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Fiction can't beat facts: Rajkumar Hirani

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I think documentaries are really engaging as they are real, and fiction can't beat facts."

The "3 Idiots" director said documentary filmmakers make films that are close to their heart. Hirani said: "I am really fond of it. Helmed by National Award-winning director Onir, "Raising The Bar" is a 70-minute documentary which has won several awards internationally. So, I feel it's nice that people come to know about these things," he said. Related News

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Will he ever make a documentary? I have many subjects to tell and when the time will be right, I will speak more about it."

"Raising The Bar" is a poignant tale which follows awe-inspiring stories of six young individuals with Down syndrome from two different continents who all meet at the World Down Syndrome Congress in Chennai. "Documentary filmmakers choose subjects which they feel about, which they are affected by or which they have seen around them. We should watch documentaries because they can be very interesting as well."

"Earlier, they never used to get platforms but I think they should get a platform so that more and more people can come forward to make documentaries. 2018-02-24T10:45:54+00:00">

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Rajkumar Hirani is currently directing a biopic on Sanjay Dutt's life. The documentary aims to create awareness and emotionally engage the audience with the universal message of inclusion and diversity, celebrating the differences that make us all unique. Asked about the importance of making documentaries, Hirani said: "I feel why should we see only fiction?"