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A photograph of two foxes in a grassy field. One fox is standing and holding a stick in its mouth, while the other is lying down. The scene is lit with warm, golden light, suggesting sunset or sunrise.

# 4K CATAL OGUE 2022



## LATEST PROGRAMMES

### White Winter - A Season on the Northern Alpine Rim

4K

› 52' (ENG) › 2022 › nautilusfilm, WDR, arte

On the Northern Alpine rim, winter can still be marvelled at in all its glory every year. With its white coat of snow and icicles and myriads of small crystals that look like geometric works of art. In the valleys and on the slopes the snow is still so thick every year that the alpine huts are snowed in up to the windows. In addition to these alpine scenes, views of snow-covered alpine pastures, mountain farms and royal castles provide the location for various nature stories. But how do the animals, plants and fungi cope with the annually recurring ice age, which from our perspective is a time of hardship. But the many adaptations in nature prove: winter is not so much an annually recurring adversity, but rather an integral part

of the natural cycle of the year and the whole natural world. All the species here are adapted to cold and frost. That is why the animals and plants of the snowy areas at the edge of the Alps suffer particularly from climate change and go into a tailspin with the unpredictable ups and downs of the snow line. It is still possible to observe how the animals are changing their behaviour, altering their diet and - apparently - turning their ecology upside down. And even that exists in the mountains: animals and plants that need winter even in summer...





## Wild Prairie Man

4K

- › 52' (ENG)
- › 2022
- › Overtime Communications,  
Saskatchewan Arts Board (SK Arts)

Located in the Northern Great Plains of Canada, Grasslands National Park has been a 20 year odyssey for wildlife photographer James R. Page. For James, critters are more interesting than people and he shares some of his iconic images and experiences from this endangered ecosystem. We showcase the park's wilderness and immerse ourselves in the wild habitat of Grasslands National Park for over a year, capturing some never before scenes in the Wild Prairie. James R. Page's connection to the land and the wildlife provides an unforgettable journey into the heart of this endangered ecosystem, while park experts help us understand its complexity.



### FESTIVALS & AWARDS - A SELECTION:

Best Nature/Wildlife Film, Cannes World Film Festival 2022



## In the Heart of America

4K

- › 2 x 52' (ENG, GER)
- › 2022
- › Lonamedia, ZDF, arte

They are the last unknown natural paradises in Central America. While Nicaragua is home to active volcanoes and Central America's largest freshwater lake, teeming with tapirs, caimans and crocodiles, Honduras is the home of the largest intact rainforests in the region. We not only immerse ourselves in the natural beauty full of animal life, but also get to know the people who lead us through the local flora and fauna, people who take pride in their countries, where they are deeply rooted. What are the true treasures of the miniature Central American natural paradises, of which we know so little about?

### Episodes:

1. Nicaragua - Of Water and Volcanoes
2. Honduras - Of Rainforest and Beach



## Sri Lanka - Leopard Dynasty 4K

- > 45' (ENG)
- > 2021
- > Aegle Creations

Meet Scarlett, a dominant female leopard with her own territory. She is also the mother of a single female leopard cub, meaning it is shier than usual. The scrub jungles of the southern lowlands are ideal for rearing leopard cubs. In the northern lowlands we follow Sara, who regularly leaves her cub so she can go hunt for prey. But leaving a leopard cub alone is not always wise. She is not the only leopardess around. There's Clara, a more glamorous, commanding female. And while the season changes, and the monsoon finally arrives in the lowlands, transforming the parched land overnight, the leopard cubs will grow and dominate the Sri Lankan wilderness.



## World's Most Punctual Train - Japan's Shinkansen 4K

- > 2 x 45' (ENG, GER)
- > 2022
- > Autentic, Wondertrunk, NDR

Japan's Shinkansen is the world's most punctual long-distance express train. The Hokuriku Shinkansen takes its guests from the hyper-modern, glittering metropolis of Tokyo to Kanazawa, right in the heart of traditional Japanese craftsmanship. The journey takes us past some of the most beautiful and original places in Japan. We also take a look behind the scenes of the record-breaking train: We sit in the cockpit with one of the youngest Shinkansen pilots in the country and who lets us take a test drive with an almost perfect Shinkansen of the future. A voyage of discovery with the high-tech super train into the soul of Japanese craftsmanship.







## Cambodia – Land of Enchanted Temples and Floating Villages

4K

- › 45' (ENG, GER)
- › 2022
- › Autentic, NDR

Cambodia stands for fascinating nature and an inestimably rich culture. Whether the conservators in the enchanted temple city of Angkor or the circus students in Battambang, they all strive passionately to preserve their impressive culture. In the primeval forest of the Kulen Mountains, the honey hunters climb the highest trees to get the sweet gold of the wild bees. In the floating villages of Tonle Sap Lake, people sometimes have strange roommates - crocodiles, which they breed in wooden cages next to their houses. The finest pepper in the world grows in the south of Cambodia - Kampot pepper. It tastes particularly good with the freshly caught crabs from the "Crab Market" in Kep.



## Street of Gongs - From Thailand into the World

4K

- › 45' (ENG, GER, FRE)
- › 2021
- › Autentic, ZDF, arte

Outside the provincial capital of Ubon Ratchatani in Thailand's rural northeast, a country road nearly thirty kilometres long stretches to the banks of the Mekong River. Even from a distance, you can hear what is being made there: gongs of all sizes in nearly 50 manufactories. We visit the creators of these unique instruments - a family business that has been laboriously handcrafting gongs for generations. They have a big mission: The abbot of the temple has ordered a new, large gong for the upcoming festival. Will they be able to finish it in time?



## National Parks of the Balkan: Rugged Worlds & Wild Beauty

4K

› 6 × 52' (ENG, GER), 6 × 45' (GER, FRE)  
› 2022  
› Vincent Productions, ZDF, arte, Servus TV

The Balkan Peninsula is one of three southern European peninsulas and 500,000 square kilometres in size. Politically, it is known as Europe's poorhouse and powder keg. Poetically, it is the geographical border between Occident and Orient. Long shunned, it is an almost unknown beauty. Five seas lap its rugged shores: the Black Sea, the Sea of Marmara, the Aegean, the Ionian and the Adriatic. Its hidden treasures are the national parks from Croatia to Greece. Go on a cinematic journey to the wild part of Europe - across mountains, lakes and seas.

Episodes: 1. Bosnia and Herzegovina, 2. Croatia, 3. Montenegro, 4. Albania, 5. Bulgaria, 6. Greece



## Iceland - Elves, Ice and Fire

4K

FEATURE  
DOC

› 52' (ENG), 82' (ENG) › 2021 › rk-film

Majestic volcanoes, seething geysers, raging waterfalls, threatening fjords, mighty glaciers, endless lava fields - there is hardly another country in the world that offers as much impressive nature as Iceland, the remote island in the harsh North Sea. Here, the four elements of nature can be experienced as raw and as close-up as practically no other place on Earth. Besides the impressive nature, we get to know the dramatic history of the Viking culture with its nature-influenced mythology and discuss the negative effects of excessive tourism.



## Faroe Islands - A Secret Beauty

4K

› 45' (ENG, GER, FRE) › 2021 › Vision Airways, NDR, arte

The Faroe Islands in the North Atlantic are an archipelago of eighteen green volcanic islands where a unique culture has developed over the last thousand years. As direct descendants of the Vikings, the Faroese feel committed to their traditions and hold on to customs, without missing out on the advantages of the modern and globalised world. With the highest birth rate in Europe and the lowest social inequality in the world, the just fifty thousand Faroese are a very special people living on one of the last natural paradises in Europe.





## Marvellous French Rivers - Gironde & Dordogne

4K

› 2 × 52' (ENG, GER) › 2021 › Prounen, NDR, Servus TV

Southwest France is home to one of the most powerful tidal rivers in Europe: the Gironde. 15 kilometers wide, the estuary on the Atlantic has its own microclimate that produces a marvellous flora and fauna. The river is fed by the Dordogne that reveals not only castles and fortresses, but also a complex water system above and below ground. We follow the diverse nature and wildlife along the Dordogne and Gironde showing their magical worlds.

## Apennine Mountains - The Wild Heart of Italy

4K

› 2 × 45' (ENG, GER, FRE) › 2021 › Berlin Producers, SWR, arte

For most people, Italy stands for sun, beach and sea. Only very few people realise where Italy gets its support from: The Apennine Mountains are the backbone of Italy - and not only in a geographical sense. On its hills, on its slopes and in its valleys you can find "Italia minore", the places where the heart of the country lies. In addition, there are hidden places where a unique flora and fauna has been preserved. The documentary series embarks on a cinematic journey along the Apennines - from the French border in the north to Sicily in the south.



## The Asian Financial Crisis and its Aftermath

4K

› 52' (ENG, GER) › 2022

› Prounen Film, ZDF, arte, ORF, Deutsche Welle

The Asian financial crisis of 1997/98 was the largest global financial crisis since the 1930s. Today, the geopolitical consequences of this alienation are being felt more than ever. The Asian financial crisis came without warning and deprived millions of people of their livelihoods. The West failed to master the global crisis and the consequences of this crisis are still being felt today. Did the reactions of the sudden economic powers contribute to East Asia decoupling from the West?



## The History of Camping

4K

› 52' (GER, FRE, ENG subs) › 2021 › Moers Media, ZDF, arte

Camping stands for freedom, adventures and low-cost travel. People have been holidaying in tents or caravans for over 100 years. But what is so fascinating about this "temporary nomadism" and how did camping become so popular? In 19th century England, camping was a pleasure of the upper class, in the 1970s campers were considered a strange folk and today camping offers a distinctive form of freedom. From 13 horsepower, to the iconic VW Bulli, to caravans and luxurious campervans - the documentary looks at the history of camping and its odd people.



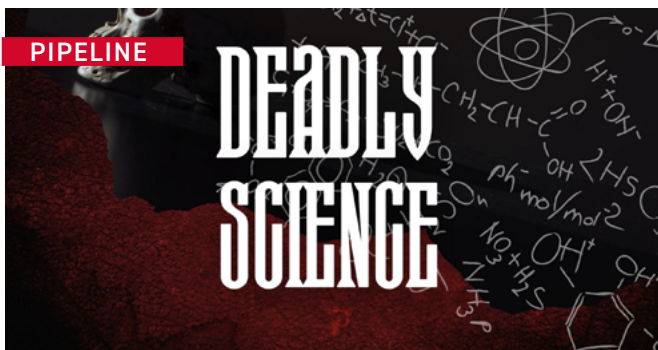
## Deadly Science

4K

- › 6 × 52' (ENG, GER)
- › Release: Autumn / Winter 2022
- › Go Button Media, Autentic

Humanity's drive to push the bounds of the known world sometimes results in tragedy — but science still remembers the breakthroughs - from Spanish physician Servetus to George Mallory to Marie Curie and Dian Fossey. We tell the story of iconic inventors, scientists, and explorers who paid an extreme price for their work. Using archive, experts, CGI and historic reenactments, we bring them and their inventions back to life. How did these pioneers chance industry, inquiry, and the world with their ideas, setting us on a new path? What ideas came out of their work and where have they taken us in the modern world?

Episodes: 1. Dangerous Heights, 2. Female Inventors, 3. Against Nature, 4. Long Forgotten Tracks, 5. In the name of Medicine, 6. Ahead of their time



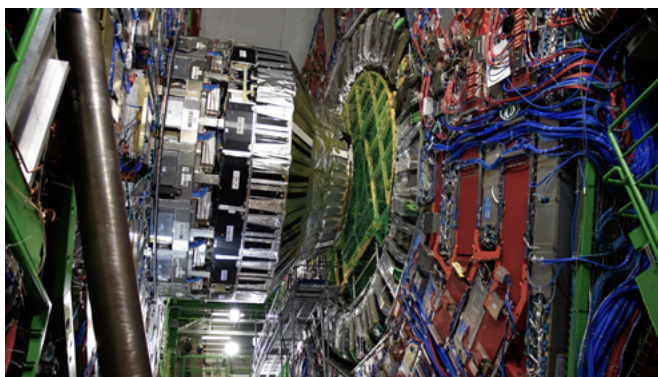
## Colossal Machines II

4K

- › 6 × 45' (ENG)
- › Release: Autumn / Winter 2022
- › Go Button Media, Autentic

New season, new mechanical beasts. Colossal Machines II explores even more spectacular machines and their fascinating inner workings. From gigantic, ground-crushing monsters, to lifesavers, to nuclear-powered machines, we pull back the cover and reveal their secret ingredients. We show the biggest and most fascinating machines that humankind has to offer. Using CGI, we take a look inside these technical masterpieces and explain with the help of experts what makes each machine special. We unravel the mystery of their development and show how they actually work.

Episodes:  
 1. Crush, Smash, Shred, 2. Power of the Atom,  
 3. Fire and Rescue, 4. Titan Transports,  
 5. Next Gen Power, 6. Speed Demons







## HISTORY

## The History of Speed - People's Desire to Move

4K

- › 4 × 52' (ENG, GER)
- › 2019
- › Arrow Media, Curiosity Stream

This is the remarkable story of innovative engineers who paved the way for travel across our continents. Pioneers who made it their life's ambition to create machines that have inspired and aided future generations to reach their full potential to move across land, over water, through air, and even into space.

## Episodes:

1. Across Oceans
2. Across Continents
3. Into the Skies
4. Into Space

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## The Woodstock Bus - Finding the Light

4K

- › 5 × 52' (ENG, GER), 60' (ENG)
- › 2019
- › Woodstock Bus Production, Autentic

Come with us on a road-trip in search of America's ultimate lost symbol. To celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the Woodstock Festival, we're working with the original artist to resurrect, restore and repaint the Woodstock "Light" Bus. A Volkswagen bus that became the symbol of a generation at the famous festival in August 1969. With this series you'll find history and future combined. It's art. It's an icon. It's a journey. But most of all it's an opportunity to give everyone something to smile about.

## Episodes:

1. The Woodstock festival, the bus, and it's story
2. Dude Where's My Bus
3. The Restoration
4. The Art
5. On the Road, The Anniversary Tour





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### Flying Clipper - A Mediterranean Holiday

4K

FEATURE  
DOC

› 160' (ENG, GER, FRE, JAP) › 1963, Remastered 2017

› Busch Mediagroup

An epic documentary about the journey of a Swedish training sailing ship through the Mediterranean Sea in the early 60s: From the Côte d'Azur and the coast of Greece to the Pyramids of Egypt. The very light 70mm camera, which was constructed for this film, allowed spectacular shots - attached to a race car during a Formula 1 race in Monaco or on top of the pyramids of Egypt. Flying Clipper contains some of the most spectacular footage of the 1960's and it has now been digitally restored in 4K.



### The Story of German Beer

4K

› 52' (ENG), 45' (GER) › 2016 › TVNTV

Prince Luitpold of Bavaria: if Germany were still a monarchy, he would be the King of Bavaria. What does this have to do with beer? His Highness brewed one of the best beers in Bavaria. It's no wonder that he does, since it was one of his ancestors that introduced the Reinheitsgebot (German purity law) in 1516. The only ingredients permitted are hops, malt and water. 500 years of pure beer. This documentary looks at the history of beer starting with the Sumerians who invented it 5,000 years ago. Prost!



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### More Than Just Enemies

4K

FEATURE  
DOC

› 90', 2 x 52' (ENG, GER, FRE) › 2014 › pre tv, ORF, arte

17th century - The super powers are the Habsburg Empire and the Ottomans. We follow Prince Eugene of Savoy, a commander of the House of Austria and Emetullah Rabia Gülnuş Sultan, first concubine in the harem and later, as mother of two Sultans, Valide Sultan. Elaborate computer simulations and skilful re-enactments immerse viewers in the elegant, yet also brutal and merciless world of the Habsburg and the Ottoman Empire. This film is an expedition through the most complex time that Europe has ever experienced.





## LIFESTYLE . ARTS

**The History of Home**

4K

› 3 × 60' (ENG, GER) › 2018 › Roller Coaster Road Productions, Curiosity Stream

The history of humankind is deeply intertwined with the story of where, how, and why we build our homes. Throughout history, houses have varied drastically in function, scope, size, and design. Different forms reflected the society that built them, and styles were dic-

tated by climate, available materials and technology mastery. This series will discover the surprising histories and mysteries behind every room, and detail how these new spaces defined life, class, and culture.

## Episodes:

1. The Foundations of Home - Structure and Shelter
2. The Hall, The Kitchen, The Dining Room, The Living Room
3. The Second Story - Private Life

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## NATURE . WILDLIFE

**The Secret Lives of Big Cats** 4K

- › 7 × 30' (ENG, GER)
- › 2019
- › Ammonite, Curiosity Stream

Big cats have always fascinated human-kind with their gracefulness. However, they are a desired target of poaching, which causes the populations in the wilderness to decrease. The series follows seven species of big cats through their habitat and portrays them in their full glory.

## Episodes:

1. Tigers
2. Snow Leopards
3. Pumas
4. Lions
5. Leopards
6. Jaguars
7. Cheetahs

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**The Wild Andes**

4K

FEATURE  
DOC

- › 3 × 52', 90' (ENG),  
3 × 45' (GER, FRE)
- › 2018
- › Light & Shadow, WDR, NDR, arte,  
Smithsonian, SRF, ORF, SVT

The Andes: a bountiful and mellifluous landscape and home to nature's most unique animals. It is a treasure chest filled with Mother Nature's jewels. The Andes is not just the longest chain of mountains on the planet, it is the most dynamic. The three part series will not only portray charismatic animals such as the puma and spectacled bear, it also features unique animal behaviour and finds the rarest animals of the continent – such as the recently discovered Olinguito. You will experience wildlife in the most stunning environments, from mystical cloud forests down to majestic glacial valleys.

**FESTIVALS & AWARDS - A SELECTION**

- 40th News & Documentary EMMY Awards 2019:
- Nomination for Outstanding Cinematography
- Nomination for Outstanding Music & Sound





### Lynx - Close Up

4K

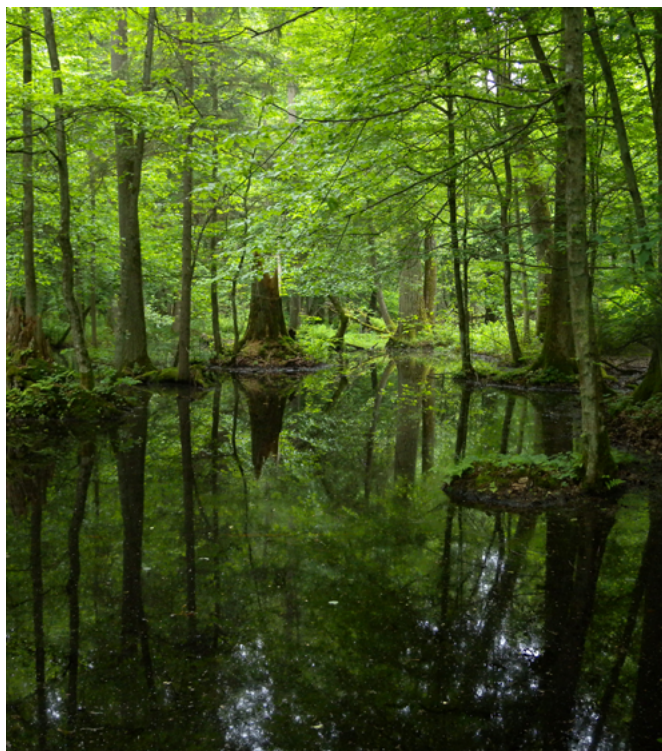
- > 52' (ENG, GER)
- > 2019
- > Tesche Documentary Filmproduction, WDR

The characteristic tufts of hair on their ears make the lynx one of the most recognizable felines in the animal kingdom. The charismatic cats are generally quite shy, but very curious about the world around them. With the help of local rangers and 15 cameras set up in the Bohemian forest, we are able to track the lynxes and observe their every move – such as a hunt during night, or even the intimate hours during mating season. For the lynx, the environment around them is used to their advantage, like the long grass to sneak on prey, or even using the trees to sharpen their claws. With an arsenal of skills at their disposal, the lynx is an exceptional hunter.



#### FESTIVALS & AWARDS:

Best Passion Project, NATOURALE 2020



### Germany's Mystic Forest

4K

- > 52' (ENG, GER)
- > 2020
- > Tesche Documentary Filmproduction, WDR

Dark green, impenetrable forests cover a landscape with secluded valleys and rugged mountain ridges. 2.000 rivers and streams dig deep into the underground and transport their water into reservoirs or "Germany's Wild Amazon", the Wupper. These forests and rivers, together with heathlands and moors, are home to a diverse fauna. Martens, badgers, wild boars, hares, roe deer, red deer and wild boars, even black grouse and hazel deer find shelter in these parts. Wolves have also a dominant presence, not to mention those who live underground. Accompany us on a journey where we explore every corner of this rugged land. Climb underground into the Bergisches Land, through the vast hidden cave systems that sprawl far beneath the forests.



PEOPLE . PLACES

**By Mail Ship  
through the South Seas**

4K

› 2 × 45' (ENG, GER)

› 2021

› Autentic, NDR, arte

The vast Pacific Ocean is home to extensive varieties of life, both above and below the waters. The Polynesians have lived on islands in the ocean for over 1000 years, and were once the largest seafaring people on earth. But how do they get the supplies they need, being isolated in the middle of the ocean? Most goods are transported by ship – such as the Aranui, which sails to the furthest and wildest islands of Polynesia: The Marquesas. Every two weeks, the Aranui sets sail to provide the people with all the goods they need, such as food, bicycles, toiletries, exercise books, and cookies. Come meet the people living on these remote islands and find out how it's all done.

**The History of Food**

4K

› 5 × 30' (ENG, GER)

› 2018

› Roller Coaster Road Productions,  
CuriosityStream

The history of food is the history of human life itself. From hunting and gathering on the savannas of Africa to the cornucopia of the modern American supermarket, our primal and essential need for food and drink has driven human evolution, invention, and society. In keeping with the age old adage, "you are what you eat," the series focuses on the indelible link between us... and what's on our plate.

Episodes:

1. The Invention of Cooking
2. The Agricultural Revolution
3. Fermentation, Preservation and Exploration
4. The Industry of Food
5. The Future of Food

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## One Year in Norway's Lofoten

4K

- > 2 x 45' (ENG)
- > 2020
- > Alfred Film, NDR, Filmfond North, North Norwegian Film Center

Far above the arctic circle, in the North of Norway lies a group of islands called Lofoten. It has been dubbed "one of the most beautiful places on earth" by countless travelers. At 69 degrees north, Lofoten is also an area with one of the most extreme natural environments on the planet. But for ages, small fishing villages and communities have insisted on surviving between the tall mountains and wild ocean. Few places are so formed by nature as Lofoten, representing a lifestyle where nature decides. The two-part series gives a unique portrait of Lofoten, through its people and their life in dialogue with nature through Winter, Spring, Summer and Autumn.



## Grønland - In the Glare of Ice

4K

- > 45' (ENG, GER)
- > 2020
- > Vision Airways, NDR, arte

Greenland is the largest island in the world and the landmass closest to the North Pole. 80% of the country is covered by a layer of ice up to 3000 meters thick. Most of the inhabitants of the country are spread over the breathtaking landscape of the ice-free west coast. The country is mostly inhabited by Inuit, who have been feeding on what nature has provided them for thousands of years. But the original life is in a state of change. The modernisation of society and man-made global warming threaten the Arctic natural paradise that is so incredibly important for our planet. Through the eyes of locals we get to know the authentic Greenland.



## Botswana - Africa's Last Wildlife Paradise

4K

› 52' (ENG, GER) › 2020 › Busch Media Group

Explore the highlights of the wild in the fascinating country of Botswana. The country holds a diverse range of animals, and is one of the last places in the Africa where they can still live freely. We visit a lodge run exclusively by the San, the bushmen of southern Africa. And the Chobe National Park, which holds abundant amounts of elephants. We then make our way to the Makgadikgadi salt pan in northeast Botswana – the cradle of Homo Sapiens. Here we visit meerkats, zebras, and take in the views at the breathtaking Victoria falls.



## South Asia - From the Himalayas to the Indian Ocean

4K

› 52' (ENG, GER) › 2020 › Busch Media Group

Starting on a bustling market place in Delhi, the journey takes us through India, Nepal, and Sri Lanka. In India, we participate in Varanasi's daily Hindu ritual Ganga Aarti, and visit its largest mosque in Delhi. In Nepal, we observe monumental Hindu temples and stroll through the markets, getting to know spice traders and the oldest active potter in Bhaktapur. In Sri Lanka, we take a train route through the Central highlands, stroll through the largest growing region for tea, and end our journey in front of one of the world's tallest monuments.



## The World of Bridges

4K

› 5 x 52', 10 x 30' (ENG, FRE), 5 x 45' (GER) › 2020  
› Berlin Producers, arte

Bridges have connected countries, have been strategic points of attack in times of war, and are key in conducting trade. Bridges are cultural monuments. Their construction has completely changed over history and impacted the lives of everybody. We tell their stories, focusing on the people who live with, under, and on them.

Episodes: 1. Steel Bridges of the Empire (Scotland/India), 2. Railway Bridges (South Africa/Switzerland), 3. Trade Bridges (Germany/Belgium), 4. Viaducts (France/Wales), 5. Asian Architecture (China/Japan)



## Tuna on Tour

4K

› 52' (ENG, GER, FRE), 45' (GER) › 2019 › NDR, arte, Autentic

The world's biggest fish market is to make room for a highway during the Olympic Games 2020 in Tokyo. After more than 80 years of daily business the relocation of over 14,000 merchants is a turning-point. Within four days all traders, souvenir and shoe shops, restaurants and service providers are to be moved to the new location on an artificial island. Through exclusive access as the only foreign reporter we accompany this adventurous change of location.



**FESTIVALS & AWARDS:** 1st Place History & Heritage, Terres Travel Festival; Remi Platinum Award, Worldfest Houston; Florence Film Awards Festival; ART&TUR Festival





## The Black Sea Coast

4K

› 5 × 52' (ENG, GER, FRE), 5 × 45' (GER)

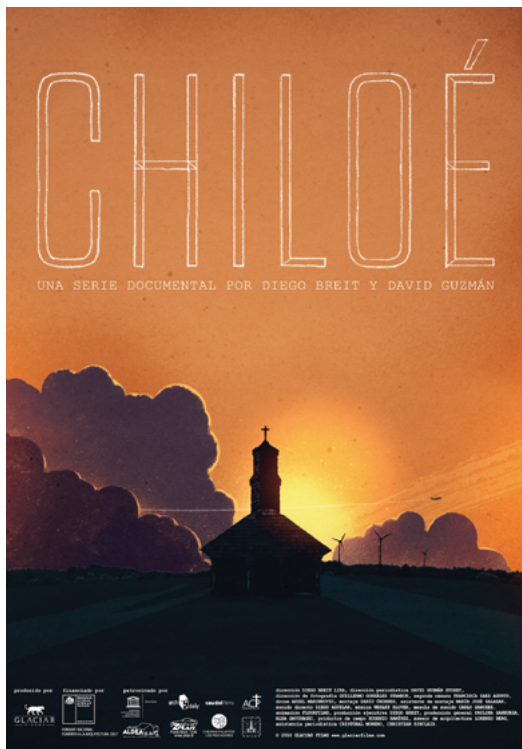
› 2018

› Vincent Productions, ZDF, arte

People have always been fascinated with the Black Sea and the numerous legends surrounding the region which is characterized by its contrasts. With a tumultuous history, old traditions and euphoric atmosphere, the six neighbouring countries couldn't be more different from each other. The film carefully examines these fascinating regions, discovers their beauty and takes stock of the values, challenges and hopes that shape the lives of the people from this largely unknown corner of the earth.

Episodes:

1. Turkey – Pristine Beauty and Deserted Beaches
2. Georgia – The Melting Pot of Caucasus
3. Russia – A Touch of the French Riviera
4. Ukraine – Classic Elegance
5. Romania/Bulgaria – The Pioneering Spirit of the Coast.



## Chiloé - Wooden Island

4K

› 5 × 30' (SPA, ENG subs)

› 2018

› Glaciar Films, La Red TV

Chiloé is a unique archipelago off the coast of Chile, in the Pacific Ocean. It is known for its fascinating architecture where nearly all the houses and buildings were built with wood, and wooden shingles. There are the picturesque Palafitos - colourful houses on stilts above the water, or the incredible wooden churches built in the 18th century by local carpenters that are declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site. We meet people with wit and warmth whose traditions give this unique archipelago its unmistakable character. Carpenters, architects, artisans and inhabitants of Chiloé accompany us around the island. Follow us to the second largest island in Chile that lies parallel to the Andes Mountains and discover this magical world of myths and legends, unique folklore and culinary traditions.



## Planet 4K - South East Asia

4K

› 2 × 52' (ENG, GER) › 2019 › Busch Media Group

South East Asia offers mysterious old cultures, steaming cookshops, exotic plants, wild animals and monks deep in prayer. A journey through this area reveals everything that life has to offer. We visit Myanmar, where tourism is still in its infancy: ancient temples and undisturbed nature are sights to behold. Travelling to Cambodia we find the mysterious temples of Angkor, and finally, we head over to Vietnam to enjoy the beaches, rivers, and Buddhist pagodas.



## Planet 4K - South America

4K

› 2 × 52' (ENG, GER) › 2019 › Busch Media Group

During the earth's formation, the South American mainland evolved as the most autonomous of all continents. The area developed its own unique flora and fauna, jungles with unbelievable biodiversity, climbers and vines. Even today, the number of tropical plants in the region remains a mystery. A trip to South America is a glimpse into the past. This film takes you on a journey that begins deep in the rainforest and ends in Patagonia with its glaciers and snow-capped volcanoes.



## Deltas of the World

4K

› 5 × 52' (ENG, GER), 5 × 45' (GER, FRE)  
› 2018  
› Filmtank, Apolofilm, Autentic, arte

River deltas are impressive landscapes in a constant state of flux with unique biodiversity. Due to their sensitive ecosystems, the impact of humankind has already irreversibly changed and will change some deltas. Each of the five films features a different continent, documents the flora and fauna in a river delta and discusses the role of humankind in the preservation of nature. They show the fascinating diversity of the deltas on our planet, from the arctic to the tropics, on the border between land and sea.

### Episodes:

1. Yukon – Arctic Wilderness
2. Ebro – Green Jewel
3. Rhine-Meuse – Land of Canals
4. Amazon – Healing Tropics
5. Irrawaddy – Magical World of Mangroves







## Asia – Secret Lives, Hidden Places

4K

› 5 × 45' (ENG, GER, FRE) › 2018 › EIKON, Autentic, NDR, arte

Follow us into the unfamiliar and fascinating parts of Asia. Opulent images allow us to experience the unique beauty of nature and the stories of people and animals who live in a world that has remained untouched. We lead you into paradisaical places far away from our civilised world. Enormous areas of wild, breath-taking beauty entice and allure. They are parks which today are being threatened directly by the ecological footprint of humans.

Episodes Season 2: 1. Gir National Park: India, 2. Kinabatangan River: Borneo, 3. Pu Mat National Park: Vietnam, 4. Great Gobi National Park: Mongolia, 5. Gaoligongshan Park: China



## Iceland – On Top of the World

4K

› 52' (ENG, GER) › 2016 › rk-film

Iceland is a unique land with an incomparable landscape and pleasantly euphoric inhabitants. This documentary is a scenic expedition through majestic volcanoes, seething geysers, powerful waterfalls, threatening fjords and almighty glaciers. Hardly any other country offers such a variety of spectacular forces of nature! We will give you an insight on how it can be that the people of a small, distant island with only a fraction of sunlight in some months are happier than the people in more sun-blessed countries.



## USA – A West Coast Journey

4K

FEATURE  
DOC

› 70' (ENG, GER) › 2014 › Busch Media Group

*USA – A West Coast Journey* presents the most exciting and picturesque places of the Western United States in stunning 4K resolution. Explore over 40 amazing destinations in California, Nevada, Utah, Arizona & Colorado: From San Francisco's famous Golden Gate Bridge to the pulsating night life of Las Vegas to the breath-taking natural wonders of the Grand Canyon and Yosemite. Filmed in Ultra HD resolution *USA – A West Coast Journey* features spectacular aerial images, time-lapse cinematography and elaborate camerawork.

## The Eagle Hunters of Mongolia

4K

- › 52' (GER, ENG subs), 45' (GER, FRE)
- › 2017
- › Kick Film, SR, arte

Baibolat lives with his wife Altingül and his five-year-old son Baka in a yurt. They are nomads and have just arrived in their autumn camp. When the first snow falls, Baibolat rides up into the mountains with his eagle. This marks the start of the hunting season in the Altai Mountains. Baibolat is a Berkutschi, a Kazakh eagle hunter and in north-western Mongolia, the Berkutschi are held in high esteem. Nowadays, approx. 350 eagle hunters are to be found in the region. But with more and more hunters opting for guns, their traditions have come under threat. The eagle festival offers the possibility of preserving an ancient tradition in the modern world.



## The Dying King

4K

- › 60' (ENG, GER)
- › 2017
- › Boomerang Film

In the open wilderness of Africa, there are only 20,000 lions living a free life. In the last decade, humans have killed hundreds of thousands—mostly for purely hunting purposes. In recent years, canned hunting, where animals are bred for 4-5 years then released into a confined area, then killed for sport has become the trend. The trophy is the corpse of the dead lion. This documentary describes the still legal industry of lion-killing in South Africa and delves into the work of the animal preservationists of Lionsrock. Lionsrock, which was created as refuge to these big cats, is led by the global animal protection organization Four Paws. The animals that take refuge in this sanctuary have usually escaped captivity in zoos, circuses or private holdings, where they have lived in terrible conditions. Four Paws have since 2007 saved the lives of many lions and still do so today.





## SCIENCE . TECHNOLOGY

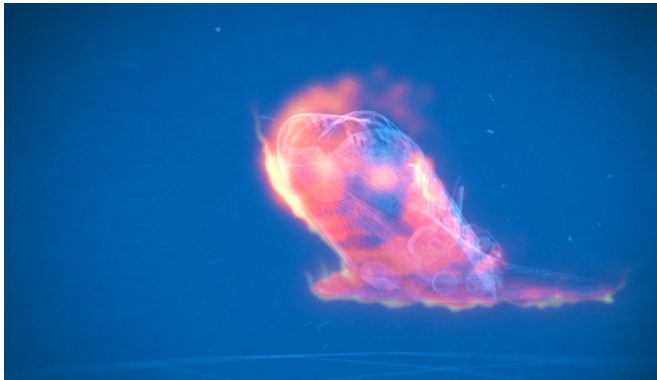
## Colossal Machines

4K

- > 6 × 45' (ENG, GER)
- > 2021
- > Go Button Media, Autentic, ServusTV, Spiegel TV Wissen

Innovation has always meant building bigger, faster, and stronger than anything that came before. We've seen these machines in a dramatic visual fashion. But how do these actually work? What sets each machine apart? What big ideas drove its evolution, and what limitations did this machine overcome? What forces were it built to withstand, and where is the breaking point? Using CGI and expert insights, we 'strip down' the design of some of the world's unique massive machines and reveal mechanical secrets that not only made them work – but changed the world in a big way!

Episodes: 1. Sea Monsters, 2. Astronomical Engineering, 3. There Be Dragons, 4. Sub-Zero Supermachines, 5. Earth Bites, 6. Mammoth Manufacturing



## The Animal Within

4K

- > 6 × 45' (ENG, GER)
- > 2020
- > Autentic, Go Button Media, Spiegel TV Wissen, ntv

Nature has manufactured the perfect machines. Only the fastest, toughest, and most cunning creatures have endured. What's under the hood of these incredible critters? What does it take to make them top performers, and, even more exciting, what can we learn to make us better, from these creatures who've been perfected over the ages? Applying the engineering of creature compositions to the science of humans unlocks exclusive designs. The Animal Within investigates the most amazing and puzzling characteristics of nature's ultimate machines, seeking to solve the mysteries of engineering still eluding our human grasp.

Episodes: 1. The Regenerators, 2. The Sensitives, 3. The Speed Demons, 4. The Builders, 5. The Strongmen, 6. The Chemists



## Engineering the Future

4K

› 6 × 60' (ENG, GER) › 2020 - 2021 › Bigger Bang, Curiosity Stream

An engineering revolution is underway. Driven by dedicated individuals who are building extraordinary machines that will change our lives. They are pushing technological boundaries to create extraordinary machines. There is a vision of a cleaner, greener world and together they are Engineering the Future.

Episodes: 1. Wind, 2. Fusion, 3. Aviation, 4. Maritime, 5. Tidal, 6. Solar

Limited rights only.



## Return to the Moon

4K

› 52' (ENG, GER) › 2018 › Flight 33 Productions, Curiosity Stream

Private companies and government space programmes are vying to create the rockets and machines to get us to the moon. Some want to mine the lunar soil for untold riches. Others want to try out technologies and techniques that could someday be used to create a colony on Mars. But the Moon is a hostile world. Discover how today's scientists and engineers are about to take the next giant leap for mankind by colonizing the Moon.

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## Superintelligence - Beyond Human

4K

› 52', 7 × 15' (ENG, GER, FRE), 45' (GER)  
› 2019  
› Bilderfest, BR, MDR, arte

How clever is artificial intelligence? Do we need to fear it, or can it help humanity with its problems? And if so, to what extent? The documentary pursues these questions, while providing informative yet satirical insights into the current development of artificial intelligence. The film juxtaposes the concepts of science fiction and reality, creating an experience that will leave the viewer captivated and full of thought. There is still much about the capabilities of AI that is unknown, come with us on this journey of the future.







## Geared Up

4K

- > 10 x 45' (ENG)
- > 2019
- > Hoplite Entertainment

An under the hood "resto-mod" show that dives into one of the best teams in the business. Husband and wife Ralph and Kelly Biase restore broken down classic vehicles into modern works of art. The creations range of a wide variety of shapes and sizes. Experience the magical moment when an old rusted piece of metal is brought to the garage and then transformed into a car that looks better than new. For the couple and their team of mechanics, no challenge is too great.

Episodes:

1. The Pagoda
2. The Blazer
3. Shelly
4. The Cabriolet
5. The 3.5
6. Pinky
7. Benzilla
8. The Track T
9. The T-Bird
10. The 300



## Fast Lap

4K

- > 138 x 30' (GER, 1 Ep ENG)
- > 2015 - 2018
- > motorpresse TV, Auto Motor Sport Channel

Feel the kick of the motor, the vibrations of the track and the thrill of the race. We have all the parts for a truly fascinating duel, the battle of speed against determination. A car- a driver- a sprint around the track: speed junkie and racing legend Christian Menzel takes on the ultimate speed test. Race-car extraordinaire meets exotic speedster; the highly motorized vehicle and the motor sports veteran fight for the coveted first place in Fast Lap-Ranking.



## Garage Gold

4K

› 10 × 30' (GER, 2 Eps ENG) › 2010 - 2019  
› motorpresse TV, Auto Motor Sport Channel

Look around. What do you see? Billions of cars dominating the roads, boulevards and highways. But even in this car studded world, spotting even one of the more unique and exclusive car models on the street is like sighting the great white whale. So, where are they? Many are stashed away in the garages of die-hard car fans and old-timer junkies. Follow us as we take a look behind some closed garage doors. A portrait of passionate collectors and their rare machines.



## 100 Years of BMW – The Story

4K

› 52' (ENG), 45' (GER) › 2016 › TVNTV, Autentic

The BMW i8, a hybrid sports car with gull-wing doors and a carbon fibre body, gives us a glimpse into the future of one of the world's biggest premium car manufacturer. The Bavarian Motor Works (BMW) started out in as a small producer of aircraft engines. Since then, the company's 100-year history has seen technological innovations, racing victories and also severe crises. The documentary shows exclusive films and documents from the founding years through to the present day – including the story of Elvis Presley's BMW, which has never before been shown.



## SPORTS . ADVENTURE

### Tour de Tirol

4K

› 50' (ENG, GER) › 2016 › Busch Media Group



On your mark! Get set! Boom! Follow us on the *Tour de Tirol* – a three-day-stage race of about 75 km with 3,650 metres of altitude. With his strength, determination and the camera as eager companions, Alwe show just what it takes to make it to the finish line. The *Tour de Tirol* is a unique race of high standards with the beautiful mountain scenery of the Austrian Alps as its backdrop. We knew it would be hard, but we did not know just HOW hard it was going to be.

### Citadel

4K

› 60' (ENG) › 2015 › Posing Productions



Dubbed 'The Mountain God', the Citadel stands at a stunning 3,000m in one of the remaining untouched corners of the Great Alaskan Range: The Neacola Mountains, which are largely unexplored due to their typically poor conditions and remote location. Matt Helliker and Jon Bracey aim to make the first ascent up the extraordinary 1,200m long northwest ridge. We take a front seat ride and are with them on every step of the way through all the hardships and struggles, disappointments and hopes.



## NOTES

## APPENDIX

## CONTACTS

Autentic Distribution is the sales division of Autentic and one of the leading German global distributors of high-quality documentaries and factual series. Over the years, Autentic Distribution has grown an international network within public and private commercial broadcasting, streaming services and other relevant platforms. Our wide-ranged and unrivaled distribution catalogue offers the best non-fiction productions from independent pro-

ducers and established media agencies from around the world. With a hands-on, agile and transparent approach, we work closely with producers and filmmakers, delivering customized marketing and distribution strategies for each title, extending the lifecycle of productions in a sustainable way. We help producers to finance their projects through partner search and co-financing, even in the early stages of development.

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