## **European Studies Program**

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## **European Short Film Festival**



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EUROPEAN WEEK: LAUGH IN EUROPE

Florida International University - Modesto A. Maidique Campus 11200 SW 8th Street - Miami, FL 33199—Graham Center—GC 150

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Lena and Me, (2010) Kosovo—Director: Blerta Basholli—Length: 14.30 min

Lena and Ardi have to get married. As immigrants in America they agree to an arranged marriage by their parents. The comic and ironic moments between them start when they make another arrangement. Until it lasts.



Playing with Death (2010) | Spain—Director: Paul Urkijo—Length: 16.32 min

Eusebio grandfather is sick and is becoming a burden to his family. Everyone thinks he is senile, which incredible things he tells are the stories of an old freak. Nobody believes him. Until one night the death comes at home.



Run of the Mill, (2010) | Danemark—Director: Börge Ring—Length: 8 min

This non-narrated program tells the compelling story of a boy from a happy, nurturing family who is lured into drug use by his curiosity. Progressing from smoking to syringes, he remains in a transparent bubble, isolated from his parents and peers. Students, parents and teachers will find this a discussion-promoting tool.



War (2010) Italy—Director: Paolo Sassanelli—Length: 15 min

Italy summer of 1946. The war has ended but there are no signs of peace between fascist Paolo and socialist Luigi. This is Paolo Sassanelli's first time directing a short film, coming himself from the world of acting.



*I am Gay, (2008)* | Sweeden/Greece—Director: Nicolas Kolovos—Length: 14 min Alex, a Swedish man of Greek ancestry, has decided to reveal his great secret: he is gay. Telling his family could be disastrous. That, at least, is what he thinks as he wonders whether or not to tell them the truth.

**Carrier of Men, (2010)** | **France**— Director: Antarès Bassis—Length: 30 min Franck's family run the family's moving business. According to his father, they love their cartons and tape and take pride in their work. But one day Franck quit his job and decides that he'd prefer doing something more useful. From now on he won't use his strength to move boxes... he'll carry people.



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