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SHORTS INTERNATIONAL PRESENTS "ShortsHD AT THE MOVIES"
Short Film Network Hosts Star-Studded Reception

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LOS ANGELES – **ShortsHD**, the world's leading network devoted exclusively to short film entertainment, presents "**ShortsHD at the Movies**," a night of short films that will not be short on star power. The invitation-only reception to spotlight some of the year's best short filmmakers and actors will be held on Sept. 20, 2011 from 6:30 to 8:00 pm at CGV Cinemas (621 South Western Ave.). A public screening of a selection of short films from around the globe will follow, featuring such Hollywood big-hitters as Colin Firth, Keira Knightley, Alfred Molina and Julia Stiles.

Steve, directed by Rupert Friend and starring Colin Firth, Keira Knightley and Tom Mison, tops the evening's bill. The film follows a middle-aged man (Firth) on his frequent and rather unusual visits with his upstairs neighbors (Knightley and Mison).

Giving audiences a look at romance in the modern age, *Sexting*, written and directed by Neil Labute (*Death at a Funeral*) and starring Julia Stiles, will be a highlight of the event. The film's simple premise – two women talking about relationships in a café – underscores Labute's mastery of dialogue.

ShortsHD's selection of incredible films that will be screened September 20-22nd include:

- *The Pond* - Directed by Dan Hannon, starring Alicia Witt & David Morse
- *Dissection Of A Storm* – Directed by Julio Soto, starring Cristina Piaget
- *Summer Snapshot* - Directed by Ian McCluskey, starring Anna Ferrell
- *Lessons In Self Defense* - Directed by Lee Miller, starring Alfred Molina
- *Ingrid Pitt: Beyond The Forest* - By Perry Chen, Kevin Sean Michaels, & Bill Plympton
- *Crush* - Directed by Matthew A. Brown, starring Emily Stangl
- *Mumbai Charlie* - Directed by Deepak Verma, starring Kulbinder Ghir
- *The Last Passenger* - Directed by Mounes Khammar, Music by Fairuz
- *Lost Bullets* - Directed by Mono Ghose, produced by Arno Hazebroek
- *Grave Dawn* - Directed by D.J. Turner, produced by Charlie Hofheimer

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