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### **Armenian Shelters (52') – HD**

Mareterraniu / 2016

Directed by Mathieu Proust

Languages available: French

Broadcasters: France 3



In the Turkish district of Hatay remains the very last Armenian village in Turkey. One hundred years ago, the people of Vakif and six other villages around managed to climb on the Dejebel Musa hill to avoid deportation... They survived thanks to several miracles. Today their descendants here and in the village of Anjar in Lebanon are obsessed by the consequences of the Syrian civil war and the rise of fundamentalism close to them. They fear a new genocide which will exterminate their residual communities...

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### **By Reason or By Force (52') - HD**

Les Films Grain de Sable / Mille Plateaux Productions / 2012

Directed by Jonathan Cadiot

Languages available: French & English

Broadcasters: Planete



In Chile, the Mapuche indigenous people saw its territory greatly reduced. By waves of expropriations, the ancestral lands were confiscated. They now belong to forest companies and landowners, descendants of European settlers. The inhabitants of the autonomous community of Temuicui struggle for land recovery. Temuicui crystallizes all the tensions because facing land claims, the police respond with firing squad and justice with jail time.

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### **Hostages to Misfortune (52') – HD**

Agence Cantarane / 2016

Directed by Severine Vanel & Pierre-Julien Quiers

Languages available: French & English subtitles



Leila, Selim and their 7 children live in Zaatari, a camp for Syrian refugees in Jordan. Filmed over 3 years, this documentary provides an intimate view of their day-to-day life in the camp. Selim, frustrated by enforced idleness, is determined to go back to Syria and fight. How will Leila cope with the birth of her eighth child ? This family story is at once extraordinary and typical of millions of refugees who did not choose to leave their country and now face the loss of identity and of choice itself.

## **Romania: The Big Clear-Out (52') – HD**

Drôle de Trame / 2017

Directed by Ruxandra Medrea

Languages available: French & English

Broadcasters: Public Senat, VRT, SVT, ERR, Al Jazeera English



Romania is known to be one of the most corrupted nations of the EU. Not such common knowledge however, is that Romania has become the centre stage of one of the most ferocious anti-corruption battles of the last few decades. This radical metamorphosis of Romanian society is mostly the work of a new generation that knew communism when it was young.

How was a radical change in the country made possible? By what means can this new generation of citizens become a major player in this transformation? This documentary gives us an insider's view of this fight, the only one of the kind in Europe.

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## **When Siberia Will Be Chinese (52') – HD**

Flair Films / 2015

Directed by Richard Prost

Languages available: French & English

Broadcasters: Arte, TVN, MBC Al Arabiya, Deutsche Welle, Axess TV, Air France, PTS Taiwan



Far Eastern Siberia was Chinese in the 16th century and became Russian after the defeat of the Middle Kingdom by the expansionistic dreams of Nicolas I.

Today, after Russia has just annexed Crimea, could Siberia become Chinese again? Some 7 million Russians thus monitor 148 million Chinese who, little by little, cross the Amur River to live on the other side of the border. A peaceful invasion that concerns Russian diplomacy.