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a film by INGRID VENINGER

TAG LINE (10 words)

A story about love, art, and the act of living.

SHORT SYNOPSIS: (37 words)

An unorthodox acting teacher (Aaron Poole) attempts to push a group of eager young performers out of their comfort zones, while struggling with his own ability to live an authentic and fulfilling life with his teenage son.

ONE PARAGRAPH SYNOPSIS: (125 words)

Leo (Aaron Poole) is a mid-30s widower, single parent, and struggling theatre director. His relationship with his teenage son (Jacob Switzer) is rocky, and he's dissatisfied with his everyday life. So, after he has an unusual and inspiring dream, he decides to shake things up by having the group of actors he teaches do something called "The Animal Project" -- whereby they will all don furry mascot suits and become 'animals' in the real world.

It's a long, rainy night, and not everything goes as planned. But in the process of opening themselves up to the unknown, each participant in The Animal Project not only learns something about themselves, but also has the chance to grow a little bit.



ONE PAGE SYNOPSIS: (920 words)

Ingrid Veninger's whimsical new feature as writer/producer/director presents another intimate and honest look at characters on the cusp of change. An emotionally layered ensemble piece, Veninger creates a world centred around six actors, their teacher, and his son, all exploring together how to stop relying on the personas they project and live in a more authentic way.

For this film, Veninger met with over one-hundred professional actors, with no conceit for a movie at the outset, only the impulse to make something. The core group of eight actors committed to the film without knowing anything about the roles they would play. A different group of actors would have yielded an entirely different screenplay. 'The Animal Project' was conceived out of a leap of faith.

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The film opens with six actors being interviewed - but is this real? Or are they playing characters? What is the difference? That space between the outer projection of ourselves, and our inner private selves, is where this film takes place.

Leo (Aaron Poole), a mid-30s widower, is finding it difficult to parent Sam (Jacob Switzer), his teenaged son, alone. So, after an unusual dream, Leo decides to shake off his daily realities by turning to what he believes is the source of his inspiration: his classroom. He suggests the group of actors he teaches try something different.

Back when Sam was only eight, Leo made an 8mm short film with Sam dressed in a bunny suit, giving away 'free hugs' to strangers. Then he interviewed him, finding out his thoughts on many of life's deepest questions.

Now, Leo teaches a group of young actors. The space they practice in, that they continuously do repetitions in, has become too safe, and the actors have become too comfortable in their roles within the group. So Leo proposes they undo all that - that they obliterate themselves - by donning furry mascot suits and becoming 'animals' out in the real world. This might disarm them and force them to connect to something more primal, as they face the unpredictable reactions of the public. It could be an experience that would free them to pursue new avenues of creativity.

But the clan is apprehensive, resistant to what sounds like a ridiculous idea, and Leo is more or less shut down. Leo leaves class more dejected than he was before.

Leo's students, meanwhile, don't feel much better. Alice (Hannah Cheesman) spends the rest of her day alone, preparing for an audition she then bombs; Jason (Johnathan Sousa) fights to maintain his sanity at his boring office job; Mira (Sarena Parmar) cheats on her raw food diet - then repents; Saul (Joey Klein) hooks up with an ex - and immediately regrets it; Ray (Emmanuel Kabongo) questions his faith; and Pippa (Jessica Greco) seeks out Sam to get high with him. None of them are exactly happy with their lives.



But Leo is the closest to hitting bottom, and Sam is an easy target for his frustration. The two have a big fight, and Sam leaves; Leo is now alone, with no one but his son's ageing dwarf rabbit, Buddy, for company.

Lucky for Leo, though, after their own sobering reminders of ordinary life, Leo's actors change their minds and decide to try his idea. And just like that, The Animal Project begins.

Each person chooses a different animal and goes out into the world to see what will happen. Alice and Pippa pair up to hand out red balloons and dollar coins to the homeless; Ray heads out to try and connect with someone, anyone - but only succeeds in getting a few hugs from strangers; Jason wears his costume to work, taking revenge on the goldfish that represents his suppression; and Mira decides to spend her time alone, making one-hundred balloon animals. Saul, meanwhile, sticks with Leo, encouraging him to let go and goof off. But first, Leo uses the opportunity afforded by anonymity to find Sam and give him a hug, free from the baggage regular life insists on.

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Then Leo gets a call: Sam fell and hit his head. Abandoning his mascot suit with Saul, he rushes to his son's aid, and, over the course of a night spent keeping him from falling asleep, re-learns how simple it is to love him. In the morning, Sam, after realizing it was his father in the lion costume at his school, makes the pronouncement that Leo doesn't need to dress up to hug him. But even as Leo takes him up on his offer of a hug, it's not without struggle; there might always be awkwardness between them, but at least there's an opening.

Finally, Leo and his group embark on making a movie. Not the one they expected, maybe not even the one they'd hoped for, but still worthwhile. They have shared an experience. This is simple art, with all its doubts, fears, and passions.

Sincere, playful, and unexpected, Veninger delivers a film that seems to pick-up where 'i am a good person/i am a bad person' left off. Examining our identity and living authentically, Veninger captures magic in the daily, and asks the bold question: how do we want to live, before we die?

“A film with a chaotic heart and philosophical soul.” Aaron Poole.



PRE-PRODUCTION CHRONOLOGY

Following my past three features as writer/producer/director (ONLY, MODRA, i am a good person/i am a bad person), where I worked closely with family members and mostly non-professional actors, outside of Canada; this time, I wanted to make a feature with professional actors, and shoot in Toronto.

October, 2012 > An Open Letter

In early October, I wrote a letter to the acting community. Casting Director, Nicole Hilliard-Forde distributed the letter to the industry. Toronto agents were encouraging. It was to be an ACTRA coop; the actors would share ownership of the finished film.

November, 2012 > Confirming the Cast

I met with over 100 actors, in groups of five. Each meeting involved reading the first line of a book, listening to a song, and an informal conversation. Following the meetings, I learned which actors were interested in being a part of the core cast (a 3-month commitment, 3-days each week), and which preferred the less time-consuming 'day roles'. My idea was to cast the film first, and *then* write the roles; constructing a narrative for specific actors. While traveling to film festivals in Russia with 'i am a good person/i am a bad person' I meditated on every actor who stepped up, paying close attention to the ones I could not get out of my head; soon after my return I made an offer to 8 actors and began to dream up the story. The Core Cast: Aaron Poole, Jessica Greco, Joey Klein, Johnathan Sousa, Sarena Parmar, Hannah Cheesman, Emmanuel Kabongo, Jacob Switzer.

December, 2012 > Locking the Crew

With most of my films, I like to lock the core crew as early as possible. For me the dp, sound team, and editor have a direct impact on how I conceive my movies. So, after two weeks of meetings, with many emerging and established artists, still with no script whatsoever, I made the final decisions. The Core Crew: Cabot McNenly (DOP), Braden Sauder (Sound Recordist), John Gundy (Stills/Associate Producer), Jonathan Eagan (Editor), Hallie Switzer (Production Designer), Jakob Thiesen (Sound Designer), Eric Apps (Mixer).

Now, I had two months to write a script, as I promised everyone we would begin shooting on March 3, 2013.

January, 2013 > Here we go

The first two weeks of January were consumed with a feature I produced, THE END OF TIME (directed by Peter Metter). So, it was not until January 15th, that I got to my parent's place and buckled down to write. I set myself a 10-hour/day schedule, and managed to complete a 25-page Treatment. The first Core Cast gathering took place on January 27, at my house, and it was the first time the actors met and heard the roles they would be playing.

Ingrid Veninger, January 30, 2013.



BIOS

INGRID VENINGER – Writer/Producer/Director

Born in Bratislava and raised in Canada, Ingrid Veninger formed pUNK Films Inc. with a 'nothing is impossible' manifesto. In 2012, she was awarded the Jay Scott Prize from the Toronto Film Critics Association and executive produced 5 features for \$5000, launching the 1KWAVE in Toronto. Since 2008, Ingrid has been garnering acclaim with producing six feature films: ONLY (TIFF 2008, Slamdance), NURSE.FIGHTER.BOY (TIFF 2008, 10 Genie Nominations, including Best Motion Picture), MODRA (TIFF 2010, Canada's TOP TEN), i am a good person/i am a bad person (TIFF 2011, MoMA, Goa), THE END OF TIME (TIFF 2012, Masters), and THE ANIMAL PROJECT. Ingrid likes roller coasters, foam soap, and everything magenta. www.punkfilms.ca

CORE CAST (in alphabetical order)

HANNAH CHEESMAN (Alice) is currently working with the Mark Gordon Company developing her series WHATEVER, LINDA for television alongside EP Graeme Manson (Orphan Black) and BBC America. Most recently, Hannah completed her BravoFACT funded short, EMMY and her first feature THE DEFINITES (co-director, writer, producer, actor), will be completed in 2017. Hannah's last short film, CHEESE, has shown at festivals around the globe, including Cannes' Coup De Coeur and Palm Springs, and has sold in Canada, France, and Japan. Hannah is a graduate of The National Theatre School of Canada and the University of Toronto.

JESSICA GRECO (PIPPA) has enjoyed lead roles in 3 different CBC prime time shows, RIVERDALE, NORTHERN TOWN, 11 CAMERAS and guesting on fan favourite series like GOOSEBUMPS, PUPPETS WHO KILL and BOMB GIRLS. Recently though Jessica has been appearing more in film including the studded monster movie ANTIBIRTH which premiered at the Sundance Film Festival 2016. In theatre, Jessica has been flexing her comedic muscles as both a writer and performer in the Canadian Comedy Award nominated sketch troupe, DAME JUDY DENCH.

EMMANUEL KABONGO (Ray) was born in The Democratic Republic of Congo and relocated to South Africa with his family before moving to Toronto in 1998. The oldest of five, Emmanuel turned down a basketball scholarship to pursue an acting career. After making his television debut in 2010 on the television series BREAKOUT for the National Geographic/Discovery Channel, Emmanuel continued to make guest appearances on various TV series such as NIKITA, CALL ME FITZ, MURDOCH MYSTERIES, HEMLOCK GROVE, ROOKIE BLUE. Emmanuel is currently a lead on the new CBC soccer drama 21 THUNDER.

JOEY KLEIN (SAUL) is an actor/filmmaker originally from Montreal. He has starred in numerous independent films such as WE'RE STILL TOGETHER, PAINLESS, GIRL IN THE WHITE COAT. Other notable screen credits include AMERICAN GANGSTER, ON THE ROAD, THE HUSBAND and recurring roles on CBC's THIS LIFE and Syfy's 12 MONKEYS. As writer/director Joey's first feature THE OTHER HALF has screened at numerous festivals including SXSW, VIFF, Los Cabos, amongst others. He is a graduate of Concordia University and Circle in the Square Theatre School.



SARENA PARMAR (Mira) splits her time between acting on the stage and screen. She will be appearing in the Shaw Festival's 2017 season. Sarena co-starred in the Disney Channel Original Movie RADIO REBEL, and spent three seasons on the Gemini-nominated series HOW TO BE INDIE. She trained at the National Theatre School of Canada and the Stratford Festival's Birmingham Conservatory, where she spent one season. Sarena grew up on an apple orchard, loves BUFFY THE VAMPIRE SLAYER, and is a proud ambassador for Plan Canada.

AARON POOLE (Leo) was recently nominated for his portrayal of Captain John Slotter in the Netflix and CBC drama STRANGE EMPIRE. Since appearing in Ed Gass-Donnelly's THIS BEAUTIFUL CITY, his work has received much acclaim. With roles that include two seasons in the BBC America series COPPER and leading opposite both Donald and Kiefer Sutherland in FORSAKEN. This year he will be seen stateside starring opposite Will Patton, Maggie Grace, and Maika Munroe in THE SCENT OF RAIN AND LIGHTNING, recurring opposite Dennis Haysbert and Julia Ormond in CBS/Syfy series INCORPORATED and supporting James Badge Dale in up-and-coming director David Prior's THE EMPTY MAN from 20th Century Fox.

JOHNATHAN SOUSA (JASON) has been immersed in theatre recently with lead roles in BREATHING CORPSES (Coal mine theatre) and Stratford's BREATH OF KINGS: REBELLION. In television/film his credits include, ROOKIE BLUE, RELATIVE HAPPINESS, KIDNAP CAPITAL. Johnathan is a graduate of Ryerson Theatre School and Norman Jewison's Canadian Film Centre Actors' Conservatory.

JACOB SWITZER (Sam) started acting at the age of 8 in short films. By 12, he played the lead role in the award-winning indie feature ONLY (TIFF, Slamdance, Rome, MoMa). Soon came numerous roles in film/TV, HEMLOCK GROVE, DANGEROUS PERSUASIONS and most recently DON'T TALK TO IRENE (featuring Geena Davis). In addition to acting, Jacob is a founding member of the indie rock band GOODBYE HONOLULU, which is currently on tour across Canada and is about to drop their second album produced by Mike Turner (OUR LADY PEACE).

FILMMAKING TEAM

JOHN GUNDY (Associate Producer/Stills Photographer) has had a busy career in the Canadian and American television, radio, theatre, music, new media and film industries, exploring diverse creative roles including producer, director, DOP, and a residency at the Canadian Film Centre. His list of film work includes BLACK CHRISTMAS, OUTRAGEOUS, THE TOMORROW MAN, A WINTER TAN, I MAD MAN!, GATE II, KATTS & DOG, and INTERNET SLUTTS. He has produced 12 theatrical shorts, which have appeared in over 25 festivals, winning eight International awards.

NICOLE HILLIARD-FORDE (Casting Director) is an Emmy-nominated Casting Director interested in collaborating with filmmakers committed to furthering and enhancing ground-breaking Canadian cultural projects at large. Select credits: TRAITOR (Overture Films), HAROLD AND KUMAR GO TO WHITE CASTLE (New Line Cinema), IT'S A BOY GIRL THING (Rocket Pictures).



CABOT McNENLY (Director of Photography) has shot numerous commercials, music videos, shorts, and 4 feature films including, YOU ARE HERE, which played to rave reviews at the 2010 Toronto International Film Festival, RUNNING MATES starring Henry Winkler, Graham Greene and DJ Qualls, and LITTLE TERRORS, shot on location in India and starring international Punjabi actor, Om Puri. Most recently, Cabot completed his first short film as Director/Producer/Co-Writer/DP, THE PUMP.

BRADEN SAUDER (Sound Recordist) has a strong interest in everything to do with sound. He assists in managing a downtown recording studio, playing, recording, and mixing music. *i am a good person/i am a bad person* was his first effort recording production sound for film, THE ANIMAL PROJECT is his second.

HALLIE SWITZER (Production Designer) completed the Foundation Year Programme at the University of King's College in 2012. She played the co-lead role in two award-winning Canadian feature films MODRA and *i am a good person /i am a bad person*. Currently, Hallie is a cinema studies major at U of T and enjoys film sets, occasional craft service and rabbit wrangling for independent film.

JONATHAN EAGAN (Editor) is a Newfoundlander who's credits include the 1K Wave feature HOTEL CONGRESS and indie thriller/comedy I PUT A HIT ON YOU. This is his third feature film.

NICK STORRING (Composer) Winner of the Canadian Music Centre's 2011 Toronto Emerging Composer award, he's been commissioned by Arraymusic, Eve Egoyan, Montréal's AKOUSMA Festival, performed by Quatuor Bozzini and heard at the MoMA, Beijing's Musicacoustica Festival, as well as numerous small, near-empty bars.

JAKOB THIESEN (Sound Designer) has over a decade of experience based in Toronto. So far his career has exposed him to wonderful documentaries, festival films, shorts, animation and television projects. Future goals include traveling to the farthest reaches of the globe to collect sound materials.

ERIC APPS (Re-recording Mixer) has over twenty years experience in film and television audio post-production as a sound editor and rerecording mixer. Based in Toronto, he has worked on TV commercials, reality programming, documentaries, network dramas, major Hollywood features and just about everything else.

EXECUTIVE PRODUCERS

KAREN WALTON is an award-winning screenwriter and producer working in film, television and online media. She's best known for penning the cult-hit horror film, GINGER SNAPS. Her most recent work appears on the critically-acclaimed Canadian television series, ORPHAN BLACK. An ardent advocate for the professional arts – and particularly community engagement among artists. Karen founded a popular, online network of 'Canadian screenwriters & their sketchy friends' called *inkcanada* in 2007. She currently resides in Toronto with the best cat ever.



KATE GAMMAL is a lover of food, arts, and language: professionally trained chef, coordinator for Design Hope, tutors dyslexic children, and mother to three awesome humans: Duncan, Claire, and Alexander (co-star of MODRA, TIFF 2010).

RENAH PERSOFSKY is a business strategist and finance leader. Former Executive Vice President of Ubequity Capital Partners Inc., founder and former President and Chief Executive Officer of Dexit Incorporated (now HDX Inc.), and vice-chair of JAZZ.FM91. Advisor to Voice on the Go, PCAS (Pharma Trust), and TCN.

JULIA GRANT is an artist, arts fundraiser, patron and cheerleader. She is President of the Board of contemporary dance company Fujiwara Dance Inventions and member of the Patron's Circle of the Toronto International Film Festival. Her personal storytelling audio portraits can be heard on the web archives of the Art Gallery of Ontario, the Third Coast International Audio Festival and [murmur] Toronto.



"Ingrid Veninger: the DIY queen of Canadian filmmaking" **Liam Lacey, The Globe and Mail**

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QUOTES

From the **TORONTO INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** World Premiere
(as of September 15, 2013)

"THE ANIMAL PROJECT rings of innovation and offbeat authenticity."
cinemablographer.com

NNNN "The reigning queen of lo-fi Canadian cinema has upped her game without abandoning any of her characteristic whimsy." **Norm Wilner, NOW Magazine**

★★★★ "Simultaneously as touching as it is hilarious." **Sean Kelly, Toronto Film Scene**

★★★★ "Veninger is definitely a director worth following, as she proves the value of women filmmakers, and the great power of storytelling that they hold." **Ilse de Mucha Herrera, The Arts Scene**

★★★ ½ "Switzer (the filmmaker's own son) is as much of a revelation as his sister Hallie Switzer was in Veninger's earlier film MODRA." **Angelo Muredda, Torontoist**

★★★ ½ "unlike anything I have seen before and I can promise that fellow audience members will feel the same way." **Matthew Hoffman, Black Sheep**

★★★ "Toronto writer-director and low-budget indie sweetheart Ingrid Veninger breaks pleasing new ground with a multi-layered story." **Linda Barnard, Toronto Star**

"After going three-for-three with a trilogy of handmade indie dramas, T.O. dynamo Ingrid Veninger inches out of her comfort zone." **Adam Nayman, The Grid**

"affecting and typically inventive... from Festival favourite Ingrid Veninger (MODRA, i am a good person/i am a bad person, ONLY)." **Heidy, Alternavox**

"A touching character piece... subtle, funny and moving." Scott A. Gray, Exclaim!
"envisioned by Veninger as a sort of cinematic "leap of faith." If you're looking for something a little different, take a chance on THE ANIMAL PROJECT." **Will Perkins, Yahoo!**

"Ingrid Veninger is like a cinematic MacGuyver. Instead of saving the world with a bobby pin and gum, she wields a camera, micro-budget and big heart." **Isabel Cupryn, Canadian Film Review**



(selected) PRESS QUOTES for *i am a good person/i am a bad person*

"*i am a good person/i am a bad person* is the portrait of a contemporary artist at a personal crossroad, made by a filmmaker for whom such unblinking self-examination is the very stuff of life." **Eddie Cockrell, Canadian Front at MoMA**

"Besides being a colder family drama, albeit no less affecting than Veninger's previous efforts, *i am a good person/i am a bad person* also doubles as a darkly funny, deeply moving, satire of the life of festival-hopping indie filmmaker." **John Semley, The Torontoist**

"the thrifty, inventive director's third consecutive micro-budget triumph... Veninger stands alone as Toronto's reigning queen of humble-core." **Adam Nayman, The Grid**

"As Sofia Coppola did for *Lost in Translation*, Veninger uses naturalistic acting, keen cultural observations and deadpan comedy to excellent effect." **Peter Howell, Toronto Star**

"Veninger's brave indie shows keen insight into the contradiction between being artistically provocative and a responsible parent at the same time." **Peter Debruge, Variety**

(selected) PRESS QUOTES for MODRA

NNNN "Switzer and Gammal are naturals... Veninger's deceptively relaxed style captures every glance, outburst and hesitation." **Norman Wilner, NOW Magazine**

**** "this is personal filmmaking of a refreshingly modest stripe. Call it humble-core." **Adam Nayman, EYE Weekly**

**** "Connection, conflict, local colour and teenage confusion are rendered with intimacy and lightness of touch." **Jason Anderson, The Andersonesque**

"Veninger displays a confident control of tone and pacing... a prime example of heartfelt DIY filmmaking that really works... poignantly alert to the nuances of teen life, perfectly capturing that confusing betwixt-and-between time..." **Alissa Simon, VARIETY**

*** "Modest and appealing... a breezy travelogue... the easy, natural performances from the young actors are refreshingly realistic... awkward, curious, empathetic and, mostly, a pleasure to hang out with." **Liam Lacey, THE GLOBE AND MAIL**

(selected) PRESS QUOTES for ONLY

"Every time I see a film like ONLY my faith in cinema is restored." **Michael Tully, hammertonail.com**

"I hope programmers in America take the time to catch up with this little gem of a movie and that ONLY finds its way to audiences everywhere." **Tom Hall, IndieWire**

"...the talent behind the camera shows an understanding and experience far beyond that of most independent cinema." **Robert Bell, Exclaim**

"ONLY is a film you have to experience. You don't just see it, or watch it. You experience it." **Steve Veale, filmthrill.ca**



CREDITS

Written and Directed by
INGRID VENINGER

CAST
(in order of appearance)

AARON POOLE as Leo
HANNAH CHEESMAN as Alice
JOHNATHAN SOUSA as Jason
SARENA PARMAR as Mira
EMMANUEL KABONGO as Ray
JESSICA GRECO as Pippa
JOEY KLEIN as Saul
JACOB SWITZER as Sam
DENNIE FOSTER as Uncle Issac
JOANNE VANNICOLA as Morag
NOAH DAVIS as Nathan
LINDSAY OWEN PIERRE as Matteo
KATE CORBETT as Rosie
PJ LAZIC as Pervert Man

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stills photographer JOHN GUNDY



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Original music composed and performed by
NICK STORRING

"Phantom City"

Words and Lyrics by Jacob Switzer
Performed by Jacob Switzer, Fox Atticus Martindale,
Hallie Switzer, and Braden Sauder
Recorded and mixed by Braden Sauder
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"Red Yellow Blue"

Music and Lyrics by Joanne Mackell
Performed by Joanne Mackell
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Recorded and Mixed by John Switzer
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"Sei Spento il Sole"

Music and Lyrics by Adriano Celentano (arr. Marsella)
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