

Film title

U: July 22

Tagline

72 minutes that shook Europe

Short synopsis

A teenage girl struggles to survive and to find her younger sister during the July 2011 terrorist mass murder at a political summer camp on the Norwegian island of Utøya.

Long synopsis

On July 22 2011 more than 500 youths at a political summer camp on an island outside Oslo were attacked by an armed, right-wing extremist. Earlier that day he bombed a Government building in Oslo before making his way to Utøya island. In this first fictional movie about the attack we get to know Kaja (18) and her friends. The movie starts when the youngsters, shocked by the bombing in Oslo, are reassuring their relatives that they are far away from the incident. Suddenly, the safe atmosphere is shattered when shots are heard. We then follow Kaja as she tries to survive - minute by minute.

Technical information and credits

Original title: Utøya 22. juli
English title: U: July 22
Year: 2018
Country: Norway
Language: no, en
Subtitles: cz
Running time: 93 min
Dostupnost: 15+

Genre: Drama, Thriller
Directed by: Erik Poppe
Written by: Erik Poppe
Edited by: Anna Bache-Wiig, Siv Rajendram Eliassen
Cinematography: Einar Egeland
Sound by: Wolfgang Plagge

Awards

Berlinale IFF - Main competition - 2018
European Film Awards - European Cinematography - 2018
Amanda Awards - Best Actress, Best Supporting Actress - 2018

Actors

Andrea Berntzen, Aleksander Holmen, Solveig Birkeland

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