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> 18<sup>th</sup> Annual UNAFF (United Nations Association Film Festival) 2015 THEME: RUNNING OUT OF TIME

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## 15 Seconds (First Version)

United Nations Association Film Festival celebrates 18 years of groundbreaking documentaries with 60 films from across the globe. October 15<sup>th</sup> to October 25<sup>th</sup> with screenings in Palo Alto, East Palo Alto, Stanford University and San Francisco. "Running out of Time" is the theme. For more information please visit <u>www.unaff.org</u>

## 25 Seconds (Second Version)

Join us for the 18<sup>th</sup> Annual United Nations Association Film Festival, one of the oldest purely documentary film festivals in the US presenting 60 films that will change your view of the world. Screenings, panels, filmmakers from all over the world between October 15<sup>th</sup> and October 25<sup>th</sup> in Palo Alto, East Palo Alto, Stanford University and San Francisco. This year's theme is "Running out of Time." For more information please visit www.unaff.org

## 45 Seconds (Third Version)

From the streets of Afghanistan, Cuba, India, Iraq, Israel, Libya, Nepal, South Africa, Pakistan, Rwanda, and Saudi Arabia to the politics of poaching in Africa, rape in India and across American college campuses, drones as a tool of modern warfare, the fastest winter-warming place on earth, the global waste crisis, and individuals with Parkinson's staging a dance performance. These and many more thought-provoking questions will be raised during the 18<sup>th</sup> United Nations Association Film Festival, which is proud to present 60 documentaries that will change your view of the world, including 5 WORLD PREMIERES and 10 US PREMIERES, with the theme "Running out of Time." Francisco between October 15<sup>th</sup> and October 25<sup>th</sup>. For more information please visit www.unaff.org

For the full program, press material, photos and other details visit www.unaff.org

The award winning UNAFF (the United Nations Association Film Festival) held annually in October at Stanford, Palo Alto, East Palo Alto and San Francisco, now in its 18th year has grown to be one of the oldest and most respected documentary film festivals in the United States. UNAFF was originally conceived to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the signing of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights. It was founded by Stanford educator and film critic Jasmina Bojic with the participation of the Stanford Film Society and the UNA Midpeninsula Chapter.

In 2014 the ICFT (International Council for Film, Television and Audiovisual Communication of UNESCO) presented the UNESCO Fellini Medal to Jasmina Bojic, Founder and Executive Director of UNAFF, in recognition of her exceptional contribution in promoting the principles of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights through the art of documentary film.