

Brotherhood won Pardo d' oro at the Locarno FF

Czech documentary feature film *Brotherhood*, directed by Francesco Montagner, dominated the Concorso Cineasti del presente section of this year's Locarno Film Festival by winning the major prize - The Pardo d'oro.

Brotherhood won the main prize of the Concorso Cineasti del presente - Locarno Film Festival's competition section focused dedicated to emerging directors and devoted to first and second features.

The film tells a story set in a small village in the middle of the Bosnian mountains, where three adolescent sons of a radical Salafi preacher face their father's sentence for terrorism questioning their beliefs and seeking different paths for their future.

Director Francesco Montagner accepted the award, which is accompanied with CHF 35,000, right in Locarno along with the main producer of the film Pavla Janoušková Kubečková of nutprodukce and other members of *Brotherhood's* creative crew. The co-producers include Nadia Trevisan of the Italian firm Nefertiti Film, Czech Television and FAMU.

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