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For Immediate Release: October 11, 2016

24th RENDEZVOUS WITH MADNESS Film Festival Opening Night Gala

Joey Klein's acclaimed 2016 SXSW hit starring: Tatiana Maslany (*Orphan Black*), Tom Cullen (*Downton Abbey*) and Henry Czerny (*The Ice Storm*, *Mission: Impossible*)

The Other Half

JOEY KLEIN / 2016 / CANADA / 103 MINUTES / ENGLISH / TORONTO PREMIERE / 18A

Emily (Tatiana Maslany) and Nicky (Tom Cullen), carry some mighty heavy baggage into their relationship: she's a bipolar woman who lives on emotional extremities, and he's careening from a family trauma that leaves him explosively angry.

It's time to purge.

The Other Half, a made-in-Toronto romantic drama, enjoyed its world premiere in competition at SXSW 2016. This moving, unflinching account of people trying to breach their own issues to reach each other was hailed by Variety's Justin Chang as "an accomplished debut feature . . . Tom Cullen and Tatiana Maslany give outstanding performances as two wounded souls in this anguished love story." *The Other Half* is a Mongrel Media Release.

WHEN: Friday November 4 - Screening @ 7:00 PM

WHERE: Revue Cinema, 400 Roncesvalles TICKETS: \$15 (screening only)

GALA RECEPTION - 5:30 PM – 6:30 PM at the Revue Cinema, 400 Roncesvalles

GALA RECEPTION TICKETS: \$35.00 (reception and film screening)

Writer-Director Joey Klein will be present for a Q&A and discussion about the film.

For Screener Link and Interview Opportunities, please contact:

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RENDEZVOUS WITH MADNESS returns with its boldest, most eclectic and provocative programming yet. Canada's original festival devoted to movies about mental health and recovery will venture onto the new frontier of public awareness toward the mysteries of the human mind - offering audiences an opportunity to watch films inspired by recovery and engage in dialogue with filmmakers, professionals and people with lived experience. Literally, the mind reels.

A full program of features, shorts and forums will follow.

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