

Tamara Scherbak, Notable Filmography as Writer/Director

Director/Writer: “Is Your Teen A Homosexual?” (2019)

Running Time: 6min Producer: Miksang Productions

Development Selections:

- 1 of 9 scripts selected for development at Berlinale Talents Short Film Station (2015)
- 1 of 8 scripts selected for development at Queer Ideas Salon Toronto (2015)
- Finalist for Main Film Pitch ton Court (2016)
- Winner of Tricycle Main Film Production Grant (2016-17)

Film Screenings:

- The 31st Image&Nation LGBTQ Montréal Film Festival – Official Selection Queerment Québec (2018)
- The 37th Rendez-vous Québec Cinéma – Official selection Vive la rigolade (2019)
- The 35th Wicked Queer: Boston LGBT Film Festival, Official Selection GTFO Shorts (2019)
- The 10th LGBT Film Festival of Poland, Official Selection Gay Shorts 1 (2019)
*Screened in Warsaw, Krakow, Lodz (twice) & Poznan
- The 5th SpringOut! Middle Tennessee LGBT+ Film Festival (2019)
- The 8th Kyiv International Short Film Festival, Official Selection Short Attack (2019)
- The 20th OUT HERE NOW: Kansas City LGBT Film Festival, Official Selection Laughing out Loud (2019) *Nominated for Best Comedic Short
- The 16th Outfest PERU LGBTQ Film Festival (2019)
- The 3rd Suburbinale Film Festival of Austria, Official Selection, Opening Night (2019)
- The 6th San Antonio QFest-LGBT International Film Festival, Official Selection (2019)
- The 9th International Short Film Festival of Cyprus, Official Selection in International Competition (2019)
- The 26th Pride Pictures Karlsruhe, Official Selection Queer ist Mehr (2019)

- The 17th Florence Queer Festival, Official Selection in Videoqueer Short Film Competition (2019)
- The 31st NewFest – New York’s LGBTQ Film Festival, Official Selection The Gag’s All Here (2019)
- The 8th Sardinia Queer Short Film Festival, Out of Competition in “Una famiglia normale” (2019)
- The 22nd edition of Nuit du Court de Lausanne (Base-court) in SANS QUEUE NI TÊTE (2019)
- The 12th edition of the OMOVIES Homosexual, Transgender and Questioning Film Festival Napoli, Official selection (2019)
- The 5th Tarang Delhi International Queer Theatre and Film Festival, Official Selection (2019)
- The 3rd Shanghai Queer Film Festival, Official Selection, World Shorts (2019)
- Pembe Hayat KuirFest – Pink Life Queer Fest Turkey, Official selection (2020)
- Festival Amor es Amor Festival International di cine LGBTQ+ Codorba, Argentina, Official Selection (2020)
- The 35th Melbourne Queer Film Festival co-presentation with Melbourne International Youth Festival, Youth Shorts (2020)
- New Zealand’s Vision Feast Film Festival, nominated for “Best Queer Project” (2020)
- Dominio Pubblico Festival presented with Le Giornate del Cinema Queer, Rome, Italy (2020)
- “Best Of” Pride Pictures shorts programme, Summer of Culture in the City of Karlsruhe (2020)
- TAGLIO CORTO special virtual screening by Coordinamento dei Festival italiani di Cinema Lgbtq (Florence Queer Festival, Gender Bender, BIG, Immaginaria, MIX, Orlando, Some Prefer Cake, Sicilia Queer Festival, Sardinia Queer)
- The 4th Out & Loud Pune International Queer Film Festival, Official Selection (2020) * WINNER of BEST HUMOUR Award
- The 1st Le Giornate del Cinema Queer (Rome, Italy) Official Selection, In Competition (2020)

- STUFF MX Film Festival (Mexico City, Mexico) Official Selection (2020)
- The Queers in Shorts, monthly screening series, Cambridge, United Kingdom (2020 Postponed)
- The BoyOHBoy Films Marathon, Paris, France, Official Selection (2020 Cancelled)
- The North Louisiana Gay & Lesbian Film Festival, Official Selection (2020 Cancelled)

Director/Co-Writer: “Sex Tapes: Lessons from a 7ft Penis & Friends” (2019)

Running Time: 9min Producer: Miksang Productions

- 2019 Fish&Chips Film Festival – International Erotic Film Festival, Official Selection, In Competition for Best Short Film (Turin, Italy)
- 2019 Queers in Shorts, Special Presentation (Cambridge, UK)
- 2019 International Changing Perspectives Short Film Festival, Official Selection (Istanbul, Turkey)
- 2019 Balkan Can Kino, Official Selection (Athens, Greece)
- 2019 CineKink, Official Selection (New York City, United States)
- 2019 Porn Film Festival Vienna, Official Selection (Vienna, Austria)
- 2019 “TOO DRUNK TO WATCH” Punkfilmfest Berlin, Official Selection (Berlin, Germany)
- 2019 Montreal Underground Film Festival, Official Selection (Montreal, Quebec, Canada)
- 2019 Copenhagen Underground Film Festival, Official Selection (Copenhagen, Denmark)
- 2019 Thessaloniki Queer Arts Festival (Thessaloniki, Greece)
- 2019 Sissy Queer Screen – M&C SAATCHII Proud, Special Presentation (London, UK)
- 2019 FLIQ Queer Film Night (Montreal, Quebec, Canada)
- 2019 S.E.C.S. Fest, Official Selection (Seattle, Washington, United States)
- 2019 Trans Stellar Film Festival, Official Selection (Detroit, Michigan, United States)

- 2019 Balkan Can Kino, Mobile Kino (Rethimno, Crete, Greece)
- 2019 Lausanne Underground Film & Music Festival, Official Selection (Lausanne, Switzerland)
- 2019 Toronto Queer Film Festival, Official Selection, Queer Rebels (Toronto, Canada)
- 2019 ROFFEKE Rock 'n' Roll Film Festival, Official Selection (Nairobi, Kenya)
- 2020 Louisiana LGBT Film Festival (United States)
- 2020 Les Mains Gauches (Marseille, France)
- 2020 Pleasure Dome, Sontag's Ghost: The Future is Queer programme (Virtual, Toronto, Canada)

Director/Co-Writer: "Lost Postcards" (2016)

Running Time: 3min Producer: Miksang Productions

Film screenings:

- In competition at the Vertical Film Festival (Katoomba, Blue Mountains, Australia – 2016)
- In competition at Linea D'Ombra Festival "Vedo Verticale" (Salerno, Italy – 2018)
- Official selection at Andaras – Travelling Film Festival (Fluminimaggiore, Sardinia, Italy – 2019)
- Special presentation at Plot 19 Storytelling Forum (Munich, Germany – 2019)
- In competition at VerticalMovie Film Festival presented at the MACRO – Rome Contemporary Art Museum (Rome, Italy – 2019)
- Special presentation at SerienCamp Festival (Munich, Germany – 2019)
- In competition at VertiFilms Prague (Prague, Czech Republic - 2020)

Broadcast:

- DRMS.TV – a streaming vertical video TV network (New York/USA 2016-2017)

Director/Concept: "I U She" (2012)

Running Time: 3min Producer: Pop Montreal

- The 2012 Pop Montreal "Auroratone Project"

- The Townhouse Gallery (Cairo, Egypt) 2012
- Spectacle Theatre (Brooklyn, New York) 2013
- the 2013 Antimatter Festival (Victoria, BC)
- the 2014 Rendezvous with Madness Film Festival (Toronto, Ontario)
- The Sad & Beautiful World Festival December 2015 (Hanoi, Vietnam)

Director: “Only Sky & Water” (2010)

Running Time: 5min Producer: National Film Board of Canada

- Part of the TIFF Emerging Filmmakers Competition 2010
- Screened in Competition at Hot Docs 2011

Director/Concept: “Recycle, Reuse, Remix” (2009)

Running Time: 5min Producer: National Film Board of Canada

- Selected for and funded by the NFB training program “Making Music 3”
- Premiered at the 2009 FilmPop Montreal Festival
- In competition in the “New Experience” category at the Mash Rome Film Festival 2012
- screened at the 2012 RE/Mixed Media Film Festival (Brooklyn, New York),
- Selected as a SIM Reels Winner for 2012 Sound in Motion Showcase (Toronto, Ontario)

Director: “Dedashka” (2008)

Running Time: 5min Producer: Concordia University

- Won ‘Best Director’ at Festivalles Film Festival (2007)
- Presented at the Montreal World Film Festival (2007)
- special screening at le Cinémathèque Québécoise (2007)
- Radio-Canada Digital Diversity Competition (2007),
- The National Screen Institute Online Film Festival (2008),

- the Cannes International Film Festival Short Film Corner (2008)
- in World Competition at the Iran International Documentary Film Festival (2008)

Director: "Raya" (2005)

Running Time: 3min Producer: Dawson College

- Presented at the Montreal World Film Festival (2005),
- the Montreal Underground Film Festival (2006),
- the Reel Dames Film Festival (2006)
- Broadcast on CH Montreal (2006)