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2008 BEST DIRECTOR WINNER AT CANNES

Three Monkeys

The **AGH film series** is pleased to screen the award-winning thriller ***Three Monkeys*** on **Wednesday, May 20 at 7:00 pm** at the **Empire Jackson Square 6 Cinemas**, 2 King Street West, downtown Hamilton.

Nuri Bilge Ceylan wowed the 2008 Cannes Film Festival by taking home Best Director for ***Three Monkeys***, a *noir* whose title refers to the old adage "see no evil, speak no evil, hear no evil," and asks: if you ignore the truth, will it go away? A politician hits a pedestrian with his car and asks his driver to take the rap. But the driver and his family discover that this lie can beget tragedy. Turkish with English subtitles. **2008 Winner Best Director Cannes, 2008 T.I.F.F. Rated 14A.**

Tickets are \$6.00 for AGH Members (including student e-Members), \$8.00 for students and seniors and \$10.00 for general admission. Tickets may be purchased online in advance at www.artgalleryofhamilton.com, in person at the AGH's Front Desk during Gallery hours or at the venue door the evening of the screening beginning at 6:30 pm.

AGH *film series* is generously sponsored by Turkstra Lumber.

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Full-time students of Mohawk College, McMaster University, Redeemer College, Columbia College and the Canadian Institute for Dental Hygiene are student e-Members at the AGH, courtesy of the Gallery's Audience Development partner, RBC. Student e-Members receive free admission to the AGH and discounted pricing for AGH *film* tickets.

For complete AGH*film* information, visit the Art Gallery of Hamilton's website at www.artgalleryofhamilton.com, call 905-527-6610, ext. 232, or e-mail film@artgalleryofhamilton.com

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