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## The National Film and Video Foundation (NFVF) Cycle 2 funding approvals.

The National Film and Video Foundation (NFVF), is pleased to announce the following funding approvals for funding Cycle 2 - FY 2019/20.

### MARKETING AND DISTRIBUTION

Project Name	Applicant's Name	Production Company	Approved Amount
3 Teaspoons of Sugar	Kabelo Maaka	Cabblow Studios (Pty) Ltd	R 165 000.00
POPPIE NONGENA	Gillian Pearson	Poppie Productions (Pty) Ltd	R 250 000.00
Shaft 6	Iain Gordon-Webster	Mannequin Pictures	R 44 375.00
Township Yogi	Peter Matthews	Greenshoot Films	R 200 000.00
Tshovhilingana 11	Khathutshelo Mamphodo	Bvumo Productions CC	R 250 000.00

### FESTIVAL HOSTING

Project Name	Applicant's Name	Company	Approved Amount
4 <sup>th</sup> Annual Ekurhuleni Township Film Festival 2019	Daniel Nhlapo	DV Nhlapo Productions (Pty) Ltd	R 153 000.00
Knysna Film Festival	Patrick Walton	Knysna Film Festival	R 250 000.00
Kwasukasukela Film Festival	Sibongeleni Mabuyakhulu	Absolute Gumba Entertainment	R 250 000.00
Kwazulu Natal African Film Festival 2019	Thobile Ximba	Kwamashu Community Advancement Projects	R 250 000.00
Lavuth 'ibBhayi Film Festival	Denise Roodt	Media Makers NPC	R 200 000.00
Limpopo International Film Festival	Victor Phiri	Roswika Multimedia Productions	R 200 000.00
Shnit Worldwide Shortfilmfestival 2019	Sean Drummond	Be Phat Motel Film Company	R 226 000.00

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Soweto International Film Festival	Zama Qampi	Sollywood S.A	R 170 000.00

### **NON-FICTION PROJECTS**

#### **DEVELOPMENT – DOCUMENTARIES**

<b>Project Name</b>	<b>Applicant's Name</b>	<b>Production Company</b>	<b>Approved Amount</b>
Drug Mule Diaries	Dan Jawitz	Known Associates Entertainment	R150 000.00
Letter to my Grandmother	Mark Kaplan	Grey Matter Media	R100 000.00
Mathekwana's Children	Coetsee Zietsman	Meropa Communications	R150 000.00
Welcome to Sharpeville	Rehad Desai	Uhuru Productions	R150 000.00
Yellow	Stanford Gibson	Boondogle Films	R150 000.00
Nawar: She Who Guards Herself	Sara Gouveia	N/A	R100 000.00

#### **DEVELOPMENT - SHORT DOCUMENTARIES**

<b>Project Name</b>	<b>Applicant's Name</b>	<b>Production Company</b>	<b>Approved Amount</b>
Nowhere Land	Sifanelwe Mhlongo	Crave Pictures	R99 900.00
Zulu People Obsession With The Sky Decoded	Michael Zulu	Zulu Graphic Novels	R100 000.00

#### **PRODUCTION – DOCUMENTARIES**

<b>Project Name</b>	<b>Applicant's Name</b>	<b>Production Company</b>	<b>Approved Amount</b>
Influence	Neil Brandt	StoryScope (Pty) Ltd	R350 000.00
Tear Salted Sea	Riaan Hendricks	Picture Enlightened Pictures	R350 000.00

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The Man in the Hat	Julie Laurenz	Pillay Laurenz Media & Communications (Pty) Ltd	R350 000.00
The untold (story of Dr Joseph Shabalala and Ladysmith Black Mambazo)	Phumelelo Mbele	Nine to Five Creative Agency	R350 000.00

### **FICTION PROJECTS**

#### **DEVELOPMENT – ANIMATION**

<b>Project Name</b>	<b>Applicants Name</b>	<b>Production Company</b>	<b>Approved Amount</b>
A Little Bird Told Me	Charles Badenhorst	Fopspeen Moving Pictures	R140 000.00
Spirit Child	Isaac Mogajane	Diprente Films	R250 000.00
The Stonemason	Erentia Bedeker	N/A	R250 000.00

#### **DEVELOPMENT – FEATURE LENGTH**

<b>Project Name</b>	<b>Applicant's Name</b>	<b>Production Company</b>	<b>Approved Amount</b>
Being Bessie	Stefanie Sycholt	N/A	R200 000.00
Frankie & Felipe	Dries Scholtz	Filmchrome (PTY) LTD	R200 000.00
Rage	Lwazi Manzi	Spier Films	R200 000.00
Remembering Sutherland	Terry-Jo Thorne	N/A	R200 000.00
Rogue Agent	Mthokozisi Ndhlovu	Piction Films	R200 000.00
Sympathy	Siya Mayola	Paxinos Productions	R200 000.00
The Rat's Tail	Zuko Nodada	The Final Chapter	R200 000.00
The Village Thieves	Thabo Mphelo	Thabo Mphelo Films (PTY) Ltd	R200 000.00
Them	Trent Kok	Dogs Folly Films	R200 000.00
We	Sihle Hlophe	Passion Seed Communications	R200 000.00

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### **DEVELOPMENT - SHORT FILM**

<b>Project Name</b>	<b>Applicant's Name</b>	<b>Production Company</b>	<b>Approved Amount</b>
Time and Tide	Lamar Bonhomme	N/A	R100 000.00
Fiancé for Hire	Nelisiwe Ngobeni	N/A	R100 000.00
Heart Attack	Minenhle Luthuli	N/A	R100 000.00
Love Hard	Menga Nhlabathi	Getsum Media	R 99 900.00
Mier	Oliver Swartz	Nitfia Pictures	R100 000.00
Never Coming Back	Kaizer Mokgobu	Nextway Productions	R 95 000.00
Pizza and Cigarettes	Josh Ryba	Artist and Legends	R100 000.00
Please Don't Leave Me Here	Amy Rinquest	N/A	R100 000.00
The Child's Room	Rebaone Lobelo	N/A	R 83 430.00
The Drive By Club	Tebogo Mabaso	TKN Holdings (T/A Uprooted Media)	R 97 388.00
The Men Who Stare At The Sky	Nomawonga Khumalo	Daveyton Computers	R100 000.00
Tselane	Theoline Maphutha	N/A	R100 000.00

### **PRODUCTION – ANIMATION**

<b>Project Name</b>	<b>Applicant's Name</b>	<b>Production Company</b>	<b>Approved Amount</b>
The Prels	Zakes Mda	The Prels of Ukhahlamba (Pty) Ltd	R 433 220.00
Time Sliders	Clare Louis	Katanimate Studios	R1 300 000.00

### **PRODUCTION – FEATURE LENGTH**

<b>Project Name</b>	<b>Applicant's Name</b>	<b>Production Company</b>	<b>Approved Amount</b>
Ka Lifu Laka	Reabetswe Moeti	Rare View Media	R 1 300 000.00
Skaapboer	Valente Bosch	Skaapboer Pty (Ltd)	R 1 200 000.00
The violence in this place	Nolitha Mkulisi	Brown Flamingo Productions	R 1 250 000.00

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### **POST-PRODUCTION – FEATURE-LENGTH**

<b>Project Name</b>	<b>Applicant's Name</b>	<b>Production Company</b>	<b>Approved Amount</b>
Barney and his Friends	Steven Markovitz	Big World Cinema	R450 000.00

### **PRODUCTION – MICRO BUDGET/MADE FOR TV MOVIES**

<b>Project Name</b>	<b>Applicant's Name</b>	<b>Production Company</b>	<b>Approved Amount</b>
Ibhasi lika Mdaphuna	Zandile Cele	Eka Phiwe	R 60 000.00

### **PRODUCTION - SHORT FILM**

<b>Project Name</b>	<b>Applicant's Name</b>	<b>Production Company</b>	<b>Approved Amount</b>
Backroom	Phuthi Nakene	Naledi Films	R200 000.00
Dorothy	Natasje Van Niekerk	The Storyteller Pod (Pty) Ltd	R200 000.00
Okovi	Tokoloho Masemene	Shinra Tensei	R250 000.00
Ruby & Roach	Dorothea Nel	Abyss Productions	R150 000.00
Songs about my mother	Mlingane Dube	Artistry Media	R150 000.00

### **PRODUCTION – WEB SERIES**

<b>Project Name</b>	<b>Applicant's Name</b>	<b>Production Company</b>	<b>Approved Amount</b>
Meet The Artist	Okuhle Magcaba	Wecreatives Media	R 200 000.00

### **TRAINING PROVIDERS**

<b>Project Name</b>	<b>Applicant's Name</b>	<b>Training Provider</b>	<b>Approved Amount</b>
Arts and Craft of Scriptwriting	Mr Victor Molele	Lebone Productions CC	R350 000.00

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