



# YouTube shows a day through eyes around the world

## YouTube製作影片 透過世人眼睛觀世界

YouTube has begun offering glimpses into a day in life around the world.

A Life in a Day channel available at the popular video-sharing Web site let people see moments from July 24 captured by cameras as part of an experiment to create a documentary about a single day on Earth.

A total of 80,000 videos were submitted from 197 countries in what YouTube **billed** as a project to create "the world's largest user-generated film."

"Now, you can explore many of these videos in the gallery on the Life in a Day channel," said Nate Weinstein of YouTube entertainment marketing. "To make browsing easy, you can sort videos by geography, time of day, mood and more."

The channel is at [youtube.com/lifeinaday](http://youtube.com/lifeinaday).

Director Kevin Macdonald and producer Ridley Scott are weaving video snippets into a full-length documentary *Life in a Day* film that will premier at the 2011 Sundance Film Festival in Utah in January.

Scott is the Oscar-winning director of *Blade Runner*, *Gladi-*

*ator*, *Thelma and Louise* and other hit films.

Macdonald directed *The Last King of Scotland*, *Touching the Void*, *One Day in September* and other films.

Google-owned YouTube describes the project as a "historic **cinematic** experiment" intended to "document one day, as seen through the eyes of people around the world."

Contributors whose **footage** makes the final cut will be credited as co-directors and 20 will be selected to attend the **premiere**.

(AFP)

YouTube近日開始提供世界各地，每天的生活影像片段。

「一天的生活」頻道在這個以分享影片建立自己名氣的網站上，給網路使用者看的是七月二十四日起，以錄影機所拍攝到的生活畫面。這是一項關於地球上某地方，在一天內發生的事情的紀錄片實驗計畫。

這個YouTube宣傳成「世界上由拍攝者自己提供的最大影片計畫」，已從一百九十七個國家收到八萬餘影片。

YouTube娛樂行銷部門的內特·溫斯坦表示，「現在你可以在

『一天的生活』頻道上，探索這些影片。你可以設定地理位置或時間，還有其他好多條件，以方便搜尋影片。」

該頻道網址為[youtube.com/lifeinaday](http://youtube.com/lifeinaday)。

導演凱文·麥克唐納，與製作人芮德理·斯科特正在將短片編織成一部完整的「一天的生活」影片，首映將在猶他州一月份的二零一一年日舞電影節。

斯科特曾因為「刀鋒戰士」、「神鬼戰士」、「末路狂花」等電影而獲奧斯卡獎。

麥克唐納曾執導「最後的蘇格蘭王」、「攀越冰峰」、「九月的某一天」，以及其它影片。

擁有YouTube的谷歌形容這個計畫為「歷史性的電影實驗」，並打算「透過世界各地人們的眼睛，紀錄地球上的一天。」

影片最後被採用的提供者們，將被掛上副導演的頭銜，而當中有二十位將受邀參加首映會。

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The YouTube homepage appears on a screen in Washington on Sept. 3, 2010.

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九月三日，這張攝於華盛頓的照片顯示的是YouTube的首頁。

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### TODAY'S WORDS

#### 今日單字

1. **bill** /bɪl/ v.  
宣傳 (xuan1 chuan2)

例: The autobiography was billed as one of the best books of all time.  
(該自傳被宣傳為史上最棒的書之一。)

2. **cinematic** /ˈsɪnəˈmæɪtɪk/ adj.  
電影的 (dian4 ying3 de5)

例: The movie I just saw was an amazing cinematic experience.  
(剛才看的電影給了我一個很棒的觀影經驗。)

3. **footage** /ˈfʊtɪdʒ/ n.  
片段 (pian4 duan4)

例: The researchers uncovered some lost footage of the late president.  
(研究員發現了一些過世總統的影片片段。)

4. **premiere** /prɪˈmɪr/ n.  
首映 (shou3 ying4)

例: I won three tickets to the movie premiere in an online competition.  
(我在網路比賽贏得了三張電影首映會的票。)