

THE TRAIN

Québec, 1960s. Agathe, an asthmatic child, lives with her mother Thérèse (Larissa Corriveau), a melancholy artist. The whistle of a train passing behind their house fuels Agathe's fantasy of a parallel world where travellers from a dystopian future voyage outside the laws of time. As a teenager, Agathe meets Frank (Lennikim), a young writer who will help her cross the boundary between present and future.

MARIE BRASSARD

Marie Brassard is an actress, writer, and director. She creates surreal theatre performances with exceptional acting and innovative video, light, and soundscapes. Blending voices and music across different levels of reality, she takes us into a world where the lines between private and public become blurred, the relationships between humans and technology become intimate. In 2016, she was awarded the Ordre des arts et des lettres du Québec. an honour recognizing her exceptional contribution to Québec's artistic community. She received the 2022 Siminovitch Prize, the most prestigious award in Canada, for the innovative nature of her work as a director.

Electra Codina Morelli (Agathe as a teenager)



Thalie Rhainds (Agathe as a child)

Christopher Heyerdahl (Jack)



Anna Tamura (Michiko)





Maxim Gaudette (Philippe)

Lennikim (Frank)



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CATHERINE CHAGNON

Front page: Larissa Corriveau (Thérèse)

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In 2010, Catherine Chagnon founded Microclimat Films, a Quebec company dedicated to cinema outside the box. In 2021, Caroline Monnet's feature Bootlegger opened the 50th Festival du nouveau cinéma de Montréal and won the 2022 Prix Iris in the category of the Most Successful Film Outside Québec. In 2025, Ameer Fakher Eldin's second feature film, Yunan, coproduced with Europe and Arab World, is set to premiere in the International Competition at Berlinale 2025.