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## **Coen Brothers, Polanski in 2013 Cannes lineup**

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The president of the Cannes Film Festival Gilles Jacob, left, and the general delegate of the Cannes Festival, Thierry Fremaux, present the films competing in the next Cannes Film Festival.

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The Cannes Film Festival is bringing out the big guns for 2013.

Films from the Coen brothers, Steven Soderbergh, Roman Polanski and Alexander Payne were announced as part of Cannes' lineup early

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Thursday by festival president Gilles Jacob and artistic director Thierry Fremaux.

The festival runs May 15-26 and Steven Spielberg has already been announced as the jury president.

Official selections include Soderbergh's Liberace biopic (starring Matt Damon and Michael Douglas) *Behind the Candelabra*, Joel and Ethan Coen's *Inside Llewyn Davis*, Payne's father-son road trip tale *Nebraska* and Polanski's *Venus in Fur*.

Iran's Asghar Farhadi, winner of 2011's Oscar for best foreign language with *A Separation*, will feature his new film *The Past* in the competition. Danish director Nicolas Winding Refn will show off his latest collaboration with Ryan Gosling in *Only God Forgives*.

J.C. Chandor's new film *All Is Lost*, featuring Robert Redford struggling to survive on the ocean after his sailboat capsizes, will debut out of competition.

Sofia Coppola's *The Bling Ring* will open the film section called *Un Certain Regard*. *The Bling Ring* film features *Harry Potter* alum Emma Watson as part of a group of teens committing celebrity-home robberies in Beverly Hills.

The festival will open on May 15 with Baz Luhrmann's 3-D film *The Great Gatsby* starring Leonardo DiCaprio. The closing film on May 26 will be the South African-based thriller *Zulu*, starring Orlando Bloom and Forest Whitaker.

Here's the complete list of films that will compete for the Palme d'Or:

- A Chateau in Italy by Valeria Bruni-Tedeschi
- Inside Llewyn Davis by Ethan and Joel Coen
- *Michael Kohlhaas* by Arnaud Despallieres
- Jimmy P. (Psychotherapy of a Plains Indian) by Arnaud Desplechin

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- *Heli* by Amat Escalante
- *The Past* by Asghar Farhadi
- *The Immigrant* by James Gray
- *Grigris* by Mahamat-Saleh Haroun
- A Touch of Sin by Jia Zhangke
- *Like Father, Like Son* by Kore-Eda Hirokazu
- The Life of Adele by Abdellatif Kechiche
- Shield of Straw by Takashi Miike
- *Young and Pretty* by Francois Ozon
- Nebraska by Alexander Payne
- Venus in Fur by Roman Polanski
- Behind the Candelabra by Steven Soderbergh
- The Great Beauty by Paolo Sorrentino
- Borgman by Alex van Warmerdam
- Only God Forgives by Nicolas Winding Refn

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