

INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM COMPETITION Terms and Conditions for 2021

Internationale Münchner Filmwochen GmbH will be presenting the **40th FILMSCHOOLFEST MUNICH** from **November 14 to 20, 2021** – a seven-day festival celebrating the latest works from German and international film schools. Although we are not yet able to make a decision regarding the precise form the festival will take in light of the COVID-19 pandemic, we are confident that we will be able to offer a platform for this valuable exchange of ideas among students, the industry, and the audience. **The language of the festival is English.**

SUBMISSIONS

Films may be submitted only by festival coordinators at the respective institutions of higher education, not by the students themselves. Each institution may submit a **maximum of 70 minutes of footage**. Eligible are training and graduation films completed in **2020 or 2021** that **do not exceed 30 minutes** of runtime each. The films must be submitted through the submission platform **festhome.com**. The following documents must be included with the film submissions:

1. Cast and crew list
2. 2-3 stills or production photos (JPEG or TIFF file, 300 dpi, min. 10x15 cm)
3. 1 photo of the director (JPEG or TIFF file, 300 dpi, min. 10x15 cm)
4. Screening link
5. Director's contact information
6. Festival coordinator's contact information
7. Full name and address of the institution of higher education

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS: July 15, 2021

Applications that are incomplete or that are submitted after July 15, 2021 cannot be considered!

COMPETITION SCREENINGS

Only a DCP is accepted for projection. Films that have been selected must be transferred to us digitally. Detailed instructions will be sent in late September 2021.

Films without English as their original language must be subtitled in English.

SELECTION

All films submitted will be evaluated by a selection committee. Festival coordinators will be notified in late September 2021 whether films from their school have been selected for the competition.

ACCOMMODATION AND TRAVEL COSTS

The organizers will invite **the directors** of the films selected as well as a **professor** of the corresponding schools to participate in the festival, provided that the security measures and quarantine obligations allow it at this time. Detailed information will be provided in late September 2021.

PRIZES AND AWARDS

FILMSCHOOLFEST MUNICH awards prize money with a total value of nearly 40,000 euros. An international festival jury will present these prizes at a festive awards ceremony on November 20, 2021.

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By submitting a film, applicants accept the guidelines of FILMSCHOOLFEST MUNICH and the corresponding terms and conditions of the International Short Film Competition.

Further information can be found at www.filmschoolfest-munich.de