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Justice in Film

Explore how film has tackled social strife, morality, and the perennial struggle between right and wrong—conflicts that manifest across cultures and history.

Entrance to the film series is included with Museum Admission during New-York Historical's Pay-as-you-wish Friday Nights (6–8 pm). No advance reservations. Tickets are distributed on a first-come, first-served basis beginning at 6 pm. New-York Historical Society Members receive priority.

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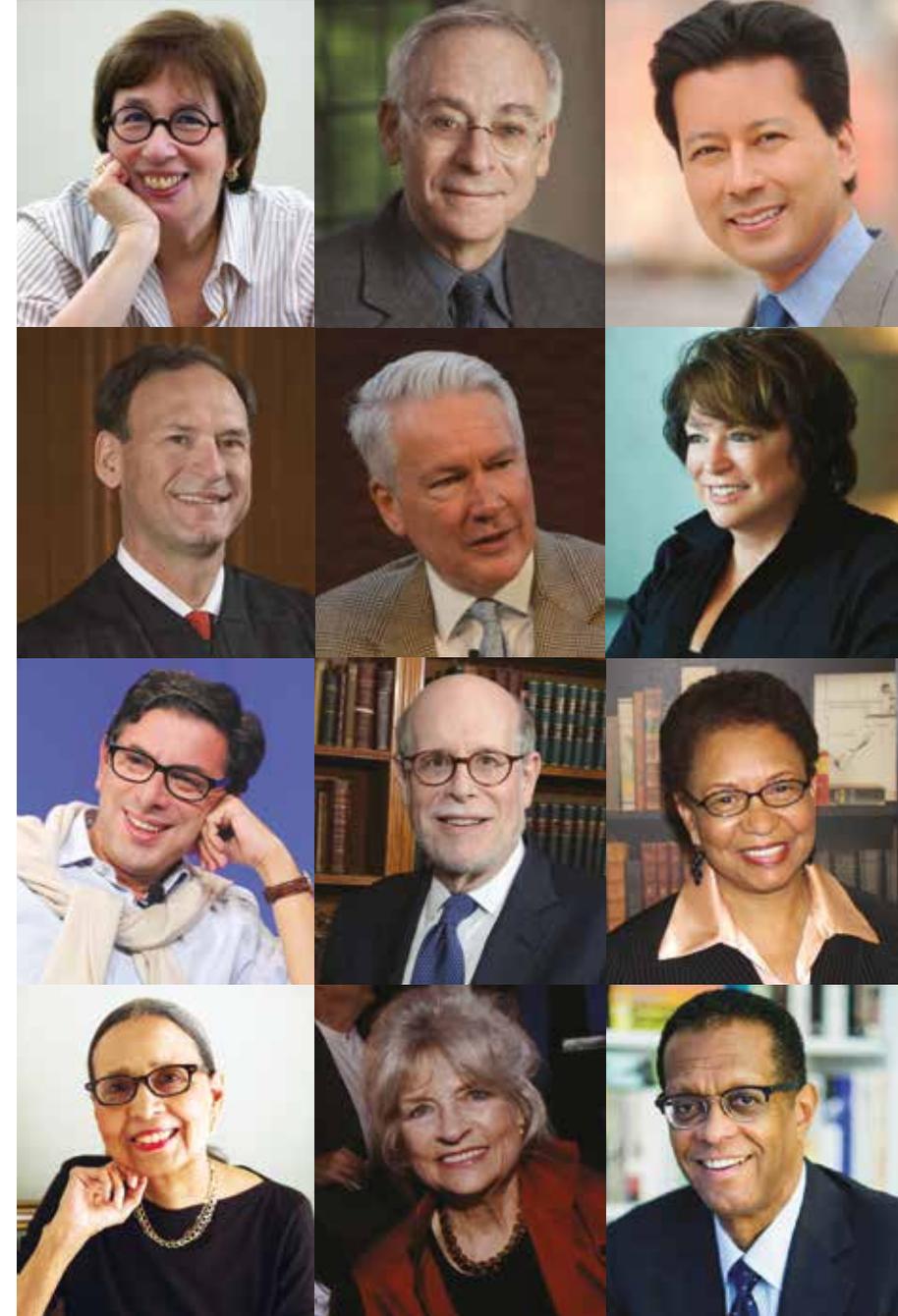
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Friday, October 7, 7 pm

The Best Man | 1964 | 102 min.

Two presidential candidates—one moralistic, the other ruthless—clash as they vie for their party's nomination. Opening remarks by constitutional scholar **Philip C. Bobbitt**. *Directed by Franklin J. Schaffner. Starring Henry Fonda, Cliff Robertson, Edie Adams.*

Friday, October 28, 7 pm

Network | 1976 | 121 min.

Linda Greenhouse, Lecturer at Yale Law School and Pulitzer Prize-winning writer, **Robert Post**, Dean of Yale Law School, and **Kenji Yoshino**, Professor of Constitutional Law at NYU School of Law, introduce the satirical dramedy in which a longtime network anchor, informed that poor ratings will force him off the air, goes mad on live television. *Directed by Sidney Lumet. Starring Faye Dunaway, William Holden, Peter Finch, Robert Duvall.*

Friday, November 18, 7 pm

Inherit the Wind | 1960 | 128 min.

Associate Justice, U.S. Supreme Court, **Samuel Alito** and constitutional scholar **Philip C. Bobbitt** introduce this fictional dramatization of the 1925 Scopes "Monkey" Trial in which lawyer Clarence Darrow, played by Spencer Tracy, must defend a man accused of teaching evolution in the classroom. *Directed by Stanley Kramer. Starring Spencer Tracy, Fredric March, Gene Kelly.*

Friday, December 9, 7 pm

Barefoot in the Park | 1967 | 106 min.

A newly married couple with opposite personalities clash after they move into a small New York City apartment. Filmmaker **Antonio Monda** and producer **Susan Lacy** present the romantic comedy. *Directed by Gene Saks. Starring Robert Redford, Jane Fonda.*

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Friday, January 27, 7 pm

The Shining | 1980 | 146 min.

During a long winter, a caretaker and his family find themselves isolated in a haunted hotel with the malevolent spirits of its past occupants. Filmmaker **Ric Burns** introduces Stanley Kubrick's iconic horror masterpiece. *Directed by Stanley Kubrick. Starring Jack Nicholson, Shelley Duvall, Danny Lloyd.*

Friday, February 10, 7 pm

Lincoln | 2012 | 150 min.

Set in 1865, Steven Spielberg's historical drama follows President Lincoln's struggle to persuade Congress to pass the 13th Amendment. Opening remarks by Civil War historians **Harold Holzer** and **Edna Greene Medford**. *Directed by Steven Spielberg. Starring Daniel Day-Lewis, Sally Field, Tommy Lee Jones.*

Friday, February 17, 7 pm

The Cider House Rules | 1999 | 126 min.

Linda Greenhouse, **Robert Post**, and **Kenji Yoshino** return for the drama about an orphan, trained as a talented yet unlicensed obstetrician, who decides to make his own way in life. *Directed by Lasse Hallström. Starring Tobey Maguire, Charlize Theron, Michael Caine.*

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Friday, March 3, 7 pm

Cabin in the Sky | 1943 | 98 min.

Gail Lumet Buckley, daughter of *Cabin in the Sky* star Lena Horne, and **Louise Kerz Hirschfeld**, President of the Al Hirschfeld Foundation, in conversation with journalist **Bob Herbert**, introduce the musical that follows Little Joe, a chronic gambler given a second chance at life in order to prove himself worthy of heaven. *Directed by Vincente Minnelli, Busby Berkeley (uncredited). Starring Ethel Waters, Eddie "Rochester" Anderson, Lena Horne.*

Friday, March 10, 7 pm

Notorious | 1946 | 101 min.

Ron Simon, Senior Curator at the Paley Center for Media, and **Dale Gregory**, New-York Historical's Vice President for Public Programs, present the Hitchcock thriller starring Cary Grant as a U.S. agent and Ingrid Bergman as the daughter of a Nazi spy, both assigned with infiltrating her father's group of Nazi friends. *Directed by Alfred Hitchcock. Starring Cary Grant, Ingrid Bergman, Claude Rains.*



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