# **TEL AVIV ON FIRE**



# **Synopsis**

Israel/ Palestine, today.

Salam, a charming 30-year-old Palestinian living in Jerusalem, works as an intern on a popular Palestinian soap opera, "Tel Aviv on Fire," which is produced in Ramallah. Every day Salam must pass through an arduous Israeli checkpoint to reach the television studios. He meets the commander of the check-point, Assi, whose wife is a huge fan of the show. In order to impress her, Assi gets involved in the writing of the show. Salam soon realizes that Assi's ideas could get him a promotion as a screenwriter. Salam's creative career catches fire, until...

#### Cast

Salam Kais Nashef Tala Lubna Azabal Assi Yaniv Biton Bassam Nadim Sawalha

# Crew

Director of photography Laurent Brunet Sound recordist Alain Sironval Production designer Christina Schaffer Costume designer Magdalena Labuz Picture editor

Catherine Schwartz Sound editor Pia Dumont Sound mixer David Gillain Composer André Dziezuk

#### **Partners**

Film Fund Luxembourg, Israeli Film Fund, Eurimages, TorinoFilmLab, The Creative Europe - Media Programme of the European Union. Centre du Cinéma et de l'Audiovisuel de la Fédération Wallonie-Bruxelles



# **Dramatic comedy**

97 min. - Color - 2.39 (DCP Scope) - 5.1 - DCP

#### Arabic, Hebrew

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SAMEH ZOABI Be Quiet CM (2006) Téléphone arabe LM (2010) Under the same sun LM (2013)







### (Co-)Executive production companies

TS Productions

#### Co-production companies

Samsa Film Lama Productions Itd Artémis Productions RTBF (Télévision belge) Voo **BeTV** Shelter Prod

# International sales

Indie Sales

#### Distribution

France: Haut et Court Distribution Belgique: Artébis Entertainment

Belgique: Mooov