

COUREUR COUREUR

Genre: **DRAMA**

Duration in minutes: **96 min.**

Year of Production: **2018**

Status: **COMPLETED**



Log Line

Felix, a cycling rider, signs up for an Italian team, he wants to become a pro no matter what, excelling his father.

Synopsis

Felix Vereecke grows up as an insider at his father's veteran league cycling races, an outlandish milieu with no shortage of alcohol, violence, and prohibited substances.

He wants to become a pro no matter what, excelling his father Mathieu, who seeks to fulfil his own failed dreams of cycling glory. As an adult, Felix turns out to be incredibly gifted. When he becomes national junior champion, he follows his own path towards the promised land of youth cycling: Italy. The merciless competition and his feeble health, however, threaten to become his downfall.

Festivals and Awards

Film Fest Gent 2018 - Gala Premieres
Goteborg Film Festival 2019 - Ingmar Bergman Competition
International Film Festival Rotterdam 2019 - Voices

TECHNICAL DETAILS

Colour **COLOUR**

DCP (Digital Cinema Package) Available Yes

Digital Betacam for broadcast Available Yes

Director(s)

KENNETH MERCKEN

Category

FEATURE FILM

Country(ies)

BELGIUM
ITALY

Shooting Language

ITALIAN
DUTCH
ENGLISH

Writer(s)

KENNETH MERCKEN
MONICA STAN

Producer(s)

KOEN MORTIER (CZAR FILM)
EURYDICE GYSEL (CZAR FILM)
OLIVIER RAUSIN (CLIMAX FILMS)
GIOVANNI POMPILI (KINO
PRODUZIONI)

Cast

NIELS WILLAERTS
FORTUNATO CERLINO
KOEN DE GRAEVE
NICOLA RIGNANESE
KARLIJN SILEGHEM

Cinematography

MARTIN VAN BROEKHUIZEN

Film Editing

MANU VAN HOVE