

5 Sundance shorts that knocked us out

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The features get all the buzz, but the festival is also known for the exceptional quality of its short films

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“Hugh the Hunter”

A unique and rapturously strange collaboration between *Cutie and the Boxer* director Zachary Heinzerling and artist Hugh Hayden (playing himself), “Hugh the Hunter” is a bucolic fable about a man hunting for a red grouse on the sprawling lands around his estate. While the film will appeal most to viewers familiar with Hayden’s woodlands-inspired work, “Hugh the Hunter” is so rich with pleasurable detail from one moment to the next that newcomers are just as likely to be entranced.