



**FEATURE FILM, DRAMA**

**production BLUE CINEMA TV (ITA)**

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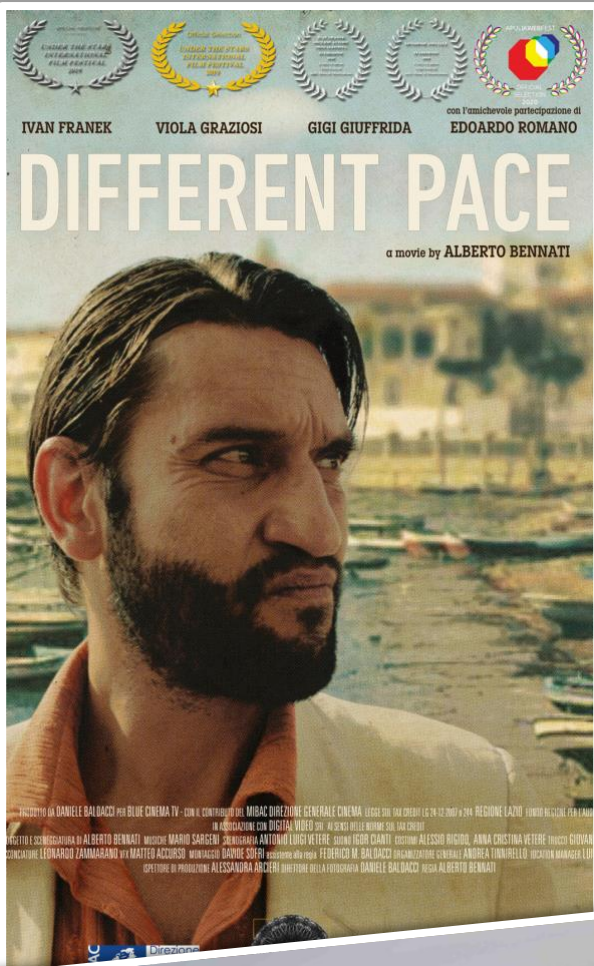
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15 years later, a young talented Manfredonian journalist, Mimi, out of work because the radio she worked in was unexpectedly sold, discovers by chance what occurred in the past when she was off to college. Then she begins to investigate the mysterious man who, years before, posing for a music manager, cheated the city involving it in a collective dream, triggering the generous spirit of the citizens and the desire of magic each of them was feeling. She comes close to the truth when she discovers he was an Albanian man. Once arrived in Albania, she finally finds the mother of the man. Listening to her stories about the past, the war and the childhood of this mysterious man, Mimi discovers the secret of that stranger, come from the other side of the sea to save many dreams, even her own!

