

## Press Release



### Application phase for the jury “Dialogue en perspective” is underway

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TV5 and the German-French Youth Office (DFJW) are once again giving young film lovers the chance of becoming jury members in the section *Perspektive Deutsches Kino* at the International Berlin Film Festival.

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Why do Germans love the film *Amélie* and *8 Women* and the French love *Good-Bye, Lenin!*? TV5, official partner of the 55<sup>th</sup> International Berlin Film Festival (February 10-20, 2005), and the German-French Youth Office are offering anyone who has always wanted to discuss the answers to these questions and is between 18 and 29 years old the chance to experience the Berlinale up-close.

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During the 55<sup>th</sup> International Berlin Film Festival the francophone television channel TV5 and the German-French Youth Office will for the second time present the award „Dialogue en perspective“ in the section *Perspektive Deutsches Kino*. This prize will be presented by a jury consisting of four French and three German members.

Jury applicants should be between 18 and 29 years old and live in France or Germany – speaking the respective languages. Of course all applicants should be passionate about film and be able to convey this passion in a short film critic. Deadline for application is January 5, 2005.

The chosen jury will be invited to Berlin for the entire festival – including transport, hotel and half-board. They will view all films in the section *Perspektive Deutsches Kino* during the Berlinale and finally award the prize „Dialogue en perspective“ to the filmmakers of the winning film.

As was the case this year the 2005 edition of the „Dialogue en perspective“ shall be the result of an intercultural dialogue among young people from two different countries and be awarded to a film that is able to equally impress young and discerning film aficionados from different cultures. This goal was definitely achieved last year: for seven young film lovers a dream became reality and they were able to distinguish the documentary *Flammend' Herz* by Andrea Schuler and Oliver Ruts as the winner. With their enthusiasm for a film about three old men with a love for tattoos the young jury proved their keen sense for a good film: the documentary has been running in select German cinemas for the past two weeks and is receiving rave reviews.

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