



Festival Internacional de Cortometrajes
y Cine Alternativo de Benalmadena
16 – 24 Octubre 2009

COMPETITION RULES

General Conditions

- 1.- All creators that wish to participate may do so, without distinction of nationality or age limit.
- 2.- The works may have been created in any format, but after the 1st of January 2008.
- 3.- On short Films, the organisation establishes two categories of participation: One in which all shorts shot on film (8mm, 16mm, 35mm), or with a final copy on 35mm, will participate; and a second in which all shorts made on video (VHS, Super VHS, Betacam or DVD) will participate. In this case, there are two sub-category_ fiction and documentary. There´s a special prize for the best andalusian short film, with 2400 €, sponsored by Cajasol and RTVA. (you can see the rules for this prize at <http://premio.rtv.es>)
5. - A selection committee will choose the works to be exhibited. Directors and/or producers will be notified of their inclusion in the festival.
6. - Selected works will be exhibited within the framework of the Festival. Dates of projection will be communicated by telephone or e-mail to their respective directors and/or producers.
9. - Works not selected may be collected from the 10th of November 2009 by presenting a valid identification document (DNI, Passport or Residence Permit). After a 30 day period from that date, the authors renounce claim to their works, permitting the Organisation to make any use of them they consider opportune. No mail devolutions will be made unless the interested party pays for all incurred costs.
10. - The jury will be named by the competition organisers. Their decision is final and unquestionable, and will be made public via the media. Winners will also be notified by telephone.
11. - One copy of every selected work will remain property of the Organisation, who will notify the proprietors of any use, always of cultural and non-lucrative nature, made of their work.

Inscription

12.- Inscription will be made by sending a copy of the work/s on DVD, and must be accompanied by a photocopy of the director or producer's identification documentation (DNI, Passport or Residence Permit), and the **ENTRY FORM**. If desired, two photographs extracted from the short, as well as any additional attached material about the work may also be submitted for the elaboration, at a later date, of a catalogue for promotional purposes.

13. - The date for reception of works will be open as of the day of publication of these rules and regulations and will close on the 31th of July 2009.

14.- The films must be presented or sent to the following address:

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**XII FESTIVAL INTERNACIONAL DE CORTOMETRAJES
Y CINE ALTERNATIVO DE BENALMÁDENA
CASA DE LA CULTURA
PLAZA DE AUSTRIA, S/N
29631 BENALMÁDENA (MÁLAGA)**

15.- Those responsible for the works selected within the CINEMA modality, will be asked to send the 35mm copy before its exhibition date. Any works not received by then will be considered as a withdrawal from participation.

General Rules and Regulations

16. - **All works not in Spanish must be subtitled in Spanish.**

17.- The producers of the selected videos authorise the use of a fragment, of up to a maximum of 3 minutes in length, of the works for their possible promotion in public Media.

18.- Any unforeseen cases and exceptions in the Rules and Regulations will be resolved by the organising entity. By participating you fully accept all of the rules and regulations.

Prizes

19.- Selected works will be eligible for the following prizes:

FEATURE FILMS:

People Award to the best Feature Film: 9000 € and Trophy.

SHORT FILMS:

CINEMA Modality:

Best Short Film: 3000€ and Trophy.

Special Prize: 1500€ and Trophy.

VIDEO Modality:

- FICTION section: Best Short Film: 1500€ and Trophy.

Special Prize: 500€ and Trophy.

- DOCUMENTAL section: Best Short Film: 1500€ and Trophy.

Special Prize: 500€ and Trophy.

RTVA Best Andalusian Shortfilm Prize, sponsored by Cajasol: 2400€ and Trophy

20.- All the prizes are subject to retentions, tax and everything that determined by current law and legislation.

For additional information, contact Jaime Noguera from the Cinematographic Association of Benalmadena (Asociación Cinematográfica de Benalmádena) on +34 639 92 01 38 or ask for it at the Area of Juvenile Information (Area de Información Juvenil) on 952 44 53 29, or Fax 952 44 25 12. E-Mail : festcinebenalmadena@yahoo.es WWW.FICCAB.ES