

Press Release

GoT star Nikolaj Coster-Waldau to attend Audi Dublin International Film Festival with his new thriller 3 THINGS

Danish star Nikolaj Coster-Waldau, best-known as Jaime Lannister in HBO's *Game of Thrones*, will be raising an army of fans to the Gala screening of suspenseful Scandinavian thriller 3 THINGS at the Audi Dublin International Film Festival in Cineworld at 6.30pm on Tuesday 27th February. Tickets for 3 THINGS have just gone on sale so snap them up fast at www.diff.ie!

ADIFF Festival Director Gráinne Humphreys said *'With the start of the festival just hours away, I'm really excited to announce Game of Thrones stalwart Nikolaj Coster-Waldau, also known for his roles in Mama, Shotcaller and A Second Chance, will be joining us for ADIFF 2018. Coster-Waldau's new film, which he both stars in and of which he is an Executive Producer, 3 THINGS is a tense and claustrophobic thriller, packed with twists and turns and he shines as the master criminal who believes that he can charm his way out of any situation.'*

3 THINGS takes place in a hotel where the police are negotiating the terms of a witness protection deal with the prime suspect of a robbery and an expert on explosives, Mikael (Nikolaj Coster-Waldau). In order to agree to the deal, Mikael demands three things from the police: that his former girlfriend is brought to him, that the police bring him the contents of a box he has stored, and that he is served butter chicken from his favourite restaurant. The police, under heavy time pressure to get

him to testify the following day, agree.

3 Things joins ADIFF's line-up of the world's best films coming to Dublin 21st Feb -4th March, featuring special guests including Paul Schrader (*First Reformed*, *Paul Schrader Public Talk*), Vanessa Redgrave ([Sea Sorrow](#), [Public Talk & Volta Award Presentation](#)); Joaquin Phoenix and Rooney Mara at a Gala Screening of [Mary Magdalene](#). Younger audiences will be entertained with the Fantastic Flix line-up that includes [The Big Bad Fox & Other Tales](#) and much-anticipated anime [Mary & The Witch's Flower](#)

For the first time, ADIFF also includes the [Immersive Stories Virtual Reality Conference & Exhibition](#) bringing top names in VR to Dublin for a two-day exploration of the future of filmed entertainment.

Tickets for the Gala screening of *3 THINGS* (with Nikolaj Coster-Waldau) at 6.30pm on Tuesday 27th Feb at Cineworld are on sale now at the Box Office at [12 East Essex Street Temple Bar](#), by phone on 01 687 7974 or online at [www.diff.ie](#).

For media information or high-res imagery contact press@diff.ie or call 01 662 4620.

About Audi Dublin International Film Festival (21st Feb-4th March 2018)

The Dublin International Film Festival is sponsored by Audi, its principal funder is the Arts Council and it is also in receipt of funding from official industry partner, the Irish Film Board. Key partners and funders include hotel partner The Merrion Hotel, print transport partner Wells Cargo, post-production partner Windmill Lane, social

listening partners Olytico, digital out-of-home provider Orbscreen, official food ordering app Just Eat and champagne partner Moët & Chandon, with media partners Entertainment.ie, 98FM, The Times & The Sunday Times and micromedia.ie. Kerry Foods' Cheestrings are sponsors of the ADIFF's Fantastic Flix family programme. Venue Partners include Cineworld.

Founded in 2003, the Dublin International Film Festival sets the agenda of the year with its programme of outstanding Irish and international film. Offering unique access to a plethora of filmmaking talent, the festival transforms Dublin into a hub of glamour, creativity and film appreciation.

Over the past fifteen years, the festival has hosted over 600 major guests, including winners of the festival's prestigious Volta Award such as Al Pacino, Julie Andrews, Danny DeVito, Daniel Day-Lewis, Joss Whedon, Brendan Gleeson, Angela Lansbury, Stanley Tucci, Stellan Skarsgård, Kristin Scott Thomas and Ennio Morricone.

The festival has screened world cinema from 52 different countries, a total of almost 1,500 films, of which 300 were Irish features including Irish premieres of *Sing Street*, *Once*, *Ondine*, *In Bruges*, *Calvary*, *The Stag* and *The Secret of Kells*. The festival's young people's programme Fantastic Flix is expanding each year, engaging schools and families and building a new generation of film fans.

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