

Spanish Golden Age Season Film Screenings

We will be screening a selection of Spanish films ranging from well-loved classics key works of art house cinema as part of our Spanish Golden Age Season.

With introduction and discussion (not available on 23rd Feb)



23 February 4pm Lope (The Outlaw) ⁽¹⁵⁾

Spain/Brazil, 2010, 106 mins
Directed by Andrucha Waddington
With Alberto Ammann (Lope de Vega), Leonor Watling
(Isabel de Urbina), Pilar López Ayala (Elena Osorio)

Biopic of Lope de Vega, one of the leading dramatists of the Spanish Golden Age – two of his plays feature in our season



2 March 2.30pm & 5pm

Luis Buñuel Doublebill: Diary of a Chambermaid (18)

France 1964, 97 mins

Script Jean-Claude Carrière. With Jeanne Moreau (Céléstine), Georges Geret (Jospeh), Daniel Ivernet (Cpt Mauger), Françoise Lugagne & Michel Piccoli (M & Mme Monteil)

Buñuel follows in Renoir's footsteps with this adaptation of Octave Mirbeau's 1900 novel about seduction and illicit attraction between the classes



+ The Discreet Charm of the Bourgeosie (15)

France 1972, 105 mins

Script Jean-Claude Carrière. With Fernando Rey, Paul Frankeur, Delphine Seyrig, Bulle Ogier, Stéphane Audran, Jean-Pierre Cassel. Michel Piccoli

One of Bunuel's Oscar-winning masterpieces about a well to do sextet, who arrange dinner but can never quite get round to eating, as they are constantly disturbed by events both real and imagined



9 March 4pm Spirit of the Beehive (15)

Spain 1973, 99 mins Directed by Victor Erice.

With Fernando Fernán Gómez, Teresa Gimpera, Ana Torrent, Isabel Tellería

Erice's debut is considered one of the masterpieces of world cinema. The story of a little girl's fascination with the 1931 film of Frankenstein serves as a symbolic tale of Franco's dictatorship



16 March 4pm Volver (15)

Spain 2006, 121 mins Directed by Pedro Almodovar With Penelope Cruz (Raimunda), Carmen Maura (Irene), Yohanna Cobo (Paula)

One of Almodovar's best-loved films brings together two of his leading ladies in a melodramatic tale of family ties, secret, lies, revenge and women taking their lives into their own hands

All screenings in the original with subtitles

Times are film start times (no ads/trailers)

Tickets: £5, Buñuel doublebill £8

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