



Tempestad

Directed by Tatiana Huezo
MEXICO 2016
105 minutes

Sunday, April 2

9:20 PM | Code TEMPO2

Monday, April 3

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Follow the parallel stories of Miriam and Adela, two of the latest victims of oppressive fear driven by corruption in Mexico. Miriam, taken from her job and arrested for people trafficking, lands in prison 1,000 miles from her home and young son. When she arrives, she learns she has earned the unfortunate responsibility of a “payer”—an innocent person forced to pay for someone else’s crimes. Worse, the prison functions at the hands of a ruthless cartel willing to inflict unspeakable violence to maintain control. For Adela, a clown in a traveling circus, ten years have passed since her 20-year-old daughter Monica disappeared. A few days after her vanishing, the family received a ransom note demanding payment in exchange for their daughter’s safety. Forbidden to conduct their own search, Adela’s family is forced into hiding, dodging death threats for continuing their investigation of their missing daughter. In TEMPESTAD, Miriam and Adela bravely reflect on their years living in paralyzing fear with the faint hope of one day reuniting with their children—the thing that keeps them forging ahead. (*In Spanish with subtitles*) —A.B.

Producers~Nicolás Celis, Sebastián Celis **Cinematography**~Ernesto Pardo

Editing~Lucrecia Gutiérrez Maupomé, Tatiana Huezo

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About the Director~Tatiana Huezo was born in San Salvador, El Salvador and is an award-winning director and cinematographer. When she was four years old she moved to Mexico City, where she grew up and graduated from Centro de Capacitación Cinematográfica. **Filmography**~“El lugar más pequeño” (2011), TEMPESTAD (2016)

That Trip We Took with Dad

(Die Reise mit Vater)
Directed by Anca M. Lăzărescu
GERMANY, ROMANIA, HUNGARY, SWEDEN 2016
111 minutes

Thursday, March 30

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Friday, March 31

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THAT TRIP WE TOOK WITH DAD takes us back in time, on a rock ‘n’ roll road trip through the still-porous Iron Curtain. German-Romanian brothers Mihai and Emil load their ailing father into their car in Romania under false pretenses and head for the German Democratic Republic. Mihai hopes a surgical procedure in Dresden might restore his dad’s health—and maybe some family equilibrium. But it’s 1968, so there’s little equilibrium anywhere in Eastern Europe. As they motor through the GDR, there’s a wee little uprising in Prague. And amidst the political chaos, the trio is held in a tourist detention center. Being German speakers, they’re allowed to travel west to the Federal Republic, where they crash in the Munich commune of Mihai’s new girlfriend. Surrounded by housemates holding forth on the glories of Socialism, the Romanians are aghast. Can they be free in this crazy place, or should they return home to Romania? THAT TRIP WE TOOK WITH DAD is a hugely enjoyable film whose believable characters and wonderful period look help us appreciate the tragicomedy of the East-West conflict. (*In German and Romanian with subtitles*) —B.B.

Producers~David Lindner Leporda, Verona Meier **Screenwriting**~Anca M. Lăzărescu

Cinematography~Christian Stangassinger **Editing**~Dan Olteanu, Hansjörg Weissbrich **Principal Cast**~Alex Margineanu, Razvan Enciu, Ovidiu Schumacher, Susanne Bormann

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About the Director~Anca M. Lăzărescu was born in 1979 in Timișoara, Romania and moved to Germany with her parents in 1990. She studied at the University of Television and Film (HFF) in Munich and attended summer classes at UCLA and various scriptwriting workshops. **Filmography**~“The Secret of Deva” (2007), THAT TRIP WE TOOK WITH DAD (2016)

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