

Circle Award Jury Statement

THE DEEP by Baltasar Kormakur is a universal and ageless story of survival, both physical and emotional, in the fine tradition of odyssey epics. Through outstandingly skillful development of the story and characters as well as film techniques - including camera, editing and direction of actors - we are immersed in specific times, places and circumstances in ways that are, at the same time, ageless and universal. The film explores and reveals on many levels how circumstances in life can make us do and be more than we ever thought we could.

Jury Members

Susan Barocas

Alberto Casciero

Manjula Kumar

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