

HORROR IN FOREIGN LANDS



International Film Series



Yamada Language Center Fall 1998

October 6

Diabolique

France

Fiendish tale of murder and intrigue set in a dreary boys' school run by a sadistic headmaster who brutalizes both his ailing wife and icy mistress. Once he is dead, the real terror begins!

Henri-Georges Clouzot, dir. 1955

French with English subtitles

October 13

The Kingdom-Part 1

Denmark

All is not well at The Kingdom, a chaotic Copenhagen hospital, built over a haunted marshland. A paranormal "ER" full of black humor à la "Twin Peaks." Winner of the 1995 Seattle International Film Festivals Golden Space Needle Award.

Lars von Trier, dir. 1994

Danish with English subtitles

October 20

The Kingdom-Part 2

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Lars von Trier, dir. 1994

Danish with English subtitles

October 27

Rorret

Italy

Mr. Rorret is the psychopathic owner of the Peeping Tom Cinema, a movie house in Rome devoted exclusively to the horror film. Rorret lives behind the movie screen voyeuristically relishing the frightened reactions of his female patrons.

Fulvio Wetzl, dir. 1987

Italian with English subtitles

November 3

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Germany

A psychotic serial killer of little girls terrorizes and enrages this large German city. The killer, who baffles the police, is finally brought to justice by the Berlin underworld.

Fritz Lang, dir. 1931

German with English subtitles

November 10

Kwaidan - Part 1

Japan

Four terrifying tales of the supernatural: "The Black Hair"-- "The Woman of the Snow"-- "Hoichi the Earless"-- "In a Cup of Tea." Combining visually stunning effects with an arresting musical score, the storyteller Kobayashi has created an engrossing masterpiece of nightmarish proportions, in which terror thrives and demons lurk.

Masaki Kobayashi, dir. 1954

Japanese with English subtitles

November 17

Kwaidan - Part 2

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Masaki Kobayashi, dir. 1954

Japanese with English subtitles



All films shown Tuesday evenings from 7:00 to 9:00 pm in the Shelley L. Keithan Student Lounge (PAC 122).

Films are in the native language with English subtitles.

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