

## The LAFTAs

Five months ago George Reay, Nikhil Chavda and Billy Askew entered the Language And Film Talent Awards, the LAFTAs. Their short film, The Colour of Language, involved someone who didn't know any other language watching a cheesy sitcom on his television. He accidentally hit the language button on the remote and changes the language the characters in the sitcom speak. The closing message says 'Don't get lost - learn languages'. A few months later we learnt that The Colour of Language had got through to the last 25 in the competition. On Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> July we went down to the British Film Institute in London for the award ceremony where The Colour of Language won the People's Vote Award. The creators would like to thank everyone who voted for The Colour of Language. They would also especially like to thank the multilingual cast – Josie Plachta, Feruz Burhan and Khang Tran. The Colour of Language also won the Haydon LAFTAs as well.

You can see the video for yourself at:

<http://videocentral.lgfl.org.uk/Watch.aspx?v=IoDYkE5zm2SA1z>



Pictured from left to right: George Reay, Billy Askew and Nikhil Chavda.