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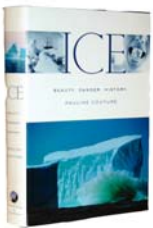
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## ICE BEAUTY DANGER HISTORY

AN ANIMATED DOCUMENTARY SHORT FILM BASED ON THE BOOK BY PAULINE COUTURE

DIRECTED AND ANIMATED BY DANIEL BORINS

**ABOUT THE FILM:** Based on Pauline Couture's non-fiction work, this BookShorts animated film of the same name offers a brief but intense look at the impact of ice on our lives and on our very existence. It mines the power of multi-layered collage, provocative narration and hauntingly evocative music score to address the breadth, scale and scope of Couture's seminal book..

**ABOUT THE BOOK TO FILM ADAPTATION:** The creative process included an intense interaction with the ZeD community through a call for submissions online and on the air, which resulted in a broad collection of visual art -- illustrations, photos, music, animation, video and more -- used in the distinctive layering collage effect. Couture provides the narrative voice for the BookShort film. Her book has recently been optioned for development as a television feature.

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### FILM

#### ICE BEAUTY DANGER HISTORY

English Narration (3:19)

French Narration (3:19)

Directed & Animated by Daniel Borins

Additional Animation by Oli Goldsmith

Music by Kid Erin Lee

### FEATURES

#### PAULINE COUTURE INTERVIEW (2:34)

On set with Author Pauline Couture.

#### BEHIND THE ICE (3:27)

Interview with Director Daniel Borins and the making of the animated film.

### FORMATS

MINI-DV; DIGIBETA; BETA SP; DVD-R/V, .MOV.; AVI

### SCREENINGS

CBC ZeD Television and [cbc.zed.ca](http://cbc.zed.ca)

BookShorts Moving Stories

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