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PARIS

Discover our special **Paris Collection**





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4x52'

4K

Dive into the heart of 19th century bustling Paris, following the adventures and destinies of legendary artists such as Hugo, Sand, Berlioz, Balzac, etc. These intrepid young souls shook conventions with their words, and brushes. This one-of-a-kind animated series reveals the deepest secrets of these romantic heroes. Their fights still resonate in today's world.

TRAILER 

PDF 

BLACK STARS

Shining in
the Paris Opera



Delivery Auguste 2024

52'

Guillaume has just become the first Black star dancer in the history of the Paris Opera, and of France. Sullivan, a double bass player from Martinique, is the first and only Black woman to have been selected to join the prestigious Opera Academy. Each in her own way, they are determined to fully embrace their black identity and denounce the discrimination and archaisms of the institution.

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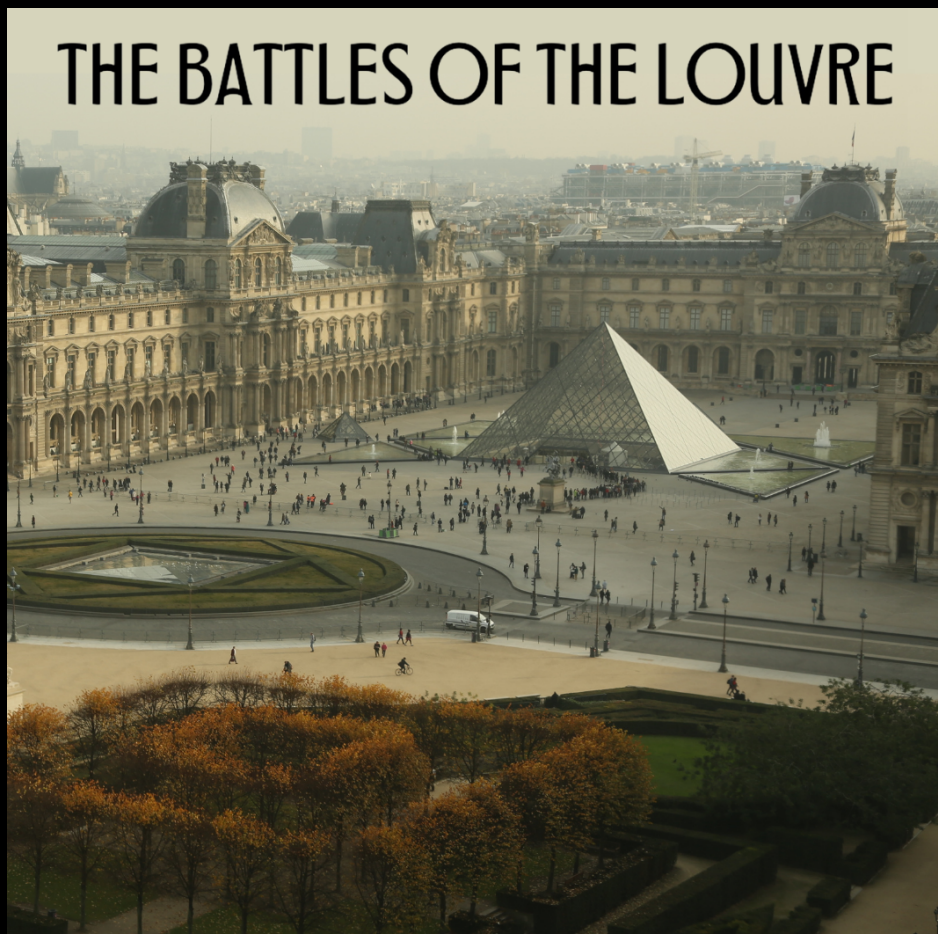
BUDDING STARS

THE ULTIMATE COLLECTION

5X26' & 7X26' & 60'

Experience the Paris Ballet School's young dancers' extraordinary lives. The youngest are now trying out for the corps de ballet into which only a lucky few have been inducted. But did the rest continue their career? Find out where they are five years later.

MOVIE 



52'

Heart and jewel of Paris, the largest museum in the world is an incredible witness of history. First a fortress, then royal castle, then house of the people before becoming house of culture, the Louvre is haunted by heroic and tragic stories.

TRAILER

MOVIE



52'

The Louvre is an iceberg: 35,000 works on the surface, 250,000 in reserve, a large part of which is below the level of the Seine. Threatened by floods, the reserve must be moved to Liévin, 200 km away. This is one of the greatest transhumances in the history of art.

MOVIE



52'

Founding museums is a pastime among high-stakes collectors. Follow a magnificent Paris Museum restoration, where French Billionaire Francois Pinault showcases its art collection.

MOVIE 

52' & 90'

4K

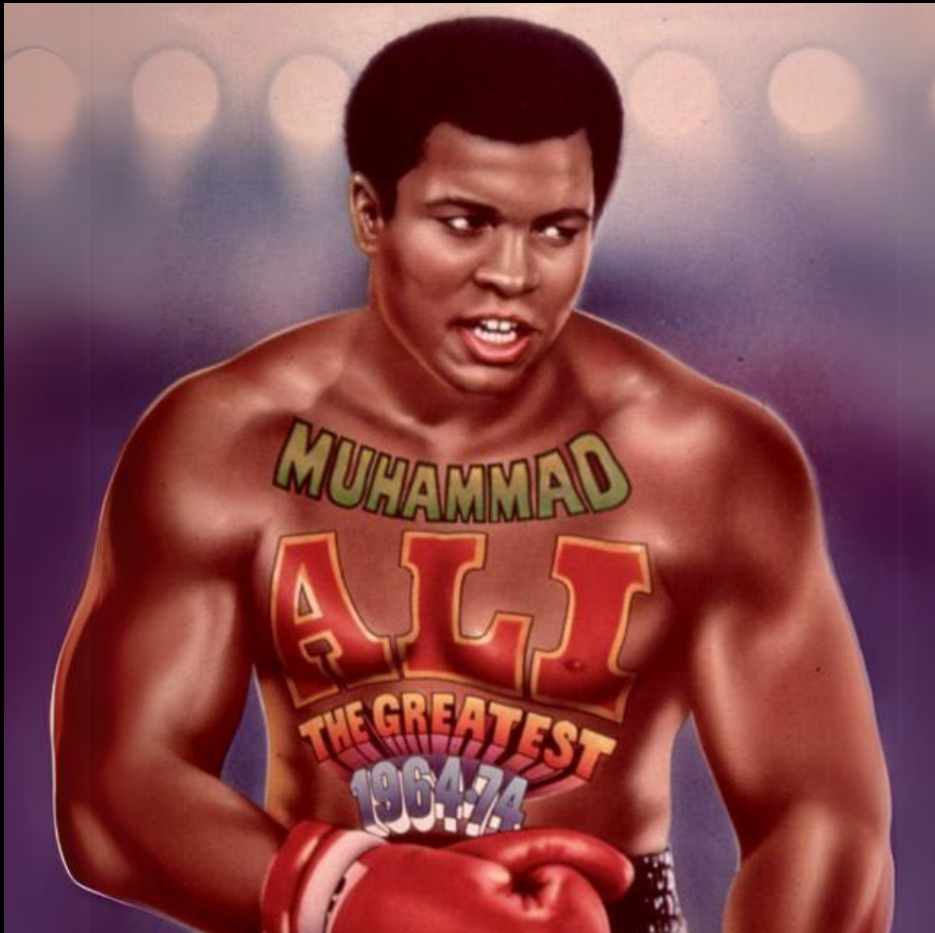
Haute cuisine is a modern luxury that was invented over a century ago by one man. Auguste Escoffier revolutionized French cooking and dining experience and made them a world reference in culinary arts.

TRAILER MOVIE 

52'

Japanese chef Chiho Kanzaki and Argentinian chef Marcelo di Giacomo are championing an inventive cuisine in their new restaurant located near Aligre Market in Paris's 12th District.

MOVIE 



120'

This first and only real portrait of the man that Malcolm X called the most important black personality of our time. An iconic movie for which Klein was accepted into Ali's entourage and was able to film during the most critical weeks of his career. Unique images that are now legendary.

MOVIE 

52'

What is an athlete's mind? How does it work? Through a review of the great stories of sport since the 80s up to the present day, through the prism of the mind, our investigation will explain how these new weapons of performance work, by filming mental coaches and athletes in training and following them in their mental preparation on the eve of the Olympic Games.

TRAILER 

MOVIE 



**VENUS &
SERENA**
The Game Changers

52'

They learned how to play tennis in one of America's most dangerous ghettos... became world n°1 and world n°2 in singles and forged an unparalleled record. As African-American women, who are sculptural and powerful, and embody new codes, the Williams sisters navigated through sexism and racism, became world icons, and changed tennis forever.



FOOTBALL REBELS

10x26' & 90'

When football becomes a citizen sport! At a time when business seems to be corrupting our relationship with sport, the indomitable Eric Cantona shows us footballers who've managed to resist.



BOUCHERON



IN THE HEART OF
THE WORLD'S FINEST
HIGH JEWELLERY HOUSE

52'

An exclusive deep dive into the secrets of creation behind the House of Boucheron and its perennial modernity for over a century and a half. The two women at the head of the company are rethinking luxury by proposing creative and innovative collections, far from the traditional codes of high jewelry.

MOVIE 

JACQUEMUS

The Prince of Today's Fashion



52'

The exceptional success story of today's most famous fashion designers, told through 10 years of exclusive archives and backstage images of his latest fashion show. Jacquemus' magnificent catwalk scenographies flood the press and social media. Worshipped by international stars, he is often compared to Jean Paul Gaultier in the 1980s.

MOVIE 

ALEXANDRE MATTIUSSI BIRTH OF A COLLECTION



Delivery August 2024

52'

AMI is one of the biggest brands and names in the fashion industry. A unique dive into the creation process of Alexandre Mattiussi's (the founder) new collection. Over the past 13 years, he has conquered the world, bringing French icons like Catherine Deneuve to the catwalk.

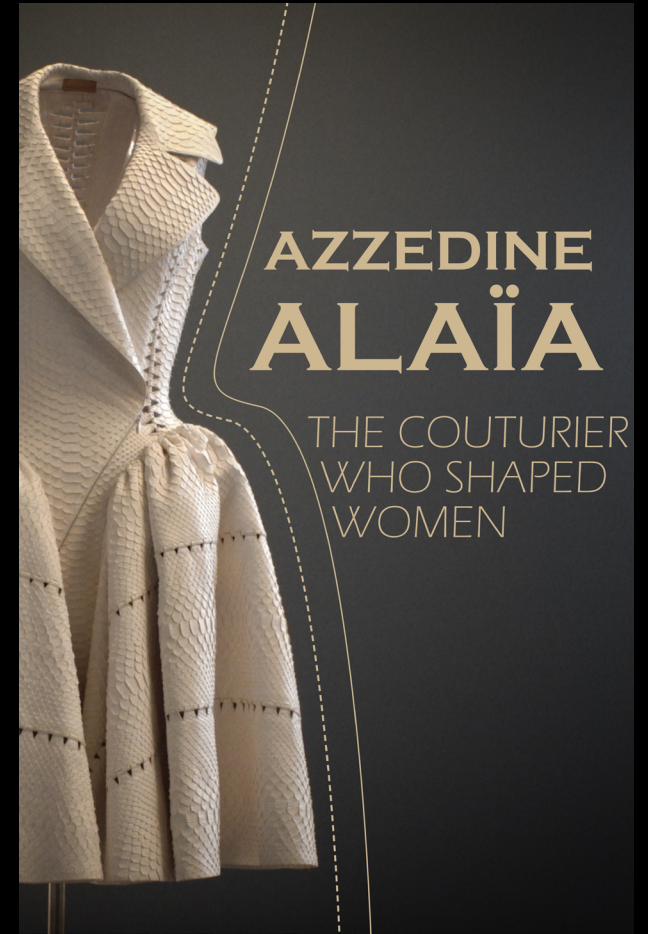


JEAN PAUL GAULTIER BY OLIVIER ROUSTEING

DIFFERENT GENERATION, SAME SPIRIT

52'

The Jean-Paul Gaultier Couture show by Olivier Rousteing from Balmain marks the meeting of two of the greatest contemporary fashion designers. A 360-degree view of the creation of this exceptional collection, which will go down in fashion history.



AZZEDINE ALAÏA

THE COUTURIER
WHO SHAPED
WOMEN

52'

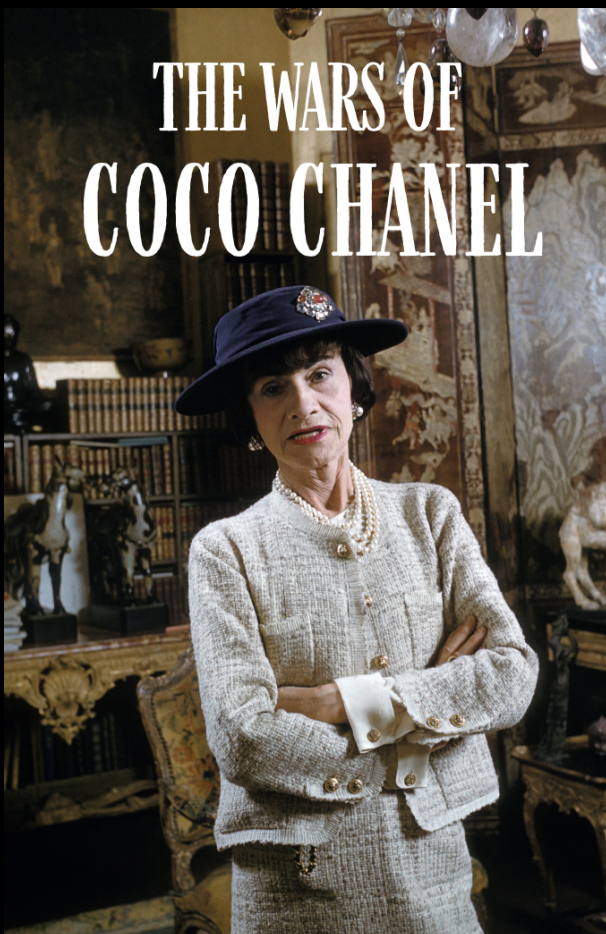
Portrait of the world-famous French-Tunisian couturier, with the master speaking himself. Obsessed with the female body, he magnified women's curves by sculpting clothes on them. He dressed the most famous, from Grace Jones to Michelle Obama.





52'

To mark his 50th year as a designer, Jean Paul Gaultier held his final show in 2020 in Paris, with an event combining models and artistic performances. Let's look back at his incredible career and personality.

MOVIE 

52'

She had to fight many wars to go from the little orphan maid to the famous tailor celebrated worldwide. A portrait of one of the most iconic figures of the 20th century.

TRAILER MOVIE 

52'

She is renowned worldwide for her fashion sense that combines chic and casual. Isabel Marant is pivotal in the world of fashion. She dresses up "real girls", not fantasies. We follow her from the first beginnings of a collection to its realization.

MOVIE 



52'

This documentary takes a stroll in search of a Paris of fantasy, a stereotyped Paris, a Paris that is home to the famous and envied "Parisiennes" - women of pride, with their allure that is hurried, self-assured and sometimes even arrogant - but is above all free!

MOVIE 

5x52'

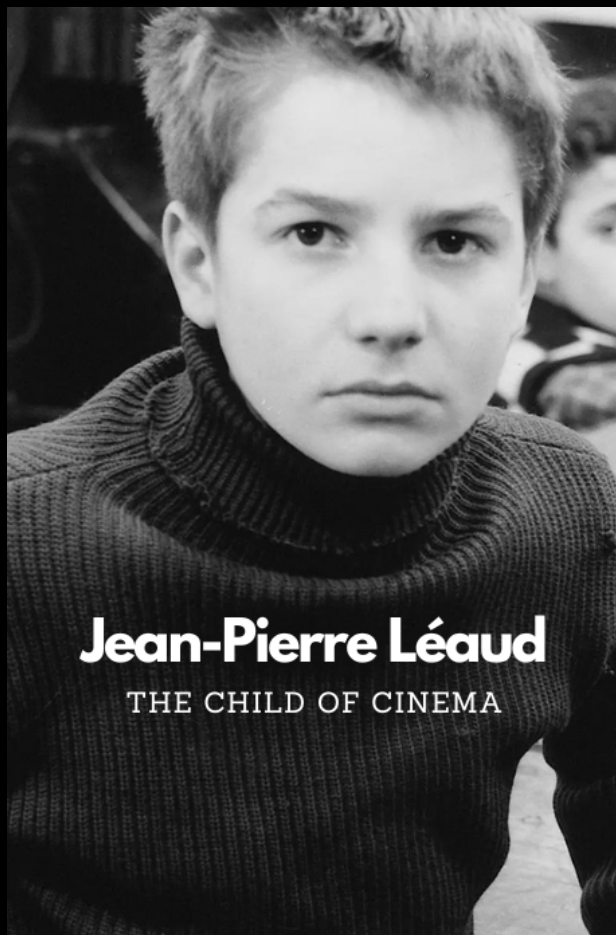
Loic Prigent opens the secret doors of Paris Fashion Week. Interviews of creative directors, journalists and influencers help us understand this obscure microcosm and give us the keys to fully apprehend this hidden industry.

MOVIE 

52'

After WWII, Parisian haute couture experienced an extraordinary revival epitomised by Dior's New Look, Givenchy's elegance and Chanel's style. It was a golden age, but it was also a swan song - the last blaze of glory of a world that had become an anachronism.

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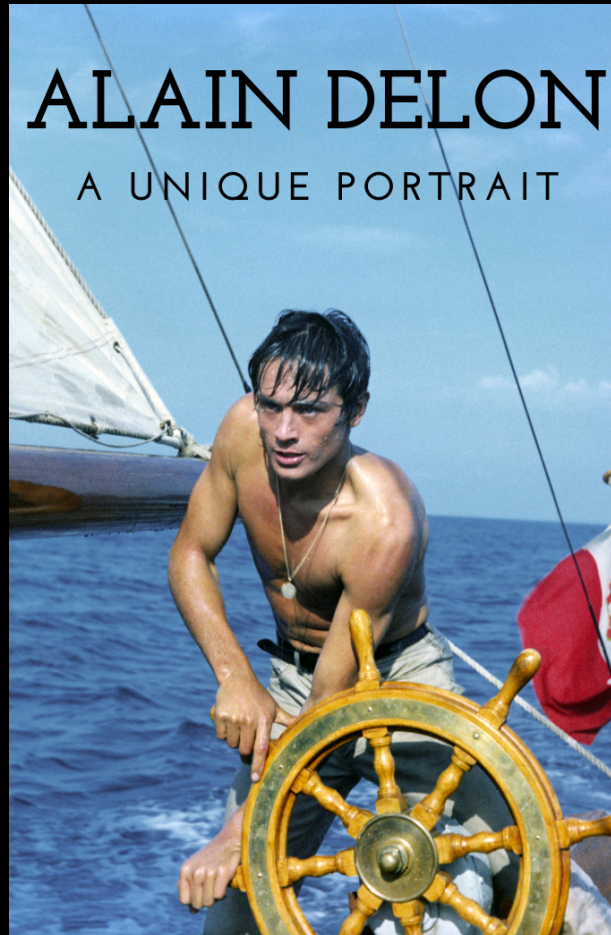


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52'

The unforgettable hero of *The 400 Blows*, Jean-Pierre Léaud made his major debut at the age of 14. As an icon of international auteur cinema, he redefined masculinity and the approach to embodying a character alongside some of the greatest directors.

PDF 



52'

This fascinating portrait is for anyone who wants to know more about the man behind the mask. By the end of the film, you will see this famous French icon in a totally different way. Delon speaks in a series of surprising interviews, spanning nearly 50 years.

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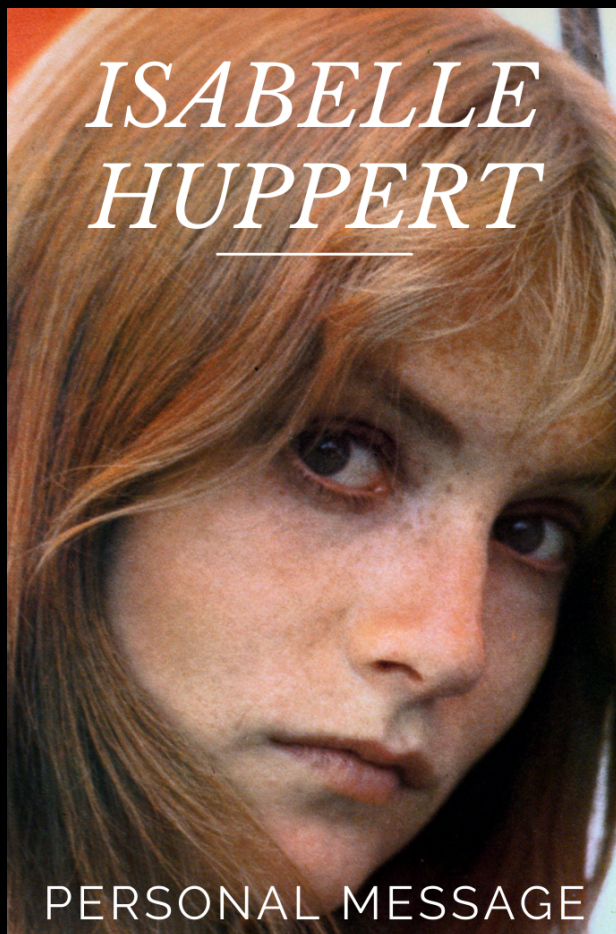
MOVIE 



52'

Characterized as an avant-garde film movement and created by directors like Godard and Varda, it gave birth to iconic actors such as Bardot.

MOVIE 



52'

Isabelle Huppert recounts her own biography, in her own way. She weaves all her past lives into a single story. Explore all her roles on the silver screen with a multitude of images forming one and the same life - neither really being her own, nor fully that of another.

MOVIE 

52'

Major actress of the French New Wave, she is bound to the great renewal of cinema in the 60's. Her companion in life, revisits the story of her life. The film integrates her portrait in the story of her time, but is also a love letter to the woman he shared life with over 20 years.

MOVIE 

52' & 60'

She worked with the world's greatest actors and directors: Buñuel, Mastroianni, Lellouche... Thanks to interviews, the film guides us throughout her career with the filmmakers alongside whom she invented herself not to be a "cold blonde actress".

MOVIE 



NAPOLEON

DESTINY & DEATH

52' & 90'

A unique and fascinating animated biopic about the legendary French Emperor Napoleon, and his mission to defy death. From the enemy bullets from the Pont d'Arcole to the poison of a suicide attempt, from a car bomb to assassination plans, Napoleon forged the image of an invincible being. The final battle against death, on St. Helena, will be the pinnacle of his glory.

TRAILER 

MOVIE 



BUILDING THE PARIS OPERA

52' & 90'

Famous for its ghost, the Opéra Garnier of Paris is above all the product of a titanic building site and the symbol of the birth of a new era. From 1852 to 1870, eighteen years of flamboyance made Paris the capital of modernity. This documentary - written by Stéphane Landowski - aims to tell the story of the great Paris construction of the Garnier Opera House, which lasted 14 years.

TRAILER 

MOVIE 

THE EIFFEL TOWER A BUILDING WONDER



52'

For the Eiffel Tower's 130th birthday, this film recounts the incredible epic of its construction. It was erected in record time at the end of the 19th century - it was the largest and craziest building ever built at the time.

MOVIE 

NOTRE-DAME DE PARIS THE AGE OF THE BUILDERS



2x52' & 98'

In the Middle Ages, Paris gave birth to the world's most famous stone edifice: Notre-Dame. 7 centuries have passed since its construction. Watch history come alive thanks to 3D reproduction of the monument.

TRAILER 

MOVIE 



MIDNIGHT IN PARIS CABARET

52'

Welcome to the era of the cabaret! In the euphoria of the after-war era, a whole host of small cabarets sprung up, attracting a delighted crowd of freedom-loving and novelty-seeking youth, who would come to listen to their favourite singers.

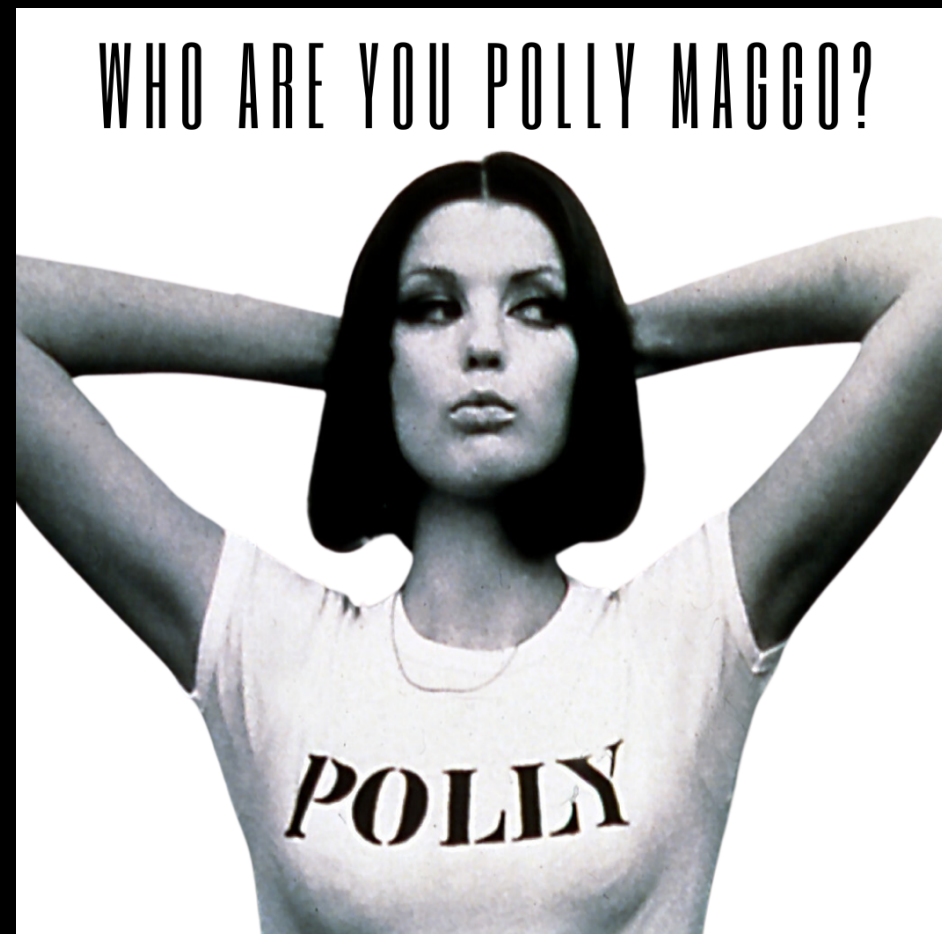
MOVIE 



116'

An iconic film, on legendary 80's sport show. William Klein was given total and exclusive access to Roland Garros French Open... Miles of filmstock, unique footage, a thousand and one details, a many quirky anecdotes. The tennis carnival from inside, as never seen before.

MOVIE 



105'

Polly Maggoo is the pseudo-portrait of a super model. Thirty years ahead of its time, it satirizes TV's top model feeding frenzy, the world of fashion and brainwashing in general... The eye of William Klein in the fashion world made it an iconic movie.

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