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THE ARAB INITIATIVE

Lotte Mik-Meyer, Denmark, 2008



58 min. | DK/Documentary



As a part of the Danish government's "The Arab Initiative", one of Europe's leading experts on Islam, the Danish scholar, Dr. Jakob Skovgaard-Petersen, is sent to Cairo with his family. His mission is to create a dialogue between the Middle East and Denmark. Complicated by the crisis following the Danish Mohammad cartoons, his brief is to mediate between differing political attitudes and cultural perceptions. In a visually engaging style, The Arab Initiative, invites us into a number of dialogues discussing related themes on religion and politics.

Basic information

Credits

Materials

Original title

Det arabiske initiativ

Danish title

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Keywords	Egypt , Muhammed crisis , The , Islam , Religion , Politics
Director	Lotte Mik-Meyer
Producer	Sara Stockmann
Director of Photography	Henrik Bohn Ipsen
Editor	Sara Reither
Sound	Morten Groth Brandt
Composer	Frithjof Toksvig
Appearance	Jakob Skovgaard-Petersen
Production country	Denmark
Technical info	color
Danish festival release	10.11.2008, Grand, Cph:Dox
DFI subsidy	Konsulentstøtte
Danish rating	Allowed for all

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