

40th International Circus Festival of Monte-Carlo

PRINCIPAUTÉ DE MONACO

---- CIRCUS 2016

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Under the effective Presidency of H.S.H. Princess Stéphanie of Monaco. The greatest winning acts in recent years! FILMED AT Fontvieille, Principality of Monaco ON January 2016 **TV DIRECTOR** Massimo Manganaro **RUNNING TIME** 1X110', 1X120', 2X52'







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ARTISTIC INFORMATION

SYNOPSIS

Since its creation in 1974 by Prince Rainier III of Monaco, to support the art of the Circus he so loved – and especially the circus families – the Monte-Carlo International Circus Festival has become over the years the largest and most prestigious circus festival in the world. The Golden Clown is the ultimate reward for the artists, coveted by everyone in the world of circus. For the 40th anniversary of the festival, it is a real "Best Of" of the best winning acts in recent editions that Monaco offers this year on Golden Shows with chills, laughter, emotion and wonderment! This special edition features acts from around the world, with daring tightrope walkers, flying trapeze, acrobats or jugglers.

PERFORMERS Acrobatic Troupe of Beijing (hoop / China / 2013) | Bello Nock (balloon / USA / 2011) | Cat Wall Troupe (trampoline / Canada / 2013) | Flying Tabares (trapeze / Argentina / 2004) | Martin Lacey Junior (lions / UK / 2010) | René Casselly Familly (elephants / Germany / 2012) | Shcherback & Popov (hand to hand / Ukraine / 2013) | Skating Pilar (acrobats on rollerblades / France / 2012) | Sokolov Troupe (teeterboard act / Russia / 2014)

AND SPECIAL DUOS, TRIOS AND MORE... Acrobatic Troupe of Beijing (diabolos / China / 2013) and Kris Kremo (juggler / Switzerland / 1981) | Acrobatic Troupe of Cantons (pas de deux / China / 2002) and Desire of Flight (aerial silks / Russia / 2014) | Alexis Gruss (horses / France / 2001) and Flavio Togni (horses / Italy / 2001) | Anastasia Makeeva (aerial hoop / Russia / 2014) and Laura Miller (aquatic aerial ring / UK / 2005) Bello Nock (stunt clown / USA / 2011) and Housch Ma Housch (modern clown / Ukraine / 2009) | Bingo Troupe (aerial fantasy / Ukraine / 2003), Shcherback & Popov (hand to hand / Ukraine / 2013), **Skating Pilar** (acrobats on rollerblades / France / 2012) and **Starbugs** (comedians / Switzerland / 2010) | Clownish Trio : Bello Nock (USA / 2011), Housch Ma Housch (Ukraine / 2009) and Fumagalli (Italy / 2015) | Encho Keryasov (balancing act / Bulgaria / 2007), Peres Brothers (hand to hand / Portugal / 2001) and Pellegrini Brothers (hand to hand / Italy / 2008) | Househ Ma Househ (modern clown / Ukraine / 2009) and **Steve Eleky** (comedian / Germany / 2012)

PRODUCTION

PRODUCTION COMPANIES Telmondis, France Télévisions, Rai 3, Das Erste, RSI, SRF, RTS, RTBF, KRO, SIC, and the support of the CNC ASSOCIATE PRODUCER: Antoine Perset, Denis Morlière ALSO AVAILABLE 30th to 39th Festival (2006-2015)

Directed by Massimo Manganaro Running time: 1x110'; 2x52'

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