

Documentary Film Screening & Online Discussion

Pilgrimage
to the
Bissu
CommunityWednesday, 01.02.2023
10.15 – 11.45 AM CET

Pilgrimage to the Bissu Community (*Menelusuri Bissu*) (Dir. Tamarra, 2019, duration: 38 min) is a documentary work which explores the historical and traditional roots of gender pluralism in Indonesian context, by focusing on the lived experiences of ancient Bugis sacred persons in South Sulawesi called *Bissu*.

The journey follows the footsteps of Tamarra, a self-taught artist whose work is heavily influenced by interests in gender and sexuality, history of non-binaries, religion and humanity. The screening will also be followed by an online discussion with Tamarra, and one of the Bissu protagonists in the film, Bissu Eka.

Tamarra,
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Yogyakarta, Indonesia



Bissu Eka,
Segeri Bissu community,
South Sulawesi, Indonesia



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