

MEDINA DEL CAMPO FILM FESTIVAL

12** - 20** MARCH 2021

RULES AND REGULATIONS

29" OFFICIAL NATIONAL SECTION OF SHORT FILMS IN COMPETITION



RULES

- 1. Participation in this competition is open to short films by Spanish production and / or direction.
- 2. Films shot in any format, silent or with incorporated sound, may be presented to the competition. But they must be of Spanish production and / or direction. Produced after **July 1, 2019**, which have not been registered in previous editions of this festival.
- 3. The maximum duration of the films in competition will not exceed 30 minutes.
- 4. Films must be presented in Spanish or in the original version with Spanish subtitles.
- 5. Each author may submit up to a maximum of 3 works.
- 6. Two sections are established for competition; and other informative.

The sections in competition will be THE OFFICIAL SECTION and LA OTRA MIRADA.

The selection committee will choose among all the short films received, those that will be part of the competition in each of the two sections and those that will do so in the informative section.

The exhibition copies of the selected films will be returned once the Festival is over.

- 7. The selected films will appear in the Festival Catalog and will be exhibited in public sessions within the dates of the Festival. The screening dates will be announced through the Festival Program.
- 8. The decisions of the Selection Committee and the Jury are final.
- 9. The copies in their projection format of the winning Short Films of the ROEL DE ORO, ROEL DE PLATA and LA OTRA MIRADA, will remain the property of the Festival, which will only use them for non-profit purposes.
- 10. The production and / or distribution companies of the selected or awarded audiovisuals must include a written reference to the awarding of said selection or award at the beginning of each and every one of the copies they distribute for exhibition in theaters, other film competitions, Blu-Ray, television or VOD platforms (video on demand), as well as in all printed informative and promotional material (pressbook, posters, etc.). Said reference will consist of a text with the selection or the award awarded, accompanied by the corporate image (logo and name) of the Medina Film Fest, which will be provided, together with its rules of use, by the organization of the same.

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INSCRIPTION

Registration is done by ONLINE procedure on any of the following platforms:

- A) **MOVIBETA**, at the address http://festival.movibeta.com or http://festival.movibeta.com/web/controllers/usuarioController.php?action=4&festival=112
- B) **CLICK FOR FESTIVALS**, at the address https://www.clickforfestivals.com/semana-de-cine-de-medina-del-campo
- C) **FESTHOME**, at the address http://festhome.com/f/1560
- D) SHORTFILMDEPOT, at the address https://www.shortfilmdepot.com/

In addition to the short film in digital format, the poster of the short film, 2 frames of it and a photograph of the director must be uploaded to the server. When registering the work, you will be asked for a series of data that will make up the registration form, therefore the participant who makes the online submission does not have to send anything else by post or mail. Any questions will be answered at the email addresses of each of the platforms; MOVIBETA (info@movibeta.com), CLICK FOR FESTIVALS (contact@clickforfestivals.com), FESTHOME (festivals@festhome.com), SHORTFILMDEPOT (help@shortfilmdepot.com)

THE REGISTRATION PERIOD ENDS ON JANUARY 15, 2021

SELECTED FILMS

- 1. The works selected for the competition will be announced on the Festival's website. Confirmation will be previously sent by email to each selected.
- 2. The exhibition copy of the selected shorts must be uploaded to the link provided in DCP or HD format with a minimum resolution of 1920 x 1080 -1080p- before February 26, 2021.

AWARDS

AWARDS SECCIÓN OFICIAL (Official Section) and LA OTRA MIRADA SECTION.

Official awards of the festival of these competitions granted / decided by the Official Jury:

- Special Award: BEST SHORT FILM € 6,000 and GOLDEN ROEL.
- Award: BEST ANIMATION SHORT FILM € 500 and ROEL.
- Award: BEST DOCUMENTARY SHORT FILM € 500 and ROEL.
- Awards: BEST DIRECTOR, BEST ACTOR, BEST ACTRESS, BEST SCREENPLAY, BEST ORIGINAL MUSIC, BEST PHOTOGRAPHY, BEST EDITING, BEST SOUND and BEST COSTUMES - €200 and ROEL.

LA OTRA MIRADA has the award for the BEST SHORT FILM OF THE SECTION "La Otra Mirada" - endowed with € 1,000 and ROEL.

Official awards of the festival of these competitions granted / decided by Popular Voting (public attending the Festival):

ROEL DE PLATA and € 3,000

Short film most voted by the public attending the screenings, sponsored by the Medina del Campo City Council.

Youth Award: ROEL and € 1000

Awarded by a jury made up of young volunteers and sponsored by the Youth Council of the Medina del Campo City Council.

FANTASMEDINA SECTION (Fantasy genre short film): ROEL and € 500
 Sponsored by the Youth Council of the Medina del Campo City Council.

The classification of the votes will be established through the best arithmetic mean resulting from dividing the total score obtained by the number of voters.

The Juries will be made up of professionals from the cinematographic and cultural world, and by members of the Organization with voice and without vote, and their decision will be final.

All prizes are subject to withholdings determined by current law.

The incorporation of any other award that does not appear in these rules will be announced in a timely manner through the Festival's communication channels (website, press release, etc.)

PRE-SELECTION FOR THE GOYA AWARDS

The Medina del Campo Film Festival has been selected by the Spanish Academy of Cinematographic Arts and Sciences to shortlist candidates for the Goya Awards in the category of **Best National Fiction** and **Documentary Short Film**.

The winning short films of the ROEL DE ORO and the BEST SHORT IN THE DOCUMENTARY CATEGORY will be able to participate in this edition of the festival.

They will also have to meet the requirements that are requested in the bases of the Academy for the XXXV Goya Short Film Awards.

QUERCUS PROJECT PRE-SELECTION - CASTILLA Y LEÓN

All the short films of Castilla y León selected for the competition will be automatically shortlisted for the

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Quercus Project, the shorts resulting from the projects subsidized in the last call for grants from the Junta de Castilla y León will also be shortlisted.

This Project is sponsored by the Junta de Castilla y León, and organized by **FECCYL** (Coordinadora de Festivales de Castilla y León), who will then be in charge of making the final selection. More information at www.cortosquercus.com and at info@cortosquercus.com

GENERAL RULES

- The authors of the works selected for the competition may present their film if they wish, before the screening.
- The producers of the selected short films authorize the use of a fragment of the works up to a maximum of three minutes, for possible dissemination in any media.
- The Organization may exhibit the selected short films at the places and times it deems appropriate.
- Any additional information or clarification will be provided by mail, telephone or e-mail addressed to the Festival Venue.
- All participants, because they are, fully accept these rules, as well as the resolution by the Organization of any problem not included in these.