

Sat 26th Aug 11.30am-9pm
VENUE South Essex College

Video Games & Young Film Network **South East Films**

The game and technology industries have experienced explosive growth in the last few decades. It's fantastic to see the art of interactive media expand, providing artists and storytellers with new mediums to explore and express themselves. As the founder of Game Dev London, I'm thrilled to be working alongside the TSCF team to introduce new audiences to the wonderful world of gaming.

To celebrate the 75th anniversary of Windrush, we're excited to showcase the work and behind-the-scenes content of the game *Windrush Tales* and so much more! We hope to inspire you with how games can engage with history, how interactivity can curate narrative, and enlighten you about the industry. Most of all, we hope you have fun.

Jade Leamcharaskul | Games Curator

Exciting films from young talents in the South East region and our Young Film Network kick start the day.

11.30am-1.05pm | UK & YFN Films



Tiffin
3:20mins Animation UK 2023
Director Sabiha Tabassum

Exploring the relationship between food and culture within the South Asian community and the struggles of children owning their heritage.



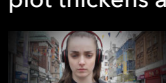
How We Live
16:44mins Comedy UK 2023
Director Chante Adjie

Uni has begun and it's time to make your mark, the girls plan a university gathering that goes from the best party of the year to the worst...



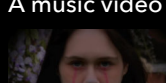
Dreamer
5:51mins Drama UK 2023
Director Byron Lightfoot

An employee of a powerful criminal organisation falls out with his colleague and goes to his therapist. The plot thickens as threats and a recurring dream haunts him.



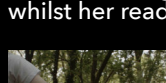
Headspace
3mins Music Drama UK 2023
Director Lucia Wells

A music video about being alone.



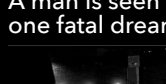
Pages
1:35mins Drama UK 2023
Director Elizabeth Matthews

A Girl tries to get out of the book she is trapped in whilst her reader turns the pages to her story.



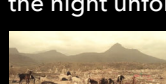
The Dream
2:46mins Drama UK 2023
Director Rocco David Kent

A man is seen living in a constant cycle until suddenly, one fatal dream changed everything for him...



Knock Knock
11mins Thriller UK 2023
Director Jake Parris

A lover comes home one night suspicious she is being followed. A sudden knock at the door in the middle of the night unfolds into a real-live thriller movie.



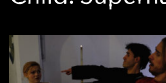
King Tree
12mins Documentary UK 2023
Director Samuel Espinoza

Villagers in Peru affected by global warming and deforestation make a desperate effort to save the Algarrobo trees, their only means of subsistence.



Let Go
8mins Drama UK 2023
by Kai McKay, David Gubb, Jack Gotham

A parent struggles to readjust to life after losing their Child. Supernatural events happen on the anniversary.



The Chapter
20mins Fantasy UK 2023
Director Lorenzo Irrera

A girl trapped inside a fictional book world by an evil Shakespearean author, is forced to marry a knight to complete one of the chapters - how can she escape?



Bright Sparks and Darkness
6:13mins Experimental UK 2023
Director Tom Stock

This silent film spotlights the loneliness and complications experienced in a single evening by a drag artist.

1.30-6pm **Panels, talks, discussions,** **Games and exhibition**

Why Games & Intro to Games Roles

An introduction to the games industry and why we should be excited about it. We also look at diverse roles in the industry, a closer look working in games and the cross disciplinary skills it involves.

Games as a Medium - Windrush 75

Highlighting the 75th anniversary of Windrush, this panel session explores how we as designers and the audience engage with historical content through the medium of games and gameplay.

Education in Games

In this panel we explore opportunities in games education and mentorship in the games industry. Great for those wanting to start a career in games.

Transmedia Adaptation

In this session we explore adapting stories across different mediums such as comics to screenplay and screenplay to comics.

6-9pm | Networking (food included)

FEATURED GAME



Experience the triumphs and tribulations of two Caribbean immigrants in post-war Britain, in the world's first Windrush video game, from the creators of the BAFTA nominated *Before I Forget*. How will you shape your story in this branching narrative interactive photo album?