

Israel  
Tel Aviv

## TLVFest

### TLVFest - The Tel Aviv International LGBT Film Festival

<b>About</b>	<p>TLVFest, Tel Aviv's International LGBT Film Festival is a unique annual event taking place each June at the Tel Aviv Cinematheque. The festival offers public screenings of films with no Israeli distribution, meetings with local as well as foreign filmmakers, panel discussions and special events.</p> <p>The impressive program includes many exciting films while aspiring to enrich and empower tolerance and pluralism in Israeli society. The festival purchases theatrical rights of selected LGBTQ (lesbian, gay, bisexual, trans, queer) international films, and distributes them in Israel. The only LGBT film festival in the Middle East, TLVFest is a fixture of the Israeli pride week. Selected twice (2014 &amp; 2015) by INDIEWIRE as one of the 10 LGBT film festivals not to be missed, the festival offers a fascinating look into international and Israeli queer cinematic art. It is also an industry hub of activity. We take pride in the many collaborations and creative work that evolved from TLVFest meet-ups, seminars and workshops over the past decade.</p>
<b>Date of foundation</b>	2006
<b>Philosophy</b>	Freedom, justice and tolerance should be the pillars of any society. We believe Israel must guarantee full social and political equality to all, regardless of religion, race, sex or sexual orientation. As committed members of the Israeli LGBT community, we struggle for equality and respect by creating a serious, often controversial discourse through the medium of queer cinema. The Tel Aviv International LGBT film festival is the manifestation of this struggle.
<b>Type</b>	Film Festival
<b>Website</b>	<a href="http://tlvfest.com/tlv/he/en/">http://tlvfest.com/tlv/he/en/</a>

### Internship at the International LGBT Film Festival

<b>About</b>	TLVFest International LGBT Film Festival in Tel Aviv is looking for a student from the University of Potsdam to assist the Director in organizing and curating the TLVFest next year. The Internship will give you an insight in the work of organizing and curating a large cultural event. Being a part of a young team you will have the opportunity to take on a variety of responsible, exciting tasks and to bring in your own creative ideas.
<b>Your Tasks</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• English press release management</li><li>• Festival promotion and web media management (Instagram, Twitter, Youtube, Facebook)</li><li>• Communicating with institutions, guests and artists</li><li>• Seeking international sponsors</li><li>• Helping during the monthly events</li><li>• Helping curate the exhibition at the Cinematheque</li></ul>
<b>Your Profile</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Open to students of all study fields (preferred: Gender Studies, European Media Studies, Communications, Marketing)</li><li>• Experience in social media marketing</li><li>• Creativity and fresh ideas</li><li>• Ability to multi-task, accuracy, pro-activity</li><li>• Fluent in English (spoken and written)</li><li>• Tolerance and sensitivity with LGBT issues</li><li>• Cinema fan</li></ul>
<b>Duration</b>	End of February to the end of June, 4 months.
<b>Financing</b>	Opportunity to apply for the PROMOS scholarship: <a href="https://www.uni-potsdam.de/international/outgoing/finanzen/promos.html">https://www.uni-potsdam.de/international/outgoing/finanzen/promos.html</a>
<b>Application</b>	Please submit your CV and a short cover letter (in English, addressed to Yair Hochner) to:

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