

Bolex workshop - October 2026

Ever wanted to create your own film on a 16mm Bolex camera? Join our hands-on workshop and explore the magic of analog filmmaking! Over two immersive days, you'll learn the fundamentals of shooting and projecting film. No prior experience needed.



What will I learn?

- how to load a Bolex
- how to film with a Bolex
- basic knowledge on measuring light and lenses
- basic knowledge on different types of film stock
- cleaning the camera and lenses
- how to edit analog 16mm film
- how to project 16mm film

Workshop date

We are offering one workshop sessions on the weekend of October 10 & 11, 2026

Time: 10 AM – 5 PM (including a 1-hour lunch break)

To conclude the workshop, the groups will come together for a screening where we will watch and discuss the developed films. Friends and family are warmly invited to join us for this presentation.

- Screening Event: October 16, 2026, 6 PM

△ Please note: This is not a workshop where you will learn how to hand process your own films in the darkroom. The films shot during the workshop will be sent to a professional lab for development.

Location

Generaal Lemanstraat 45, 1600 Sint Pieters Leeuw, BE

Easily accessible by bus or train from Brussels South Station, free street parking available.

Facilitators

Eva Claus is an audiovisual artist and filmmaker. She has 10 years of experience within the analogue film medium. Her intention is to share the knowledge and beauty of the medium, and bring it to a wider public. More info on: www.evaclaus.com

This workshop is an initiative of Island Films.

Who can join?

This is a beginners workshop and there are no requirements as such. However, if you have experience with photography or film shooting, this can be helpful.

Language

The workshop will be held in either Dutch or English, depending on the group.

Number of spots

We can offer a total of six spots per workshop.

Fee

The workshop costs €250 which includes costs for materials and development of the films. Remuneration for the facilitators. Healthy and fresh lunch on the workshop days, fruits, tea and coffee will be available all day.

Ready to Join?

Secure your spot: [Register here](#)

Questions? email Eva at ev.claus@gmail.com or on Whatsapp +32478452856

The deadline for registration is 1st of October 2026 at 23:59 pm.

Your spot is only guaranteed when your payment is received. Payments can be made to the following bank account Eva Claus Studio - BE95 9734 9329 5958 (BIC ARSPBE22), or you can get in contact if you would like to register in person with cash.

Cancellation Policy Cancellations received via email only. Participants must cancel fourteen (14) full business days prior to the date of the workshop to receive a 50% refund. No compensation is available for cancellations less than seven (7) full business days prior to workshop start time. While we can't offer refunds for late cancellations, we promise an unforgettable experience capturing the magic of 16mm film!

