

THE LATINA WOMEN'S LEAGUE PRESENTS THE 11<sup>TH</sup> GAINESVILLE JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL

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September 17<sup>TH</sup>, 2015 at 7<sup>PM</sup> (free admission)



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## THE 11<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL GAINESVILLE LATINO FILM FESTIVAL

*Celebrating the Latino/Hispanic Heritage Month*

Having fled Poland for South America during World War II, curmudgeonly Jacob Kaplan (award-winning Chilean actor Héctor Noguera) is passing his sunset years in Montevideo with his wife of 50 years, Rebecca (Nidia Telles). With his family lost in the war, he begins to take stock of his own unfulfilled life, and finds himself fed up with the local Jewish community's disinterest in their heritage. Intent on creating a legacy, Kaplan fancies himself a Nazi hunter, targeting the reclusive German owner of a seafront restaurant (Rolf Becker), whom, based on the flimsiest of evidence, he suspects of being a war criminal. Joining the quixotic quest for justice is Kaplan's hapless chauffeur Contreras (Nestor Guzzini), a disgraced ex-cop who also has something to prove. A bumbling investigation ensues, with hilarious and surprising results that will leave audiences contemplating nothing less than the meaning of life.

**Introduction and Q&A with Dr. Norman J.W. Goda. A film by director Álvaro Brechner.**

**The Hippodrome State Theatre**  
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