

36th TORINO FILM FESTIVAL

(November 23 - December 1, 2018)

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Lucia Mascino will be the patroness of the 36th Torino Film Festival (November 23 to December 1, 2018). The actress will be in Turin to attend the inaugural evening on Friday, November 23rd, during which she and Emanuela Martini, the Festival's artistic director, will launch the manifestation.

"Last year, I came to the Torino Film Festival two times, for "Amori che non sanno stare al mondo" by Francesca Comencini and for "Favola" by Sebastiano Mauri, and when I saw that the Festival's poster featured the eyes of Kim Novak, who was the inspiration for my character, I thought those eyes were telling me something, that they were indicating an unexpected proximity. But I never dreamed that I would be asked to be the Festival's patroness the following year. I am honored by this request, which fills me with emotion," declared the actress.

Lucia Mascino works in theatre, film, and television. She began her career at the Center for Experimentation and Theatrical Research at Pontedera, where she studied under Russian, French, and Polish teachers. She recently starred in the movie *Amori che non sanno stare al mondo* by Francesca Comencini, produced by Fandango, and received nominations for the 2018 Nastri d'argento and Globi d'oro as best actress; she won the Anna Magnani Award at the Bif&st in Bari, and Best Actress at the 2017 Italian Festival in Moscow. She and Filippo Timi costarred in the movie based on the same-titled theatrical play *Favola*, directed by Sebastiano Mauri and produced by Palomar, which won the 2018 Flaiano Prize. She is a member of the cast in the comedy *La prima pietra* by Rolando Ravello, produced by Fandango and which will be released in December 2018, and Laura Chiossone's debut movie *Palloncini*, produced by Indiana and which will be released in the spring of 2019. In 2016, she starred in the movie *Fraulein*, *una fiaba d'inverno*, the debut film by Caterina Carone, produced by Tempesta Film. She has collaborated with Nanni Moretti, Giuseppe Piccioni, Roberto Andò, Sabina Guzzanti, Stefano Tummolini, Alessandro Rossetto, Renato De Maria, Marco Segato, Marco Danieli, Stefano Pasetto, and Susanna Nicchiarelli, among others.

Photos of Lucia Mascino:

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