



MORA STUDIO

Mora Studio started its activity in 1989, concentrating on producing and researching experimental films, especially abstract animations. Collaborate with universities and research centers.

Making animated films - Documentary films and unconventional films.

This studio is small and independent and produces low-budget films , and it's just an art studio that has a constructive relationship with other centers around the world.

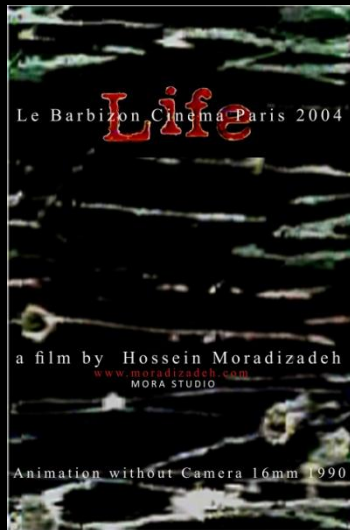
Animation

Hossein Moradizadeh

1- **Life** – 1990 – Scratch on film - 16mm – 4m

Le Barbizon Cinema – Paris – 2004

Life is life Accidental and irregular and unpredictable.



2 – **The Loneliness of a Tree** – 1992 – Paper Animation - 16mm – 5m45s

Le Barbizon Cinema – Paris – 2004

Cutting down any tree is a whip on the ground.

Two pine trees are on the road. In the lightning of one of the pines falls. The pine tree will be alone.



3 – **Nightmare** – 1995 – Paper Animation - 35mm – 4m12s

Le Barbizon Cinema – Paris – 2004

Sometimes nightmare is rooted in ancient.

A man enters the house and sleeps the night.

He sees a nightmare and wakes up the horn on his head from the nightmare he sees.

He wakes up again.

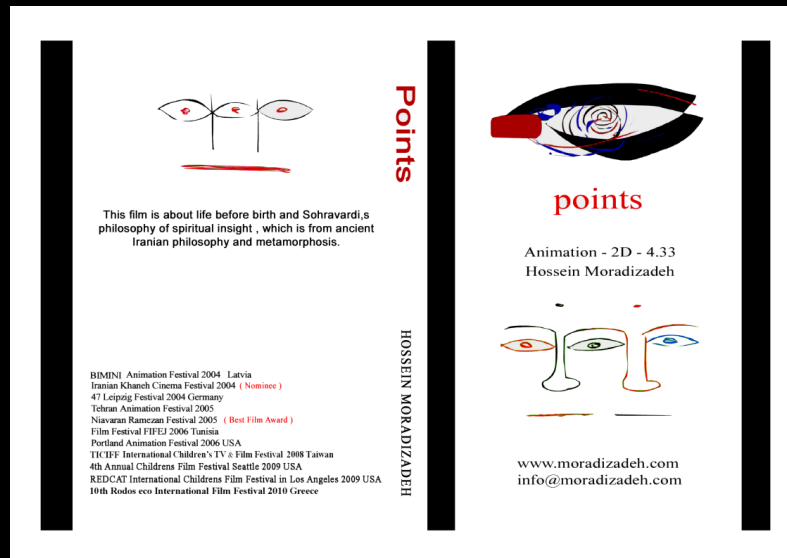


4 – **Points** – 2004 – 2D Computer – 4m33s

This film is about Life before birth and Sohrevardi,s Philosophy of spiritual insight , which is form ancient Iranian Philosophy and Metamorphosis.

- BIMINI animation Festival 2004 Latvia
- Iranian KHANEH Cinema Festival 2004 Iran
(Nominee)
- 47th Leipzig Festival 2004 Germany
- Tehran International Animation Festival 2005 Iran
- NIAVARAN Film Festival 2005
(Award Winner Best Film)
- FIFEJ Film Festival 2006 Tunisia
- Portland Animation Festival 2006 USA
- TICIFF International Children s TV & Film Festival 2008 Taiwan
- 4th Annual Children s Film Festival Seattle 2009 USA

- REDCAT International Children s Film Festival in Los Angeles 2009 USA
- 10th ECOFILMS RODOS International Films + Visual Arts Festival 2010 Greece



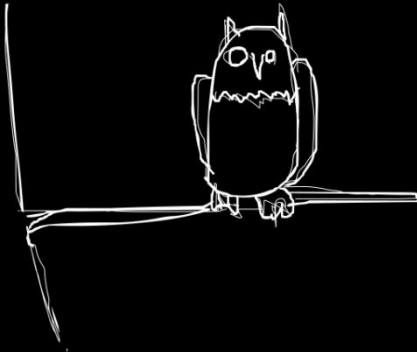
5 – **The Owl** - 2005 – 2D Computer – 7m

In life there are certain sores that, like a canker, gnaw at the soul in solitude and diminish it. (*The Blind Owl* - *Sadegh Hedayat*)

"The Owl" is about the examination of human soul in the body of Owl and hunchback. A painter dreams of a woman in black who is staying in front of his house. She dies in the house. The painter cuts her body into pieces and puts her in a suitcase. Then with the help of a hunchback buries her in the graveyard. The painter changes into a hunchback in the end.

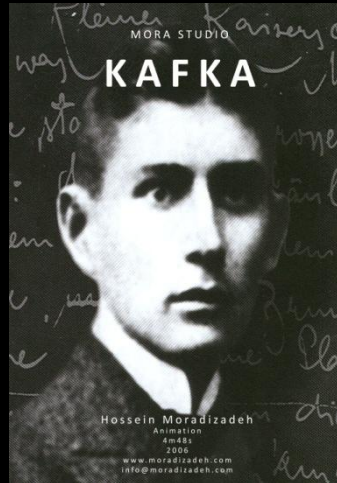
- 48th Leipzig Festival 2005 Germany
- ANIFEST Animation Festival 2006 Czech Republic
- Portland Animation Festival 2006 USA
- CICDAF International Animation Festival 2006 China
- Iranian KHANEH Cinema Festival 2006 Iran
(Nominee)
- Brno 16 International Film Festival 2006 Czech Republic

- 23th Tehran International Short Film Festival 2006 Iran
(Award Winner Special Jury)
- Tehran International Animation Festival 2007 Iran
- FILMKETAB Film Festival Tehran 2008 Iran
(Award Winner Best Film)
- 10th ECOFILMS RODOS International Films + Visual Arts Festival 2010 Greece
- PELICOM International Film Festival 2012 Romania



6 - **Kafka** – 2006 – 2D Computer – 4m48s

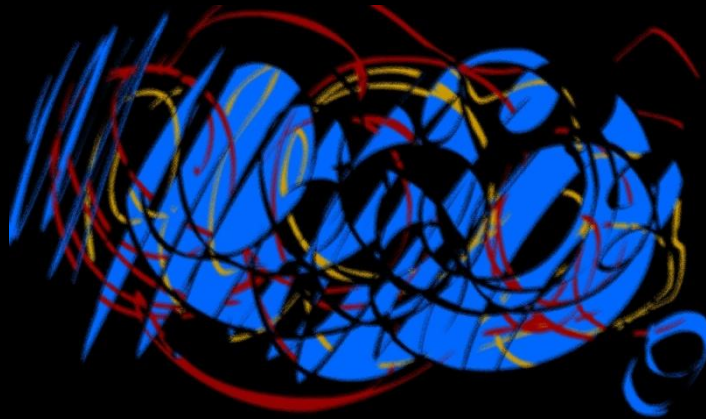
- CICDAF International Animation Festival 2007 China
- Brno 16 International Film Festival 2007 Czech Republic
- FILMKETAB Film Festival Tehran 2008 Iran



7 – **The Song of Gabriel** – 2010 – 2D Computer – 4m

Sohrevardi was a Persian philosopher, born in 1155 and was executed in 1191 in Aleppo. His also elaborate the idea of an independent intermediary world.

- IAFF Golden KUKER Sofia 2th International Animation Festival Bulgaria 2011



8 – **Darkness** – 2018 – Paint on Glass – 35mm – 3m

Life begins in the dark and falls into the dark. There are also some things that are sometimes beautiful.

- California International Film Festival and Davis 2018 USA
(Award Winner Best Experimental Animation Film)
- Cefalu Film Festival 2019 Italy
- 11th Annual Farhang Foundation Short Film Festival 2019 USA
- Festival de Cine Independiente de Sogamoso 2019 Colombia
- Montreal International Animation Film Festival – ANIMAZE 2019 Canada
- Festival Internacional de Cine de Quito 2019 Ecuador
- Down East Flick Fest (DEFF) 2019 USA
- Engauge Experimental Film Festival 2019 USA
- Hollywood Silver Screen Festival 2019 USA
- Palm Springs International Animation Festival 2019 USA
- Balkan Can Kino Film Festival 2020 Greece

- III Muestra de Video Arte Faenza 2020 Colombia
- 2020 Three Minutes Video Competition 2020 Taiwan
- Baikal International Film Festival “ People and Environment” 2020 Russia
- OtherMovie Lugano Film Festival 2020 Switzerland
- 12th Tehran International Animation Festival 2022 Iran
(Award Winner Best Experimental Animation Film)



9 – **Question** – 2019 – Stop Motion – 3m

The artist is arrested. The statue asks for a question. But the dictators do not want any questions and they do not answer except violence.

- Catalyst Film Festival 2019 UK
- GENERIcamente UMANI Film Festival 2019 Italy
- Down East Flick Fest (DEFF) 2019 USA
- Balkan Can Kino Film Festival 2020 Greece
- Festival del Cinema di Ceflau 2021 Italy
- POLITICAL Film Festival 2024 USA

(Award Winner Best Experimental Film)



10 – **Inside alone** – 2019 – Scratch – 4m

Inside alone there is nothing. A black hole that smashes everything inside. Sometimes it's a light star. Sometimes illusion and sometimes imagination. Such a world was created.

- Balkan Can Kino Film Festival 2020 Greece
- Tsiolkovsky Space Film Festival 2020 Russia
- III Muestra de Video Arte Faenza 2020 Colombia
- SIFF – Switzerland International Film Festival 2020 Switzerland
- FLICKFAIR Film Festival 2020 USA
- New Chitose Airport International Animation Festival 2020 Japan
- Other Movie Lugano Film Festival 2020 Switzerland
- Festival del Cinema di Ceflau 2021 Italy
- T-Short Animated Film Festival 2021 Germany
- Cineworthy Film Showcase 2021 Germany
- BUEIFF CHANNEL Film Festival 2021 Argentina
- Filmoptico – International Art Visual and Film Festival 2021 Spain
- GUTTERCAST Film Festival 2022 USA

- RNAB Short Film Festival 2022 Brazil
- FEEDBACK Animation Film & Screenplay Festival 2025 Canada
- (Award Winner Best Short Film)



11 – **Red Wisdom** – 2020 – 2D – 7m

Based on Suhrawardi treatise Red Wisdom (1151-1191)

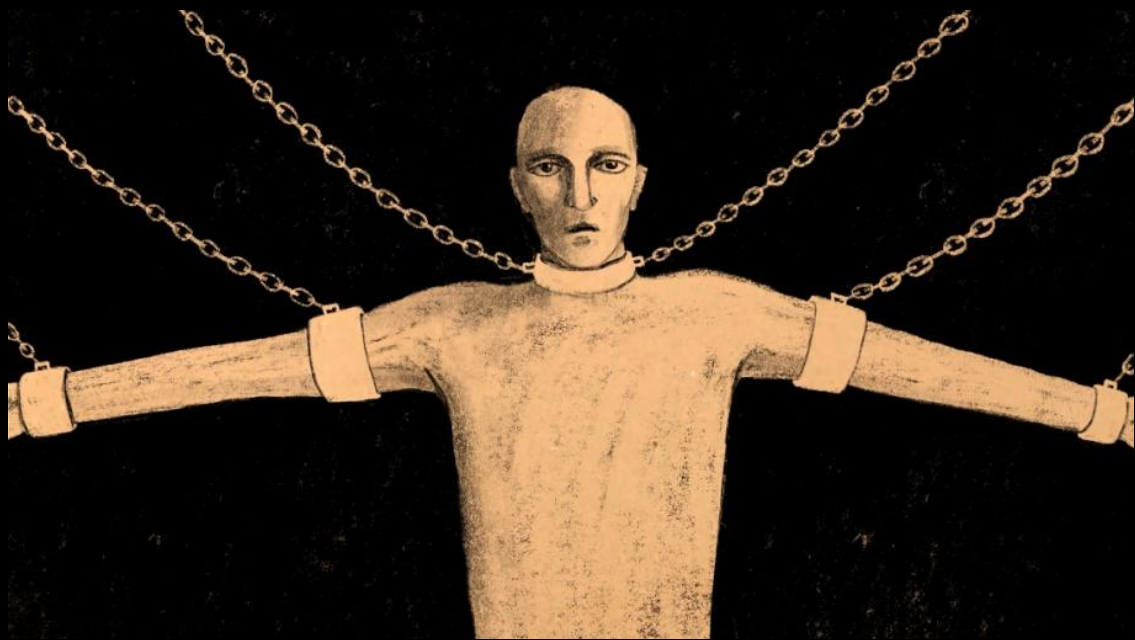
The bird flies in the sky, lands near a spring and is trapped. Ten men pull the nets and spin. In this rotation the bird becomes a human and ...

- Palm Springs International Animation Festival 2020 USA
- 38th Tehran International Short Film Festival 2020 Iran
- T-Short Animated Film Festival 2021 Germany
- RNAB Short Film Festival 2022 Brazil
- ANNY Animation Festival Nights New York 2021 USA
- 17th Athens Digital Arts Festival (ADAF) 2021 Greece
- Animae Caribe International Animation & Digital Media Festival 2021 Spain on the Island of Tobago
- IPSMF International Photography and Short Movie Festival 2021 Indonesia
- Deep Focus Film Festival 2021 USA
- (Honorable Mention)
- Knowmad Short Film Festival 2021 Germany

- IFEFA International Film & Entertainment Festival 2022 Australia
(Finalist, a film from the fourth best film)
- 12th Tehran International Animation Festival 2022 Iran
- GUTTERCAST Film Festival 2022 USA
- RNAB Short Film Festival 2022 Brazil
- WOEFF Wide Open Experimental Film Festival 2022 USA
- Kalakari film Festival 2022 India
- QRC.PRJCT Film & Video art Festival 2022 Greece
- Open Vision Film Festival 2022 Serbia
- One Earth Awards Film Festival 2022 India
- Festival del Cinema di Cefalu 2022 Italy
- Travel Film festival 2022 Albania
(Award Winner for the Best Animation)
- Culture Cinema Film Festival C2F2 2022 India
(Award Winner for the Best Film in Philosophy)
- Iranian Academy of Arts 2022 Iran
(Award for the top ten Iranian animations)
- Streetside Cinema Film Festival NYC 2022 USA

- 10th FriCine-International Socio-Environmental Film Festival 2022 Brazil
- NIZHNY NOVGORD International Short Film Festival 2022 Russia
- Khabarovsk International Animation Film Festival “ Animur “ 2022 Russia
- Feedback Film Festival 2022 USA
(Award Winner for the Best Short Film)
- Inheritance-The Environmental Film Festival 2022 UK
- 10th CineKasimanwa Western Visayas Film Festival 2022 Philippines
- Pambujan International Film Festival 2023 Philippines
- Festival Ojo al Cine 2023 Colombia
- TIAF - Tashkent International Animation Forum 2023 Uzbekistan
- Challenge for the World Film Festival 2023 Spain
- Watch out International Film Festival 2023 Macedonia
- 21114 Film Festival 2023 Serbia
- Pinus International Film Festival 2023 Brazil
- Syracuse International Film Festival NYC 2023 USA
- CARIBETOONS Festival Internacional de Animation 2024 Colombia
- Peaks Central Asian Film Festival 2024 Canada
- Salsa International without dialog Film Festival 2024 Germany

- Acolman International Film Festival 2024 Mexico
- Indie Line International Film Festival 2025 Turkey
- Mosrta de Cinema das Missoes International Film Festival 2025 Brazil
- Style, Experimental, Fashion Film Festival 2025 USA
- (Award Winner for the Best Style Film)
- Top Quark is a Film Festival 2026 UK
- (Honorable Mention)
- Global Short Film Festival Awards (GSF Awards) 2026 USA



12 – **Gilgamesh** – 2022 – 2D - 10m

The oldest human epic 2700 BC . Gilgamesh, the famous hero of Uruk, a city in the land of the Sumerians in Mesopotamia, who has a semi-divine-semi-human character, strives for immortality for a lifetime and fails many times, but eventually finds a plant that immortalizes him. , But the snake steals the plant from him.

- One Earth Awards Film Festival 2022 India
- Ceylon International Film Festival 2022 USA
- Cinemaking International Film Festival 2022 Bangladesh
- Culture Cinema Film Festival C2F2 2022 India
(Award Winner for the Best Film in Mythology)
- RAM Film Festival Rovereto Archeologia Memorie (world heritage) 2022 Italy
- BUEIFF Channel International Film Festival 2022 Argentina
- 18th International Film Festival of Amateur & Professional Films 2022 Russia
- 12th Festival della Comunicazione del Cinema Archeologico 2022 Italy
- 11th International Film Festival Carton 2022 Argentina
- 39th Tehran International Short Film Festival 2022 Iran

- China International Conference of Science & Education Producers (CICSEP)
2022 China
(Finalist)
- TOFUZI International Animated Film Festival 2022 Georgia
- Black Cat Award International Film Festival 2022 Bolivia
- Zero Plus International Film Festival 2022 Russia
- 6th International Folklore Film Festival 2023 India
- The Firenze Archeofilm Festival 2023 Italy
- Kalakari Film Festival 2023 India
- T-Short Animation Festival 2023 Germany
(Diploma for an unusual way to animate images)
- Feedback Film Festival 2023 USA
- Challenge for the World Film Festival 2023 Spain
- CARIBETOONS Festival Internacional de Animation 2023 Colombia
- Suger Loaf Film Festival (SLFF) 2023 USA
(Finalist)
- Pinus International Film Festival 2023 Brazil
- 35th International Film Festival for Children & Youth 2023 Iran

- ICONA Ionian Contemporary Animation Festival 2023 Greece
- Miradas a traves del tiempo Film Festival 2023 Uruguay
- 13th Tehran International Animation Festival 2024 Iran
- Style, Experimental, Fashion Film Festival 2024 USA
- DIVERSITY Short Film Festival 2024 USA
(Award Winner Best Animation Film)
- VITERBOshort – Short Film Festival 2024 Italy
- 35th Mediawave International Film and Music Festival 2025 Hungary
- LIFFA Lahore International Film Festival Awards 2025 Pakistan
- Malabo International Music & Film Festival 2025 Equatorial Guinea
- Monterey County Arts Expo 2025 USA
- 11th Museums in Short Film Festival 2025 Italy
- (Special Mention)
- Filmarte Short Film Festival 2026 Portugal
- Global Short Film Festival Awards (GSF Awards) 2026 USA
- RTF Realtime International Film Festival 2026 UK
- (Honorable Mention)



13 - **The Improvement of Human Reason** – 2022 - 2D – 10m

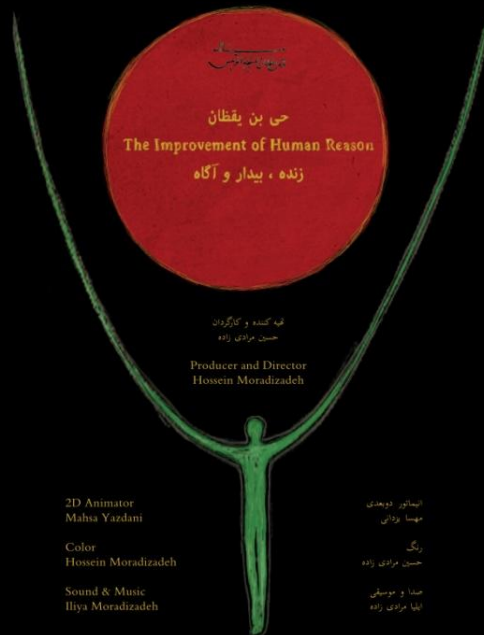
The film is based on a Philosophical treatise on human nature written in the 12th century. A baby alone on a remote island is suckled by a deer. He grows up, covers his body in imitation of animals, makes a weapon from a tree branch to defend himself, and discovers fire with lightning. He thinks of the sky and knows the world as a living body.

- OTB Only The Best Film Awards Festival 2022 USA
(Award Winner, Only The Best Animation/Short Film)
- One Earth Awards Film Festival 2022 India
- Agrinio International Film Festival 2022 Greece
- AVANCA GIGANTES Film Festival 2022 Portugal
- Festival del Cinema di Cefalu 2022 Italy
- Travel Film festival 2022 Albania
- Ceylon International Film Festival 2022 USA
- Cinemaking International Film Festival 2022 Bangladesh
- Film and Folklore Festival Trinidad & Tobago 2022 Spain

- Culture Cinema Film Festival C2F2 2022 India
- One World One Flower International Buddhist Film Festival (OIBFF) 2022 Republic of Korea
- IFF International Film Festival Akrobat (St.Petersburg) 2022 Russia
- RAM Film Festival Rovereto Archeologia Memorie (world heritage) 2022 Italy
- 6th International Comic & Animation Festival Chaniartoon 2022 Greece
- RADIANCE International Kids Art & Film Festival 2022 Nigeria
(Honorable Mention)
- GtUTTERCAST Film Festival 2022 USA
- Sugar Loaf Film Festival (SLFF) NYC 2022 USA
- Our Heritage, Our Planet Film Festival 2022 USA
- NIZHNY NOVGORD International Short Film Festival 2022 Russia
- 39th Tehran International Short Film Festival 2022 Iran
- Youality International Short Film Festival 2022 France
- 10th Eco.kinofest74 Film Festival 2022 Russia
- PAFestival – Anhembi Morumbi International Animation Festival 2022 Brazil
- Snowtown Film Festival 2023 USA
(Finalist)

- Pambujan International Film Festival 2023 Philippines
- Arctic Film Festival 2023 Norway
(Finalist)
- T-Short Animation Festival 2023 Germany
- Festival Ojo al Cine 2023 Colombia
- Challenge for the World Film Festival 2023 Spain
- Baikal International Film Festival “People and Environment” 2023 Russia
- Festival du Fantastique de Beziers 2023 France
(Quarter Finalist)
- Bio Film Festival 2023 Italy
- ICONA Ionian Contemporary Animation Festival 2023 Greece
- 13th Tehran International Animation Festival 2024 Iran
- Rewind International Film Festival 2024 UK
- FEEDBACK Animation Film & Screenplay Festival 2024 Canada
(Award Winner Best 2D Animation)
- Acolman International Film Festival 2024 Mexico
(Award Winner Best International Fiction Short Film)

- Indie Line International Film Festival 2025 Turkey
- Fest 5 International Film Festival 2025 India
- (Finalist)
- TERRAE International Film Festival 2025 Italy
- AnimArte International Animation Festival 2025 Brazil
- (Honorable Mention)
- Mosrta de Cinema das Missoes International Film Festival 2025 Brazil
- Tolfama International Film Festival 2026 Italy
- TolfArte International Film Festival 2026 Italy



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The Improvement of Human Reason
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فلم کننده و کارگردان
حسین مرادی زاده

Producer and Director
Hossein Moradizadeh

2D Animator
Mahsa Yazdani

Color
Hossein Moradizadeh

Sound & Music
Iliya Moradizadeh

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14 – **Movement** – 2023 – 2D – 3m- Experimental animation – Armenia

Moving inwards, continuous and eternal.

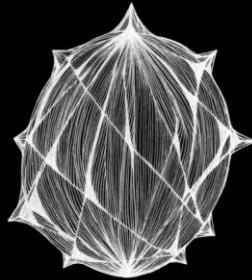
- GUTTERCAST Film Festival 2023 USA
- Sugar Loaf Film Festival (SLFF) NYC 2023 USA
- ONED Art Experimental Film Festival 2023 France
- Pinus International Film Festival 2023 Brazil
- 7th International Folklore Film Festival (IFFF) 2024 India
- Los Angeles Action/SCI-FI/Fantasy/Thriller Film Festival 2024 USA
(Award Winner Best Animation Film)
- Medez Fest-International Youth & Children Film Festival 2024 Malta
- The REAL International Micro Video Competition 2024 USA
- EUROPEAN Film & Screenplay Festival 2024 USA
(Award Winner Best Micro-Short Film)
- Nomad 2024: The Infinite Sky, the 3rd International Film Festival 2024 Kyrgyzstan
- Style, Experimental, Fashion Film Festival 2024 USA

- New Generation Film Festival NGFF 2024 Serbia
(Award Winner Best Animation Film)
- The Chico Independent Film Festival (CIFF California) 2024 USA
- China International Conference of Science and Education Producers 2024 China
- accordi@DISACCORDI International Short Film Festival 2024 Italy
- Dispatches of War International Film Festival 2024 Ukraine
- Robinson Film awards (RFA) International Film Festival 2024 Italy
- (Finalist)
- Malabo International Music & Film Festival 2025 Equatorial Guinea
- Lebanese Film Harvest 2025 Lebanon
- 10th RTF Realtime International Film Festival 2025 UK
- (Honorable Mention)
- T-Short Animated Film Festival 2025 Germany
- Klein Film Festival 2025 Croatia
- Follow our Heart Film Festival 2026 USA
- BRC Black Rock City Film Festival 2026 USA

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MOVEMENT

Designer , Animator , Director
Hossein Moradizadeh



Composer

Iliya Moradizadeh

Exprimental Animation

3m

2023

15 – **Fereydoun's Sons** – 2024 – 2D - 7m

Adapted from the Shahnameh (The Book of Kings) Iranian poet Ferdowsi (940-1020 AD). Fereydoun divides his lands into three parts and gives each one to one of his sons. Salm is the land of Arabs and Romans, Tur is the land of Turks and China, and Iraj is the land of Iran. Two brothers kill Iraj out of spite and Manouchehr takes revenge.

- Black & White Film Festival 2024 Canada
(Award Winner Best Animation Film)
- 41th Tehran International Short Film Festival 2024 Iran
- 3rd International Multimedia Festival of Cultural Heritage 2024 Iran
(Award Winner Best Animation Film)
- Varsity Film Expo Film Festival 2024 Zambia
(Honorable Mention)
- Acolman International Film Festival 2024 Mexico
- Cinema of the World International Film Festival CWIFF 2025 India
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- FEEDBACK Animation Film & Screenplay Festival 2025 Canada
- (Award Winner Best Experimental Animation Film)
- RAM Film Festival Rovereto Archeologia Memorie 2025 Italy
- 10th RTF Realtime International Film Festival 2025 UK
- 2th ITAICINE – Itaiopolis International Animated Short Film Festival 2025 Brazil
- Skip town Playhouse International Film Festival 2025 USA
- T-Short Animated Film Festival 2025 Germany
- Chicago Amarcord Arthouse Television Awards (AATVA) 2025 USA
- 37Girona International Film Festival 2025 Spain
- New England Animation Film Festival 2025 USA
- Filmarte Short Film Festival 2026 Portugal

پسران فریدون Fereydouns sons

بر اساس شاهنامه فردوسی



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Narrator : Hamed Bagheri Tanha
Composer & Sound designer: Iliya Moradizadeh



16 – **A dream in waking life**– 2025 – 2D - 3m

A man is walking down the street in dark and dreaming, suddenly the wind blows.

- WILDsound Film Festival 2025 USA
- (Award Winner Best Experimental Animation Film)
- MISE Moving Image and Sound Exhibition Festival 2025 UK
- Art All Night Trenton Film Festival 2025 USA
- Malabo International Music & Film Festival 2025 Equatorial Guinea
- SCINEMA International Science Film Festival 2025 Australia
- (Finalist)
- 10th RTF Realtime International Film Festival 2025 UK
- (Honorable Mention)
- MOVE TRAILERS Film Festival 2025 USA
- (Award Winner Best Animation trailer)
- T-Short Animated Film Festival 2025 Germany
- Secondigliano Film Festival 2025 Italy
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- Directors Cut International Film Festival 2025 Canada
- (Finalist)
- NanoCon International Film Festival (NIFF) 2025 USA
- (Nominee)
- 37Girona International Film Festival 2025 Spain
- International Film Festival For Trailers 2026 USA
- The Movilfest Film Festival 2026 Spain
- (Finalist)
- Top Quark is a Film Festival 2026 UK
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A dream in waking life



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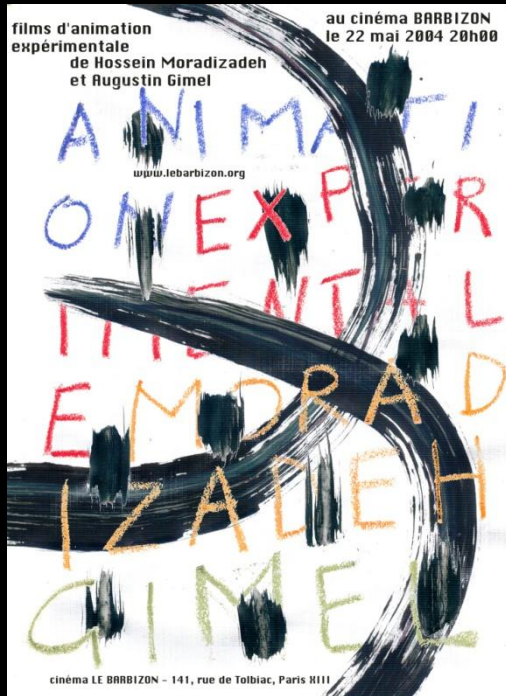
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The Owl

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Sound Designer and Composer
Hossein Moradizadeh



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