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An epic trailer to launch the publication of the novel **AELIA**.

On the occasion of the release of AELIA, a medieval epic novel written by Jonathan Soler, a trailer was posted to illustrate the ruthless world in which the character will fight to survive and get rid of all those who stand in her way.

<u>Summary:</u> When the mysterious Aelia arrives in the Kingdom of Namos, she cons her way into the nobility and quickly finds herself caught up in the court's violent and ruthless intrigue. Her recklessness will lead her to confront the most powerful characters of the kingdom. But will her cunning be enough to survive their murderous plots?

After the last events that turned her vision of the world upside down, another thought was forming in her mind.... So, everything is to be taken by force and by rage, everything is to be enjoyed in the present moment, thought Aelia. She spent the night with a desire to conquer the world she never felt before.

I will no longer submit to fate. It is I who will make fate submit to me.

TRAILER on YouTube: https://youtu.be/E5UZXkfhv3w



Trailer breakdown

It took many long hours of work to create the character design of Aelia and the world around her. The main graphic technique used was photo-compositing from still images, to which depth map was applied for a 3D animation.

If you want to discover how the trailer was made:

AELIA Trailer Breakdown on YouTube: https://youtu.be/EMAJF5ohU0g



The novel is available now:

Aelia, the novel is available now in Kindle and Paperback on Amazon. https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/1099218896/

Jonathan Soler

Born in 1985 in Lyon, France, Jonathan Soler started to learn Japanese after discovering Japanese cinema, especially the independent films of the 1960s. In 2010, he directed *Aru Manazashi* (*Glance*) a 52-minute film shot in Japan. In 2012, he wrote, produced, and directed in Tokyo, his first feature film, *Phantom*, which has been selected in festivals and released in several countries. *Aelia* is his first novel.

Ganko Films

Founded by Jonathan Soler, Ganko Films has produced several movies, including *Phantom*, Soler's first feature film shot in Japan. http://gankofilms.fr/

Visit the PRESS PAGE for AELIA to get:

- HD front cover and back cover of the book
- HD still images of the trailer
- Interview with the author
- Selected excerpts from the novel

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