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“...a perfectly wrought mockumentary...”

~ Angle Magazine

“...a comic train wreck of monumental egos...”

~ Pittsburgh Post-Gazette

“...a towering achievement in laughter...”

~ Cleveland Plain Dealer

“...Spinal-Tap-ish look at film school...”

~ Boston Herald Inside Track

“...offers laughs for everyone...”

~ Kansas City Star

“...a hilarious look at film school subculture...”

~ cinemactical.com



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Six students in the fictional UNY Film Program compete for their ultimate prize – the Filmic Achievement Award – in this delightful satire that lampoons the comical seriousness and overblown passions at a fourth-rate cinema school.

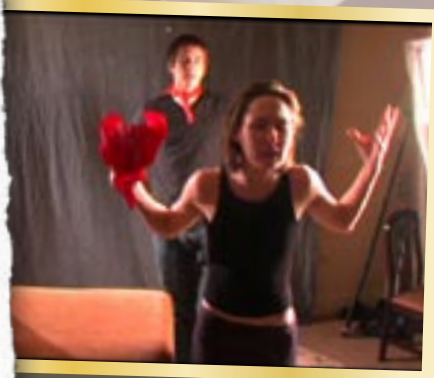
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Everyone at UNY Film School has an earthshattering epic within them, aching to be born: Delvo Christian, a semantics major and semiotics minor from Brown University wants to make an existential French film; tortured child of privilege and performance artist Constance Van Horn wants to make an abstract art film starring herself; and Mike Pack emulates Quentin Tarantino, planning to make an “explosive” film while living in his mother’s basement. Their professor, Buck Felty, teaches the 13 steps of filmmaking – but somehow only gets to step #9. Among all these budding (and backstabbing) young movie makers, only one student will walk away with the coveted Filmic Achievement Award.

What ensues is a mockumentary par excellence, poking hilarious fun at the overserious students of film who spend their their waking hours debating the minutia of a scene, a prop, or the gaffer of a particular film. Cast with off-Broadway theater companies and improv troupes, the chemistry is quick, the humor contagious, and the result is a “filmic achievement” all its own.



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Woods Hole Film Festival  
Stratford-Upon-Avon Film Festival  
Kansas International Film Festival  
Big Bear Lake Film Festival  
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Milwaukee International Film Festival  
Pittsburgh Three Rivers Film Festival  
Nolita Film Festival  
Santa Fe Film Festival  
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