

## Saturday 9 August

ALL PANELS ARE HELD IN  
THE YARRA ROOM, LEVEL 2  
MELBOURNE TOWN HALL

1:45pm - 2:35pm

### Financing First Timers

PRESENTED BY

**gettyimages**

**Mimo Mukii**

*Pasa Faho* (MIFF 2025)

**Ivy Mutuku**

*Pasa Faho* (MIFF 2025)

**Gabrielle Pearson**

*First Light* (MIFF 2025)

**Christelle Lou Dychangco**

*First Light* (MIFF 2025)

**Jim Wright**

*One More Shot* (MIFF 2025)

**Virginia Whitwell**

*One More Shot, Spreadsheet  
Champions* (MIFF 2025)

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2:45pm - 3:35pm

### Development Pathways & Initiatives

**Mackenzie Lush**

VicScreen

**Phil Enchelmaier**

Screen Queensland

**Tenille Kennedy**

Screenwest

**Jennie Hughes**

Screen Territory

**Daniel Krige**

Screen NSW

**Toni Stowers**

Screen Australia

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### What's Happening in the US?

**Matt Steinman**

30West

**Andi Wong**

CAA

**Zach Glueck**

WME Independent

**Jack Parker**

FilmNation

Moderated by **Shana Levine**

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### A Longer Term Strategy for Sales

PRESENTED BY

**screenrights**

**Rakel Tansley**

Screen Australia

**Olivier Brunskill**

Altitude

**Ari Harrison**

Umbrella

**Kate Glover**

Never / Sleep Productions

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### Shooting Overseas

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*First Light* (MIFF 2025)

**Jane Pe Aguirre**

*First Light* (MIFF 2025)

**Chris Kamen**

*Iron Winter* (MIFF 2025)

**Ben Golotta**

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### Co-Productions Closer to Home

PRESENTED BY



**Morgan Waru**

New Zealand Film Commission

**Marc Ashton**

New Zealand Film Commission

**Samuel Paynter**

Screen Australia

**Brian Rosen**

Studio B Animation

**Rickylee Russell-Waipuka**

Sweetshop Entertainment

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### A Growing Appetite for International Co-Productions

**Michelle McDonald**

Screen Australia

**Tianna Roberts**

Big Safari

**Lucile Avezard**

Federation Studios

**Ana Tiwary**

indivisual Films

**Shana Levine**

Executive Producer

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### Know Your Audience

**Sally Aitken**

SAM Content

**Grainne Brunson**

Screen Australia

**Mark Gooder**

Cornerstone

**Michael Matrenza**

Madman Entertainment

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