



On Air

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Bob Rugurika is the director of Radio Publique Africaine (RPA), the most popular independent radio station in Burundi. As an investigative journalist he is also a forerunner of the fight for freedom of expression in his country, willing to risk his life to expose the truth. When Bob reveals the involvement of president Nkurunziza in the murder of three Italian nuns in a radio report, he is immediately arrested and put in prison. After international pressure, he is released after a month and becomes the symbol of the people's struggle for justice and democracy. With the presidential elections approaching, many Burundians take to the street to prevent president Nkurunziza to change the constitution in order to stay in power. Bob keeps on challenging the regime and becomes its enemy number one. Will Bob succeed in keeping the freedom of press while independent media are being silenced and his life and family are threatened?

CREDITS

DIRECTOR: Manno Lanssens
PRODUCER: Ellen De Waele
WRITER: Manno Lanssens
CAST: Bob Rugurika
EDITING: Jan De Coster
PHOTOGRAPHY: Joao Ribeiro

TECHNICAL SPECS

RUNNING TIME: 80'
AVAILABLE IN: 2D
ASPECT RATIO: 16:9
SOUND FORMAT: 5.1 (+ sub)
RELEASE FORMAT: Apple ProRes 422
COLOUR: Colour



CREATION DETAILS

TYPE: Film
PRODUCTION SHARE: Majority Flemish
Production
YEAR OF PRODUCTION: 2019
PRODUCTION STATUS: Completed
ORIGINAL TITLE: On Air

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