

## **Press Information**

World Cinema Fund on February 13, 2013: "Filling the Gap: The Art of Filmmaking in Cuba & Vietnam"

On February 13, the *WCF* invites all its friends as well as representatives of the industry and press to the panel discussion "Filling the Gap: The Art of Filmmaking in Cuba & Vietnam". There will once again be the opportunity to learn more about the programme, successes, funding strategies, films, initiatives and partners of the *World Cinema Fund* (*WCF*).

The Executive Board of the German Federal Cultural Foundation (KSB) decided, in late 2012, it would continue funding the *WCF* for another five years. Thus the existence of the *WCF* has now been secured until 2018.

Two *WCF* Spotlights (*WCF* film series and workshops in collaboration with local festivals and the Goethe Institut) were held in Havana/Cuba and Hanoi/Vietnam in 2012. This year's *World Cinema Fund* Day will also be devoted to these countries.

Wednesday, February 13, 2013 at 11.00 am at the Filmmuseum Berlin - Deutsche Kinemathek Panel discussion: "Filling the Gap: The Art of Filmmaking in Cuba & Vietnam"

Participants:

During the panel discussion, Carlos M. Quintela (director: *La Piscina, Panorama* 2013), Sebastian Barriuso (producer: *La Piscina, Panorama* 2013), Phang Dang Di (director: *Bi, Don't Be Afraid*, Cannes 2010), Nguyen Hoang Diep (director & producer: *Flapping in the Middle of Nowhere*, co-funded by the *WCF* in 2012) will explore the film industry and film trends in their own countries.

Host: Vincenzo Bugno, WCF

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