



I WANT TO SEE THE MANAGER

by Hannes Lang



SYNOPSIS

"After one look at this planet any visitor from outer space would say: I want to see the manager." – William S. Burroughs

In the light of the current transformations within the global power structure, I WANT TO SEE THE MANAGER traces the linkage of economic ascent and decline in seven paradigmatic episodes. India, Bolivia, China, USA, Italy, Thailand, Venezuela – each place contains fragments of another; each episode bears testament to the hopes and fears of its protagonists.

By juxtaposing these local experiences in the face of global economy, the film questions the notion of rise and decay.

original English/Spanish/Thai/Mandarin version with English, Spanish, French, Italian, or German subtitles

FESTIVALS

2014

GLI IMPERDIBILI – Festival dei Popoli Florence

CPH:DOX Copenhagen, Denmark

Kasseler Filmtage

2015

Honorable Mention – Bozner Filmtage

DOK.fest Munich

Hong Kong Int. FF

Movies That Matter

Dokumentarfilmwoche Hamburg

Trento Film Festival

Filmkunstfest MV

Docs Against Gravity

HRHDIFF Myanmar

CAST AND CREW

DIRECTOR Hannes Lang · SOUND Peter Rösner, Achim Fell ·

EDITOR Stefan Stabenow · DOP Thilo Schmidt, Johannes Klais

(2nd unit) · SOUND DESIGN Peter Rösner

2014

93 min

FORMAL CATEGORIES

Sustainability, Nature/Animals, Ecology/Environment, Economy, Politics

PREMIERE

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