



# KENT STATE UNIVERSITY INDEPENDENT FILMS

October 5, 2020



# Today is the day!

- We will be announcing which of your scripts we will be producing this semester.
- Also, we will be talking about other upcoming events and some changes to some of the events we have been doing in the past.
- But really quickly, an update on some of last months events...



## In Case You Missed It!

All events will be archived for future viewings. Please bare with us as we keep you guys updated and post to our website.

[This past month we held a slew of virtual events](#)

Earlier in September, we had a screenwriting workshop held by our own Reilly Schrock and Samuel Teyssier

We also had conversations with writer/directors Jeremy Herbert and Nate Shively

Both of which can be found archived on our YouTube page



# Upcoming Events

## This Week (10/5 - 10/12):

- Wednesday, Oct. 7
  - For Day of Bully Prevention, watch our short film *Pop!* on our YouTube
    - The film is about Ty, a 13-year old boy, who is struggling to deal with his alcoholic father, a school bully and his own sexuality.
    - We plan on livestreaming the film on our YouTube the day of, but if you are unable to make it, please make sure to watch the film and let us know what you think of it in our comment section. This is an important subject on an even more important day, all support is appreciated.
- Friday, Oct. 9
  - We will be watching the film *Da Five Bloods* by Spike Lee on Netflix. Please download the Netflix party extension to join.

## Following Week (10/12 - 10/19):

- *Indigenous Peoples day movie suggestion*
- Wednesday, Oct. 14
  - We will be hosting a workshop on directing to better help prepare you guys for gearing into working on your films.
  - This event will be hosted on our Zoom. Keep an eye out for an email link.



## Films slated for Fall 2020.

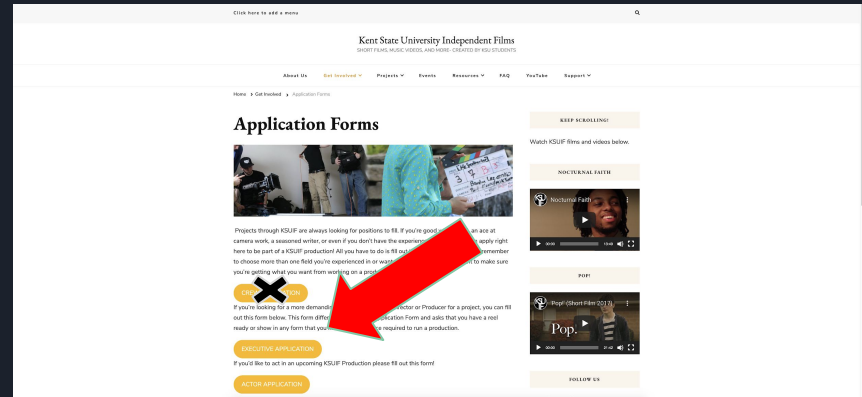
Congratulations to those whose scripts we chose and thank you to everyone who submitted a script! We will be offering script notes to all those who submitted a script.

- **The Man With The Cough**
  - Written by Alex Novak
    - It is a period piece about a man who has a series of premonitions of illness and death that ultimately cause him to experience great fear for his life.
- **Untitled Screenplay**
  - Written by Samuel Michael
    - An experimental film about a young man wanders and explores his mind through his past to understand his future.

# Want to be a Director/Producer?

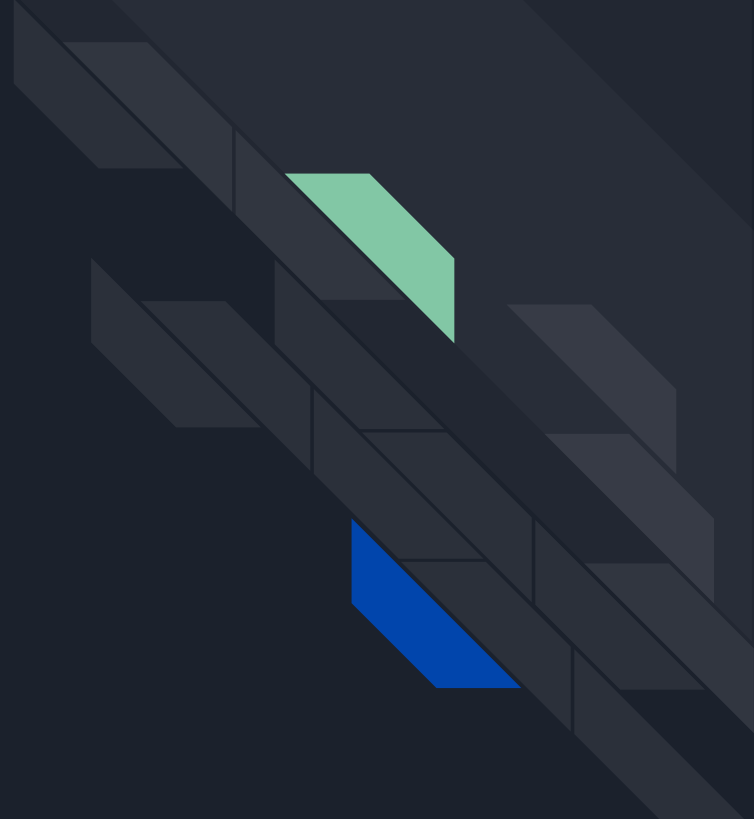
If you are interested in becoming a director or a producer please contact us by applying on our website under “Get Involved” -> “Crew Executive Application” form (NOT “CREW APPLICATION”)

You can also apply by emailing your name, resume, and interested film to us at [kentstatefilms@gmail.com](mailto:kentstatefilms@gmail.com).



We will be accepting applications for directors/producers through now until October 16 at 5 pm, so if you are interested don't wait until the last minute!

**\*In the event that the campus closes down early due to a rise in coronavirus cases, we will plan to accomplish as much as possible on your films pre-production so that we are ready when things open back up.**

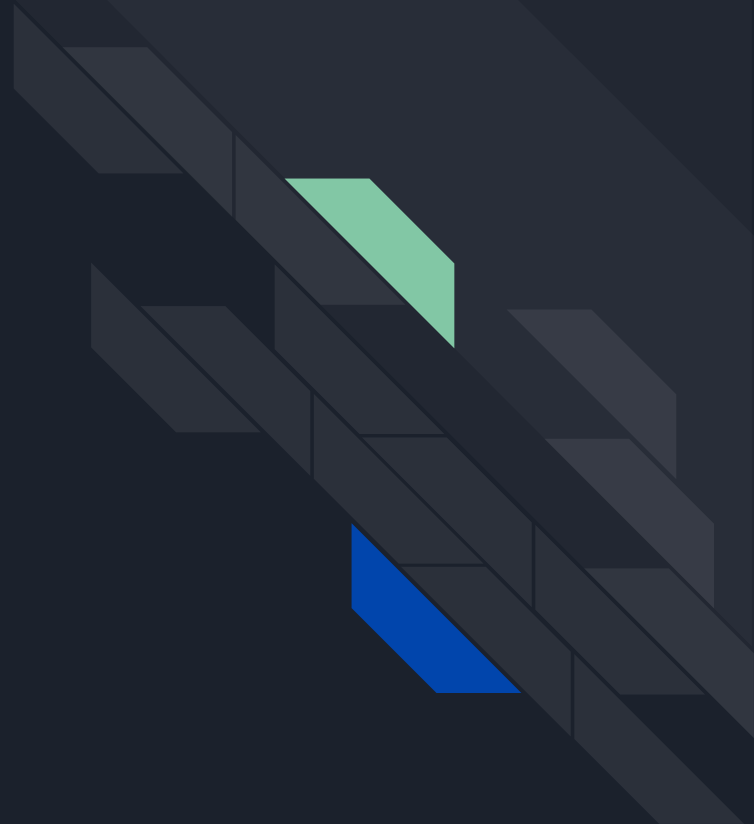



Also, we will be releasing some of the long awaited films from past semesters, so stay on the lookout for that!





Questions??





That's it for this meeting!

Thank you all for those who came!

**Don't forget to follow us on Social Media** 

This is where you be able to best stay updated with everything we have going on!

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