

FILM FORWARD

ADVANCING CULTURAL DIALOGUE

"FILM FORWARD creates cultural exchange with 10 films in 14 locations around the globe."

A **FREE** Film Symposium for Young Adults (Ages 15-25)

Sunday, May 15 • 9:30am-6:15pm
Ziibiwing Center • Mt. Pleasant, Michigan

• Screening of "La Mission"

United States

Director and Screenwriter: Peter Bratt (Quechua)

A traditional Latino father in San Francisco's Mission District struggles to come to terms with his teenage son's homosexuality. *La Mission* is credited by Latino media as being both authentic and genuine to various aspects of American Hispanic cultures.

Cast: Benjamin Bratt, Erika Alexander, Jeremy Ray Valdez,
Talisa Soto Bratt, Jesse Borrego

• Screening of "Boy"

New Zealand

Director and Screenwriter: Taika Waititi (Te Whanau Apanui)

When his father returns home after many years away, 11-year-old Boy and his little brother Rocky must reconcile reality with the fantasy dad they created in their imagination.

Cast: Taika Waititi, James Rolleston, Te Aho Eketone-Whitu

• Filmmaker Discussion

Join Peter Bratt and Taika Waititi to discuss their films



Pre-registration is required • Contact Stefanie at 989-775-4744 or visit
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