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# **Shadow Game (Gölge Oyunu) I**

**A Political Documentary on Turkey's Labour History**

By **Ruhi Karadag**, Award Winning Director



**Shadow Game - Gölge Oyunu** (1998), is an award winning documentary film in three parts, by film director **Ruhi Karadag**. The first part which we will be showing presents us moments from World labour history, establishment of unions in Turkey and the struggles waged by the working class in the 19th century Ottoman era, in the Republic from 1920s, foundation of the first progressive union confederation DISK, the great Istanbul-Izmit workers' riots of 15-16 June 1970. This first part ends with the influence of 68' events on the workers movement, the military junta of 1971 and the hanging of 3 youth leaders by the army.

**After the film (which is in Turkish) there will be discussion.**

**ALL WELCOME!**

*Ruhi Karadag*, is born in 1966 in Pazarcik, Turkey. He is geological engineer by profession but became a successful journalist working in the press over the years. A TV journalist since 1994, he directed many programs and films, documenting 30 years of political life particularly focusing on human rights, the national question, state crimes. For his films and other artistic activities see [www.medyaproductio.com](http://www.medyaproductio.com).

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**6:30pm - 8:30pm**

**VENUE:**

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