



# RECOGNITION - THE WAR INSIDE US

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## SYNOPSIS

After an absence of 12 years, a filmmaker is returning to Israel in search for answers. What starts as a personal journey, will turn into an intimate portrait of surprisingly different women in a war stricken land. Noga is a high school teenager who is eager to be accepted into the best unit of the Israeli army. Moran is a religious social worker who has chosen as a home town Sderot, which is under the threat of rockets. In this Israeli-Jewish town also lives Hanadi, a young Arab woman from the northern part of the country, fighting for her identity. From north to south, from past to present, the quest for answers creates an intimate portrait of women in a country at war.

## FESTIVALS

### Prices/ Awards

Bucharest Jewish Film Festival (2015) Nominated for Best Documentary

SCENECS International Film Festival (2016) - Nominated for Best Documentary

Winner Bronze Palm Award Winner Best First time Filmmaker

Mexico International Film Festival

Nominated for Best Foreign Language Documentary and

Nominated for Best Foreign Language Documentary Director at Madrid International Film Festival

Nominated Jean Loup Passek Award at Filmes Do Homem Film Festival

festivals among others

Portobello Film Festival London (2015)

Bucharest Jewish Film Festival (2015)

Dokumentarfilmfest Kassel (2015)

Jerusalem Jewish Film Festival (2015)

Festival Film Dokumenter (Indonesia) (2015)

Paul Spiegel Film Festival Düsseldorf (April 2016)

Scenecs Debut Film Festival, Holland (April 2016)

Cinéma South Film Festival, Tunis 4th 2016 - Cinémathèque in

2015

87 min

ORIGINAL TITLE

HAKARA

FORMAL CATEGORIES

Current Affairs, Conflicts, War/Peace, Politics, POV

ORIGINAL LANGUAGES

Hebrew, Arabic, English

PREMIERE

Germany (2015)

LINKS / REFERENCE

<https://www.facebook.com/ha...>

<https://www.vimeo.com/13252...>

<http://www.hakara-the-film....>

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