

THE SEARCH FOR
LIFE
IN
SPACE

A Documentary Adventure for IMAX[®] Theatres and Giant Screen Cinemas

While today's theatre audiences might still enjoy a *Star Wars* marathon, we no longer picture the diversity of life in space based on "Chalmun's Cantina"—the fictional bar populated by starship-hopping creatures of every imaginable shape and size. However, a lot was still left to the imagination until *The Search for Life in Space*—the new giant-screen documentary adventure from December Media, produced in association with Film Victoria and Swinburne University of Technology, and distributed by MacGillivray Freeman Films. Now, for the first time, today's audiences get a close-up look at what scientists really know about life in space, and the state-of-the-art tools they are using to peer ever deeper into the question of whether we are alone in the universe.

Narrated by acclaimed actor Malcom McDowell, *The Search for Life in Space* takes us on a fascinating journey into the relatively new science called astrobiology. This cutting-edge discipline confirms that not only do scientists know where to look for life in space, but also that the universe is teeming with thousands of newly discovered planets, some even with the potential to sustain life. By using the most current, real-life footage of what is "out there"—from landscapes of planets and moons in our own Solar System to far away stellar nurseries, captured by the world's most powerful telescopes and projected on to the world's tallest screens—*The Search for Life in Space* makes the case that we are closer than ever before to finding out whether we on Earth are alone in the greater universe.