

### PRESS KIT

### **AFTER COLOSSUS**

This film is produced by Lo schermo dell'arte with Centro per l'Arte Contemporanea Luigi Pecci, Prato with the support of the Visio Production Fund co-produced by TAK Studioworks co-funded by Mondriaan Fund and kohesi initiatives

Directed by
Timoteus Anggawan Kusno
Produced by
Leonardo Bigazzi

Genre: Short Fiction
Duration: 29 minutes
Color Format: Color

**Audio:** 5.1 Surround Sound **Projection Format:** DCP 2K

Frame Rate: 25fps **Aspect Ratio:** 4:3

Language: Bahasa Indonesia with English

Subtitles

Production Year: 2024 Production Country:

Italy, Netherlands, Indonesia

### Logline

In the chaotic aftermath of Indonesia's dictatorship collapse, researchers discover a forgotten archive revealing a covert military project that manipulated dreams and memories.

### **Synopsis**

Amid the mass hysteria over the killings of alleged sorcerers following the collapse of Suharto's authoritarian regime in 1999, a group of researchers discovers a sack of mysterious documents. As they sift through its contents—unsettling reports, enigmatic photographs, and fragmented recordings—they gradually piece together a hidden story: a secretive military project in which rural children were taken and subjected to covert experiments and indoctrination. Drawing from magical realism and mysticism, Kusno's fiction utilises a blend of formats—including Super 8mm, Hi8, Video8, digital 35mm, and Al-generated images trained on historical and family photo archives—to speculate on the blind spots of Indonesia's turbulent history.



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### **Director's Bio**

Timoteus Anggawan Kusno is a visual artist-filmmaker who composes and expands his works across various mediums, including installations and institutional interventions. He renders narratives that stretch across the liminality of fiction, history, fantasy, and memory. Kusno has been commissioned to show his work internationally in several cultural institutions and biennales, including the Rijksmuseum Amsterdam in the Netherlands; the National Museum of Modern and Contemporary Art (MMCA) in Seoul, South Korea; the Mumbai City Museum in India; the Museum of Contemporary Art (MoCA) in Taipei, Taiwan; BOZAR Brussels, Belgium; the Gwangju Biennale in South Korea, among others. In 2021, Kusno was honored with the Video Production Award from the Han Nefkens Foundation - Loop Barcelona. In 2023, he received the VISIO -European Programme on Artists' Moving Images production grant, co-produced with Lo Schermo dell'arte and Centro per l'Arte Contemporanea Luigi Pecci in Prato, Italy. In 2024, he was granted the Locarno Residency at the Locarno Film Festival. His films have been showcased at international film festivals, including Berlinale, IFFR Rotterdam, CPH:DOX Copenhagen, Dok.Leipzig, Ji.hlava IDFF, among others. In 2025, the International Film Festival Rotterdam has a focused program on his works. He lives and works between Amsterdam (NL) and Yogyakarta (ID).



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#### Producer's Bio

Leonardo Bigazzi is a curator and artist's film producer based in Florence. He is curator at Fondazione In Between Art Film (2020-ongoing). In his role he co-curated the exhibitions Penumbra and Nebula on the occasion of the Biennali Arte 2022 and 2024, and Ali Cherri: Dreamless Night at GAMeC, Bergamo, and FRAC Bretagne, Rennes. He is also the curator of Lo schermo dell'arte. Florence (2008- ongoing); the founder and curator of VISIO -European Programme on Artists' Moving Images (2012ongoing); and was the founder and co-director of Feature Expanded (2015-18). For Lo schermo dell'arte, he has been also responsible for projects with artists Rosa Barba, Omer Fast, Hassan Khan, Hiroshi Sugimoto, and Hito Steyerl. He has curated exhibitions and film programs at Paul Klee Zentrum, Bern; Fundació Antoni Taapies, Barcelona; Palazzo Grassi-Pinault Collection, Venice; MAXXI Museum, Rome; and Palazzo Strozzi, Florence; among others. He commissioned and/or produced over thirty artist's films that were presented at Tate, London; Museum of Modern Art, New York; Centre Pompidou, Paris; Biennale Arte, Venice; and Manifesta, among others. Machine Boys by Karimah Ashadu, that he produced, was awarded the Silver Lion for a Promising Young Artist at the Biennale Arte 2024, Venice. He edited and contributed to several publications and recently edited the book VISIO -Moving Images in Europe since the 2010s.

## DIRECTOR TIMOTEUS ANGGAWAN KUSNO

# SCREENPLAY JOHANNES WEILL TIMOTEUS ANGGAWAN KUSNO

## PRODUCER **LEONARDO BIGAZZI**

## CO-PRODUCERS ANITA REZA ZEIN TIMOTEUS ANGGAWAN KUSNO

## DIRECTOR OF PHOTOGRAPHY ADITYA KRESNA

## EDITOR KRISNA E. PUTRANTO

PRODUCTION DESIGNERS
ANNISA P. CINDERAKASIH
GATA MAHARDIKA

## CAST

Rafflesia 4 & Rampak Buto	Ari Dwianto
Doctor, Shaman & Rampak Buto	Jamaluddin Latif
Young Rafflesia	Nizar Tama
Warna	Annisa Hertami
Gatot	Berti Galang
Bening	Anita Reza Zein
Instructor	Irfan Darajat
Soldier 1	Steve Gumilar
Soldier 2	Dek Wawan
Soldier 3	Aryudha Fasha
Minivan Driver	Fuad Nurdiansyah
Choir	Agnes Calista Kirana Jati
	Angela Merici Ananya Setyawati
	Aura Latisha
	Aurelia Jhody Kadoena
	Bernadeta Lakisha Nadine
	Clara Bellvania Mutiara Firsha
	Dhea Calista
	Eleonora Evania K.
	Felicita Marsha Mey Windrani
	Fidelis Aprilino Roesaputra
	Franzesca Frisca Fidelya
	Imanuela Gloria Renada Prabowo
	Laurensia Loly Griselda
	Michaela Frea Kanaka
	Nathanael Arsenio Nayaka
	Rafael Christo Putra Prasetya
	Scholastica Amecool Crishona Valen
	Stefany Nathania Suryani Putri
	Tzuriel Adiwidya
	Venantius Kenzie Savero
Choir Directors	Martinus Fuji Haryoko, S.Pd.
	Ignasia Yuliastika, S.Pd.

### **CREW**

Unit Production Manager	Rizky Firliansyah	
Line Producer	Anita Reza Zein	
Assistant Director	Agge Akbar	
Acting Coach	Jamaluddin Latif	
Talent Coordinator	Aryudha Fasha	
Camera Video8 & Hi8	Anita Reza Zein	
Camera Super 8mm	Timoteus Anggawan Kusno	
Assistant Camera	Aji Permana	
Camera Guard	Yusuf Anas Alqasmal	
Generator Guard	Sinur	
Dolly Guard	Imam Ceplik	
DIT	Stiven Andhica Chaniago	
Editor on Location	Krisna E. Putranto	
Location Team	Wilson Lie	
	Danang Prasetyo	
	Sahrul Firmansyah	
Clapper	Calfin Fasha	
Gaffer	Fafan Putra Pratama	
Lighting Team	Arfendo Windy Saputro	
	M. Ridwan Adzani	
	Rizky Galuh Novandra	
	Pisa Ending Kurnia	
Sound Recordist	Prima Setiawan	
Boom Operator	Adi Safitra	
Make Up & Wardrobe Supervisor	Anismcaw	

Wardrobe	Fifi Rosi	
Assistant	Risna E. Yuniar	
Make Up	Serlin Oktuari	
MUW Team Runner	Adi Ihsan Kurniawan	
Prop Master	Wildan Putra Pratama	
Prop Buyer	Reffi Harliansyah	
Set Dresser	Andhika Krismandana	
Standby Set	Aries 'Tataw' M. S.	
Behind the Scene Videographer	Rizky Zulfi Anwar	
Behind the Scene Photographers	Anita Reza Zein	
	Krisna E. Putranto	
Poster Designer	Wulang Sunu	
Translator & Subtitle	Maria Puspitasari Munthe	
Child Psychologist	Elisabeth Desiana Mayasari	
Craft Service	Muhammad Akhwan "Boas"	
	Didik	
	Putro	
	Fatikin	
Rain Stopper	Rere	
KHDT Kaliurang	Paulus	
אחטו אמוועומווץ		
	Agus	
Linmas Kaliurang Timur	Bu Susi	
Captain Driver	Yaumul Huda	
Drivers	lwon	
	Trijo	
	Didik	
	Dandi	
	Asep	

AFTERTAKE POST PRODUCTION		
Managing Director	Akhmad Fesdi Anggoro	
Colorist	Muda Budiman	
Post Manager	Rimandha Tasya Febriliani	
Studio Manager & Finance	Arya Sweta	
FOURMIX AUDIO POST		
Re-recording Mixer	Arib Amrussahal	
NEIGHBOURHOOD		
Studio Manager	Saiful Bahri	
Post-Production Support	Tegar Dyon Muhammad	
Sound Designer	Prima Setiawan	
HGLABS		
Sound Effect Editor	Hengga Tiyasa	
Foley Artist	Alan	
UNHISTORIED		
Archivist & Workshop	Arif Furqan	
SONG CREDIT		
Nyanyian Rafflesia Composed by: Ananda Badudu Performed by: Kanibra Voice Paduan Suara SD Kanisius Wirobrajan  Credit Title Composed and performed by Gardika Gigih		