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At the invitation of the White House Office of Public Engagement, SFUAD Film School Chair Chris Eyre recently screened his latest film, "The Seventh Fire (<http://www.theseventhfire.com/>)," at the Eisenhower Executive Office Building in Washington, D.C.

Eyre executive produced "The Seventh Fire" — a haunting and visually arresting nonfiction film about the Native American gang crisis — in conjunction with Terrence Malick and Natalie Portman. It was directed by Jack Pettibone Riccobono.

A White House post-screening panel discussion about criminal justice reform and Native American gang culture immediately followed the screening. Panelists included Eyre and the other filmmakers, Bill Keller, editor-in-chief of *The Marshall Project*, Jamelle Bouie, chief political correspondent for *Slate*, federal officials and others. The panel can be viewed via the The White House's YouTube channel (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MTAJzdBRRGc&feature=youtu.be>).

The North American premiere of "The Seventh Fire" took place in October 2015 as part of the Santa Fe Independent Film Festival (<http://www.santafeindependentfilmfestival.com/Detailed/1638.html>) in Santa Fe, New Mexico.

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