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Invitation to Science Film Festival 2019

The Goethe-Institut Namibia and the Scientific Society Swakopmund have the pleasure to invite you to the Science Film Festival 2019 in the Swakopmund Museum. The Festival is an annual event and this year it features the films under the theme "Humboldt and the Web of Life". The public film screenings will take place at the Swakopmund Museum Lecture Hall.

The Scientific Society Swakopmund chose films that might be of particular interest to the local students. Children are invited every morning and afternoon Monday to Thursday for a special film. Friday the whole day we are showing films for different age groups (see the program below). For older children and adults the evening program is planned.

Please see the film descriptions in the separate document.

Venue: Swakopmund Museum Lecture Hall

Admission: free for school children and accompanying teacher

For more information visit our Facebook page [Scientific Society Swakopmund](#), to register contact us by email irina.i@sciswk.com or 064 402 695.

"The Science Film Festival is a celebration of science communication in Africa: In cooperation with local partners it promotes science literacy and facilitates awareness of contemporary scientific, technological and environmental issues through international films.

Alexander von Humboldt revolutionized the conception of nature by defining it as an interconnected living web - and in doing so, inspired countless scientists, environmentalists, writers and artists alike. On the 250 Year Anniversary of Humboldt's birth, we need such a global perspective more than ever. The Science Film Festival 2019 aims to highlight the relevance of this view in the 21st century in regard to environmentalism, climate change and sustainability."

Science Week Festival Program:

Evening Movies in the Swakopmund Museum Lecture Hall, 18:00:

14 October 18:00 Film "Decoding the weather machine"

15 October 18:00 Film "The point of no return"

16 October 18:00 Film "Democracy for the gullible"

17 October 18:00 Film "Green warriors: RSA's toxic townships"

Daily Films in the Swakopmund Museum (schools invited)

Monday, 14 October

10:30: "Earth: The Nature of our Planet: Episode 01: Air;

15:00: "Earth: The Nature of our Planet: Episode 02: Land"

Tuesday, 15 October

10:30: "Earth: The Nature of our Planet: Episode 02: Land;

15:00 "Earth: The Nature of our Planet: Episode 03: Water"

Wednesday, 16 October

10:30: "Earth: The Nature of our Planet: Episode 03: Water;

15:00 "Earth: The Nature of our Planet: Episode 01: Air"

Thursday, 17 October

10:00: "Self-sustainable climate change" ;

11:00: "NOVA Wonders — What's Living in You" ;

12:00: "NOVA Wonders — What's the Universe made of" ;

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Friday, 18 October Science Film Day with short films (possible discussion after short films):

10:00-11:00 Pre-school, age 5-8:

Lyn y Babas (7:32 min)

Bodypedia: Brain (10:00 min)

House of little scientists- Natural Fibre (10:19 min)

House of little scientists- Snail (10:31 min)

Messy goes to OKIDO — Mega Power (11:00)

Title: Messy Goes to OKIDO - Nimby Goes to the Cloud Club (11 min)

11:00-12:00 Primary School: Age 9-11

Experiment Children' s Science (9:58 min)

Little Hero (5:06 min)

Ralphs and the Dinosaurs (5:00 min)

“Warm Bath” - A solar heater developed by Xochitl (3:37 min)

Nanogirl and the Imaginauts (22:47 min)

12:00- 13:00 Secondary School (12-16)

Nucleosynthesis (3 min)

Out of the Cradle: The Origins of Humanity (51:00)

13:00-14:00 General Public (17+)

Animal Observation from Space — ICARUS (6:02 min)

Humboldt and the Rediscovery of Nature (43:30 min)

Afternoon: Science Films for pre-schools and schools

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Nucleosynthesis (3 min)

Knowing the Mosquitos of Aedes - Transmitters of Arboviruses (41 min)