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Legal and Financial Aspects

November 23 – 27 in Berlin | Germany



PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

Wednesday, 23. November 2016 ___ DAY OF ARRIVAL 07:00 pm __Welcome Reception and Dinner at Hotel Restaurant Thursday, 24. November 2016 _____ DAY 1 09:30 am __Welcome | Introduction of Participants and Trainers Bernie Stampfer, International Film Partners // Head of Studies Nadja Radojevic, Erich Pommer Institut // CEO, Director Training Dina Rubanovitš, Erich Pommer Institut // Project Manager International Training 10:00 am __Course Introduction and Industry Overview Bernie Stampfer, International Film Partners 11:00 am __Coffee break 11:30 am __Legal Aspects - Production: Bilateral Treaties and European Convention on **Cinematographic Co-Production** Motivations and criteria for international co-productions: Why and how to structure international co-productions in accordance with bilateral treaties or the European Convention? How to qualify under a treaty and how to qualify as a national film? Kai May, Unverzagt von Have 12:30 pm Lunch break 02:00 pm __ Financial Landscape: Sources of Finance across Europe and Beyond Development and production finance isn't available in a one-stop-shop and often needs to be put together like a jig-saw puzzle: a tour d'horizon of the most common sources of money in the film industry. Bernie Stampfer, International Film Partners 03:30 pm Coffee break 04:00 pm __CASE STUDY 2: HUMIDITY | PART 1 Natasa Damnjanovic, Dartfilm Moderated by: Bernie Stampfer, International Film Partners 05:30 pm __End of Day 1 07:00 pm __Meeting in hotel lobby for joint walk to dinner 07:30 pm __**Dinner** - Details are subject to change -

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