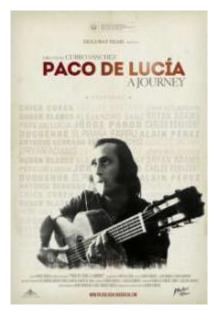


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## **SPANISH MOVIES IN USA – MAY 2015**

### MIAMI



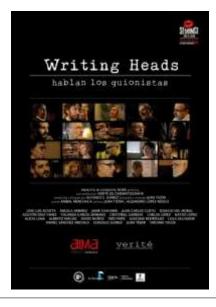
### **PACO DE LUCIA: A JOURNEY**

FLAMENGO Centro Cultural Espanol en Miami May 14th 2015 at 7:00 pm

#### Spain 2014. 90 min. Spanish with English subtitles.

World renowned flamenco guitarist Paco de Lucia's exceptional life and rise to fame are exquisitely put together in this film by his son Curro Sánchez Varela. Varela captures his father's last days on earth just before a sudden and unexpected death in 2014 at 66 years of age.

### **NEW YORK**



### WRITING HEADS

INSTITUTO CERVANTES May 6<sup>th</sup> 2015 at 7:00 pm

#### Spain 2013. 115 min. Spanish with English Subtitles.

First documentary film about the world of the script in Spain.



## LIVING IS EASY WITH EYES CLOSED (Vivir es facil con los ojos cerrados)

## INSTITUTO CERVANTES May 13<sup>th</sup> 2015 at 7:00 pm

#### Spain 2013. 108 min. Spanish with English Subtitles.

It is 1966 in Albacete, an English teacher and die-hard Beatles fan Antonio (played by Javier Cámara) decides to go on a road trip to Almería in the hope of meeting John Lennon, who is shooting How I Won the War there under the direction of Richard Lester. On the way he picks up two hitch-hikers, Juanjo (Francesc Colomer) and Belén (Natalia de Molina), and the unlikely trio follows their dreams and look for their own freedom. *Living Is Easy with Eyes Closed* is the Spanish entry for the Best Foreign Language Film at the 87th Academy Awards.



## BLACK DIAMONDS (Diamantes negros)

# INSTITUTO CERVANTES May 20<sup>th</sup> 2015 at 7:00 pm

### Spain 2013. 94 min. Spanish with English Subtitles.

Just 15 years old, they left Africa and arrived in Europe led by a promise that they would become football stars. Amadou and Moussa are spotted in Mali by a football scout, separated from their families and brought to Madrid to become stars. The embark on a journey through Spain, Portugal and Nothern Europe which will show them firsthand the world of shadows behind the beautiful game; a business which does not see in them two young kids, but two "Black Diamonds".

### SEATTLE



#### **MESSI**

SEATTLE INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL May 21<sup>st</sup>, May 24<sup>th</sup> 2015

Spain 2013. 94 min. Spanish with English Subtitles.

Messi is the name of perhaps the greatest player in the history of soccer. This endearing documentary /biopic hybrid captures the spirit of the unlikeliest superstar playing in any professional sport today. Iglesia's brilliant cinematic lens captures Messi's awe-inspiring prowess of the sport. A true experience for any supporter of the beautiful game.

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