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## 19 CANADIAN PROJECTS Announced for the 2017 TORONTO INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL

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These Projects join previously announced Bell Media-backed titles including Nora Twomey's 'The Breadwinner', and Bell Media's highly anticipated new Documentary about Iconic Canadian Band The Tragically Hip's Final Tour, 'Long Time Running', from Banger Films, and acclaimed filmmakers Jennifer Baichwal and Nicholas de Pencier.

Below is the Full List of Projects selected for the 2017 Toronto International Film Festival to date that have been supported by Bell Media through Story Optioning Support, Script Development, Pre-licensing, Funding, and/or Equity Investment :

- \* A Worthy Companion "" Carlos Sanchez, Jason Sanchez (World Premiere)
- \* Alias Grace "" Mary Harron (World Premiere)
- \* Bickford Park (short) "" Linsey Stewart, Dane Clark (World Premiere)
- \* Bird (short) "" Molly Parker (World Premiere)
- \* The Breadwinner "" Nora Twomey (World Premiere)
- \* Don't Talk to Irene "" Pat Mills (World Premiere)
- \* The Drop In (short) "" Naledi Jackson (World Premiere)
- \* Eye on Juliet "" Kim Nguyen (North American Premiere)
- \* Les Affamés "" Robin Aubert (World Premiere)
- \* Lira's Forest (short) "" Connor Jessup (World Premiere)
- \* Long Time Running "" Jennifer Baichwal, Nicholas de Pencier (World Premiere)
- \* Mary Goes Round "" Molly McGlynn (World Premiere)
- \* Meditation Park "" Mina Shum (World Premiere)
- \* Never Steady, Never Still "" Kathleen Hepburn (World Premiere)
- \* Porcupine Lake "" Ingrid Veninger (World Premiere)
- \* Public Schooled "" Kyle Rideout (World Premiere)
- \* Pyewacket "" Adam MacDonald (World Premiere)
- \* The Little Girl Who Was Too Fond of Matches (La petite fille qui aimait trop les allumettes) "" Simon Lavoie (World Premiere)
- \* We Forgot to Break Up (short) "" Chandler Levack (World Premiere)

The Full Line-up of Canadian Films was announced by the Toronto International Film Festival on August 9, 2017.

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