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## Local FilAm Producers, Brian Pamintuan and Sonny De Guzman at the SIFF

The Hollow One produced by Filipino artists, Brian Pamintuan and Sonny De Guzman is premiering at 2015 Seattle International Film Festival (SIFF).

The film produced by Compulsion Films and directed by Nathan Hendrickson centers on a young woman who returns home to find her father missing. In order to find him, she must face her family's dark history and a mysterious dark figure with sinister intentions. The film was financed and filmed locally in the Seattle region.

"When the film was ready for shooting, I first approached Sonny about the prospect to invest and produce the film. He was very excited and wanted to help make it happen. I knew he would be a perfect fit and since then, he has been promoting

the film throughout the community." "We even pursued looking at potential Filipino actors to star in "The Hollow One" but unfortunately the cost was prohibiting to our budget", says Brian Pamintuan.

Brian and Nathan also work for a local video game company and their similar positions helped in transitioning to making films. "It really felt like it is a very natural transition and easier applying my day to day skills on movie-making", says Brian Pamintuan.

After SIFF, The Hollow One will be submitted to other festivals in hopes for lucrative distribution deals. Compulsion Films is also in post production of their next film, "Lemonheads" which is scheduled to be completed by August 2015.

As we move forward, we are always looking to stay connected with the Filipino community. "There is a true passion for quality entertainment in the Filipino culture, we look forward to involving the local community in our future endeavors", says Brian.

Links for the movies and Brian Pamintuan and Nathan Hendrickson

[http://www.imdb.com/title/tt3305176/?ref=nm\\_film\\_snd\\_2](http://www.imdb.com/title/tt3305176/?ref=nm_film_snd_2)

[http://www.imdb.com/title/tt3914684/?ref=nm\\_film\\_snd\\_1](http://www.imdb.com/title/tt3914684/?ref=nm_film_snd_1)

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