



What's Up, Tocayo? Alô, Tocayo

Directed by Renato Martins and Lula Carvalho / 2003 / 21'
Color

+ Selling Points

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Synopsis

What's up Tocayo is a documentary short-film shot in the city of Havana, Cuba, by the filmmakers Renato Martins and Lula Carvalho. The movie was made during the 25o Festival Internacional del Nuevo Cine Latinoamericano (25th International Festival of Latin American New Cine), in december 2003. The film is narrated by a Cuban mother, Mirian Torres, who introduces her family and her life history, and invite us to a reflection on the world we live today

Stage of Production: Completed

Genre: Short Documentary

Language: Spanish Subtitles Available: English

Territories Available: All territories

Awards: Top Ten best film public favorites, choosing among all the selected works in the São Paulo International Short Film Festival (2005). Special Jury Prime, and fifth best film public favorites, choosing among all the selected works in the luso-brazilian international film festival (Portugal). Second place of Jury Selection in the Pará Festival 2006 (Brazil)

Production Company: Urca Filmes

About the directors: Renato Martins, was born in 1977, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. He's former in Social Communication/Advertisement and took supplementary cinema courses in Brazil and London, UK. Lula Carvalho was born in 1977, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. After completion of secondary school in Rio de Janeiro, took supplementary courses at the Art, Photography and Film School, NYU (New York University) and at the School of Visual Arts in 1997.

ADDITIONAL INFO

Market History:

Festival history: Rio de Janeiro International Film Festival (Brazil) / São Paulo International Short Film Festival (Brazil) / Luso-brazilian International Film Festival (Portugal) / Pará Film Festival (Brazil)

Material available: 35mm, Beta Analog, Mini Dv