

We are delighted to share the **press reviews** for **GURIA** by Levan Koguashvili.
**Georgian entry for the Oscars and nominee at the Asian Pacific Screen Awards
for Best Film and Best Cinematography!**



"A charmingly deadpan '90s Georgian tragicomedy. With warm, mordantly funny characterization and wisdom... Guria peers into the beautifully wonky workings of the Georgian soul."

Jessica Kiang

VARIETY

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"One of the most beautiful surprises of Venice 2026."

Massimo Tria

NONSOLO**CINEMA**

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"Every frame feels like a work of art. Finding the strength of its vision in simplicity, sustained by tender, affectionate filmmaking, it is impossible not to fall in love with the people of Guria."

Felipe Curiel

CIN ENFASIS.

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"Shot in gorgeously detailed black-and-white, mixing folklore and old traditions – including polyphonic singing – Guria creates a richly textured portrait of a community in transition."

Boyd Van Hoeij

SCREEN
INTERNATIONAL

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"Levan Koguashvili stops at nothing to deliver humour, creating an entire universe with its own rules and logic, where people keep on dreaming."

Marta Balaga

cineuropa

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"In praise of life. An exceptionally intimate and tangible atmosphere that takes the viewer by the hand and carries them along into a different and fascinating world."

Mo Abdi

UNIVERSAL CINEMA

FILM & TV JOURNAL

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"A film that powerfully conveys intensity, sensuality and joie de vivre."

Rüdiger Suchsland

artechock

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