

From Farah Jouni
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Fly While Arab

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FARAH JOUNI'S "FLY WHILE ARAB"
SCREENING IN NEW YORK CITY
INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL

New York, NY – August, 2011 – Writer / director **Farah Jouni's** high tension, psychologically revealing short film ***Fly While Arab*** is the antagonistic story of **Youssef Fakher** (James Sayess), a young Lebanese Film Producer in New York City who is held for questioning for being a new entry on The No Fly List. Youssef finds himself in an interrogation room with **Agent Lewis** (Mike Batayeh).

The accusations and revelations put both men face to face on the edges of prejudice.



*Writer / Director **Farah Jouni***

On ***Fly While Arab***, writer / director **Farah Jouni** comments: “The Idea of an International passport always seemed appealing to my thoughts, it’s liberating! Although that Idea is impossible, filmmaking is not and in ***Fly While Arab*** my random thought became one of my favorite lines in the film.

I feel privileged to be in a position where I can be heard. I hope that ***Fly While Arab*** will engage you, and hopefully remind you of a basic thought... ***We are all citizens of one world.***”

Fly While Arab will screen at the **Abingdon Theater**, 312 W. 36th Street, 2nd Floor, New York City, **Saturday August 20 at 4:00pm**. The **New York City International Film Festival** runs from **August 19 through the 24th**. Full information on the festival is available at www.nyciff.com

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