Thursday, January 28
5:15 PM
Lucy Ellis Lounge (Room 1080), FLB (707 S. Mathews)

Cyprus, 2008
Languages: Greek with English subtitles
Director: Corinna Avraamidou

A love story set amid the unstable political landscape of 1974 Cyprus. A world of beauty and innocence will be threatened, while loss and betrayal will change things forever.

A menage a trois with two brothers falling for the same woman, a prophetic staging of Euripides' "Trojan Women" at the seaside town, a passionate nationalist who is driven to the extreme: a small community living its personal stories, dreams, hidden and compelling desires, set at the backdrop of the political turbulence of that summer.

Compelling desires.
Hidden secrets.
Distant threats.
A family’s age of innocence is put to the test.

Best Newcomer Director Award
(25th Alexandria International Film Festival 2009)
Best Feature Film Award
(London Greek Film Festival 2009)
Official Selection
(Chicago 12th EU Film Festival 2009)

The film will be followed by a roundtable with UIUC faculty discussants.

This film event is related to the theme of the Workshop:
“Violence, Trauma and Displacement in Eurasia and the Middle East”,
organized by CSAMES on January 29 & 30.
For more information about the workshop, please see csames.illinois.edu

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