Berkeley California Library of Foreign Language Film Clips (LFLFC)

The BLC Library of Foreign Language Film Clips (LFLFC) is a tagged, structured collection of clips from foreign language films. Currently the Berkeley collection consists of over 1,383 videos and 381 of those films have clips associated with them.

Getting Started:

Go to http://blcvideoclips.berkeley.edu (recommended browsers are Firefox and Safari). Under “Getting Involved” click on the link to apply for an account. After you have read the “Required Reading” page put a check in I agree to these terms and click on “Go to Application Form”. Fill out the required information, make sure you use your Princeton email account (not GMail) and click on Submit Application. You will receive a confirmation email once your application has been processed.

Selecting a Video:

Once you receive your log-in and password go to http://blcvideoclips.berkeley.edu and log in. Click on the Home tab.

At the top right corner of the page you will see a drop down box allowing you to search all the films in the Princeton collection by language. Selecting the language (in this case Italian) brings up all the Italian films in alphabetical order along with all the clips associated with the film.

Scroll through the list of films and click on the title of the film you need.

To search all films in the collection click on the Films tab, select the language and set the filters as follows:

Browse Films
Use the filters to constrain the films shown.

Here you can see films that have clips associated with them. Select the collection you want to use to search for films. Subtitle options Allows you to sort by the foreign title or English title.

To search for a video with published clips that are part of the Princeton collection, set the filters as follows:

Notice there are 28 clips available for this film
To see the clips associated with the film, click on the **Clips** tab. You can view all the clips associated with the film or search by vocabulary or descriptors. You can also find clips by typing in key words under the **Search** tab.

**Adding a Clip to Your Cart:**

Clips are listed in chronological order. To view the clip, click on the clip title.

This page allows you to leave comments on the clip. Once you add a comment it is available for everyone (in and outside Princeton) who has an account with LFLFC to see the comment. If subtitles are available you can select if you want them turned on or off.

**Options:**

If this is the clip you want click on **Add this to your cart.** Select the options you need for the class and click **Add item to your cart** and you’ll receive confirmation that the item was added. Scroll back up to the top and under **Actions** select **Go to your cart.**

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**Annotate:** allows you to add your own or choose from an existing annotation. Once you submit an annotation it is available for everyone to see.

**Preview:** you can view the clip with the annotations you created or slow down the audio for better language comprehension.

**Ordering the Clip:**

Click on the **Submit your order** button at the bottom of the page. Within an hour you will receive an email with the URL for the clip. **Clips are available for a duration of two weeks** and can be renewed at the end of that time. **Do not send the URL to students via email. URL’s must be placed within the contents of the course Blackboard page.**