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THE CONFORMIST

Based on a novel by Alberto Moravia, Bernardo Bertolucci's film is a character study of a man who "conforms" to the ideological fashions of his days.

Set in 1930s Italy, Marcello has spent his life accommodating others, in search for a sense of belonging. When he is drawn into the fascist party, he agrees to assassinate a political refugee who turns out to be his former college professor...

DRAMA

ORIGINAL TITLE	IL CONFORMISTA
COUNTRY	France, Germany, Italy
PRODUCTION YEAR	1970
RUNNING TIME	116' min.
LANGUAGE	Italian
DIRECTED BY	Bernardo Bertolucci
CAST	Stefania Sandrelli Jean-Louis Tritignant Gastone Moschin

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FESTIVALS & AWARDS

Satellite Awards 2006: Satellite Award: Best Classic DVD

Golden Globes: Golden Globe 1972; Best Foreign-Language Foreign Film Italy

Academy Awards: Oscar 1972; Best Writing, Screenplay Based on Material from Another Medium, Bernardo Bertolucci

Belgian Film Critics Association 1972: Grand Prix

National Society of Film Critics Awards 1972: NSFC Award; Best Cinematography, Vittorio Storaro; Best Director, Bernardo Bertolucci

David di Donatello Award 1971: David; Best Film, Maurizio Lodi-Fe

Berlin Film Festival 1970: Interfilm Award - Recommendation and Journalists' Special Award, Bernardo Bertolucci

NOMINATIONS:

Berlin Film Festival 1970: Golden Berlin Bear, Bernardo Bertolucci