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Eternal Sunshine screenwriter to make directorial debut in movie about finding a rock



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Eternal Sunshine Of The Spotless Mind is a bit "out there," as far as romantic comedy/drama/sci-fi movies go, so it's not all that surprising that one of its screenwriters—Pierre Bismuth, the one who isn't Charlie Kaufman or Michel Gondry—is now making a movie about trying to find a specific rock in the Californian desert. Titled *Where Is Rocky II?*, the film will be Bismuth's directorial debut. If that title doesn't make it sound weird enough, *Variety* describes it as a "multilayered thriller" that combines "fiction and documentary-style footage" to tell the story of Bismuth's search for a fake rock that was supposedly hidden in the desert by artist Ed Ruscha in the '70s.

Bismuth says the movie is less about finding a rock than it is about "how we project fantasies and how works of art can be the perfect object of fantasy," but that's less attention-grabbing than saying it's about finding a rock. The producers are raising money on Indiegogo to pay for part of the filming, so you can head over there until February 20 to help this guy find his rock.

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