



# the QUEEN of SPAIN

## 2021 Virtual Spanish Film Festival

Celebrating New Cinema from Ibero-America and Spain at Central Michigan University

### THE QUEEN OF SPAIN

STREAMING ACCESS WEEK: March 29-April 4

DIR. FERNANDO TRUEBA / SPAIN / 128 min / 2017 / Spanish with English subtitles

After enjoying a successful career in Hollywood, Spanish actress Macarena Granada (a luminous Penélope Cruz) returns home to play Queen Isabella in an epic period film that has the local media buzzing. Once in Spain, she runs into former friends and colleagues while the film production goes through a roller coaster of emotional scenarios, including the return of a once-famous director, passionate affairs between crew members, and the hovering presence of Franco's regime.

- **Beginning Sunday, March 28** in [Spanish Film Festival at CMU 2021 TEAM](#): View recorded introduction by **Dr. María Chouza Calo** (CMU, Dept. of World Languages and Cultures) and **Dr. Esther Fernández** (Rice University, Dept. of Modern and Classical Literatures and Cultures).
- **Monday, April 5 at 7 p.m.** in [Spanish Film Festival at CMU 2021 TEAM](#): Discussion and Q&A with **Dr. María Chouza Calo** (CMU, Dept. of World Languages and Cultures) and **Dr. Esther Fernández** (Rice University, Dept. of Modern and Classical Literatures and Cultures).

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