**BFI Project : TUVALU: LIVE**

**November 2017**

**Proposed dates 5 & 6 November at Hull Truck Theatre**

**TUVALU: LIVE**

UK Premiere

Live score by Mr Lee and IvanEsky

Target audience – world cinema fans, fans of modern silent film (The Artist), contemporary music

Run time: 86 minutes plus introduction. No interval.

Age recommendation: 5+

Set up time: approx 3 hours set up plus 90 minute run through

**Brief overview:**

Live Cinema UK presents the first of three major new commissions as part of our Creative Europe-funded project Live Cinema EU. The 20th Motovun Film Festival presented a world premiere live score on Friday 28th July 2017 performed by [Mr. Lee and Ivane Sky](https://www.facebook.com/MrLeeIvaneSky/) and their band to [***Tuvalu***](http://www.motovunfilmfestival.com/page/index/id/1019)by German filmmaker Veit Helmer: a contemporary silent film and homage to the motion picture pioneers such as Georges Melies, one of the great modern silent films which was a precursor to best Picture winner The Artist.

Croatian artists Damir Martinović “Mrle" (Let 3) and Ivanka Mazurkijević collectively known as Mr Lee and Ivane Sky are not the only performers, however: they are accompanied by up to 12 volunteers from the audience, using string and wind instruments (Mrle’s invention utilising water cooler bottles, springs, bows and microphones), regardless of their musical talent.

Additionally, the whole audience become part of the screening with bespoke digital integration, data and evaluation techniques, developed by [Boombeam](https://boombeam.io/) in partnership the band to interact with key moments in the film via their mobile phones: clapping, gargling, cheering, booing, dancing, and kissing…

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