

The strength of animation made for kids



Deutscher Wirtschaftsfilmpreis -

November 20, 2018

Mackevision is the choice of the jury



Deutsch-Französisches Film Treffen - November 26, 2018

Animation from Germany and France on stage

Excellent Nominees / Awards

Nominees and Winners 2018



Überflieger - Kleine Vögel, großes Geklapper

WINNER Bayerischer Filmpreis 2018 - Best Kids & Youth Film - January 2018



Isle of Dogs - Ataris Reise

WINNER Silberner Bär 2018 - Best Direction - February 2018



Die kleine Hexe

NOMINEE Deutscher Filmpreis 2018 - Best Children's Movie - April 2018



Teheran Tabu

NOMINEE Deutscher Filmpreis 2018 - Best Film Musik - April 2018

NOMINEE Emile 2018 - Best Direction in a Feature Film / Best Writing in a Feature Film Production / Best Sound Design in a Feature Film Production - December 2018



Hilfe, ich habe meine Eltern geschrumpft

WINNER Goldener Spatz 2018 - Best Kino-/Fernsehfilm - Juni 2018



Jim Knopf & Lukas der Lokomotivführer

WINNER animago 2018 - Beste Kinoproduktion - Oktober 2018



Luis und die Aliens

NOMINEE Emile 2018 - Best Character Animation in a Feature Film Production - December 2018



Chris - the Swiss

NOMINEE Emile 2018 - Best Writing in a Feature Film Production / Best Background & Character Design in a Feature Film Production / Best Soundtrack in a Feature Film Production / Best Sound Design in a Feature Film Production - December 2018



Dilili à Paris

NOMINEE Emile 2018 - Best Storyboard in a Feature Film Production - December 2018



Another day of life

WINNER Emile 2018 - Best Soundtrack in a Feature Film Production - December 2018

WINNER Europäischer Filmpreis 2018 - European Animated Feature Film - December 2018

Movies in cinema

Since January 2018

Die kleine Hexe - February 01, 2018 - 1,503,688 visitors

Die Biene Maya - Die Honigspiele - March 01, 2018 - 314,952 visitors

Jim Knopf & Lukas der Lokomotivführer - March 23, 2018 - 1,804,988 visitors

Isle of Dogs - Ataris Reise - May 10, 2018 - 104,389 visitors

Luis und die Aliens - May 24, 2018 - 266,670 visitors

Käpt'n Sharky - August 30, 2018 - 69,584 visitors

Pettersson und Findus - Findus zieht um - September 13, 2018 - 537,183 visitors

Tabaluga - Der Film - December 06, 2018 - 121,630 visitors

Der kleine Drache Kokosnuss - Auf in den Dschungel! - in cinema: December 27, 2018

Sources: VdF, December 17, 2018

Coming soon



Animation Germany @ Berlinale

VFX IN GERMANY

Keynote of Dr. Martin Diesbach (SKW Schwarz) followed by 2 case studies

Berlin, February 7 - 12, 2019

Save the Date - Feb. 09, 2019, 3 p.m.

Get more details in January 2019!

[Link to Berlinale](#)

Application Deadlines

Internationales Trickfilmfestival Stuttgart - April 30 - May 05

The deadlines for different categories you can find here:

<https://www.itfs.de/branche/call-for-entries/>

Sydney International Film Festival - June 05 - 16

Deadline: January 31, 2019

<https://www.sff.org.au/about/submissions/>

FMX - April 30 - May 03

Recommendation: January 31, 2019

<https://fmx.de/faq/>

Cartoons on the bay - April 11 -13

Deadline: February 04, 2019

<http://www.cartoonsbay.rai.it/en/concorso-2018/>

Mifa - June 11 - 14

Deadline: February 04, 2019

<https://www.annecy.org/take-part/submit-a-project>

Annecy International Animated Film Festival - June 10 - 15

The deadlines for different categories you can find here:

<https://www.annecy.org/take-part/submit-a-film>

Festival de Cannes - May 14 - 25

The deadlines for different categories you can find here:

<https://www.festival-cannes.com/en/participer/inscription>

Karlovy Vary International Film Festival Grand Prix - June 28 - July 06

Deadline: February 28, 2019

<https://www.kviff.com/en/film-professionals/film-entry>

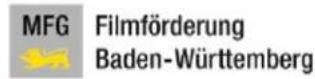
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2018 and Cartoon
Forum 2018 - T. Reichert-
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@Bayerischer Filmpreis
2018 - BR

@APD 2018 - R. Pfisterer
@Kindermedienkongress
Munich 2018 - Akademie
der Deutschen Medien

@Deutscher
Wirtschaftsfilmpreis 2018 -
Bundesministerium für
Wirtschaft und Energie
Kreativwirtschaft

@dt.-frz. Film Treffen 2018
- C. Schmid

Excellent

see on websites and
distributors of films



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