



**JABFILM**

Jabfilm in association with Idiom Films present:



# اسعاف AMBULANCE

A FILM BY MOHAMED JABALY

Jabfilm in association with Idiom Film, are delighted to present  
*Ambulance*, a film directed by Mohamed Jabaly

*Ambulance* is a raw, first-person account of the War in July 2014. Mohamed Jabaly, a young man from Gaza City joins an ambulance crew as the war approaches. What is it like to live under constant threat? How can Mohamed find his place in a country under siege, where there seems to be no foreseeable future? We experience the war through Mohamed's eyes, watching directly from the passenger's seat, as he comes of age among dead bodies, terrified families, and the constant risk of sudden death.

In response to the dark chaos of war, Mohamed learns to rely on his captain and crew-mates from the ambulance, who in turn support Mohamed to make a film that expresses both the trauma and hope of the too-often invisible citizens of Gaza.

The ongoing conflict in the Occupied Territories is one of the oldest and most controversial in the world. The last war on Gaza in the summer of 2014 has been the most aggressive of the last six years. Few films have been made by directors within Gaza, showing their point of view on the war and their experiences of life under siege.

The international media is saturated with 'noise' on the Israeli-Palestinian conflict, distorted by high-stakes political entanglements. This noise makes it difficult for the wider public outside of the conflict, to relate to those affected by the violence and terror. It also isolates ordinary Palestinians from the rest of the world.

*Ambulance* is a film that rises above the 'noise', telling the story of a brave young man whose dreams and concerns are common to young people around the world. The film moves beyond reportage, allowing an international audience to connect with the filmmaker and his experience, as he risks his life to document the war from a civilian perspective – and whose life is transformed in the process.

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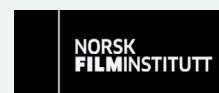
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