

SCREAM QUEEN TIFFANY SHEPIS &
DIRECTOR SEAN TRETТА GIVE LIFE TO

THE FRANKENSTEIN SYNDROME

Film Slated for a July 5th DVD Release.

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

MIAMI, FL — MTI Home Video, the premier studio for independent filmmakers, will release **THE FRANKENSTEIN SYNDROME** on DVD/VOD/Digital Download July 5th.

The film was written, directed and produced by Sean Tretta (*The Great American Snuff Film*, *Death of a Ghost Hunter*, and *The Death Factory Bloodletting*) and was produced by and stars Tiffany Shepis (*Nympha*, *Nightmare Man*, *The Violent Kind*). Also starring are Louis Mandylor (*My Big Fat Greek Wedding*, *The Quest*), Patti Tindall (*The Graves*, *Machined*), Scott Anthony Leet (*Abandoned*, *Freeway Killer*), and film veteran Ed Lauter (*The Longest Yard*, *Seabiscuit*).

The film is a modern re-imagining of Mary Shelly's *Frankenstein*, wherein a beautiful young stem-cell researcher, Elizabeth Barnes (Shepis) joins a secret research group attempting to develop a stem-cell based universal healing serum. Despite opposition from the project leaders Marcus Grone (Mandylor) and Dr. Victoria Travelle (Tindall), she quickly develops a serum that can bring the dead back to life - but with horrific results. Distraught, Elizabeth tries to leave the project, but the project's financier (Lauter) orders Marcus to hold the research team captive until their research is complete. When one of the project's security guards (Leet) is murdered and then re-animated, the team must contend with a man who at first is like a child, but quickly becomes something much, much more...

- Winner - Best Actress, Best Actor (Dark Carnival Film Festival)
- Winner - Best Feature, Director, Screenplay, Actor, and Supporting Actress – (Oklahoma Horror Film Festival)
- Official Selection: Dark Woods, Motor City Nightmares, Phoenix Film Festival, Frightnight Film Festival, Gorezone Int. Film Festival, Weekend of Fear Film, HorrorHound Convention 2011

DVD features include: Closed Captioning, 16:9 Widescreen Format, 5.1 Dolby Digital Surround Sound, Film Commentary with Sean Tretta and Tiffany Shepis, Alternate Openings with Commentary, Alternate and Deleted Scenes with Commentary, Trailers and Optional Spanish Subtitles.

DVD UPC: 039414521627

RUNNING TIME: 90 minutes

PREMIERES: DVD

CONSUMER STREET: July 5, 2011

RETAIL PREORDER: June 7, 2011

DVD: \$24.95 SRP

RATED: Not Rated

GENRE: Sci-fi Horror

PRODUCTION YEAR: 2010



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