PITTER PATTER GOES MY HEART

Austria/Germany/USA, 2015, approx. 21 minutes, German A film by Christoph Rainer

Logline:

Lisa's heart desires only one thing: a fountain of blood in the shape of a man.

Synopsis:

The hopelessly romantic Lisa takes desperate measures to win her former lover back. But the fact that he already has a new girl at his side and that Lisa needs to bring her alcoholic father to an anti-varicose-campaign photo shooting without letting him know, is not particularly helping. The tragedy takes its course.

Credits:

<u>Cast</u>: Vicky Krieps, Michael Maertens, Max Reimann, Martina Schöne-Radunski, Tom Lass <u>Production</u>: E. Kremser, N. Gemel, M. Szilagyi

Festivals:

37th Clermont-Ferrand Short Film Festival (FRA) 18th Shanghai International Film Festival (CHI) 28th Columbia Film Festival (USA) 10th Sapporo Short Film Festival (JAP) 8th Las Vegas Film Festival (USA) 17th Diagonale Festival of Austrian Film (AUT) 8th Northern Wave Film Festival (ICE) 12th Vienna Independent Shorts Festival (AUT) 6th Austrian Film Festival (AUT) 3rd Kitzbühel International Film Festival (AUT) 26th New Orleans International Film Festival (USA) 37th Kino Festival New York City (USA) 13th SCTVF Sichuan TV Festival (CHI) 15th Cape May Film Festival (USA) 21st Filmschau Baden Württemberg (GER) 15th Naples O'Court Film Festival (ITA) 21st New Jersey Film Festival (USA) 28th Foyle Film Festival (IRE) 6th Balkan Beyond Borders Festival (GRE) 10th Filmfest Prague (CZE)

<u>Written & Directed by</u> Christoph Rainer <u>Cinematography</u> Georg Geutebrueck <u>Editing</u> Roland Stöttinger

Special Screenings:

Cinema Next Filmnacht – Innsbruck (AUT) CUFF – Los Angeles (USA) Mediasteak Open Air Night Show – Berlin (GER) National Board of Review – New York (USA) VOLXkino MDW Campus Fest – Vienna (AUT) ARTos Foundation Open Air – Nicosia (CYP) CUFF Annual Film Night – San Francisco (USA)

Awards:

Best Film (Columbia Film Festival) Youth Jury Award (Vienna Independent Shorts) IFP Audience Award (Columbia Film Festival) Student Jury Award (Columbia Film Festival) NBR Student Grant (Columbia Film Festival) Silver Circle Award (Caucus Foundation, L.A.) Emerging Film Award (Kitzbühel Filmfestival) Marion C. Green Award (National Board of Review)

"Full of Energy, great humor and a mind blowing lead actress! So very well made!"

– Ramin Bahrani (99 Homes, At any Price, Man Push Cart...)