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Budapest Film to release Berlinale 2012 Silver Bear winner JUST THE WIND (CSAK A SZÉL)

Budapest Film, Hungary's leading independent distributor, acquired the Hungarian distribution rights for the Hungarian production, JUST THE WIND. The drama directed by Bence Fliegauf and produced by Inforg-M&M Film, was awarded with the Silver Bear, the Amnesty International Film Prize and the Peace Film Award at the Berlin International Film Festival 2012. The film is set against the background of racism facing a contemporary Gypsy family living in the Hungarian countryside and is inspired by an actual series of killings that claimed the lives of a few people in less than a year. JUST THE WIND will be in cinemas in Hungary from April 5th 2012.

According to Zsuzsanna Jung, Managing Director of Budapest Film, "JUST THE WIND is the first Hungarian film we will release since 2009. We are very proud to be distributing this film and hope that in the future more Hungarian movies will be recognized at International Film Festivals to further encourage our local film industry."

In keeping with the distributor's philosophy of supporting high-quality Hungarian films and seeking out future talent, Budapest Film last week launched the BuFi Script Competition to nurture young film writers with the full commitment of local industry professionals involved both as mentors and judges during the creative process.

Since 2010, Budapest Film is a subsidiary of Berlin based A Company Consulting & Licensing, one of the leading film license trading companies in Central and Eastern Europe.

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