





CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION KABUL, JUST BEFORE DARKNESS

A Swiss Italian television crew was in Kabul in the days leading up to the surrender and was able to document the growing anguish of a society that feels the end of a hope cultivated for twenty years. Social, civil and democratic achievements, especially those made by women, are being swept away. It is also the starting point for a reflection on the fight against terrorism.

2021 • HD • It/Fr/ Ger/ En subs/ 50'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

VATICAN CONNECTION

This documentary investigates how vatican funds have been managed over the last 25 years and the criminal scheme to plunder Vatican's treasure.

2021 • HD • It/En subs 45'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

2020: AN YEAR INSIDE THE PANDEMIC

Through an original re-reading by the authors and testimonies of the various protagonists involved in this health emergency - the documentary will attempt to answer questions still pending concerning the spread of the virus.

2021 • HD • It/En subs 90'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

THE GODFATHER

It has been 10 years since Antonino Belnome, 38-year-old Godfather and killer of the Ndrangheta, the bloody and powerful Calabrian mafia, changed his life becoming a collaborator of justice. With his testimonies he revealed unsolved crimes, buried corpses, dirty deals between weapons, drugs and corruption in the rich Northern Italy.

2021 • HD • It/En subs 50'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

TRUE OR FALSE

It is the most serious scandal ever hitting the modern art market. An affair that has made experts and auction houses tremble and has re-proposed the ghost of forgery. The facts date back to 2017 in Genoa, where an exhibition dedicated to the painter Amedeo Modigliani from Livorno was closed by the Public Prosecutor's Office, which put 21 paintings out of the 60 on display under seizure.

2021 • HD • It/En subs 45'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION CHRONICLES OF A PANDEMIC

In an exclusive documentary RSI has investigated the mistakes, the late reactions in responding to the pandemic. This exclusive film sheds light on the responsibilities of the World Health Organization and has given voice to their answers to these critics.

2020 • HD • It/En subs 40'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

CHILDREN DO NOT LIE

At the end of the 90s sixteen children were taken away from their parents in Italy. The accusations were very heavy. Convicted in the first instance, the accused will never see their children again and their lives are ruined. Over the years it will become clear that there was nothing true, that it was the psychologists who plagiarized the children. The case is not isolated.

2020 • HD • It/En subs 50'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

MILAN, EVERYONE AT HOME

It's a hot Sunday in March in Milan, when Claudio Rizzotti, freelance filmmaker, decides to take his camera to document what is beginning to happen around him. It is the beginning of the Italian lockdown for the Covid 19 pandemic and so his city, his friends and his family sink into a long lethargy.

2020 • HD • It/En subs 50'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

RUSSIAN LAUNDERING

"Money mules" are people lured on the Internet and forced to launder money for hacker gangs and organized crime. Apparently serious jobs offers which become a nightmare. The documentary follows the money flow from Switzerland to Russia.

2020 • HD • It/ En subs 48'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

THE BRIDGE

On 14th August Morandi bridge collapsed in Genua. 43 deads. Few survivors. The documentary follows in exclusivity the following steps. From the Genoa hangar to the EMPA laboratories in Dübendorf to shed light on responsibilities under a technical point of view. **1st Award at Prix Italia competition in the category TV documentary 2019**

2019 • HD • It/En subs/German 51'/French 58'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

NOVARTIS: STORY OF A SCANDAL

It is one of the biggest scandals the pharmaceutical world has ever seen, with the Swiss multinational Novartis at the center of the investigation. The investigation launched by the FBI in 2016, which started thanks to the collaboration of informants from the Greek headquarters in Novartis, is in its final phase and is bringing to light a shocking image: Novartis would have corrupted thousands of doctors just to have their products prescribed. 2019 • HD • It/ En subs 75'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

THE LAST CARAVAGGIO

In the footsteps of Caravaggio's Nativity, the canvas of the great master stolen 50 years ago in Palermo, among mafia, art dealers up to the Lugano vaults.

2019 • HD • It/ En subs 40'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

JIHAD INSIDE

They were foreign fighters. Now they are in the prisons of northern Syria with women and children: they are the prisoners of the recently defeated Islamic State. Some have played an important role and have links with terrorist attacks in Europe. Waiting for their countries to decide how to proceed, foreign jihadists live in a limbo and no court is judging their crimes. The prison camps are collapsing and the ideology is rising again.

2019 • HD • It/French/En subs 40'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

THE DOUBLE LIFE OF GUCCI

Gucci leaves Switzerland. The Kering Group (which the prestigious brand belongs) has indeed announced the transfer of 150 jobs to Italy. What's behind it? And what does it mean for Switzerland? The decision is mainly related to the fiscal offensive that France and Italy have launched against the group. Rome and Paris have declared war on the tax advantages that the group enjoys staying in Switzerland.

2019 • HD • It/En subs 40'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

THE RAPE DRUG

A girl goes out for a drink with friends. She drinks only one glass, but she soon feels paralyzed, unable to react. The next day she realizes that she may have been given the so-called rape drug. Our investigation reconstructs these events from the victims point of view, people who in most cases give up denouncing the incident, precisely because one of the characteristics of this drug is to erase the memory of those who assume it.

2019 • HD • It/En subs 30'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

TRACES OF DRUGS

What are the most widely used illegal drugs? And what quantities are in circulation? We first asked the police and prosecution service, then extended our investigation to drug dealers! To our surprise, some of them were willing to tell us how they organized their business, how much they sold, and to whom. We followed a number of police operations and went into flats where we saw impressive quantities of the stuff.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 48'/French 26'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

CRYING FOR JUSTICE

After 11 September 2001, the US government concludes secret agreements with European governments to fight terrorism. CIA will have powers to kidnap and torture suspects. It is a flagrant violation of international treaties and a slap to human rights. When the Washington Post revealed this secret pact in 2005, the Council of Europe instructs Swiss parliamentarian Dick Marty to investigate. This film is the story of this investigation. 2018 • HD • It, En, French 56'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

TAKE THE MONEY AND RUN

Five people with multiple convictions in Italy came to Switzerland in 2012. The list of crimes they had committed is impressive: fraud, bankruptcy, extortion, and even homicide, because one of them was Gennaro Pulice, the well-known 'Ndrangheta killer, who has confessed to 5 murders. And yet all five of them have obtained a residence in our country. How is this possible?

2018 • HD • It/En subs 15'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

FLOWERS OF BLOOD

More than two years after the terrorist attacks on the Bataclan in Paris, the documentary describes the encounters, social relationships, the therapeutic journey that each person is undergoing to process and live with the tragedy that befell them.

2018 • HD • It/En subs/Fre 48' EBU images to clear



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

ANGELES' CHILDREN

The documentary follow the traces of a child molester and collects stories of young girls in Philippines who have been raped by a swiss citizen. A tragic portrait comes out from this trip.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 52'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

DEATH OF AN IMMIGRANT

In 2016, a German tourist holidaying in Switzerland made a grim discovery: in the woods he stumbled upon a leg, partially mauled by animals. Who did it belong to? It triggered both a police and journalist inquiry and marked the beginning of a story that takes us back in time. Starting at the end, it progresses slowly, taking weeks to discover that the human limb belonged to a Macedonian farm labourer.

2017 • HD • It/En subs 46'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

MALAYSIAN SHADOWS

"BSI is in serious breach of the statutory provisions concerning money laundering. With this damning and emphatic verdict, Switzerland's financial regulator decided to shut down Ticino's oldest and biggest bank." This documentary reconstructs one of history's greatest financial scandals, an incident which spanned several countries and starred a series of unlikely characters.

2017 • HD • It/En subs 60'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

THE VIGANELLO KILLER

What does a hitman from the 'Ndràngheta, the powerful Calabrese mafia in Switzerland, really do? The mass murderer is said to have earned 45 million euros from his base in Lugano. Properties, companies and, above all, a dense network of accomplices. The documentary has gone on the hunt and reconstructed his every move in Switzerland.

2017 • HD • It/En subs 53'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

KOLA ALUKO'S BILLIONS

A magnificent villa with a view over the gulf of Lugano. Luxury cars parked in several garages. And gardeners, waiters and bodyguards besides. Kola Aluko, the Nigerian who became a target of both the Nigerian and British justice systems because he is said to have pocketed billions of dollars which were not his. Money that came from Nigerian oil wells, money taken from the state's accounts.

2016 • HD • It/En subs 35'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

MAFIA, COCAINE AND WHITE COLLAR WORKERS

There is the cocaine, tonnes of cocaine, one of the richest and most important Ndrangheta bosses in Europe and the so-called Swiss washing machine. This report traces the flow of dirty money from dealers in South America and offers a disconcerting window into the lives of Ticino's "white collar workers".

2016 • HD • It/En subs 24'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

THE LIGHT AND SHADE OF FASHION

The biggest names in fashion are choosing Ticino. They come here in ever greater numbers and have a significant impact on the local economy. Our investigation into Europe and Ticino's Fashion Valley shows that behind the scenes, they're using every trick in the book to increase profit. A disenchanted look at the major brands.

2016 • HD • It/En subs 25'



CURRENT AFFAIRS, CRIME & INVESTIGATION

PUNCHING WITH IMPUNITY

As a society we are always under stress. And it's only a matter of time before insults turn into punches. The attacker is no stranger to raising his fists – he's a thug; the victim ends up in hospital. And when it gets to court, he gets off lightly or scot-free. The victim is left with a huge sense of anger and injustice.

2016 • HD • It/En subs 36'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

VIRUS, LIKE A STONE IN A POND

How does an entire hospital turn into a "Covid-19 spacecraft" traveling through a route never experienced.

Stories of a hospital on the front line and in continuous transformation in a medical system put to the test by the pandemic.

2021 • HD • It/ Eng subs 52"



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

DYATLOV'S MISTERY

Story of nine Russian hikers who died under mysterious circumstances on the Dyatlov Pass in the Ural Mountains. Recently, two professors from the Zurich and Lausanne universities came to the conclusion that this was the result of a plate avalanche. But there are still those who dispute this scientific conclusion.

2021 • HD • It/ Eng subs 52"



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

TEACH ME TO FLY

Céline dreams of becoming a helicopter pilot. Attend the course and work as a flight attendant. Difficult but fundamental job, because flight attendants are the "eyes on the ground" of the pilots.

The documentary ventures with her into a little known and not very feminine world. An exciting journey also made up of adventure and breathtaking images.

2021 • HD • It/En subs 50'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

HEROS NOT BY CHANCE

People are not always saved by professionals. IThappens sometimes that ordinary citizens intervene when someone is in danger of life. This can happen at times with gestures of courage, putting one's own safety at risk, at other times by intervening with rescue and resuscitation techniques.

2021 • HD • It/En subs 40'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

ABOUT THE WAR

A reflection on war, on what the human being is capable of doing and on the job of reporter at the front. Fourteen years after recounting the conflict that shook Lebanon in 2006, Gianluca Grossi returns to the Land of the Cedars to confront a question that, over time, has become increasingly cumbersome: «What have I been used for? What is my job for? ».

2021 • HD • It/En subs 50'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

BACKTO EDEN

This is the story of a photographer and filmaker who 50 years later comes back to Siberut island, 90 miles west of Sumatra. It was July 1969 when the director landed on one of the most mysterious and lesser-known places on Earth. In July 2019, after half a century of travel and work, a question continues to haunt him like a ghost of the past: what will have become of that small island, Siberut, and the "flower men" who lived there?

2020 • HD • It/En subs 50'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

SAMADHI... WE ARE ONE

Samadhi is an ancient Sanskrit word meaning "we are one". Through seven extraordinary stories of pure love and friendship, this film shows that the only existing barriers between humans and animals are actually those we have created ourselves. From the forests of Germany, , to the junglesof Borneo, we will discover the magic of these unpredictable but deeply moving relationships.

2020 • HD • It/En 2x52, 1x100' 7x15'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

EWOLO

Cristel Ewolo lives in Switzerland since he was a child. From an extract of his birth certificate, he knows that his country of origin is Congo, but he has no identity documents. As a child Ewolo was abandoned in Switzerland and has the dream of returning to his hometown to look for his family's traces. This is the story of a journey to Congo in search of his origins and an incredible reconjunction.

2020 • HD • It/En subs 2x 50'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

STEVE LEE: ONE LIFE ONE VOICE

In 1992 the young goldsmith Steve Lee, one of the greatest rock voices, founded the famous Swiss rock group "Gotthard" with Leo Leoni. Growing up in a small town in Ticino, he becomes the lead singer of Gotthard and brings the band to international success with his exceptional voice, until the day when a terrible accident snatches him from life.

2020 • HD • It/ Ger 50'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

DOMINIQUE GYSIN

A portrait of the swiss ski alpin racer on and behind the slopes.

2020 • HD • It/ Ger 50'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE STRIKING CHILDREN

Around the world students between 14 and 19 years old organize themselves to strike and collect signatures joining the worldwide student movement of Fridays for Future, exploded with the young activist Greta Thunberg who in December 2018 spoke to the United Nations to bring attention to climate change. Theirs is a gesture of revolt towards the feelings of skepticism and fatalism of the masses.

2019 • HD • It/ En subs 50'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

PAUL IS COMING HOME

Paul, nine years old, was adopted when he was an infant. He lives his childhood between school, football and friends. However, the boy is animated by great questions. He wishes he could meet the rest of his family in Togo. Despite the difficulties, Nicla, his adoptive mother, makes every effort to allow Paul to visit his home country. Accompanied by her, his father and brother, Paul embarks on an emotional journey that will change him forever. 2019 • HD • It/ En subs 50'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

LIFE IS TOO FAST

The documentary takes us to the very heart of Fêtes des Vignerons, a unique creative process, in which motivation and perseverance challenge every obstacle to result in a popular representation of a formidable complexity.

2019 • HD • It/ French 50'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

I AM MIRIAM BIN LADEN

Mariam Bin Laden is going to swim across the English Channel. This represents not only an athletic challenge, but a symbolic and ardent dream: to give a second chance to her family, to inspire and empower Arab women to go after their dreams, as well as promote awareness for one of the most important issues of our time, refugees in dire need who are forced everyday to cross boundaries to survive.

2019 • HD • It/ English 70'

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STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

A JOURNEY FROM AUSTRIA TO SLOVENIA

Why should a visually impaired spend time and efforts in visiting new places that he really can't see? The documentary gives a real, touching, not for granted answer which comes directly from these incredible people who, between a castle and a lake, visiting a church or a square, share their impressions and moods with great spontaneity.

2019 • HD • It/ En subs 52'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE A GENTLEMAN THIEF

Vincenzo Pipino is a thief, he was convicted and has done over 25 years in prison both in Italy and in the rest of Europe and has expiated his faults. The documentary tells the story of this last gentleman thief.

2019 • HD • It/ En subs 52'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

WHEN DOES MUM ARRIVE?

Ahmad is a child in a wheelchair because he was born with a sever genetic disease. Born in Syria four years ago his father decided to escape from the war with the whole family. Refugees at first in Iraq, the family had to split up. His mother remained in Iraq with two children, while her father embarked on an endless journey with Ahmad.

1st Award Prix Europa 2019 in the category " Culture and diversity"

2019 • HD • It/En subs 58'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

A TURBO-FAMILY

Growing up is always difficult, growing up as a pilot-woman, it's very hard. Every step forward costs tears, sweat and fatigue. When you move from Gran Turismo to Formula the speed increases and racing becomes more difficult, and so as an European champion, always on the podium you become a freshman, again.

2019 • HD • It/En subs 53'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

MOSUL YEAR ZERO

After a battle that left tens of thousands of people dead, Mosul in Iraq has been liberated from ISIS, but at a terrible price: buildings in ruins, houses gutted, churches and mosques blown up, thousands of bodies still buried under the rubble. The cultural jewel of the great civilizations of Mesopotamia, has become a symbol of the struggle against islamist extremism and the tragedies it has spawned.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 38'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

FOOTBALL AND POWER

The Messis and the Ronaldos of the future are growing up in Lugano. Leonid Novoselsky is convinced of this. He is a Russian entrepreneur who is investing lots of energy and considerable sums of money in transforming Switzerland into the best football school in the world.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 36'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE
THE AFTERLIFE IS HERE AND NOW

All those who have died are in the light, even those who were evil. So says Pascal Voggenhuber, a young medium sporting tattoos and ragged jeans, who grew up on the hip-hop scene. As he sees it, we are all spiritual beings, and healing, seeing the aura and communicating with the dead is something we can all do. It just takes practice.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 52'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

ESCAPING FROM RUSSIA

The documentary tells the story of Michele Raggi, swiss agronomist, escaped from Russia after the Bolshevik Revolution of October 1917 and founder of a flourishing farm operating in the Caucasus, in southern Russia, since 1896.

2018 • HD • It/Fre/Ger/En subs 56'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

SWISS ELVIS

Nino Zucca, a life devoted to the legend of Elvis Presley. The son of immigrants to the US, he lived until the age of thirteen in Tampa, Florida, where he fell under the spell of Rock and Roll. There he began his metamorphosis, adopting the look and gestures of his idol, and even winning a competition for the best impersonator of "the King".

2018 • HD • It/En subs 52'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

THE PERMIT JUNGLE

10 years ago, Bewar and Rebazz fled Iraqi Kurdistan and applied for asylum in Switzerland. While they waited for the response, they trained, learned Italian, started work, paid tax. In the meantime, the government rejected their asylum request and decided that they could return to Iraq. However, their repatriation didn't happen because they didn't want to leave and Kurdistan wouldn't accept them back.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 28'/French 26'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

THE PEOPLE'S BRIDGE

The life of Toni Rüttimann seems like something out of a film: too generous, too good and too honest to be true. He used the computer to build bridges, and he has built more than 300 of them. He has built them in poor countries, mainly in South America and Asia. He builds them without spending a cent, with help from local communities. An absolutely extraordinary story of humanity and of civil engagement.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 18'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

GOLD AND MINERAL WATER

There is a small area in Australia, in the central part of the State of Victoria, that is for ever Switzerland.

The ancestors of this community emigrated to Australia from Ticino around 1850, when gold fever broke out. They came as gold diggers, but gradually settled down in that region and created a close-knit community that soon became their new home.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 52'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

BANZAI SWITZERLAND!

The Tamagawa Alphorn Club is a group of Japanese musicians and pensioners with a passion for the Alpine horn. Last summer it crossed Switzerland in several stages, travelling among the Swiss mountains seeking inspiration and meeting some masters in preparation for an extremely important event: the Nendaz festival.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 52'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

THAT'S IT, I NEED A CHANGE!

Have you ever thought of leaving your job and searching for a new way of life? Perhaps to spend your time doing something you really enjoy. What really matters – your salary or your welfare, your career or your happiness? Many people are asking themselves the same questions and some are making the great leap for themselves. The documentary tells the surprising stories of some who have taken this step.

2017 • HD • It/En subs 40'/Fre 25'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

THE ISLAND KEEPER

The Island of Budelli, an earthly paradise in the Maddalena Archipelago National Park, in the north of Sardinia. For almost thirty years, this has been the home of Mauro Morandi, the only inhabitant and keeper of the "Pink Beach", a little bay of flamingo-coloured sand. An unspoilt natural environment, crashing waves, no landing stage, few visitors, Budelli and its surrounding waters are the epitome of solitude.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 52'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF AN ANGEL

The "Line of Saint Michael" is a route that runs right across Europe. It connects Saint Michael's Mount in Cornwall to Jerusalem passing via the island of Symi in Greece before winding up in Jerusalem. We embark on a journey that takes in some of the world's most beautiful scenery in search of answers to the fundamental questions of human existence.

2017 • HD • It/En subs 2x52'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

THE MONTH OF FASTING

There's a lot of talk about Islam, about Muslims and the hijab, but how much do we actually know about what life is really like for those who have faith in Allah? Shorn of all prejudice, this documentary tells the inside story of a group of Muslims and their experiences of living in Ticino, with a particular focus on the holy month of Ramadan, when they are required to fast out of love for God.

2017 • HD • It/En subs 48'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

IMMERSION

The darkness, the muffled noises, holding your breath until the very last minute: this documentary plunges into the world of free diving. Lakes, rivers, oceans - the abyss is a source of fascination for Igor. Travelling from Switzerland to the world's deepest blue hole in the Caribbean, Igor starts to compete and is crowned Swiss champion of free diving, descending to 82 metres.

2017 • HD • It/En subs 51'



STORIES OF TRUE LIFE

BLENIO-UTAH

History has been repeating every summer for a hundred years in the American state of Utah: the salt lake of Bonneville awaits patiently the burning wheels of motorcycles and cars ready to whiz for world records.

2017 • HD • It/ En subs 58'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

IMPACT ZERO

A story of renovation: when the time comes to renovate his building, the owner decides he wants to do something for the climate. With the help of a team of experts, he transformed the building to the highest energy standards.

2021 • HD • It/En subs 36'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

GONE WITH THE WIND

Ticino's first wind farm has been installed on the St. Gotthard Pass, with five giant blades capable of supplying electricity to 5 thousand households. We followed the work on the highest construction site in Ticino at 2,100 metres for two years, exclusively and amidst considerable environmental difficulties.

2021 • HD • It/En subs 30'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

51 KILOS

Meat is under indictment. In Switzerland we eat 51 kg of beef, poultry and pork per person per year. And that would be far too much for the health of our planet. Feed production and methane emissions from ruminants pollute more than mobility. These are considerations made on a global level, but the green wave has also invested Swiss politics.

2021 • HD • It/En subs 30'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

SAVE THE KOALAS!

Australian bushfires have killed thousand koalas, among other animals. A moving reportage with some stories of hope.

2020 • HD • It/En subs/ 30'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

A SECOND CHANCE

Everyone has the right to a second chance, even things. In the name of "Less is more" and ecological sensitivity, the circular economy is making headway, the model that aims to use resources more efficiently and for longer. This model of reuse, repair, sharing and transformation is also applied on a large scale, not only at the level of consumers and consumers, but also at the level of businesses.

2020 • HD • It/En subs 40'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

FIFTY STEPS

In a rapidly changing world, the challenge today is actually no longer to conquer new heights but to think and develop environmental and humanitarian projects that favor the conservation of a fragile ecosystem. The withdrawal of the glaciers is bringing to light not only the traces of our passage but also the bodies of those who have never returned home from those places.

2020 • HD • It/ En subs 54'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

TABATA - THE NEW TREND

Train less, to be in better shape. This is the (almost miraculous) promise of high intensity interval training or Tabata method. Those who practice it talk enthusiastically about it, but is it really possible to get back in shape thanks to sessions that last a few minutes? Does this new type of training really have greater cardiovascular and muscular benefits than longer sessions?

2020 • HD • It/ En subs 30'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

YOGA - THE SECRET OF A SUCCESS

Yoga today is the most practiced discipline in cities. Holidays and company retreats dedicated to yoga are growing; children are also taught it. Yoga is fashionable and now also a business. What drives millions of people to practice this discipline? And what is left of its original meaning?

2020 • HD • It/ En subs/ French 30'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

MELTING GLACIERS

Glaciers melt, faster and faster. In order to slow down the phenomenon, a radical gas reduction would be necessary. Also because in the meantime the deforestation of forests continues, starting with Amazonia. But there are even those who imagine that they can save the glaciers thanks to an idea as simple as it is original.

2020 • HD • It/ En subs/ French 33'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

HEALING NATURE

Healers and complementary therapists work with methods alternative to those of "official medicine". They form a varied galaxy and the number of people who use their services is important. There are those who flee traditional medicine and those who are simply curious.

2020 • HD • It/ En subs 26'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

WHITE CHRISTMAS

A white Christmas, like this year's, has now become the exception to the rule. Average temperatures in Switzerland have risen twice as much as the entire globe. A disturbing fact that makes us understand why there are no longer any seasons. What future for winter sports?

2020 • HD • It/ En subs 25'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

INSANELY NORMAL

For over twenty years Gregorio has been confronted with a bipolar disorder. In the moments in which he experiences very strong emotions, he can have crises that lead him from extreme excitement to deep depression.

2019 • HD • It/ En subs 50'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

I HEAL MYSELF ONLINE!

Taking care of your own health is a path that more and more people pursue. According to statistics, even 84% of patients say that they have searched at least once, online information on medical issues. The documentary tells the story of patients informed and determined to do something to improve their health, compared with doctors who only partially understand their reasons.

2019 • HD • It/En subs 27'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

INTENSIVE CARE

Five patients, five families. The documentary tells about some patients who have been hospitalized in the intensive care department of the Lugano regional hospital.

2019 • HD It/ En subs 52'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

A DOG AS A DOCTOR

A child has lost the whole family in a traffic accident. He is seriously injured: hospitalized, he is not interested in the world, outside. Doctors make an attempt: they put a dog near him; the effect is immediate, the child reacts quickly to treatment. The documentary pictures the benefits of pet-therapy in young patients.

2019 • HD • It/ 20'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY EVERYONE WANTS AN ELECTRIC CAR

In Switzerland, driving an electric car is pretty rare. Who drives an electric car is an idealist who does not want to pollute, also because a purchase of that kind is still a challenge because there are no incentives. But things could soon change.

2019 • HD • It/En subs 30'/French 26'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

NORWAY AND ELECTRIC CARS

In Norway electric cars are very common. Even if the air is less polluted than in other European countries; yet the Norwegians are big oil producers. So why are they investing in electric cars so much? Which are the reasons which led them in developing this kind of car?

2019 • HD • It/En subs 25'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

MESSAGES FROM THE END OF THE WORLD

The documentary describes the dramatic consequences of the climate change in the Arctic zone. Thanks to the Swiss Arctic Project five young people have been navigating for three weeks through hostile and beautiful landscapes up to the North. They have documented the signs of global warming and raise the new generation's awareness through social networks.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 53'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

IN THE NAME OF LAW

People pictured in the documentary have a rare, highly disabling disease that makes it hard to do anything in their lives. On top of this there are the high costs of access to health care and even insurances that often do not recognize the costs incurred.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 40'/French 26'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

HOP'S VALLEY

In Switzerland there are more than nine hundred breweries, one of the largest concentrations in the world related to the population. But what drives such a large number of master brewers to experiment with malts and hops to produce one of the oldest drink in the world?

2018 • HD • It/En subs 31'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

THE OBSESSION WITH FOOD

Some people eat only fruit, some only meat, some only raw food, and some only at certain times of day. More and more people are obsessed with what they eat and in some cases this becomes a genuine illness.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 40'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

THE IMPOSSIBLE AWAKENING

A serious incident, massive brain damage. Until a few years ago, there was no hope. Today, major progress in medicine has led to better prospects. Patients survive but spend months, or often years, in a "vegetative" or "minimally conscious" state. Some can just about move their eyelids; all need 24-hour assistance. This has a major impact on family life.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 49'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

BEYOND PHOBIA

Spiders and snakes are at top of the list. There are also people who are afraid of butterflies, on whom the thought of seeing one has a similar effect. There are people who cannot board an airplane, or get into an elevator. In these cases, the impact on their life can be significant, especially when their fear develop into a full-blown phobia, incapacitating them to the point where they lose their job or their relationships are affected.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 51'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

THE UNWANTED JOURNEY

Breast cancer can be cured, but a lot depends on access to care. The documentary shows this on a humanitarian journey into the heart of Asia. In Kyrgyzstan the two oncologists find a health system that is decades behind ours; the patients visiting it are living proof of the gap between our medicine and what is available in a large number of countries in the world.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 51'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

THE PERFECT BODY

The fitness craze is spreading faster than the flu virus, swelling the crowds of "gym bunnies". Punishing training schedules, protein-only diet, building the perfect body can in some cases become an obsession. Falò put on gym shoes and joined this world which has become a way of life for many, and followed a politician during training sessions.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 33'+8'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

GETTING SICKTO GET BETTER

Living in the world's richest country yet not being able to get treatment because the medicine is too expensive. In Switzerland, around 25 percent of reimbursed drugs are actually subject to a limit imposed by the Federal Office of Public Health. It's primarily a matter of costs. Drugs for treating hepatitis are just one example of this absurd development.

2017 • HD • It/En subs 44'/Fre 25'



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ATTHE HEART OF PAEDIATRICS

There's the child who cut himself in a fall at home and another who suffered a sprain playing basketball; but there's also the little girl with a tumour who has to face chemotherapy like an adult without much idea of whether or not she will make it. How do children and young people deal with their illnesses? And what difference does it make to the healthcare professionals when it's a child that they're treating?

2017 • HD • It/En subs 48'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

IT'S BETTER TO FAST

Once upon a time, people fasted during Lent but few still do today. Yet from Jesus Christ to Gandhi, people have been hailing the virtues of fasting since the dawn of time. Research shows that fasting regularly helps prevent some serious diseases such as diabetes and arthritis. But skipping meals is neither popular nor easy: on the contrary, resisting hunger pangs is extremely difficult.

2017 • HD • It/En subs 48'/Fre 25'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

ITRUST ON YOU

Doctors, nurses, surgeons. It's a demanding job working in the healthcare sector, where mistakes weigh heavy on your conscience, on the patients themselves and those who refer them. It's no wonder, then, that it's so hard to say "I was wrong". But why do doctors find it so hard to say those words? Why don't they choose to be transparent? Why don't they explain that there is a fine line between an error and a complication?

2016 • HD • It/En subs 36'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

EXCELLENT MEDICINE

If you seriously injure your hand, as well as the shock and pain there is also the fear of being left with permanent injuries, of becoming disabled. This documentary follows two surgeons on a humanitarian mission to Togo, where they heal scores of children to help them rediscover a normal life. Hand surgery, is perhaps most of all a matter of healing people facing an adverse future, a form of social medicine.

2016 • HD • It/En subs 48'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

WE'RE ALL ASTRONAUTS

Mankind has been searching for the elixir of life for centuries. This goal seems closer now than ever before, with the average age having more than doubled over the last hundred years. While developments in medicine are allowing us to live longer, scientific advances are revealing the mechanisms behind ageing.

2017 • HD • It/En subs 38'/Fre 25'



HEALTH, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABILITY

I'LL RECOVER WITHOUT CHEMO (THE BOTTARO CASE)

Eleonora Bottaro had a cancer that could be treated with chemotherapy. But the family refused the therapy because they believe in Ryke Geerd Hamer's theory. Underpinning the German doctor's philosophy is the idea that cancer can be cured by resolving the internal psychological conflict at its root. Having followed this philosophy, Eleonora died some months later.

2017 • HD • It/En subs 40'/Fre 25'



WOMEN, DISABILITIES AND SOCIAL WORK

MOM AT WORK

In a society that is increasingly strives for profit and productivity, families who decide to have a child must jump through hoops. The documentary follows some stories of women who, as a result of pregnancy, have to leave their professional activity.

2019 • HD • It/En Subs 32'



WOMEN, DISABILITIES AND SOCIAL WORK

ABYSS OF LOVE

Violence against women is the topic of the day. Often reporting the crime and sentences are not enough to avoid tragedy. And so one asks, what should be done in such situations? Who can intervene? How?

2018 • HD • It/En subs 27'/Fre 25'



WOMEN, DISABILITIES AND SOCIAL WORK

THE SILENCE OF WOMEN

The documentary covers the subject of rape. In their testimonies, the victims describe all the traumas that have to be overcome in such cases, from the initial violence, to the difficulty of obtaining justice, to the very long time that is needed to process such a traumatic experience.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 30'



WOMEN, DISABILITIES AND SOCIAL WORK

YES YOU CAN!

Live like other people and with other people. The documentary investigates people who have disabilities and accompanies them for a few days to discover their abilities and independence that reveal themselves. Their paths intersect with what we refer to as a non-profit organization, a reality that meets the needs of a disadvantaged group but also those of the market and the area in which they live.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 49'/French 26'



WOMEN, DISABILITIES AND SOCIAL WORK

JULLAY MARA LAY

Mara Casella's journey began 15 years ago and took her from Switzerland to the Himalayan mountains of India, in Ladakh. Mara here offers assistance, support and training for disabled children and becomes a point of reference for Ladaki families so that they can deal with the problem of disability.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 53'



WOMEN, DISABILITIES AND SOCIAL WORK

CAMBODIA IN MY BLOOD

Pierre Tami's mission has always been to combat poverty. Inspired by his faith and a sense of calling, he left for Cambodia in order to serve his neighbours. From the streets to the upper echelons of government, Tami's work evolved along with the country itself, which is now one of the most dynamic economies in Asia despite its deep-rooted inequality and human rights abuses.

2017 • HD • It/En subs 51'



WOMEN, DISABILITIES AND SOCIAL WORK

WELCOME TO LOSONE

With current conflicts escalating in severity and number, more and more immigration centres are being set up for asylum seekers. But how are the locals finding this "invasion" and how do the asylum seekers perceive the outside world and the people who take them in? A reflection on how different ways of perceiving the same reality can coexist.

2016 • HD • It/En subs 65'



WOMEN, DISABILITIES AND SOCIAL WORK

IN YOUR SHOES

Emblazoned on the boxes and shelves are the words "Men's M", "Men's XL", "Women's winter wear", "Women's S", "Children's shoes", "Children's jackets", "Baby"... Dozens upon dozens of garments, clothes by the tonne that get sorted, folded, packed into cardboard dozens. But where do they end up?

2017 • HD • It/En subs 51'



WOMEN, DISABILITIES AND SOCIAL WORK

WE'RE ALL HOUSEWIVES

A stay-at-home mum, a dad who brings home the bacon and two children ready to make other choices. It's the traditional family model. But when does it stop being a free choice? This documentary examines the lives of various housewives - some more "desperate" than others - and takes you all the way to Sweden, where work-life balance has progressed so far that there are no more housewives yet people are having more children.

2015 • HD • It/En subs 41'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

EATING ON-LINE

More and more people are ordering lunches and dinners online. The main reasons are the lack of time to devote to cooking, the difficulty of reconciling the professional commitments of parents, or to combine the activities of children with the schedules of the rest of the family. Often the solution is searched on the net, where a click is enough to order what you want.

2020 • HD • It/ En subs/ French 28'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

CONSCIOUS UNCOPLING

Divorce is now to be considered as an acquired social phenomenon, intimately linked to the final "fate" of 50% of marriages. The corollary of conflicts and sufferings, up to the harmful outcomes of terrible marital wars that last for years, seems intrinsically linked to this event, which ends up up upsetting the lives of the people concerned, especially the children of these couples.

2020 • HD • It/ En subs 40'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

PASSWORD: 5G

To better understand what this is about, we started to discover situations in a country, Korea, where 5G is already a concrete reality, where the future has already begun.

2019 • HD • It/ En subs/ French 26'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

HAUTE PATISSERIE

Small luxuries, to be tasted in a few minutes. Today quality confectionery is taking the road of luxury products such as fine wines and haute couture. If France has always been the country of excellence in this kind of products, nowadays Malaysia is at the highest ranking with Japan and Italy in second and third position.

2019 • HD • It/ En subs 45'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

ALPS, BETWEEN FICTION AND REALITY

What's happening to our Alps? Our mountains are trasforming. a massive assault of mass tourism. The classic tourist offers are increasingly supplanted by offers of entertainment and entertainment that have little or nothing to do with the traditional mountain. According to the tourism promoters, without fun there would be no more prospects.

2019 • HD • It/En subs 44'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

AS YOU ARE

Is it more difficult to pretend or be yourself? What does it mean to be normal? And what happens when you find yourself different and you tell it to others and to your family? The documentary pictures the lives of six people, their sufferings and their hopes, including intolerances, pride, prejudices, desire for marriage and unfinished wishes of maternity and paternity.

2019 • HD • It/ En subs 53'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

MY FIRSTTIME

In Western society sex is everywhere. In advertising, in songs, in art and in television. So it would be reasonable to assume that young people have a very nonchalant attitude towards sex. The documentary investigates how do they live the "first time", the moment when a girl or a boy have their first sexual intercourse.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 40'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

LOVE AT WORK

Living side by side, 24 hours a day. It is the condition of couples who, in addition to private life, share professional life. But there is no risk of quarreling? Or in the long run do not they get bored? In the documentary the testimonies of a bunch of couples who made this choice.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 36'/French 26'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

THE THOUSAND FACES OF LONELINESS

In a flat suffocated by the heat, an old man dies in loneliness. The body is found only several days later. The news generates indignation, also because it is not the first time that it happens. Neighbors, relatives, social services, often no one notices that a person is gone. The documentary reflects on the issues related to loneliness among old people.

2018 • HD • It/French 20'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

LONELINESS IN THE DIGITAL ERA

More and more people seem to suffer of loneliness, both youngs and adults . There are people who hundreds of virtual friends but no real relationship. On the other side social network can be a great resource. In the end there are also who prefer living alone and in a peaceful silence finds the energy to regenerate himself.

2018 • HD • It/French 20'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

VETS: AN INCREDIBLE JOB.

Vets give birth to a calf, repair the bones of cats and the sick heart of dogs. They take care of tigers and lions destined for extinction. In their activity veterinarians offer a valuable service, but they also describe the contradictory relationship between humans and animals.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 53'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

UNWELCOME TOURISM

Tourism jacks up prices and leads to a dumbing down of shops, restaurants and culture generally. And worse: in Europe's most visited cities, there are districts from which residents are being ousted; the visitors can pay rents that locals cannot afford. This is especially true of Venice and Barcelona, where residents are now mobilizing to demand that tourism be kept within bounds.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 31'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

BREAKING THE MOULDS

A female mechanic, hands black with grease, still raises eyebrows. The fault of social conditioning? Most women still conform to the stereotypes: secretary, hairdresser, beautician. But there are exceptions. What motivated them to be non-conformists? Some of them tell us why they opted for occupations regarded as the preserve of men.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 45'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

AS MUCH CHOCOLATE AS I WANT

The great Swiss tradition of making the food of the gods, as it was known by the Maya people who invented it, still has to fight for its place in an increasingly competitive market. And it constantly has to find new forms to conquer new markets, and more effective ways of defending its honor.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 25'+12'/French 26'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

SEEKING GRANDPARENTS

Today's grandparents are not like grandparents in the past. It's often the case that new parents are both working and grandparents have to step in on an almost full-time basis. They obviously do this with pleasure, but also out of a sense of responsibility. Yet differences of opinion, or even conflicts, can also emerge within the family.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 41'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

EVERYONE'S MAD ABOUT BIKES

The bicycle is coming back into favour in a growing number of Western countries. More and more people are using it to go to work or to keep fit. There are regions in Europe that have already shown that the bicycle can create a tourist activity, as in Alto Adige or Lake Garda where the most spectacular bike path in Europe is being built.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 37'+21"



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

LEGAL BY MISTAKE

Cigarettes, drops, crystals and oils that don't make you high but are relaxing. Launched a year ago, cannabis light has already won over thousands of consumers and there has been no shortage of economic repercussions. Story of a boom that no one had predicted.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 48'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

STREET FOOD PHENOMENON

Gourmet sandwiches, salads, cakes and also ethnic cooking, fried fish, ribs or spleen: these are just some of the recipes offered by the army of 4-wheeled chefs who are filling the streets. But now street food is also a way of life: those who provide it simply need a van, some talent and a small investment, while those who eat it simply go out onto the streets.

2018 • HD • It/En subs 38'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

GAMERS

This documentary tells the story of the young videogame enthusiasts who form part of a new generation that no longer plays just for fun. Although the reality of this trend has largely been ignored or belittled by many adults, it is a mass phenomenon and not just a niche interest - a phenomenon shared by millions of young people around the world.

2017 • HD • It/En subs 52'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

I'VE CHEATED ON YOU

According to various statistics, 40% of marriages in Europe have seen at least one of the two partners be unfaithful. With such astonishing figures, the phenomenon is perhaps only fuelled further by the many opportunities provided by the Internet, where the chances of meeting new people at any time are even greater. The documentary takes a closer look at infidelity today, a reality deeply entrenched in social attitudes.

2017 • HD • It/En subs 40'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

PROFESSIONAL YOUTUBERS

They're young, they talk about all kinds of topics, from video games to make up, from psychology to sexuality, and they're entertaining and informative. They're YouTubers. Many teens and pre-teens see them as virtual friends who, in the intimacy of their own bedrooms, provide entertainment, advice and consolation. The documentary met up with some of them to discover what drives the new young role models of today.

2017 • HD • It/En subs 40'/Fre 25'



SOCIAL PHENOMENA

THE PILGRIMAGE BOOM

Each year, 300,000 people set out to follow the Route of Santiago di Compostela, while an impressive 40,000 follow the Via Francigena to Rome. Pilgrimages are experiencing an extraordinary boom. Where does this burning desire to walk come from? Is it a response to an inner need or the hope of shedding a few pounds? And does anyone still do it out of faith?

2017 • HD • It/En subs 29'/Fre 25'

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