



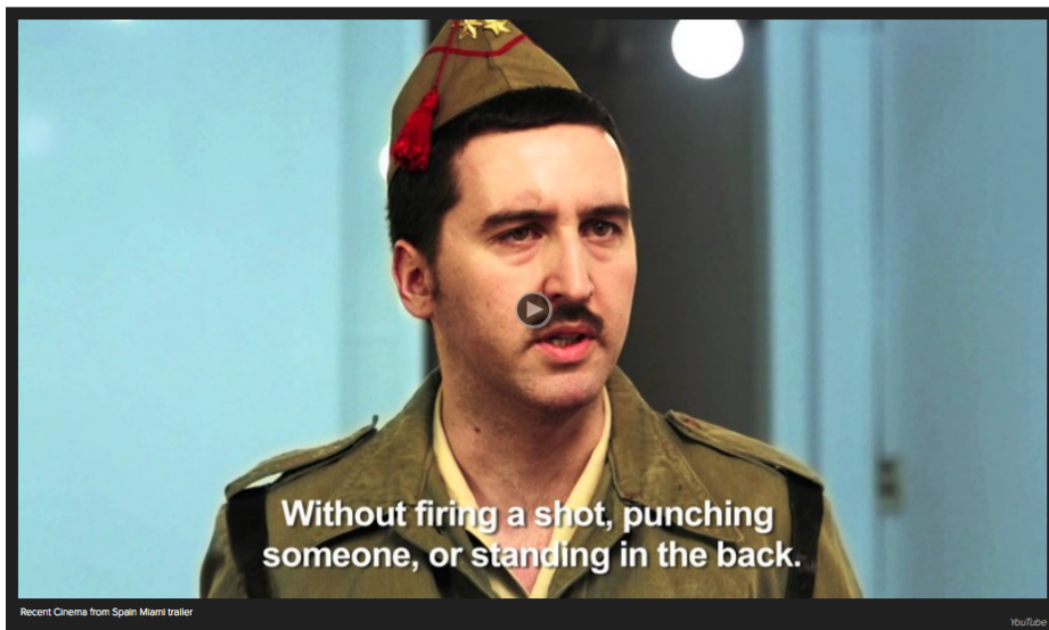
Some vital films from Spain will be showcased at 'Recent Cinema from Spain'

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For the fourth year in a row, The Olympia Theater in Downtown Miami will host the Miami edition of the "Recent Cinema from Spain" series from November 20 to November 23 where some of the country's most lively films will be shown and the genre of the movies that will be presented varies.

"The Unexpected Life" ("La Vida Inesperada") makes its U.S. premiere as the feature film that will be shown on opening night. Javier Camara ("I'm So Excited") plays Juanito, an actor who has been struggling for years in New York. When his cousin comes to visit, Juanito seems to think that his cousin is successful and has his life together. However, they both come to realize some of the realities of their life. Screenwriter Elvira Lindo will attend the screen and participate in a discussion following the movie.

Another film in the series making its U.S. premiere on Friday night is "Ismael," a drama about an 8-year-old boy (Lansson do Amaral) who goes to Barcelona by himself to find his distant father (Mario Casas). When he gets to Barcelona, he meets his grandmother (Belen Rueda), who didn't know that she had a grandson. Premiering in Miami on the same night is a movie that made its world debut at SXSW, "10000KM" is about a couple (Natalie Tena and David Verdaguer) who are in a long distance relationship and communicate by way of their laptop. As they continue to keep their connection alive, they realize it is easier said than done.

On Saturday night, director/writer Daniel Sanchez Arevalo's latest film, the Goya Award-winning "Family United" ("La Gran Familia Espanola") will make its Miami premiere. It is a movie that explores family secrets and relationships, as a Spanish family gets together for a wedding during the 2010 FIFA World Cup final. The third U.S. premiere in the "Recent Cinema from Spain" series, "Betibu," is about a famous novelist (Mercedes Moran) who moves into a neighborhood to chronicle the murder case of a powerful industrialist. She soon realizes that this is the first in a series of murders with a connection.

The closing night will take place on Sunday night where the romantic comedy "Three Many Weddings" ("Tres Bodas De Mas") will be shown at The Olympia Theater. The film is about a college student who is invited to three different wedding by three of his ex-boyfriends. Director Javier Ruiz Caldera will attend the screening and participate in a discussion after the movie.

Tickets are available at www.olympiatheater.org. For more information about the films that will be shown, visit www.miami.recentcinemafromspain.com.