



Kurdish Cinema (In Search of Identity)

Country : Iraq

Mandoo

Tired

2010 / Colour / 90 minutes / Central Kurdish



Director : Ebrahim Saeedi

Producer : Shakhawas Edris

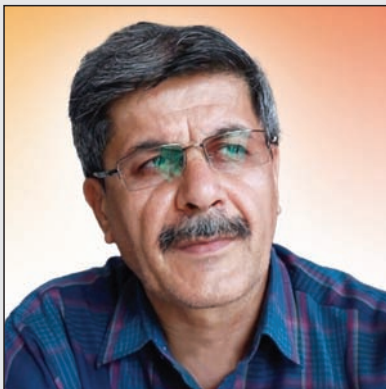
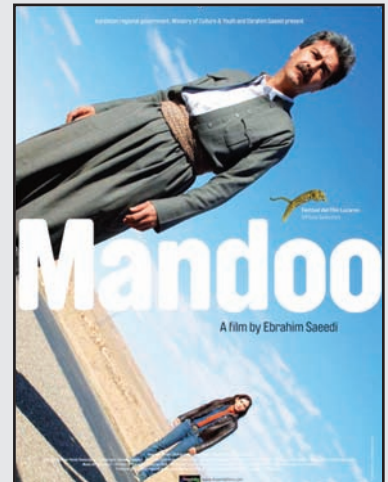
Cinematographer : Bayram Fazli

Editor : Ebrahim Saeedi

Music : Ali Samadpour

Cast : Tima Amiri, Shahab Fazili, Mahmoud Gli

Synopsis : Political upheaval in Iran in 1979 led to many Iranian Kurds leaving their homeland and seeking shelter in Iraq. Sheelan, a young doctor of Kurdish origin whose parents could flee to Sweden, comes back to Iraq in 2004 looking for her uncle. The uncle has lost his ability to speak after a stroke and his son plans to take him back to his native land. Sheelan decides to accompany them on a journey to Iran which will be long and eventful.



Director's Biography : Ebrahim Saeedi (born:1965) is a film editor and director. He has also been working in fields of script writing, and photography for more than 35 years. Notable films of Saeedi include *Tired (Mandoo, 2010)*, *Eclipse (Rouajgiran, 2001)* and *All My Mothers (2009)*.