

WITHOUT THIS WORLD

by Nora Fingscheidt



SYNOPSIS

Argentina, 2016: in an remote desert in the North, 700 Menonites of German origin lead 18th-century lives without electricity, music, or any of the amenities modern life affords. Their only school textbook is the Bible. Eighteen years ago, these colonists travelled here from Mexico to escape the influences of the modern world. To them, life should not be easy. Instead they strive for a severe and devout life under God and hope that their children will choose to follow the same path. That's why they do their best to shelter them from 'The World', their name for everything outside their own colony. But is it really conceivable to reject modernity altogether? **WITHOUT THIS WORLD** captures the portrait of a tranquil, contemplative society caught between tradition and change.

FESTIVALS

2017 a.o.

Best Documentary Award - 38th FF Max Ophüls Preis
(Worldpremiere)

achtung Berlin!

27th Filmkunstfest Mecklenburg-Vorpommern, Schwerin

14th Neiße Film Festival

5th Dokfilmwoche in Kreuzberg,

Best Documentary - First Steps Award

Best Documentary - 14th Filmfest Eberswalde

Winner of 'Die goldenen vier Linden' - 31st Braunschweig Int. FF

39th Filmfest Biberach

Best Documentary - Filmschau Baden Württemberg

4th FECIME, Mexico

68th Berlinale PERSPECTIVE - special guest

CAST AND CREW

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Germany 2017

116 min

ORIGINAL TITLE

OHNE DIESE WELT

FORMAL CATEGORIES

Biographie/Portrait, Family,
Migration, Religion

ORIGINAL LANGUAGES

German, Spanish

PREMIERE

Germany (2017)

PRODUCTION COMPANY

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FILM LOCATION

Argentina

LINKS / REFERENCE

CONTACT for FESTIVALS:

<http://augohr.de/catalogue/...>

DISTRIBUTION:

<https://data.looknow.ch/ind...>

TRAILER:

https://youtu.be/g8I_OaiXPG...

<https://www.kino-zeit.de/fi...>

<https://der-andere-film.ch/...>

<https://www.zeit.de/kultur/...>