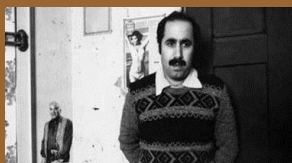


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## 15th Annual Iranian Film Festival

— All films will be shown in White Hall 208 —

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### *Far from Home*

**Friday, September 6, 2013**  
**8:00pm White Hall 208**

Directed by Sohrab Shahid Saless  
Actor Parviz Sayyad will be present for Q&A

Winner of numerous awards at International Film Festivals. Depicts life of immigrant workers and hardships of living in a foreign land. (Iran, Germany, 1975—91 minutes)

### *The Mission*

**Saturday, September 7, 2013**  
**5:00pm White Hall 208**

Directed by Parviz Sayyad  
Actor/Director Sayyad will be present for Q&A

As thrilling as it was first released 30 years ago, *The Mission* follows an Iranian assassin sent to the U.S. to kill one of Shah's former officials. (USA, 1983—103 minutes)

### *The Ghost Valley's Treasure Mysteries*

**Saturday, September 7, 2013**  
**8:00pm White Hall 208**

Directed by Ebrahim Golestan  
Actor Parviz Sayyad will be present for Q&A

In this comedy, an underground treasure changes the lives of villagers in Iran. The film was banned in Iran before and after revolution and has rarely been on the big screen. (Iran, 1974—118 minutes)

### *Facing Mirrors*

**Friday, September 13, 2013**  
**8:00pm White Hall 208**

Directed by Negar Azarbayjani

*Facing Mirrors* is a story of an unlikely friendship between a transgender girl and a traditional woman. (Iran, 2012—88 minutes)

### *Orion*

**Saturday, September 14, 2013**  
**8:00pm White Hall 208**

Directed by Zamani Esmati

*Orion* has Jafar Panahi's stamp as the editor. Filmed in Iran without official permit, it is a dread-filled look into Iran where threat and danger lurk beyond every corner. (Iran, 2010—76 minutes)

### *Parviz*

**Friday, September 20, 2013**  
**8:00pm White Hall 208**

Directed by Majid Barzegar

*Parviz*, a 50 year old man who still lives with his father, fights back against injustice done to him. (Iran, 2013—107 minutes)

### *A Cinema of Discontent*

**Saturday, September 21, 2013**  
**8:00pm White Hall 208**

Directed by Jamsheed Akrami  
Director Akrami will be present for Q&A

This film explores the censorship codes in Iran through analyzing clips from mainstream and art house films, and it features insightful interviews with 12 Iranian filmmakers. (USA, 2013—86 minutes)

TICKETS: \$8 general admission  
\$6 students  
More info: 678-357-3572

With thanks to Iranian cinema specialist, Reza Sohrabi for generously donating his time and expertise.

White Hall address: 301 Dowman Drive, Atlanta, GA 30322. Parking decks: Oxford, Fishburne, Peavine.