

FREE

Snacks & soft drinks allowed in

Door prizes

UPandOUT free film series

ShowingThursday, June 18

6:40pm doors open 7pm film starts promptly

243 Broadway, Cambridge corner of Broadway & Windsor, entrance on Windsor



Next, July 16: *Kill the Messenger* [based on story of Gary Webb, who exposed CIA role in cocaine smuggling]

"Harvard today is more of a business than a university. It's more of an arm of the military than it is of intellectual freedom. This is a sad commentary on the state of the United States." ~George Katsiaficas, MIT class of 1970, Professor at Wentworth "A University that does not try to develop a maximal degree of interest, cooperation and understanding between its staff members and those of the National Defense forces is not doing its full job." ~McGeorge Bundy 1955 (Harvard dean)

Verita\$: Everybody Loves Harvard

[81 min]

- 'The best and the brightest' is how Harvard University is described today. People all over the world admire Harvard. But Harvard is not just an Ivory Tower. It is an organ of American ruling class.
- This documentary critically examines Harvard's historical role and its global impact. As a training ground for the
- elite, Harvard has maintained close ties with the U.S. government and provided crucial dimensions of state
- ideology, particularly during the Cold War.
 Including the Harvard Russia aid scandal which led the
- Russian economy into bankruptcy, the director exposes many unknown episodes in Harvard's history. The
- documentary questions what the real purpose of
- education should be. It contains interviews with many progressive American intellectuals including Prof. Noam Chomsky.

Today, everybody loves Harvard. But noone knows what it is and what it really stands for. Understanding the real Harvard is a first step in understanding the world controlled by US capitalism." ~Veritas\$

"the most desirable target would be a vital war plant employing a large number of workers and closely surrounded by workers houses." ~James B Conant, Harvard President (1933-1953), suggesting targets for nuclear bombs

" If Harvard would celebrate its 300th anniversary by burning itself to the ground and sowing its site with salt, the ceremony would give me the liveliest satisfaction." "George Bernard Shaw

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