

Indian Independent Film Festival

January-February Edition 2026

AWARD WINNER LIST

Project Name	Director	Category	Country
THE KHOEKHOE SAGA	Johann Richard Abrahams	Best Documentary	South Africa
Shanaya's Path	Frank Röhrig	Best Documentary	Netherlands
Carriers of Life	Sehar Sharma	Best Young Film Maker Under 18	India
PANTHEON	Tayfun Uçar, Deniz Uçar, Güneş Çavuş	Best Television Script – Pilot	Turkey
HEARTS IN A TRANCE	Davi Kinski	Best LGBTQ Script	Brazil
SAANVI	Arun Konda	Best Feature Film	USA
IN THE GARDEN: ANCHORS OF FAITH	Christal Kahles-Jones	Best Original Screenplay	USA
Gwen	Neil Joachim	Best Women's Film, Best Editor, Best Actor, Best Actress, Best Supporting Actor & Best Supporting Actress	Australia
A MOTHER'S LOVE	Harald Schwarzenbacher	Best Short Film	Austria

Rikshaw Boy	Lars Boom	Best Feature Script/Screenplay	Netherlands
Taxi	Marian Bruchholz, Poki Wong	Best International Feature Film	Germany
VERE ORU CASE	Shebi Chowghat	Best Indian Feature Film	India

HONORABLE MENTION

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CITIZENs-The choice not to fight	Yasushi Fuluichi	Best Short Film	Japan
Paradox	Anand TM	Best Indian Feature Film	India

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Swapnasundari	Philip K J	Best Debut Film Maker	India
The Secret of Adrenaline	Arri	Best Indian Short Film	India
FRED	Del Cistia Mathias	Best Short Film	France
Lemon at the Laundromat	Eugene Zosimov	Best Music Video	Cyprus
In Posa per l'America	Luciangela Gatto	Best Short Film	Italy
10 Reasons Why I'm a Bad Idea	Sam Speron	Best Feature Script/Screenplay	USA
Gunsmoke: An American Institution – Celebrating 50 Years of Television's Best Western	Ben Costello	Best Television Script – Pilot	USA
The Santa Situation	Joseph Anthony Francis	Best Original Screenplay	USA

Thank You all!

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