

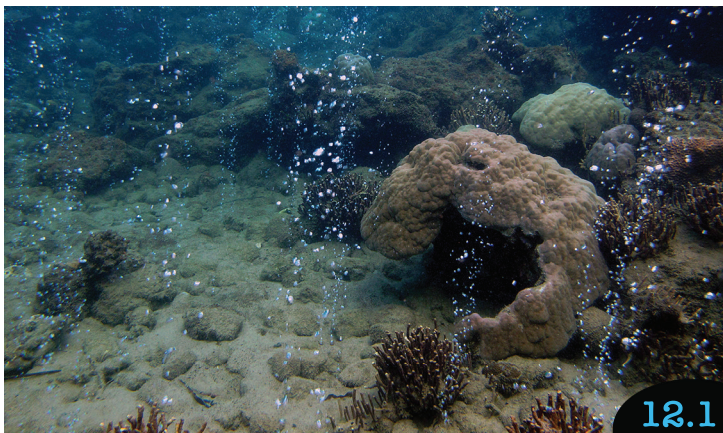
**12th
Annual**



COLORADO Environmental Film Festival

**February 22-24,
2018**

American Mountaineering Center
710 10th Street
Golden, Colorado



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Colorado Environmental Film Festival - 2018

Welcome to the 12th annual Colorado Environmental Film Festival (CEFF). Film has the power to awaken us to the world around us, educate us on important issues, and inspire us to act.

Join us this year as we proudly feature a record 56 films from around the globe. These films will take you from the farms along the Roaring Fork Valley in *How We Grow* to the high plateau of eastern Tibet as nomadic families are on the cusp of irreversible climate change in *Drokpa*.

This year we feature films about wildlife in *Kangaroo* and *The Hundred Year Old Whale*, water in *A River's Last Chance* and *Life on the Gila*, and young activists making a difference in *Voices Not Heard: The Climate Fight of Malaysian Youth* and *Growing VEGI: Valley Educational Gardens Initiative*.



As you watch these films, please remember that they represent someone's point of view. Some movies represent several perspectives while others unapologetically portray a specific message or personal statement. These filmmakers are all passionate and care deeply about helping audiences gain a foothold on difficult issues facing our world.

We hope you will use these films as a starting point. Take each film as an opportunity to kindle further exploration into the complexities of the natural world and our place in it. If something inspires you, get involved and start making a difference!

You can learn more about specific issues in this year's program, at www.ceff.net, and at the EcoExpo, a great place to meet local organizations working to solve today's issues and make change.

Join us as the Colorado Environmental Film Festival takes you on a journey to experience the natural world at its finest.

Spotlight

2018 AWARD WINNING FILMS

Check out the 2018 CEFF award winners! This year the winners will be announced during the opening night festivities. Winning films were selected in the following categories:

- Best Feature Film
- Best Short Film
- Best Youth Film
- Best of Fest
- Spirit of Activism

Please see award insert for a list of our 2018 award winning films!

ECOEXPO

(Friday, 12:00 pm - 7:30 pm and Saturday, 10:00 am - 7:00 pm)

Meet local organizations and experts working to solve today's issues and make a difference in their environment. The EcoExpo answers the call to action our films create by offering solutions and providing motivated film-goers the opportunity to transform their inspiration and sense of urgency into meaningful actions.

CEFF FOR KIDS

Did you know CEFF hosts a special film session for students 5th-12th grade? CEFF for Kids is a FREE program open to teachers, club leaders, home school parents, and other educational groups. Students view amazing films for youth and by youth, participate in engaging dialog with filmmakers, and visit with environmental organizations and students doing inspiring environmental work locally and globally! Learn more at www.ceff.net/ceff-4-kids and invite your neighborhood school to join us next year.

ENVIRONMENTAL PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBITION OPENING RECEPTION AND KEYNOTE ADDRESS

Friday, 5:30 pm - 7:15 pm

(Keynote at 6:30 - 7:15)

The 9th Annual Environmental Photography Exhibition kicks off Friday, February 23 at the American Mountaineering Center at 5:30 pm with a reception and keynote address. The exhibition features 28 photographs from around the country, each reflecting unique points of perception

and photographic techniques. The exhibition will be on display through April 27, 2018. This year, Arctic Arts Project Director Kerry Koepping will deliver the keynote address "Pretty Pictures Are Just Not Enough".



RECYCLE YOUR ELECTRONICS

Still have an old DVD player collecting dust? Want to responsibly recycle your old laptop? CEFF Partner Perfection Tool accepts electronic recycling Monday-Friday from 10-5 and Saturday from 10-3 at no charge. They accept laptops, desktop computers, DVD, VCR, wire, phones, rechargeable batteries, game consoles, AC adapters, battery back-ups, and stereo equipment. For more information, visit www.perfectiontoolrepair.com or call 303-279-0133.

CEFF CARAVAN

Did you love the films this year?

Do you have a group of people who would enjoy their own mini film festival?

Host your own local film festival!



CEFF Caravan

is a touring film festival available to host satellite environmental film festivals and screenings. We pick the best films from the Festival and offer them to you in 2 hour, half day, full day, and multiple day festival formats. We provide the films, templates for tickets, posters and more!

Hosting your own CEFF Caravan can be a great fundraiser for your town, community or organization, or a fun gathering for friends and family!

More information at www.ceff.net/ceff-caravan.

JOIN US

Do you love CEFF and feel strongly about sharing stories of the environment? There are many ways to get involved.

- Join our mailing list to keep in touch with CEFF all year.
- Sponsor CEFF 2019 (packages start at \$250).
- Purchase a business ad in the program or host a table in the EcoExpo.
- Remember CEFF in your annual giving! CEFF is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, and every tax deductible donation helps us keep doing what we do.
- Join the planning committee and help select films and spread the word about the Festival.
- Save the Date – CEFF 2019 is February 21-23, 2019.
- Speak with CEFF staff or email info@ceff.net for more information.

Thank you 2018 CEFF Planning Committee

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OPENING NIGHT KICKOFF

Thursday, February 22 at 7:00 PM
Foss Auditorium • American Mountaineering Center



Opening night of the festival celebrates twelve years of bringing the best environmental films in the world to Golden, Colorado. We are excited to host our annual Community Night honoring our host city and the amazing businesses and non-profit organizations that make Golden a great place to experience our annual event! The Golden City Council and the Golden community made sustainability its top priority starting in 2007 and that commitment continues today.

Emceeding the evening is Jacob Smith, a Golden resident (and past Mayor of Golden), activist, and filmmaker!

Check out this year's line-up!

* **5:30-7:00 pm** - Free Community Reception featuring local Golden businesses and organizations. Light appetizers and drinks will be served.

* **5:30-6:30 pm** - *NEW this year* – Bid on amazing local products, fun experiences, and beautiful art in our first ever Silent Auction. CEFF is a 501(c)(3) non-profit that works all year long to bring the best environmental films to Golden. Proceeds from the auction will keep CEFF active year-round and growing our audience! Thank you to the many silent auction donors for their contributions.

* **7:00-9:30 pm** – Screening of *Chasing Coral*, Directed by Jeff Orlowski, and the Film Awards Ceremony

Chasing Coral, a film that has already made a big splash, has captured the minds and hearts of people all over the world. Coral reefs around the world are vanishing at an unprecedented rate. An expert team of divers, photographers, and scientists set out on a thrilling ocean adventure to discover why and to reveal this underwater mystery to the world. Zach Rago, one of the unexpected stars of the film, will join us for a question and answer session immediately following the film.

For newcomers and returning attendees alike, one of the best parts of the Colorado Environmental Film Festival is that we are an intimate, local festival with a global impact! We are informal and friendly and try to match our audiences with films that will make a difference in their lives – right here in Colorado. Take advantage of this opportunity to watch the films and interact with the creative people who make these movies. These passionate directors care deeply about the craft of storytelling and are zealous in their dedication to showing us the issues that affect us each and every day. Welcome to the twelfth year of the Colorado Environmental Film Festival.

Enjoy!

A Chocolate Bar (15 minutes)

Directed by: Ashram Shahrivar and Agusriady Saputra



An intimate story of the cost of deforestation for palm oil.

Saturday, Foss Auditorium, 7:00 pm

A Crude Injustice (26 minutes)

Directed by: Jane Hammond



A Crude Injustice documents the aftermath of Australia's biggest offshore oil spill. Designed to give a voice to the people of West Timor impacted by the 2009 disaster, this story will appeal to a wide range of audiences including those in the US who have been impacted by the Gulf of Mexico oil disaster.

Saturday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 11:00 am

A Living Legacy (12 minutes)

Directed by: Taira Malaney



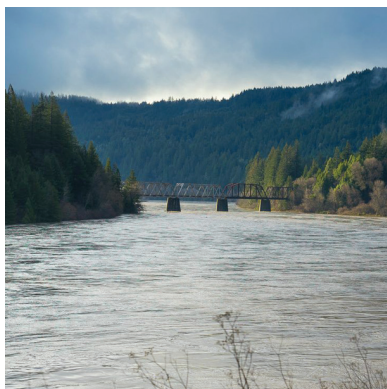
With a purpose to protect the disappearing forests of the country, a couple dedicate a large part of their life towards creating a 300-acre private wildlife sanctuary in the Western Ghats of India.

Saturday, Foss Auditorium, 1:30 pm

A River's Last Chance (1 hour, 7 minutes)

Directed by: Shane Anderson

This film tells a story of salmon, timber, weed, and wine along California's mighty Eel River.

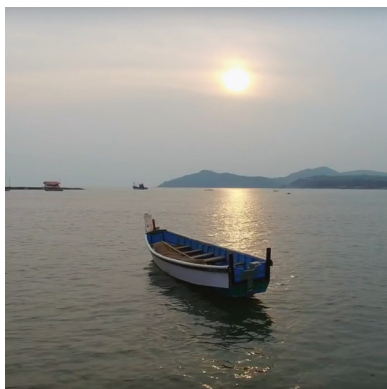


Saturday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 1:30 pm

Aghanashini (41 minutes)

Directed by: Ashwini Kumar Bhat

The Aghanashini is a unique river, still free-flowing and undeveloped, untamed and unpolluted. It is a river of life for hundreds of thousands of people. Made over a span of two years, *Aghanashini* tells the story of this river through many voices along its flow, some of which are being seen and heard for the first time.



Saturday, Foss Auditorium, 1:30 pm

At War with the Dinosaurs

(1 hour, 35 minutes)

Directed by: John Parkan

A solution to fossil fuels that has long been dismissed or ignored has proven itself to be one of the most effective. This film explores alternative energy produced from the most abundant element in the universe, Hydrogen.



Friday, Foss Auditorium, 1:30 pm

Beyond Standing Rock (1 hour, 12 minutes)

Directed by: Brian Malone



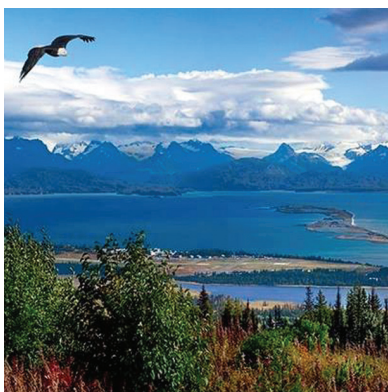
Take a close-up look at the controversy on the front lines of the Dakota Access Pipeline struggle. *Beyond Standing Rock* investigates the collision of energy development and tribal sovereignty, exploring issues through three different tribal stories: The Dakota Access Pipeline (Standing Rock

Sioux), the Southern Ute Tribe energy development, and a coalition of tribes in the Four Corners region, fighting for control over the Bears Ears National Monument.

Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 7:30 pm

Blue Ice (6 minutes) ✧ WORLD PREMIERE ✧

Directed by: John Bushell



Are the effects of climate change in Alaska obvious? Eight young string players from Homer, Alaska boat across Kachemak Bay, hike to the shore of the Grewingk Glacier Lake, and perform an original composition.

Friday, Foss Auditorium, 10:00 am

Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 10:00 am

Burning Paradise (1 hour, 14 minutes)

Directed by: Greg Rainoff



Burning Paradise (por la necesidad) is a story about carboneros, indigenous charcoal makers, who are slowly and reluctantly destroying their forests just to earn enough to eat and avoid migration. Reflecting five years of living with indigenous peoples in the Sierra

Mixteca de Oaxaca, the film offers viewers an opportunity to relate to indigenous communities in a new way as displaced people and indispensable assets in the fight for maintaining biodiversity.

Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 1:30 pm

Canopy (52 minutes) ❄️ *US PREMIERE* ❄️

Directed by: Lucia Kasova

To view the jungle from high above the tree line is one of the most rewarding and joyful experiences.

Canopy shares this view, from Nature Observatorio, a beautiful treehouse suspended 25 meters up a tree in the middle of the jungle in Costa Rica's Gandoca Manzanillo Wildlife Refuge.



Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 4:00 pm

Changing Oceans (3 minutes)

Directed by: Jeff Foster and Katy Foster

This short underwater film inspires conservation by portraying the diversity of life in the planet's oceans and the beauty that may be lost if we don't protect them.



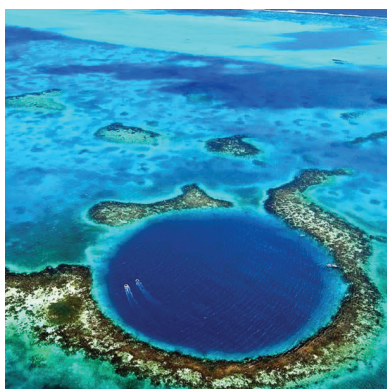
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Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 10:00 am

Chasing Coral (1 hour, 33 minutes)

Directed by: Jeff Orlowski

Coral reefs around the world are vanishing at an unprecedented rate. An expert team of divers, photographers, and scientists set out on a thrilling ocean adventure to discover why and to reveal this underwater mystery to the world.



Thursday, Foss Auditorium, 7:00 pm

Cities Beneath the Sea *(9 minutes)*

Directed by: Malia Cahill



Featuring interviews with local marine experts, this documentary details the recent rise in coral bleaching, what this means for marine ecosystems, and the outlook for coral reefs in Hawaii and globally in a rapidly changing climate. (Huliau Environmental Filmmaking Club)

Friday, Foss Auditorium, 10:00 am

Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 10:00 am

Saturday, Foss Auditorium, 7:00 pm

Douglass Elementary Food Waste Awareness Video *(4 minutes)*

Directed by: Wendy Cheung



The Douglass Elementary Food Waste Club created a video to bring awareness of the food waste issue to their school and community.

Friday, Foss Auditorium, 10:00 am

Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 10:00 am

Drokpa *(1 hour, 19 minutes)*

Directed by: Yan Chun Su



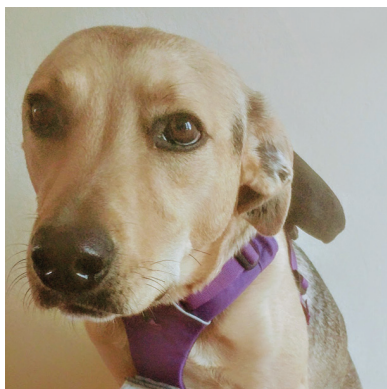
Set in the high plateau of eastern Tibet, *Drokpa* is an intimate portrait of an extended nomadic family whose life is on the cusp of irreversible change.

Friday, Foss Auditorium, 4:00 pm

Duranium (9 minutes)

Directed by: Stacey Sotosky

Follow Dr. Jon Harvey and his student, River White, as they uncover the underground secrets of Durango, Colorado's Dog Park.



Friday, Foss Auditorium, 10:00 am

Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 10:00 am

Saturday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 1:30 pm

End of Snow (20 minutes)

Directed by: Morgan Heim

A journey into the past, present, and future of snowpack in the west, *End of Snow* is a story told by a climate change scientist on her journey through Colorado and Wyoming.



Saturday, Foss Auditorium, 7:00 pm

Fresh Start (13 minutes)

Directed by: Cigdem Slankard

This film chronicles the experience of a refugee community that came to the US with one marketable skill, farming. *Fresh Start* is a story of farmers with no farm, examining American identity, and the value of land and food in a brave new world.



Saturday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 11:00 am

Growing Farmers (11 minutes)

Directed by: Malia Cahill



In partnership with the Hawaii Farmers Union United's Farm Apprentice Mentoring program and the Mālamalama project, this film explores the need to grow new local farmers in Maui's post-sugarcane era and looks at some of the regenerative agriculture projects

already underway on former sugarcane lands.
(Huliau Environmental Filmmaking Club)

Saturday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 11:00 am

Growing VEGI: Valley Educational Gardens Initiative (9 minutes) ✨ WORLD PREMIERE ✨

Directed by: Danny Ledonne



Located in the rural and economically-challenged San Luis Valley of southern Colorado, the Valley Educational Gardens Initiative has blossomed into a multifaceted program over the past 20 years. VEGI works with schools and community

programs to address the root causes of hunger and food insecurity by cultivating a relationship with nourishing foods from the soil up.

Friday, Foss Auditorium, 4:00 pm

How We Grow (1 hour, 5 minutes) ✨ WORLD PREMIERE ✨

Directed by: Tomas Zuccareno and Haley Thompson



How We Grow is a film about ambitious young farmers building community around locally grown food.

Friday, Foss Auditorium, 7:30 pm

It Only Needs Defenders (10 minutes)

Directed by: Greg Poschman

To celebrate Wilderness Workshop's 50th anniversary and the continuing tradition of conservation, *It Only Needs Defenders* features wilderness lovers speaking from the heart about why public lands are critical to their sense of self and essential to the wildlife that inhabit those special places.

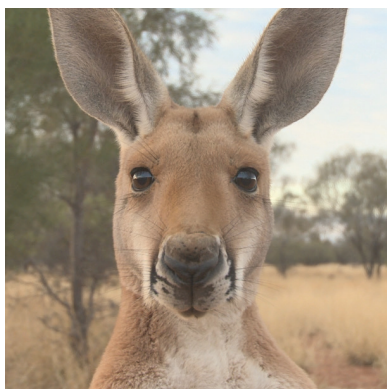
Friday, Foss Auditorium, 1:30 pm



Kangaroo (1 hour, 34 minutes)

Directed by: Kate McIntyre Clere

A film that reveals an unlikely truth about Australia's love-hate relationship with its beloved icon, *Kangaroo* uncovers disturbing scenes behind the largest mass destruction of wildlife in the world.



Saturday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 7:00 pm

Life on the Gila (28 minutes)

Directed by: Jacob Rosdail

The Gila River in southwestern New Mexico is one of the most dynamic and natural rivers remaining in the United States. The fate of the river is uncertain as water-development project planning progresses. *Life on the Gila* documents local residents' connections to the river and their visions for its future.



Saturday, Foss Auditorium, 1:30 pm

Little Warriors (21 minutes) * **COLORADO PREMIERE** *

Directed by: Sam Miro



This film documents the work of a group of youth in Indianapolis who in 2016-17 successfully inspired their City/County Council to adopt a youth-driven Climate Recovery Resolution.

Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 7:30 pm

Lost Crops (15 minutes)

Directed by: Christopher Jenkins



A doctor in search of undervalued natural resources considered "lost crops" teams up with an experienced botanist and humanitarian for an international journey of discovery.

Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 1:30 pm

Melting Away (17 minutes) * **COLORADO PREMIERE** *

Directed by: Liam Walton



Liam Walton, an 18-year-old Colorado high school student, has a passion for skiing that drove him to explore the impact of climate change on his favorite sport and the delicate multi-billion dollar ski industry.

Friday, Foss Auditorium, 10:00 am

Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 10:00 am

Friday, Foss Auditorium, 7:30 pm

Next-Door Nutrition (50 minutes)

Directed by: Brandon Berman

A look into the food to table movement, *Next-Door Nutrition* provides an optimistic perspective that urges a shift in food production from large-scale to local, and explores how eating locally creates community and gives voice to those who want the healthiest food for themselves and their loved ones.



Saturday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 11:00 am

Operation Wolf Patrol: Poacher's Kingdom (12 minutes)

Directed by: Joe Brown

This film follows Rod Coronado, leader of the controversial group Wolf Patrol, as he endeavors to raise awareness about wolf poaching in Northern Wisconsin and questions the state's new "Hunter Harassment" law, which makes it illegal to take photos of hunters on public lands.



Saturday, Foss Auditorium, 4:00 pm

Our National Mammal (12 minutes)

Directed by: Thia Martin

✧ **COLORADO PREMIERE** ✧

This short documentary exposes the controversial management and ruthless treatment of America's last wild bison and the people fighting to protect them.



Saturday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 1:30 pm

Power of the River (1 hour, 14 minutes)

Directed by: Greg I. Hamilton



An adventure from the last Himalayan kingdom. Home to the world's most ambitious commitment to protect nature, Bhutan faces urgent pressure to dam every river. A man named "Good Karma" guides an expedition to keep his country's mightiest river wild and free.

Saturday, Foss Auditorium, 11:00 am

Prescription Strength Convenience

(2 minutes)

Directed by: Malia Cahill



This parody of a prescription drug commercial pokes fun at the many environmentally unfriendly actions we take on a daily basis in our convenience-addicted society and how they impact our environment and quality of life.

Saturday, Foss Auditorium, 11:00 am

Protecting Blue Whales & Blue Skies

(7 minutes)

Directed by: Michael Hanrahan



In an effort to educate and bring awareness about ship strikes and air pollution, the Channel Islands National Marine Sanctuary in Santa Barbara worked in collaboration with Earth Media Lab to create *Protecting Blue Whales & Blue Skies*. This film highlights

the importance and significance of the 2016 Vessel Speed Reduction program, which incentivizes voluntary slowing of ships to reduce whale strikes and air pollution.

Saturday, Foss Auditorium, 4:00 pm

Rations *(8 minutes)*

Directed by: Alexander Rhodes-Wilmere

Two sisters struggle to support their ailing mother during a devastating drought after the monthly water rations are unexpectedly delayed.

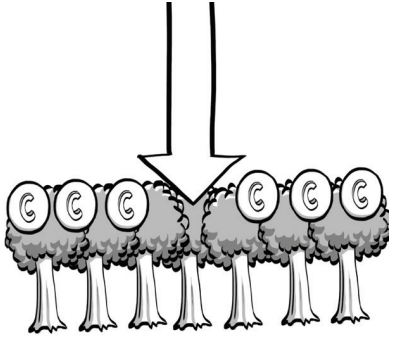


Saturday, Foss Auditorium, 7:00 pm

Rising Tide *(6 minutes)*

Directed by: Malia Cahill

This whiteboard drawing style animation created by new west side students outlines the basics of how humans are impacting the global carbon cycle, the impacts of climate change, and a call to action for local communities to rise up together in addressing the largest environmental issue of our time. (Huliau Environmental Filmmaking Club)



Friday, Foss Auditorium, 10:00 am

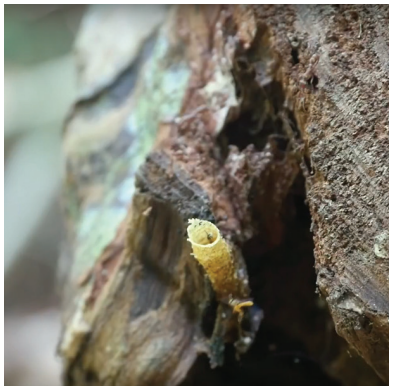
Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 10:00 am

Saturday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 7:00 pm

Rising Vines *(6 minutes)*

Directed by: Daniel Grossman

The future of tropical vines could influence the trajectory of global warming. Tropical vines are becoming more common in the Americas, but no one knows exactly why. Ecologist Stefan Schnitzer is seeking an answer in a jungle in Panama.



Saturday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 4:00 pm

Sea Police *(3 minutes)*

Directed by: Malia Cahill



New west side filmmaking students share the adventures of the "Sea Police". Set to original theme song music, they reprimand careless citizens for their infractions against our marine environment. (Huliau Environmental Filmmaking Club)

Friday, Foss Auditorium, 10:00 am

Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 10:00 am

Seabank: Nature's Dividend *(9 minutes)*

Directed by: Liz McKenzie



This film explores the wild environment and fishing communities of Southeast Alaska, where the rich and spectacular seacoast is like a natural bank, paying huge dividends in the form of millions of pounds of seafood. Resources from this bank can perpetuate a healthy economy,

unique ways of life, and provide high quality protein for people throughout the world... but only if we protect it from damage and overuse.

Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 7:30 pm

Secret Ingredients *(1 hour)*

Directed by: Amy S. Hart and Jeffrey M. Smith



While the debate rages on about GMOs and pesticides, this powerful film shares remarkable stories of people who regain their health after discovering the "secret ingredients" in their food and making a bold commitment to avoid them.

Saturday, Foss Auditorium, 4:00 pm

Schedule of Events

Thursday, February 22

5:30_{pm} - 7:00_{pm} **Opening Night Reception**

7:00_{pm} - 9:30_{pm} **Foss Auditorium**
Film Award Ceremony
Chasing Coral (93 min)

Friday, February 23

12:00_{pm} - 7:30_{pm} **EcoExpo**

10:00_{am} - 12:30_{pm} **CEFF FOR KIDS - Foss Auditorium and Colorado Public Television Theater**

The Road to Renewal (3 min) **WORLD PREMIERE**

Changing Oceans (3 min)

Sea Police (3 min)

The Case for Organics (4 min)

Douglass Elementary Food Waste (4 min)

Under the Sea Debris (4 min)

Strike Out (4 min) **COLORADO PREMIERE**

Blue Ice (6 min) **WORLD PREMIERE**

Rising Tide (6 min)

Duranium (9 min)

Cities Beneath the Sea (9 min)

Melting Away (17 min) **COLORADO PREMIERE**

1:30_{pm} - 3:30_{pm} **Foss Auditorium**

Water (4 min)

It Only Needs Defenders (10 min)

At War with the Dinosaurs (95 min)

1:30_{pm} - 3:30_{pm} **Colorado Public Television Theater**

Under the Sea Debris (4 min)

Lost Crops (15 min)

Burning Paradise (74 min)

4:00_{pm} - 6:00_{pm} **Foss Auditorium**

Growing VEGI: Valley Gardens Initiative (9 min)
WORLD PREMIERE

The Shaman and the Scientist (14 min)

Drokpa (79 min)

4:00_{pm} - 6:00_{pm} **Colorado Public Television Theater**

Yochi (25 min)

Voices Not Heard: The Climate Fight of Malaysian Youth (40 min)

Canopy (52 min) **US PREMIERE**

5:30_{pm} - 7:15_{pm} **Photo Exhibition Reception**

6:30_{pm} - 7:15_{pm} **Photo Exhibition Keynote** CPT-12 Theater

Kerry Koepping - Director of Arctic Arts Project

Photography awards after Keynote

7:30_{pm} - 9:30_{pm} **Foss Auditorium**

Melting Away (17 min) **COLORADO PREMIERE**

Walk on the Mountain (19 min)

How We Grow (75 min) **WORLD PREMIERE**

7:30_{pm} - 9:30_{pm} **Colorado Public Television Theater**

SEABANK: Nature's Dividend (9 min)

Little Warriors (21 min) **COLORADO PREMIERE**

Beyond Standing Rock (72 min)

9:30_{pm} - 11:00_{pm} **AFTER PARTY**
at Mountain Toad Brewing

Saturday, February 24

10:00_{am} - 7:00_{pm} **EcoExpo**

11:00_{am} - 1:00_{pm} **Foss Auditorium**

Prescription Strength Convenience (2 min)

The Case for Organics (4 min)

The Hundred-Year-Old Whale (15 min)

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Voices of the Inside Passage (15 min)

Power of the River (74 min)

11:00_{am} - 1:00_{pm} **Colorado Public Television Theater**

Strike Out (5 min)

Growing Farmers (11 min)

Fresh Start (13 min)

A Crude Injustice (26 min)

Next Door Nutrition (50 min)

1:30_{pm} - 3:30_{pm} **Foss Auditorium**

A Living Legacy (12 min)

The Dead Fish Anglers (21 min) **WORLD PREMIERE**

Life on the Gila (28 min)

Aghanashini (41 min)

1:30_{pm} - 3:30_{pm} **Colorado Public Television Theater**

Zero Waste (8 min)

Duranium (9 min)

Our National Mammal (12 min) **COLORADO PREMIERE**

A River's Last Chance (67 min)

4:00_{pm} - 6:00_{pm} **Foss Auditorium**

Water (4 min)

Protecting Blue Whales & Blue Skies (7 min)

Operation Wolf Patrol: Poacher's Kingdom
(12 min)

Secret Ingredients (60 min)

4:00_{pm} - 6:00_{pm} **Colorado Public Television Theater**

Rising Vines (6 min)

Tidewater (42 min)

Triple Divide (redacted) (60 min)

7:00_{pm} - 9:00_{pm} **Foss Auditorium**

Rations (8 min)

Cities Beneath the Sea (9 min)

A Chocolate Bar (15 min)

End of Snow (20 min)

The Trees Around You (23 min)

The Salmon Forest (31 min)

7:00_{pm} - 9:00_{pm} **Colorado Public Television Theater**

The Road to Renewal (3 min) **WORLD PREMIERE**

Rising Tide (6 min)

Kangaroo (94 min)

9:00_{pm} - 11:00_{pm} **WRAP PARTY**
at the American Mountaineering Center

**ALL TIMES AND THEATER LISTINGS
SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

Strike Out (5 minutes) ✨ **COLORADO PREMIERE** ✨

Directed by: Abigail Slama-Catron

A team of Utah 6th graders design a novel bird-scare device. It began as a First Lego League project to address a community need and come up with a solution. It turns into something much more and leaves a lasting impact.



Friday, Foss Auditorium, 10:00 am

Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 10:00 am

Saturday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 11:00 am

The Case for Organics (4 minutes)

Directed by: Dave Bowden

Advances in biological and horticultural science provide more evidence for the need to grow and eat organic produce.



Friday, Foss Auditorium, 10:00 am

Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 10:00 am

Saturday, Foss Auditorium, 11:00 am

The Dead Fish Anglers (21 minutes)

Directed by: Gabriela Ibiapina ✨ **WORLD PREMIERE** ✨

When the dam at Samarco's iron ore mine collapsed, toxic mud swept through the small community of Regência at the mouth of the Doce River in Brazil. Conflict has erupted as residents vie for aid and try to sustain their identities.



Saturday, Foss Auditorium, 1:30 pm

The Hundred-Year-Old Whale

(15 minutes)

Directed by: Mark Leiren-Young

❖ **US PREMIERE** ❖



Born in an era when whales were on everyone's menu and her family members were being killed and put on display, "Granny" miraculously survived. Explore the story of the world's oldest killer whale and her family's -our- future.

Saturday, Foss Auditorium, 11:00 am

The Road to Renewal

(3 minutes)

Directed by: Miller Chetwynd

❖ **WORLD PREMIERE** ❖



This is the short story of three friends looking to find their way in the waste management world. As the movie says, Goodbyes are hard. Say goodbye to your waste; let it go to its right place.

Friday, Foss Auditorium, 10:00 am

Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 10:00 am

Saturday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 7:00 pm

The Salmon Forest

(31 minutes)

Directed by: Ben Hamilton



Explore the connection between wild salmon and life in the Tongass, America's largest National Forest. Follow salmon on their epic migration, pull in a huge catch with commercial fishermen, explore breathtaking landscapes, watch a mother bear feed

her cubs, visit a Tlingit community to understand salmon's cultural significance, and meet the people who are working day and night to ensure this public resource is protected for generations to come.

Saturday, Foss Auditorium, 7:00 pm

The Shaman and The Scientist

(14 minutes)

Directed by: Sarah Hutt

Explore knowledge and scientific discovery, and the potential of indigenous plant-based medicine in the Amazon jungle. Join Don Juan Tangoa Paima, a shaman who uses native plants and Ayahuasca to heal, and Dr. Dennis McKenna, an American ethnobotanist, on a hunt to discover new medicines.

Friday, Foss Auditorium, 4:00 pm



The Trees Around You (23 minutes)

Directed by: Jacob Wise

Vancouver Island is home to some of the largest areas of old-growth forests on the planet. This is the story of ancient, biodiverse forests and the indigenous people who live among them, a system being mismanaged closer and closer to extinction.

Saturday, Foss Auditorium, 7:00 pm



Tidewater (42 minutes)

Directed by: Roger Sorkin

More than anywhere in the US, vulnerability to sea level rise in Hampton Roads, Virginia affects our military readiness and overall national security. Here, 1 in 6 residents are associated with 14 defense installations. Their homes, schools, hospitals, and families are struggling to keep up with the effects of rising waters, while the military and local governments race to find solutions to enhance security and economic prosperity in the face of environmental challenges.

Saturday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 4:00 pm



Triple Divide [Redacted] (1 hour)

Directed by: Joshua Pribanic and Melissa Troutman



Award-winning Actor Mark Ruffalo co-narrates this stunning documentary about fracking the “land of three rivers” in Pennsylvania. The film features exclusive interviews with oil and gas industry leaders, independent experts and impacted residents. The film covers five years (2011 - 2016) of cradle-to-grave investigations by the Public Herald newsroom and reveals how government officials keep water contamination “off the books”.

Saturday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 4:00 pm

Under the Sea Debris (4 minutes)

Directed by: Malia Cahill



In the Huliau Environmental Filmmaking Club's first international collaboration with Bahamas Plastic Movement and Space 2 Create, students from Maui and the Bahamas share their remake of The Little Mermaid's classic song Under the Sea, teaching about the growing problem

of plastic pollution in our world's oceans. (Huliau Environmental Filmmaking Club)

Friday, Foss Auditorium, 10:00 am

Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 10:00 am

Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 1:30 pm

Voices Not Heard: The Climate Fight of Malaysian Youth (40 minutes)

Directed by: Scott Brown



This is the story of Amalen Sathananthar, a 23-year-old Malaysian activist and member of the first delegation of Malaysian youth at COP21. His journey to discover his role as an activist on a global stage and speak up for the underrepresented Global South provides insight into the world

of international climate negotiations and activism that is rarely reported to the public.

Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 4:00 pm

Voices of the Inside Passage (15 minutes)

Directed by: Byron Goggin

There is a silent war brewing between British Columbia and Southeast Alaska, a modern-day battle of industry vs.

environment with higher stakes than ever.

In one corner, British Columbia's \$9 billion/year mining industry. In the other corner, Southeast

Alaska's fishing industry, which supplies over 1/6 of

the United States' seafood.



Saturday, Foss Auditorium, 11:00 am

Walk on the Mountain (19 minutes)

Directed by: Madeleine Van Dam and Onika Richards

Explore the environmental and economic distress of the coal fields in West Virginia through the eyes of anti-coal activist, Junior Walk.



Friday, Foss Auditorium, 7:30 pm

WATER (4 minutes)

Directed by: Mark Knight

Take a journey to some of the planet's most spectacular glaciers, waterfalls, beaches, rivers, and waterways.

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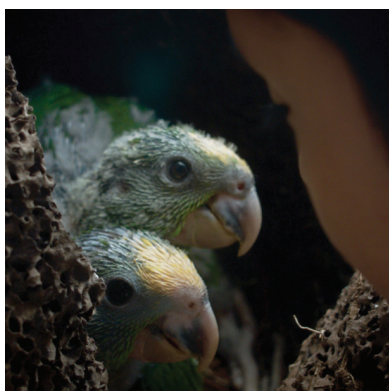


Friday, Foss Auditorium, 1:30 pm

Saturday, Foss Auditorium, 4:00 pm

Yochi (25 minutes)

Directed by: Ilana Lapid



Yochi, a 9-year-old selectively mute Mayan boy, guards a nest of endangered Yellow-Headed Parrots in Belize's pine savannah. When his beloved older brother, Itza, returns from the city, Yochi learns that he's in debt and has turned to poaching, setting the brothers on a collision course.

Friday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 4:00 pm

Zero Waste (8 minutes)

Directed by: Malia Cahill



Funded by the Maui County Office of Economic Development, this film tells the story of how the newest Huliau Zero Waste Event program began, progress made in its first year, and how the project is already changing the way the community looks

at waste disposal at some of Maui's most popular events.

Saturday, Colorado Public Television Theater, 1:30 pm

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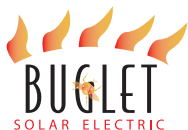


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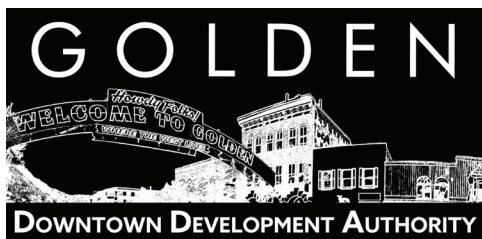


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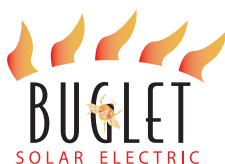
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