**General Information**

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**Aims**

The aim of Documentary Film Workshop is to work in an original documentary project, going through all production stages: research, idea and storyline; production plan; shooting and editing; distribution and exhibition.

**Contents**

**Theory:**
- Research
- Storyline: the point of view
- Shooting and production techniques
- Distribution, exhibition and commercialisation

**Practise:**
- Design and develop a project for a short documentary
- Direction and production of a short documentary
- Distribution and exhibition of your documentary

**Evaluation**

This workshop combines theoretical and practical classes. The student must apply theoretical concepts in his/her film practice. The learning process in based on both individual assignments and collaborative work. The group projects are developed in groups of 5 students. Each student assumes a different professional role, such as Researcher, Communications Coordinator, Director, Camera Operator, Cinematographer, Director of Photography; Sound Designer, and scriptwriter.

**Assessment System:**
- Participation in class (collective analysis of work-in-progress, debates, exercises, etc.)
- Individual work (shooting and editing)
- Group work (development of a short documentary film)
- Presentations (pitching of the project, film premiere)
- Dossiers and work diaries must be presented for the final assignment.

**Bibliography**

- Basic Bibliography
  - RABIGER, Michael (1987) *Directing the Documentary* (Focal: Boston)
• Extended bibliography:

WINSTON, Brian (2013) *The Documentary Film Book* (BFI: London)

• Journals:

DOX European Documentary Magazine (http://dox.mono.net)
Images documentaires (http://www.imagesdocumentaires.fr/)
Revista de cine documental (http://www.revista.cinedocumental.com.ar/)

Documentary (http://www.documentary.org)
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Revista digital de Cine Documentario (http://www.doc.ubi.pt)

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http://www.edn.dk
http://www.puntodevistafestival.com/
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