

SCHEDULE

ALL FILMS FOLLOWED BY CONVERSATION.
VISIT NY.RELIABILITIES.ORG FOR UPDATES

MANHATTAN

JCC MANHATTAN
334 Amsterdam Ave
New York, NY 10023
646.505.5708
TTY 877.505.6708

The Finishers
Fri, Mar 13, 10:30 am

Reel Encounters:
Coaching Colburn, Guest Room, The Gift, Hear This, The Hyperplot, The Kiss, Super, Midfield, Rolling Romance, Q Film
Fri, Mar 13, 2 pm

SHABBAT FILM, DINNER + CONVERSATION
Fri, Mar 13, 6:30 pm

JERRY MCGILL: AUTHOR TALK
Sat, Mar 14, 2:30 pm

Relationships:
The Kiss, Rolling Romance, The Hyperplot, Guest Room, The Gift
Sat, Mar 14, 3 pm

AUDIO DESCRIPTION PRESENTATION
Sat, Mar 14, 4 pm

MOVIEABLE
Sat, Mar 14, 4:30 pm

Jon Imber's Left Hand
Sat, Mar 14, 5 pm

GROWING INCLUSIVELY: EXHIBIT OPENING + RECEPTION
Sat, Mar 14, 6 pm

Keep Rollin'
Shown with: Q Film
Sat, Mar 14, 8 pm

DCTV FILMMAKING WORKSHOP
Sun, Mar 15, 12 pm

No Ordinary Hero: The SuperDeafly Movie
Shown with: Hear This
Sun, Mar 15, 2 pm

Autistic Like Me: A Father's Perspective
Thu, Mar 12, 4:30 pm

Jon Imber's Left Hand
Fri, Mar 13, 3 pm

Endless Abilities
Sat, Mar 14, 3 pm

Gabriel
Mon, Mar 16, 3 pm

The Finishers
Tue, Mar 17, 4:30 pm

JERRY MCGILL: AUTHOR TALK
Wed, Mar 18, 2 pm

HAMILTON GRANGE LIBRARY
502 E. 8th St.
New York, NY 10031
212.926.2147

Mimi and Dona
Shown with: Coaching Colburn
Mon, Mar 16, 8:30 pm

Marie's Story
Mon, Mar 16, 8:30 pm

Gabriel
Tue, Mar 17, 6:30 pm

Login 2 Life
Shown with: Super
Tue, Mar 17, 8:30 pm

CLOSING NIGHT: The Special Need
Wed, Mar 18, 6:30 pm
Followed by Closing Night Reception

RELIABILITIES COMEDY NIGHT
Wed, Mar 18, 9 pm

HUNTER COLLEGE LANG RECITAL HALL
424 Hunter North Building
@ 68th St.
New York, NY 10021
212.772.4857

Keep Rollin'
Shown with: Coaching Colburn
Fri, Mar 13, 11 am
Opening Day Lunch

The Case of the Three Sided Dream
Fri, Mar 13, 2:30 pm

The Special Need
Wed, Mar 18, 2:45 pm

Marie's Story
Fri, Mar 18, 1 pm

SILBERMAN SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK
2480 Third Avenue
@ E. 19th St.
2nd Floor Auditorium
New York, NY 10035
212.396.7574

Endless Abilities
Sat, Mar 14, 1:30 pm

Autistic Like Me
Sat, Mar 14, 3:15 pm

THE INTREPID SEA, AIR & SPACE MUSEUM
1 Intrepid Sq
12th Ave @ 46th St
New York, NY 10036
646.381.5289

OPENING NIGHT GALA: The Finishers
Thu, Mar 12, 7 pm

The Finishers
Sat, Mar 14, 12 pm

The Astronaut's Secret
Shown with: Riding My Way Back
Sat, Mar 14, 2:30 pm

JOHN JAY COLLEGE OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE
524 W. 59th St
New York, NY 10019
212.237.8286

@ The Anya and Andrew Shiva Gallery: Gabriel
Thu, Mar 12, 6 pm
Followed by a reception

@ Student Dining Hall: On Beauty
Shown with: Riding My Way Back + Hear This
Tue, Mar 17, 1:30 pm

Endless Abilities
Shown with: Midfield
Fri, Mar 17, 4:30 pm

Reelationships
The Kiss, Rolling Romance, The Hyperplot, Guest Room, The Gift
Wed, Mar 18, 1:30 pm

Autistic Like Me: A Father's Perspective
Wed, Mar 18, 4:30 pm

LOWER EAST SIDE GIRLS CLUB
502 E. 8th St @ Ave D
New York, NY
212.982.1633

On Beauty
Fri, Mar 13, 6 pm

LINCOLN CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS
David Rubenstein Atrium
61 W. 60th St
New York, NY 10023
212.875.5375

Autistic Like Me: A Father's Perspective
Mon, Mar 16, 7 pm

THE MAYSLES CINEMA & MAYSLES INSTITUTE
343 Lenox Ave
@ Malcolm X Blvd
New York, NY 10027
212.577.6643

Mimi and Dona
Sun, Mar 15, 7:30 pm

MID-MANHATTAN PUBLIC LIBRARY
455 8th Ave
1st Floor Corner Room
New York, NY 10016
212.340.0863

Autistic Like Me: A Father's Perspective
Fri, Mar 13, 12 pm

Endless Abilities
Fri, Mar 13, 12 pm

Marie's Story
Sat, Mar 14, 12 pm

The Case of the Three Sided Dream
Sat, Mar 14, 3 pm

Jon Imber's Left Hand
Sun, Mar 15, 2 pm

MULBERRY STREET LIBRARY
10 Jersey St
New York, NY 10012
212.966.3424

The Case of the Three Sided Dream
Sat, Mar 14, 2 pm

NYU CHILD STUDY CENTER
1 Park Ave, 7th floor
New York, NY 10016
646.754.4882

Autistic Like Me: A Father's Perspective
Mon, Mar 16, 6 pm

NYU LANGONE MEDICAL CENTER
550 First Ave @ E 30th St
Alumni Hall B
New York, NY 10016
212.998.3759

Riding My Way Back
Shown with: On Beauty
Fri, Mar 13, 2 pm

PACE UNIVERSITY
3 Spruce St.
8 Level, Angelo Bianco Room
New York, NY 10038
212.346.1013

Login 2 Life
Tue, Mar 17, 12 pm

Keep Rollin'
Tue, Mar 17, 2 pm

RELIABILITIES ENCORE PRESENTATION
Mar 23 - 25 @ Pace University
Check ny.reliabilities.org for details

THE NEW SCHOOL UNIVERSITY WOLLMAN HALL
65 W. 18th St, 5th floor
New York, NY 10003
212.229.5626

The Case of the Three Sided Dream
Sat, Mar 14, 3 pm

THE NEW SCHOOL UNIVERSITY THERESA LANG COMMUNITY & STUDENT CENTER
55 W. 13th St
2nd floor
New York, NY 10011
212.229.5626

Jon Imber's Left Hand
Wed, Mar 18, 6:30 pm

WASHINGTON HEIGHTS LIBRARY
1000 St. Nicholas Ave
New York, NY 10032
212.923.6054

Autistic Like Me: A Father's Perspective
Sat, Mar 14, 2 pm

BROOKLYN

BROOKLYN MUSEUM
200 Eastern Pkwy
Sackler Center for Feminist Art, 4th floor
Brooklyn, NY 11238
718.638.5000

JUDITH SCOTT—BOUND AND UNBOUND EXHIBIT
Through Mar 29th

BROOKLYN PUBLIC LIBRARY
Duck Center
10 Grand Army Plaza
Brooklyn, NY 11238
718.230.2100

The Case of the Three Sided Dream
Thu, Mar 12, 7 pm

YAD HACHAZAKAH & BCID AT THE ACTOR'S FUND ARTS CENTER
160 Schoenhorn St
Brooklyn, NY 11201
646.723.3955

The Case of the Three Sided Dream
Shown with: Riding My Way Back
Sun, Mar 15, 2 pm

SHOREFRONT Y & YWHA OF BRIGHTON BEACH & MANHATTAN BEACH
3300 Coney Island Ave
Brooklyn, NY 11235
718.646.1444

Music for Autism
Sun, Mar 15, 12 pm

Bronx

BRONX LIBRARY CENTER
310 East Kingsbridge Rd
Bronx, NY 10458
718.579.4244

Riding My Way Back
Thu, Mar 12, 11 am

LEHMAN COLLEGE
250 Bedford Park Blvd
West Building
Music Faculty Dining Room
Bronx, NY 10458
718.960.8441

Reel Encounters:
On Beauty, Midfield, Guest Room, Coaching Colburn, The Kiss
Tue, Mar 15, 5 pm

The Finishers
Tue, Mar 17, 7 pm

Riding My Way Back
Shown with: The Astronaut's Secret + Rolling Romance
Wed, Mar 18, 5 pm

Autistic Like Me: A Father's Perspective
Wed, Mar 18, 7 pm

MORRIS PARK LIBRARY
985 Morris Park Ave
Bronx, NY 10462
718.931.0336

Autistic Like Me: A Father's Perspective
Shown with: Coaching Colburn
Sat, Mar 14, 11 am

QUEENS

CENTRAL QUEENS Y & SAMUEL FIELDS Y
67-09 108 St
Forest Hills, NY 11375
718.268.5011

The Finishers
Thu, Mar 12, 2 pm

Autistic Like Me: A Father's Perspective
Sun, Mar 15, 10 am

Reel Encounters:
On Beauty, Midfield, Q Film + Hear This
Sun, Mar 15, 2 pm

Mimi and Dona
Shown with: Guest Room
Mon, Mar 16, 12:30 pm

MUSEUM OF THE MOVING IMAGE
Barfuss Screening Room
36-01 35 Ave @ 37 St
Astoria, NY 11806
718.777.6888

The Finishers
Sat, Mar 14, 2 pm

Marie's Story
Sat, Mar 14, 5 pm

Gabriel
Sun, Mar 15, 2 pm

The Special Need
Sun, Mar 15, 5 pm

STATEN ISLAND

STATEN ISLAND JCC
1466 Manor Rd
Staten Island, NY 10314
718.475.5291

Jon Imber's Left Hand
Sun, Mar 15, 6 pm

No Ordinary Hero: The SuperDeafly Movie
Mon, Mar 16, 6 pm

Reel Encounters
Tue, Mar 17, 6 pm

WESTCHESTER

ALAMO DRAFFHOUSE YONKERS
2548 Central Park Ave
Yonkers, NY 10710
914.226.3082

Mimi and Dona
Sun, Mar 15, 3 pm

JACOB BURNS FILM CENTER
364 Manville Rd
Pleasantville, NY 10570
914.747.5555

The Case of the Three Sided Dream
Thu, Mar 12, 7:30 pm

EMELIN THEATER
153 Liberty Ln
Mamaroneck, NY 10543
914.698.0098

The Finishers
Wed, Mar 18, 7:30 pm

WESTCHESTER INSTITUTE FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT
Auditorium, Cedarwood Hall
Valhalla, NY 10595
914.493.8993

Autistic Like Me: A Father's Perspective
Sun, Mar 15, 2 pm

LONG ISLAND

ADELPHI UNIVERSITY PERFORMING ARTS CENTER
1 South Ave
Garden City, NY 11530
516.877.4000

Autistic Like Me: A Father's Perspective
Thu, Mar 12, 6 pm

CINEMA ARTS CENTRE
423 Park Ave
Huntington, NY 11043
631.423.7010

The Case of the Three Sided Dream
Sun, Mar 15, 1 pm
Followed by reception

Jon Imber's Left Hand
Sun, Mar 15, 4:15 pm

COLD COAST ARTS CENTER
Bowtie Square Cinemas
115 Middle Neck Rd
Great Neck, NY 11021
516.829.2570

Marie's Story
Thu, Mar 12, 7:30 pm

LIU POST
Cinema at Hillwood Commons
720 Northern Blvd
Brooklyn, NY 11548
516.299.3812

Mimi and Dona
Mon, Mar 16, 3 pm

Autistic Like Me: A Father's Perspective
Wed, Mar 18, 7 pm

ROCKLAND

JCC ROCKLAND
450 West Nyack Rd
West Nyack, NY 10994
845.362.4400

Jon Imber's Left Hand
Shown with: The Astronaut's Secret
Thu, Mar 12, 1:30 pm + 7:30 pm

Endless Abilities
Tue, Mar 17, 1:30 pm
Wed, Mar 18, 1:30 pm

Presented by JCC Manhattan, the 7th Annual ReelAbilities: NY Disabilities Film Festival is dedicated to promoting awareness and appreciation of the lives, stories and artistic expressions of people with different abilities. The festival presents award-winning films in various locations throughout the NYC metropolitan area. Discussions and other engaging programs bring the community together to explore, discuss and celebrate the diversity of our shared human experience.

NY.RELIABILITIES.ORG

jcc manhattan EVERYBODY EXTRAORDINARY

7TH ANNUAL REELABILITIES: NY DISABILITIES FILM FESTIVAL

MAR 12-18, 2015

Manhattan | Bronx | Brooklyn | Queens | Staten Island
Long Island | Westchester | Rockland

ACCESSIBILITY INFORMATION
ReelAbilities strives for inclusion of all people. Individuals needing accommodations to participate should contact the screening venue directly by February 26. ASL interpretation, CART, Audio Description, and information in Braille are available upon request. **All films are captioned and all venues are wheelchair accessible.**

Audio Description provided by Michele Spitz, Erin deWard, and David Linton.

TICKET INFORMATION
Admission varies by location. Tickets are available online starting February 12. To purchase tickets by phone please contact the screening venue directly. Group rates and discounted passes are available.

Please visit ny.reliabilities.org or contact the screening venue directly.



PROGRAM UPDATES, ADDITIONAL INFORMATION + TICKETS

NY.RELIABILITIES.ORG

646.505.5708 | TTY 877.505.6708

#RELIABILITIES

REELABILITIES RED CARPET OPENING NIGHT

THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 7 PM

INTREPID SEA, AIR & SPACE MUSEUM
1 Intrepid Square, 12th Ave @ 46th St
New York, NY 10036

FEATURING THE NY PREMIERE OF
THE FINISHERS
(see FILMS for description)

SPECIAL PERFORMANCE BY VISIONARY MEDIA ARTIST
BLESSING OFFOR
The Voice Season 7 contestant

Followed by conversation and Opening Night After Party at Hudson Terrace

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION + TICKETS: REELABILITIES.ORG/REDCARPET

CO-CHAIRS
Heidi and Steven Lurensky
Jordana and David Manzano

Current as of January 29. Please visit NY.RELIABILITIES.ORG for a full list of partners.



AUTISTIC LIKE ME: A FATHER'S PERSPECTIVE
CHARLES JONES | USA | 2014 | 82 MIN | DOCUMENTARY
A candid portrait of the fathers and male caregivers of children with autism. Dispelling the "big boys don't cry" myth, a group of fathers opens up to each other about the parenting experiences being very different than the ones they had envisioned.

THE CASE OF THE THREE SIDED DREAM
ADAM KAHAN | USA | 2014 | 88 MIN | DOCUMENTARY
The life story of jazz legend Rahsaan Roland Kirk, who was known for playing multiple instruments at once, for his comical and political interjections on stage, and for creating music about becoming blind as an infant.

ENDLESS ABILITIES
RICHARD BURELL + TRIPP CLEMENS | USA | 2013 | 72 MIN | DOCUMENTARY
Best friends with spinal cord injuries drive across the country in search of adaptive sports for individuals with physical disabilities, joining many people from rehabilitation patients to Paralympic athletes in a range of sports.

THE FINISHERS
NILS TRAVENIER | FRANCE/BELGIUM | 2013 | 95 MIN | NARRATIVE
At 17 years old, Julien has a great sense of humor bags of charm, and cerebral palsy. In a bid to bond with his distant father, Julien challenges him to competing together in the Ironman triathlon—a near impossible feat.

GABRIEL
LOU HOWE | USA | 2014 | 87 MIN | NARRATIVE
Gabriel (Rory Culkin) longs for stability and happiness amidst an ongoing struggle with a mental disorder. Convinced that reuniting with his ex-girlfriend is the key to happiness, Gabriel tests the limits of his family in a desperate and increasingly obsessive pursuit.

JON IMBER'S LEFT HAND
RICHARD KANE | USA | 2014 | 63 MIN | DOCUMENTARY
When ALS began to affect artist Jon Imber, he switched from painting with his right hand to his left, and then with both hands at his waist. Imber's paintings and intimate conversations with his wife reveal his fears as his degenerative condition worsens.

KEEP ROLLIN'
STEFAN HILLERBRAND + OLIVER PAULUS | SWITZERLAND/GERMANY | 2013 | 95 MIN | NARRATIVE
The story of a guy who is fed up with being in a group home, having to use a wheelchair, and the fact that his caretaker is in a relationship with sleazy Marc. When he just can't take it anymore, he plots how to rob the gas station where Marc works.

LOGIN 2 LIFE
DANIEL MOSHEL | USA | 2012 | 86 MIN | DOCUMENTARY
A fascinating look at the growing number of people who are spending much of their lives in online virtual worlds. For many people with disabilities, these worlds open up new paths for friendships, employment, and sexual exploration.

MARIE'S STORY
JEAN-PIERRE AMERIS | FRANCE | 2014 | 95 MIN | NARRATIVE
Based on real-life events, the story of Marie, a deaf and blind fourteen-year-old girl. At the Lamy Institute, Sister Marguerite, a young nun, takes Marie under her wing and begins to help her communicate with the world around her.

MIMI AND DONA
SOPHIE SARTAIN | USA | 2014 | 66 MIN | DOCUMENTARY
92-year-old Mimi has cared for Dona, her daughter who has an Intellectual disability, for 64 years. Aging means facing the fact that she will not outlive her daughter. The film spotlights the challenges of aging caregivers and the ripple effects of Dona's disability on three generations of a Texas family.

NO ORDINARY HERO: THE SUPERDEAFLY MOVIE
TROY KOTSRU | USA | 2013 | 78 MIN | NARRATIVE
Tony Kane plays a superhero on TV, but in real life he's just another guy who happens to be deaf. Eight-year-old Jacob Lang is also deaf and is having a hard time. When Tony and Jacob's paths cross, they inspire belief in each other and in themselves.

THE SPECIAL NEED
CARLO ZORATTI | ITALY/GERMANY/AUSTRIA/France | 2013 | 84 MIN | DOCUMENTARY
28-year-old Enea is looking for love—physical love that is. But as Enea has autism, and lives in Italy, finding it is anything but easy. So he and his best friends set out on a journey through Europe and eventually find a lot more than they are looking for.



THE ASTRONAUT'S SECRET
ZACH JANOWICZ | USA | 30 MIN | DOCUMENTARY
In 1996, during a NASA Space Shuttle Mission, Michael "Rich" Clifford performed the first American spacewalk while docked at the Mir Space Station. Fifteen years later, Rich Clifford reveals that he had Parkinson's disease while performing that spacewalk and that NASA knew of his ailment.

COACHING COLBURN
JEFF BEMISS + TRINITY COLLEGE FILM CLASS | USA | 16 MIN | DOCUMENTARY
James Colburn was born with Fragile X Syndrome. At 26, he is a child at heart who finds joy in small things and uses his gift of comedic timing to inspire those around him.

GUEST ROOM
JOSHUA TATE | USA | 14 MIN | NARRATIVE
A young woman with Down syndrome grapples with her identity and her potential as a mother after an unplanned pregnancy with her boyfriend Stanning Lauren Potter (Olé).

THE GIFT
SPENCER HARVEY + LLOYD HARVEY | AUSTRALIA | 16 MIN | NARRATIVE
Grace is forced to face her own sexuality and the strain on her marriage when her son Charlie, who has cerebral palsy, asks to lose his virginity for his birthday.

THE KISS
CHARLIE SWINBOURNE | UK | 7 MIN | NARRATIVE
When a couple on a first date strikes up a conversation with the couple at the next table, they find themselves witnessing a very unusual kiss.

MIDFIELD
FEDRO AMORIM | PORTUGAL | 6 MIN | DOCUMENTARY
A gorgeously realized profile of an ordinary workday in the life of a stvedore, who executes his job with surprising grace and simplicity—but when Sunday comes, an altogether different man emerges.

ON BEAUTY
JOANNA RUDNICK | USA/KENYA | 30 MIN | DOCUMENTARY
Photographer Rick Guidotti left the fashion world when he grew frustrated with having to work within the restrictive parameters of his lack of approval procedure. Accessibility hours can be scheduled on a by-request basis by emailing access@brooklynmuseum.org. Through March 29 @ Brooklyn Museum

JERRY MCGILL: AUTHOR TALK
Jerry McGill was thirteen years old, walking home through the LES projects, when a stranger shot him in the back. Jerry survived and became a quadriplegic. The man who shot him was never caught. Thirty years later, Jerry addresses him in a memoir and with grace, honesty, and humor, takes us on a dramatic and inspiring journey—from the streets of 1980s New York, to the challenges of living with a disability, to the long, difficult road to acceptance, forgiveness and, ultimately, triumph.
Sat, Mar 14, 2:30 pm @ JCC Manhattan

AUDIO DESCRIPTION FOR FILM: PRESENTATION + CONVERSATION
Using film excerpts and conversation, ReelAbilities' talented and dedicated audio describers David Linton, Erin deWard and Michele Spitz will demonstrate how an audio description track is created for a film and the decisions that the describers need to make.
Sat, Mar 14, 4 pm @ JCC Manhattan

MUSIC FOR AUTISM
An interactive "autism friendly" concert featuring a performance by Percussia (percussion), featuring harp, percussion, flute, and viola. Join us for this enticing and inclusive program and experience the joy and power of music as a family. Open to individuals with autism and their families. *Advanced registration required.*
Visit www.musicforautism.org/concerts for information and free registration.
Sun, Mar 15, 12 pm @ SHOREFRONT YWHA of Brighton Beach + Manhattan Beach

JUDITH SCOTT—BOUND AND UNBOUND
Born with Down syndrome and unable to speak or hear, Judith Scott (1943-2005) lived in isolation for many years, before being introduced to Creative Growth. Through this visionary art center in Oakland, California, Scott spent the last eighteen years of her life creating extraordinary and idiosyncratic objects, working methodically on each piece over a period of weeks or months. Scott's work is renowned for its intuition and originality, and celebrated for its lack of apparent precedent. Accessibility hours can be scheduled on a by-request basis by emailing access@brooklynmuseum.org. Through March 29 @ Brooklyn Museum

DCTV FILMMAKING WORKSHOP WITH FILMMAKERS WITH DISABILITIES
Founded in 1972, DCTV provides affordable filmmaking workshops, equipment rentals, post-production facilities, screenings, and a renowned youth program. In 2014, DCTV inaugurated the Media Enabled Muskeeters program for individuals with disabilities and filmmakers interested in disability issues. Join us for screenings of the Media Enabled Muskeeters films and a speed filmmaking workshop for beginners.
Advanced registration recommended.
Sat, Mar 15, 12 pm @ JCC Manhattan

(INVISIBLE)
Join Michigan's Supreme Court Justice Richard Bernstein in conversation with Jason Harris, founder of Jason's Connections, who will share their experiences, views, and message on life with a disability—the visible and the hidden.
Saturday, March 14, 4:30pm @ JCC Manhattan

REELABILITIES COMEDY NIGHT
Don't miss this special evening featuring a remarkable cast of comedians and performers, celebrating diversity and creativity with laughter and humor. In memory of Stella Young.
Wed, Mar 18, 9 pm @ JCC Manhattan

PROGRAM UPDATES, ADDITIONAL INFORMATION + TICKETS
NY.RELIABILITIES.ORG