

KLIK! Amsterdam Animation Festival tours Europe with Dutch filmmakers and screenings

This Spring, KLIK! Amsterdam Animation Festival is organizing its first European tour. The KLIK! EU Tour presents Dutch films and filmmakers at an array of animation studios, schools and festivals in five countries.

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SUMMARY

KLIK! Amsterdam Animation Tour sets out on a European tour, presenting Dutch films and filmmakers in nine animation cities in the United Kingdom, Ireland, Germany, Denmark, and France.

With a delegation of Dutch animators and KLIK! representatives, the Amsterdam based animation festival sets out to learn and gain inspiration from fellow animation professionals, and to promote the flourishing Dutch animation sector. The **KLIK! EU Tour** covers nine animation cities in **the United Kingdom, Ireland, Germany, Denmark, and France**.

As catalyst and inspirator of the Dutch animation industry, KLIK! sets out on a European tour to showcase the sector's quality and potential. The KLIK! EU Tour presents **film screenings, Q&As and presentations** at museums, animation schools and cinemas. At the same time, the tour's delegation will visit a number of **animation studios** to learn from their workflow and corporate structure, and to gain insight into each countries' animation infrastructure. The KLIK! EU Tour will be concluded with a presentation in Amsterdam to share insights with the Dutch animation sector.

Screenings of Dutch animated shorts

At the tour's screenings, KLIK! presents a diverse collection of Dutch animated shorts by the delegation's filmmakers. The screenings also feature special KLIK! programs, showing a selection of the festival's best recent films. Screenings are accompanied by short presentations and Q&As with Dutch animators, and informal networking drinks.

Tour schedule

The KLIK! EU Tour visits and/or partners with organizations such as Show Me The Animation, FMX, Stuttgart Festival of Animated Film, Cartoon Saloon, Aardman Animations, UWE Bristol School of Animation, Annecy International Animation Film Festival, Studio Soi, Sun Creature Studio, The Animation Workshop, A. Film Production, and the Dutch Embassy. The KLIK! EU Tour is sponsored by the Creative Industries Fund NL.

4-9 April: **Bristol** (the UK), **Dublin** and **Kilkenny** (Ireland)

27 April-1 May: **Stuttgart** and **Ludwigsburg** (Germany)

9-14 May: **Kopenhagen** and **Viborg** (Denmark)

30 May-3 June: **London** (the UK)

13-19 June: **Annecy** (France)

Information about the tour and its screenings is available at www.klik.amsterdam.

About KLIK!

KLIK! Amsterdam Animation Festival is an annual celebration of all things animated. KLIK! likes to showcase animation in all of its shapes and sizes, giving a platform to animated feature films, shorts, commercials, video games and installations. KLIK! brings its passion and knowledge of provocative top-quality animation to a wide audience with an annual festival in Amsterdam, and other exciting activities happening in its wake. The 9th festival edition will be hosted 25-30 October 2016 at EYE, Amsterdam.



RELEVANT LINKS

 **KLIK! website**
<http://www.klik.amsterdam>

 **KLIK! Facebook**
<https://www.facebook.com/KLIKAmsterdam>

 **KLIK! Twitter**
<https://twitter.com/KLIKAmsterdam>

 **KLIK! Instagram**
<https://instagram.com/klikanimationfestival/>

 **KLIK! YouTube**
<https://www.youtube.com/user/KLIKAmsterdam>

 **KLIK! Vimeo**
<https://vimeo.com/klikamsterdam>

 **Festival trailer KLIK! 2015**
<https://vimeo.com/144144559>

QUOTES

"KLIK! is quirky, fun and unafraid to push things further than the average animation festival."

— Amid Amidi

"One of the city's most unique film festivals, KLIK! Amsterdam Animation Festival features a massive selection of top-quality animated films that go well beyond Walt's work."

— I amsterdam

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