



INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL ROTTERDAM

# PAN-AFRICAN CINEMA TODAY

## BRIDGING THE GAP

### Talk Show



**IFFR's Pan-African Cinema Today (PACT) covers Africa and the African Diaspora with features, documentaries, shorts, virtual reality, music videos and rare classics. The main event to explore Pan-Africanism, the revolutionary historic movement aiming to liberate and unite all Africans worldwide, is BRIDGING THE GAP.**

In a dynamic talkshow setting international filmmakers and film professionals will talk about this underexposed milestone in history. On stage: **Haile Gerima** (acclaimed director of *Sankofa* and *Harvest 3000 years*), **Louis Massiah** (director of *W.E.B. Du Bois – A Biography in Four Voices*, a documentary about one of the most influential Pan-Africanists), **Shirikiana Aina** (producer of *Sankofa* and director of the newly released *Footprints of Pan Africanism*), **Ford Morrison** (producer and initiator of *The Foreigners' Home*, a documentary about writer and Nobel laureate Toni Morrison), **Rosine Mbakam** (director of *Les deux visages d'une femme Bamiléké*) **Jon Goff** (film specialist of the Smithsonian NMAAHC), **Clarence Peters** (Nigeria's most dynamic music video director), **Patricia Pisters** (professor of film at UVA about *The Battle of Algiers* and *Queimada*), **Milford Graves** (legendary free jazz drummer featured in *Milford Graves Full Mantis*), **Nadia Denton** on *Beyond Nollywood* and many more.

Music by **Shishani**, Winner of Best World Music Album in the Netherlands in 2016 and 2017.  
Enter as you please: come for a talk, performances, food & drinks, short films, or feel free to stay the entire six hours! In collaboration with **The Nest Collective** from Nairobi.

**SUN 28 JAN 2018**  
**12:00-18:00**

**THEATER**  
**ROTTERDAM**  
**SCHOUWBURG**  
**KLEINE ZAAL**  
**Schouwburgplein 25**

**FREE ENTRANCE**

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