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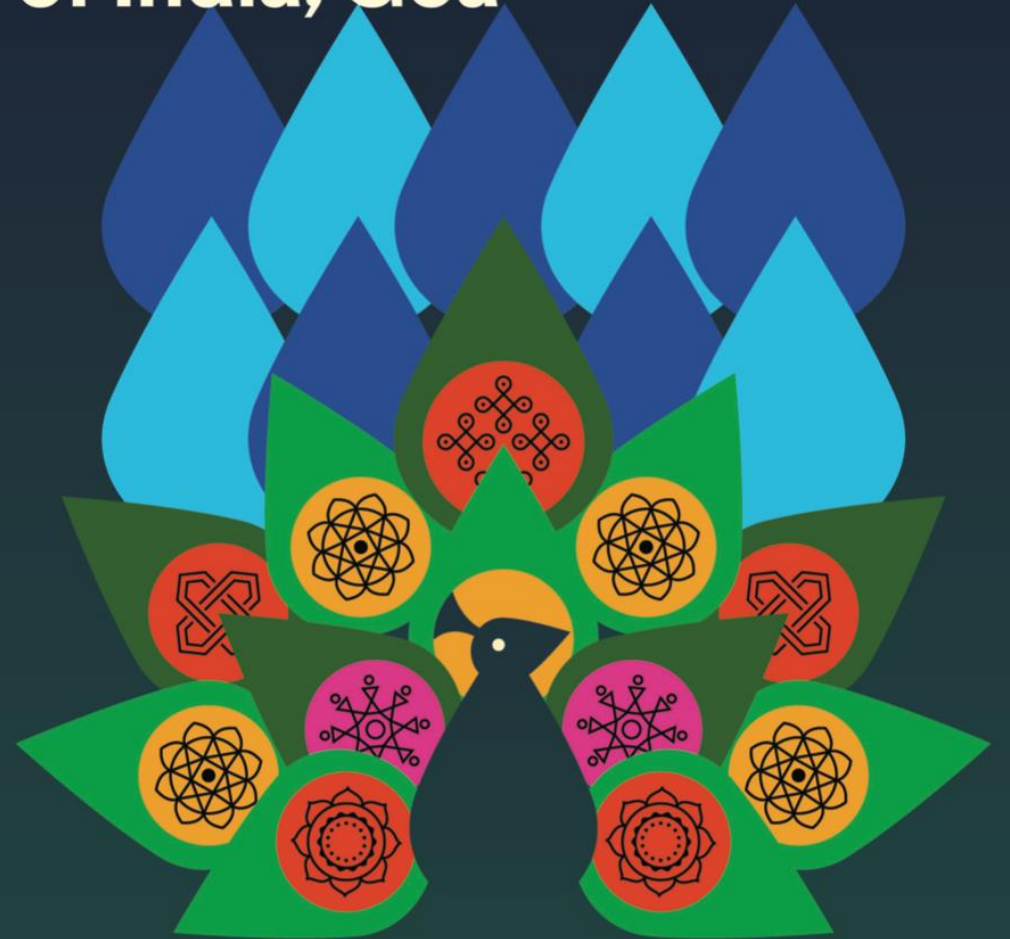
20-28 Nov, 2024 Goa

CURTAIN RAISER

18th Nov, 2024

at ESG, Goa

55th  
International  
Film Festival  
of India, Goa



# ABOUT IFFI



- Started in 1952
- One of the oldest and most prestigious
- Annual event since 1975
- Venue shifted to Goa in 2004
- 20<sup>th</sup> Nov - 28<sup>th</sup> Nov
- FIAPF-14 International Film Festivals - Cannes, Berlin,

Venice.



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Ministry of Information and Broadcasting  
Government of India

**NFDC**  
cinemas of india

**Programming & Execution**



**Hosting and Venue provider**



ENTERTAINMENT SOCIETY OF GOA

# 55<sup>TH</sup> IFFI STEERING COMMITTEE



## **Official Members:**

1. Minister of Railways, Information & Broadcasting  
(Chairman)
2. Chief Minister of Goa & Chairman, ESG (Co-chairman)
3. Minister of State for Information & Broadcasting
4. Secretary, Ministry of I&B
5. Sh. Shekhar Kapur- **Festival Director of 55th IFFI 2024**
6. Chief Secretary, Govt. of Goa
7. Special Secretary, Ministry of I&B
8. Additional Secretary & FA, Ministry of I&B
9. . Joint Secretary (B-II) & Managing Director, NFDC, MIB
10. Joint Secretary (F), Ministry of I&B
- 11 Chairman, Technical Committee IFFI
12. Pr. Director General, PIB
13. Secretary (I&P), Govt. of Goa
14. Vice Chairman, ESG
15. CEO, ESG

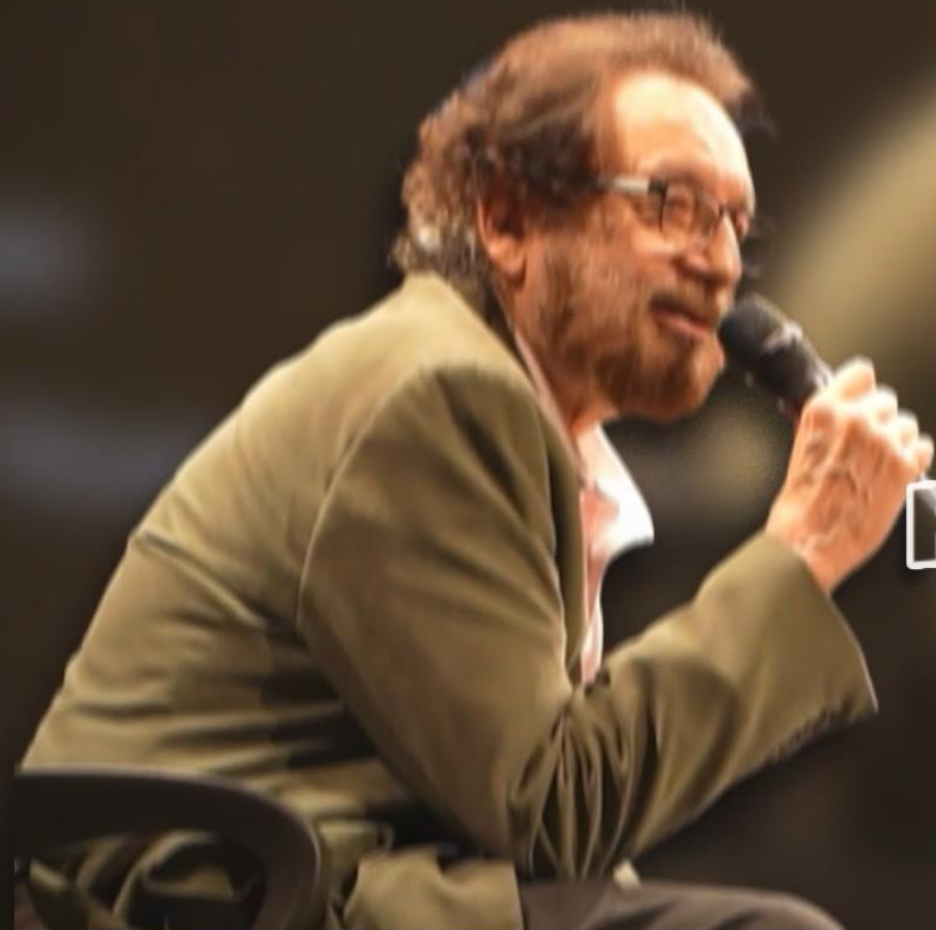
## **Non-official Members:**

1. Sh. Prasoon Joshi Chairperson CBFC, Veteran Lyricist
2. Ms. Khushboo Sundar Actor and Producer
3. Ms. Vani Tripathi Tikoo Actor and CBFC Member
4. Sh. Ravi Kottarakara Film Producer
5. Ms. Aimee Baruah Actor
6. Sh. Bobby Bedi Filmmaker
7. Sh. Priyadarshan Filmmaker and Writer
8. Sh. Manoj Bajpayee Actor
9. Ms. Jyoti Deshpande CEO of Viacom 18
10. Ms. Kala Master Choreographer
11. Sh. G. Suresh Kumar Film Producer
12. Sh. Vijay Kirangandur Film Producer
13. Sh. Jerome Paillard Film Expert
14. Sh. Ashish Hemrajani CEO of Bigtree Entertainment Pvt. Ltd.
15. Sh. Namit Malhotra CEO of Double Negative
16. Ms. Guneet Monga Kapoor, Film Producer

**LEGENDARY FILMMAKER**

**SHEKHAR KAPUR**

**FESTIVAL DIRECTOR**



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# 55<sup>TH</sup> IFFI POSTER



# KEY HIGHLIGHTS OF 55 IFFI



Theme of IFFI focused on *‘Young Filmmakers’ - The Future is Now*

New Award of *Best Indian Debut Director*

Creative Minds of Tomorrow enhanced to support *100 young talents*

6 more Theatres for Film Screenings

*Centenary Celebrations* - Raj Kapoor, Mohammed Rafi, Tapan Sinha, and Akkineni Nageswara Rao

*‘IFFiesta’* -Powered by District, Zomato River front

Australia *‘Country of Focus’* & UK *‘Treaty Country’*

## Premieres at IFFI

- World & International Premiere: 19
- Asia Premiere: 43
- India Premiere: 109

“IFFI 2024 to be grander than ever before”

# IFFI FOCUS : YOUNG FILM MAKERS



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New Award - Indian Debut Director

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IFFiesta focussed for youth - including events, exhibits, food, etc.

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400 students from film schools across India including the NE states.

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CMOT to support 100 young talents

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5 CMoT Champions to be rewarded

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Association of Youtube influencers in the festival through Google & My Gov partnership

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Masterclasses, Knowledge Series & Film Packages being specifically aligned for youth - Rising Stars Section, Debut

Director Section

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Fashion showcasing by student-designers of their creations inspired by cinema / cinema legends - NIFT

# FESTIVAL VENUES

## FESTIVAL SCREENING

**INOX, PANJIM** ( 483, 287, 231, 211)

**MAQUINEZ PALACE** (232)

**INOX, PORVORIM** (233, 227, 231, 220)

**SAMRAT & ASHOKA, PANJIM** (97 & 92)

**INOX, MADGAON** (207 X 4)

**INOX, PONDA** ( 126, 99)

## 5 PICTURE TIME INFLATABLE SCREENS

**IFFIESTA, KALA ACADEMY**

**4 OTHER VENUES ACROSS GOA**

## OPEN AIR

**MIRAMAR BEACH** (1000)

**RAVINDRA BHAVAN FATORDA** (1000)

**ANJUNA BEACH** (1000)

## MASTER CLASSES

**KALA ACADEMY** (954)

## FILM BAZAR

**MARIOTT PANJIM**

## FESTIVAL TRASPORT

**FROM INOX PANJIM**

**TO - FRO ALL VENUES**



International Film Festival of India

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# AUSTRALIA: FOCUS COUNTRY



MOU between Screen Australia & NFDC

Participation of leading Australian film makers & Talents

Producers business delegation

Aus Film Pavilion in Film Bazaar

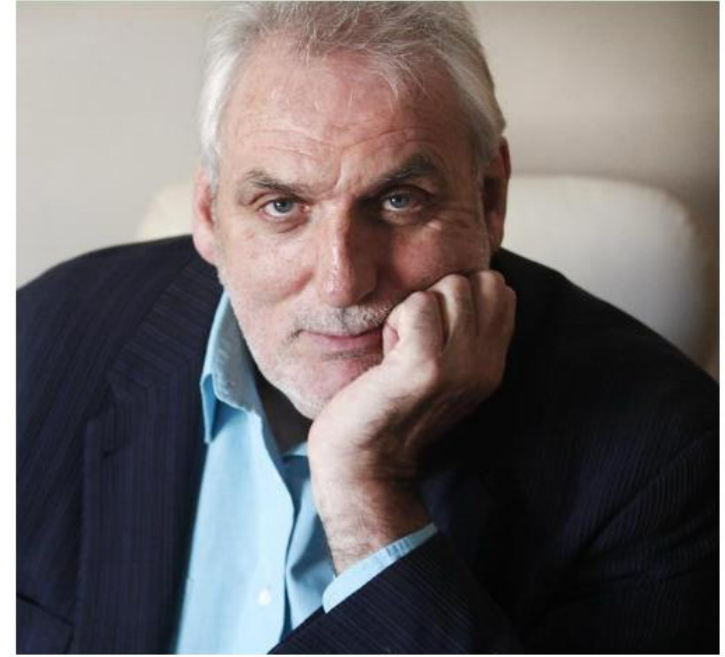
Opening Film - 'Better Man'

Seven Films package - FROM DOWN UNDER section

Performance in Opening Ceremony



# SATYAJIT RAY LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN CINEMA



**PHILLIP NOYCE**

Phillip Noyce, the celebrated Australian director, who has crafted a career spanning over 19 films since 1977 and is known for his exceptional storytelling and mastery in creating suspenseful, culturally resonant films has been selected for the coveted Satyajit Ray Lifetime Achievement Award for Excellence in Cinema 2024.



*Michael Gracey, an Australian filmmaker and visual effects artist, is celebrated for directing *The Greatest Showman* (2017) and executive producing Elton John's biopic *Rocketman* (2019). Known for his VFX expertise and music production skill, Gracey brings a dynamic, often viral approach that captivates audiences worldwide.*

## BETTER MAN

Australia | Colour | 134' | English | 2024



<b>Director</b>	Michael Gracey
<b>Producer</b>	Paul Currie, Michael Gracey, Coco Xiaolu Ma, Craig McMahon, Jules Daly
<b>Cinematographer</b>	Erik Wilson
<b>Editor</b>	Martin Connor, Jeff Groth, Lee Smith, Spencer Susser
<b>Screenwriter</b>	Oliver Cole, Simon Gleeson, Michael Gracey
<b>Cast</b>	Robbie Williams, Jonno Davies, Steve Pemberton, Alison Steadman

# INTERNATIONAL SECTION @ 55 IFFI

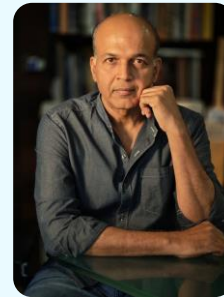
Film Submissions: 1676, 101 countries

Final Selection: 150 (81 countries) |

Preview Committee - 16 members



## International Jury



Ashutosh Gowariker  
(Chairperson)



Jill Bilcock



Fran Borgia



Anthony Chen



Elizabeth Karlsen

### International Competition Section -

**Best Film:** 15 feature films (12 International + 3 Indian)

**Golden Peacock & INR 40 lakhs.**

**Best Debut Director** - (5 International + 2 Indian)

**Silver Peacock, INR 10 lakh**

**ICFT-UNESCO Gandhi Medal** - (6 International + 3 Indian)

**UNESCO Gandhi Medal**

# 15 CURATED SEGMENTS IN INTERNATIONAL SECTION



Rising Stars (9)

From The  
Festivals (13)

Mission Life  
(5)

From Down  
Under-  
Australia  
Country Focus  
(7)

Docu-montage  
(8)

Experimental  
Films (6)

Cinema Of The  
World (72)

Macabre Dreams  
(3)

Restored  
Classics (4)

Treaty Country  
(5)

UNICEF @IFFI  
(5)

Accolades (3)

International  
Competition (12  
+ 3)

Best Debut  
Feature Film  
Of A Director  
(5 + 2)

ICFT UNESCO  
Gandhi Medal  
(7+3)

# INDIAN PANORAMA



## Feature Section:

**Submissions: 384** |

**4 panel of Jury**

**Jury Members: 13**

**20 + 5 Feature**



**Shri Chandra Prakash Dwivedi, Chairperson**

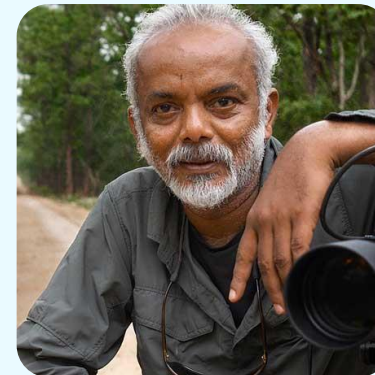
This segment includes the Opening Feature Film, *Swatantrya Veer Savarkar* (Hindi), directed by Randeep Hooda, and the Opening Non-Feature Film, *Ghar Jaisa Kuch* (Ladakhi).

## Non-Feature Section:

**Submissions: 262** |

**Jury Members: 7**

**20 Non Feature**



**Shri. S. Nallamuthu, Jury Chairperson**

# BEST INDIAN DEBUT DIRECTOR (NEW AWARD)



To recognize, young film making talent across the country

**Submissions: 102**



**Jury Members: 5**

**Jury Members:** Mr. Suneel Puranik, Mr. Sekhar Das, Mr. M. V. Raghu, Mr. Vinit Kanojia



**Shri Santosh Sivan, Jury Chairperson**

**Preview committee** - selection of 5 debut films, will be screened at the Festival

Certificate and Cash Prize of Rs. 5 lakhs to the Director

# BEST OTT SERIES



**Submissions: 46**



**Jury Members: 4**

**Preview Committee Selection** - 10 Best Series

**Jury Members:** Mr. Krishna Hebbale, Ms. Rupali Ganguli, Mr. Harish Shankar

**Nominate** - 5 series

- Certificate & Cash Prize of Rs.10 lakhs.



**Mr. Madhur Bhandarkar - Chairperson**



# CENTENARY CELEBRATIONS



Raj Kapoor



Mohammed Rafi



Tapan Sinha

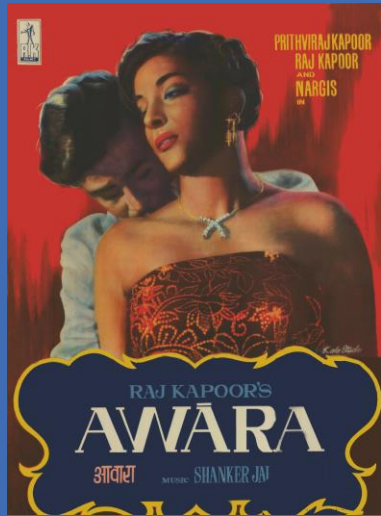


Akkineni Nageswara Rao

- **Audio Visual tribute performance in Opening Ceremony**
- **Restored classics**
- **Curated Exhibition**
- **Saregama Mementos**
- **Panel Discussions**
- **Sand Art**

**MY STAMP Launch**

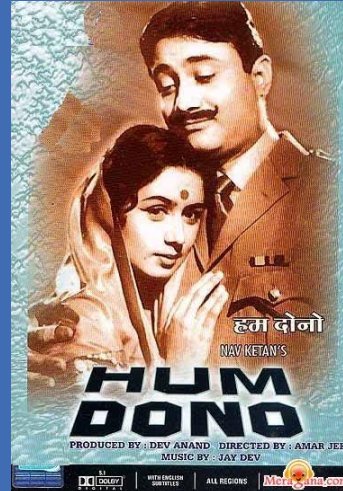
# Centennials Restored classics NFDC-NFAI



Awaraz (1951)



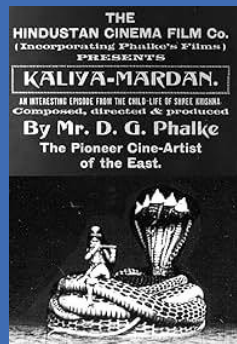
Devadasu (1953)



Hum Dono (1961)



Harmonium (1975)



Kaliya Mardan (1919)



Saat Hindustani (1969)



Seemabaddha (1971)



155<sup>th</sup>

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# GALA PREMIERS



Confirmed Films/Series - 15+  
Trailers- 3

**Eminent Film Personalities:** Vidhu Vinod Chopra, A.R. Rahman, Vikrant Massey, R. Madhavan, Neil Nitin Mukesh, Kirti Kulhari, Arjun Kapoor, Bhumi Pednekar, Rakul Preet Singh, Nushratt Bharuccha, Sanya Malhotra, Ileana D'Cruz, Boman Irani, Pankaj Kapur, Aparshakti Khurana, Manasi Parekh, Pratik Gandhi, Sai Tamhankar, Vishnu Manchu, Prabhudeva, Kajal Aggarwal, Saurabh Shukla and others.

## Gala Titles:



AND MANY MORE ...



## **Masterclasses, Panels Discussions & In-Conversations**

**25+ masterclasses and panel discussions at the Kala Academy,**

**International Luminaries such as AR Rahman, Prasoon Joshi, Mani Ratnam, Vidhu Vinod Chopra, Philip Noyce and John Seale**

## **Women and Young Emerging Voices in Cinema**

**Championing diversity**

**47 films directed by women**

**66 by young and debut filmmakers**

# CREATIVE MINDS OF TOMORROW

## What's New

**75 → 100 young talent**

**3 New trades**

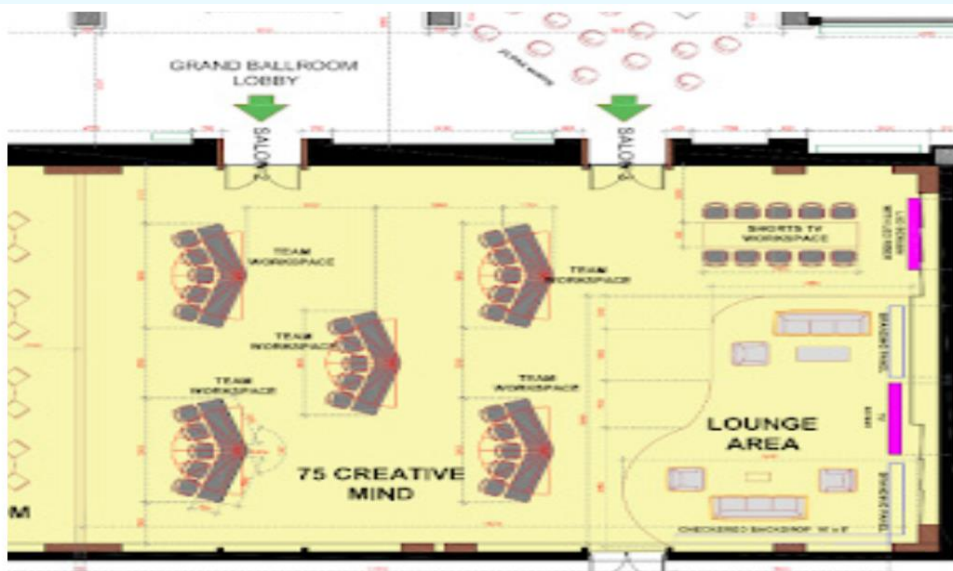
**48 hours film making Challenge**

**Shorts TV as partner**

**Talent Camp (10 Companies confirmed & 35 pending)**

**Master Classes**

Record entries: 1032 [Last year (2023): 550]



# FILM BAZAAR

- Business of Cinema
- Mr. Jerome Paillard -Advisor Film Bazaar  
Ex Market Head for Cannes for several years
- Largest yet, with 350+ film projects



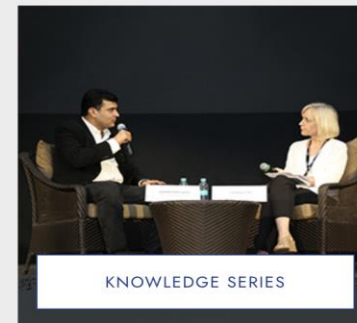
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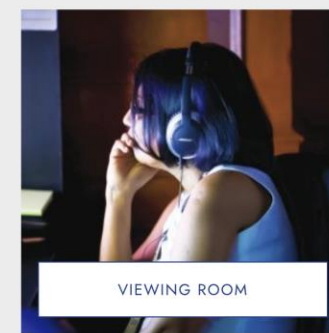
6+2



25+



35+

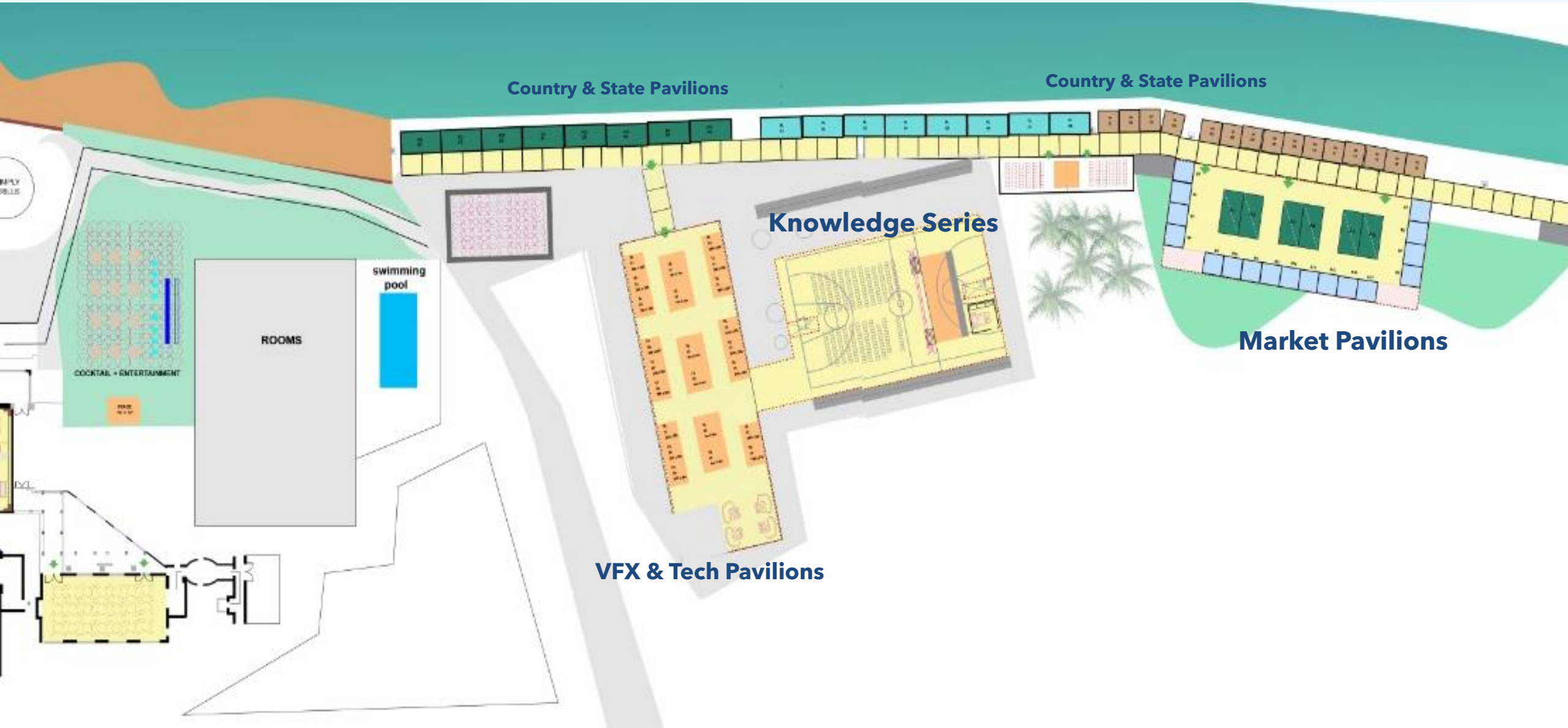


200+



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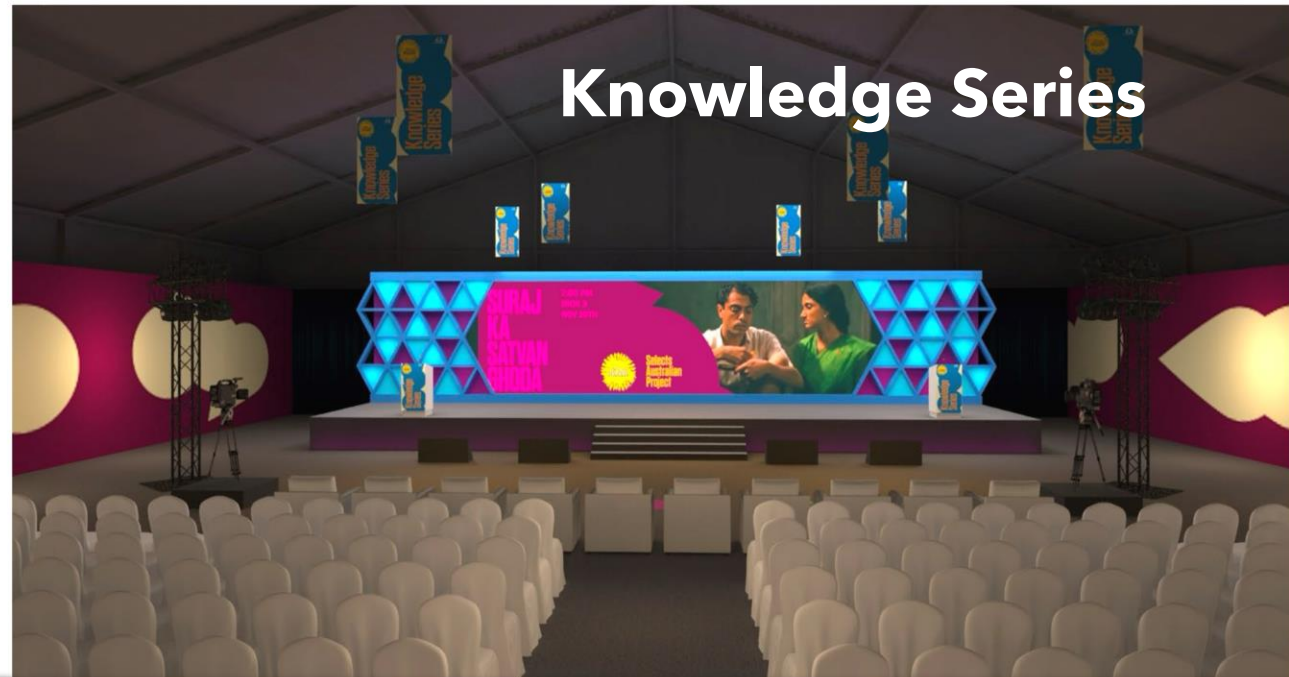
# FILM BAZAAR PROMENADE



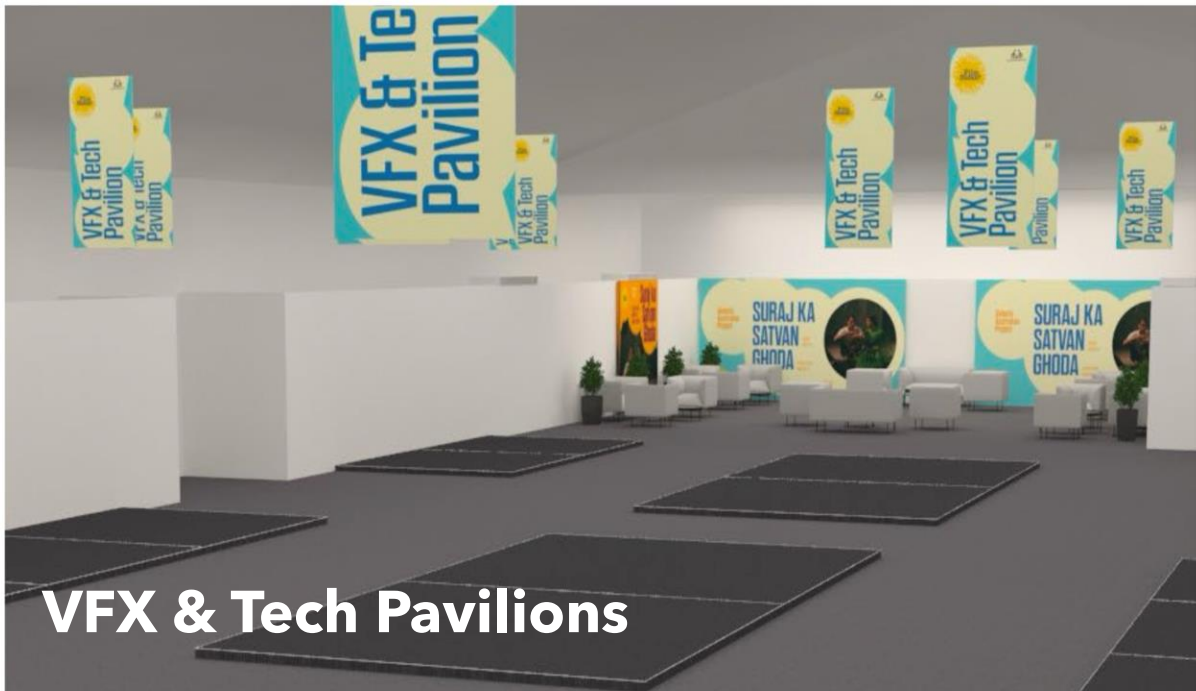
# Pavilions



# Knowledge Series



# VFX & Tech Pavilions



# Market Pavilions







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# IFFiesta

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BY ZOMATO

21-24 NOVEMBER | 4-10 pm | DB GROUNDS, PANJIM, GOA

Tickets Available On



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## Interactive Experiences & Cultural Festivities

**Venue:** Kala Academy & DB Ground on the Water Front

**Entry:** Included in IFFI Badge. Day pass also.

- Powered by the District by Zomato, – a exclusive zone for curated live performance, food,
- Focused on youth.
- Immersive exhibition of the 4 centennials
- Exhibition on the journey of Indian Cinema.
- **Carnival Parade** on 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov.

# IFFI 55: CINEMA FOR ALL EMBRACING ACCESSIBILITY AND INCLUSIVITY



Accessible Films Section - Audio descriptions & Indian Sign Language

Accessible India Section - Audio Description on App - Moviebuff  
Access - Qube cinemas



Accessibility Partner - Swayam

Accessibility Everywhere - Digital and On-Site Support

Inclusive Opening, Closing, Masterclasses, Press Conferences -  
Live Sign Language

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