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Title: 8 1/2

Foreign Title: Otto e Mezzo

Director: Federico Fellini

Year: 1963

Runtime: 138 min

Country: Italy

Cast: Marcello Mastroianni, Claudia
Cardinale

Screening times and locations:

Friday, July 8, 2005 8:45 PM

Monday, July 18, 2005 8:30 PM

All films are screened at Jackman Hall

Film Description:

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Fellini's third Best Foreign Language Film Oscar. In this seminal work, often voted one of the ten greatest films in the history of cinema, Mastroianni plays Fellini's alter ego, a film director whose latest project has stalled. Tormented by "creative block," the director works through his past, revisiting places and people, recreating memories and fantasies, until he is able to banish the guilt and fear which have paralyzed him. "The most brilliant, varied and entertaining film since CITIZEN KANE" (Dwight Macdonald). "In terms of execution I cannot remember a more brilliant film. In image, visual ingenuity, subtlety of pace, sardonic humour, it is stunning. We see a wizard at the height of his wizardry" (Stanley Kauffman). Restored by Mediaset Cinema Forever.

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