

On 8 March, United Nations Cinema will be screening ‘ [Under the Wire](#) ’ in London at the British Museum to mark International Women’s Day.



On 13 February 2012 war-correspondent Marie Colvin and photographer Paul Conroy entered war-ravaged Syria to cover the plight of civilians trapped in the besieged Homs, under attack by the Syrian army. Only one of them returned. Based on Conroy’s book *Under the Wire*, the film is a gripping account of the triumph of the human spirit in the face of overwhelming adversity.

The screening is organised in partnership with [The British Museum](#) , and will be followed by a conversation with guest speakers:

[Chris Martin](#)

, Director of the film;

[Paul Conroy](#)

, Under The Wire photojournalist;

[Jackie Harrison](#)

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[UNESCO](#)

Chair on Media Freedom, Journalism Safety and the Issue of Impunity; moderated by Deborah Seward (

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To watch the trailer, [click here](#) .

For more information about the screening, [click here](#) .

The United Nations Presents: Under the Wire

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