

Kurzfilm Festival 2020

Topic: *A New Beginning*

Regulations:

1. The deadline for entries are open from the 8th of June until 30th of June 2020. Entries that arrive later than deadline will not be considered.
2. Short films of all genres with a running time of no more than 30 minutes are accepted for consideration.
3. Entries must be produced no earlier than 2019.
4. The subject of the film must respect the theme of the festival : "A NEW BEGINNING"
5. A film can be submitted only once!
6. Films of racist, paedophile or other content, offending human dignity or supporting any discrimination against individuals or groups of people based "on racial or ethnic origin, religious or other beliefs, disability, age or sexual orientation" as well as films violating any third parties lawful rights including Intellectual Property rights are not eligible for participation in the Festival.
7. Submitted films with other than English dialogue/commentary must come with embedded subtitles in English, or they will not be considered. Separate .srt files are not permitted!
8. Entry must be made via the online submission platform Shortfilmdepot at www.shortfilmdepot.com. Entry of a film is binding and implies acceptance of these regulations.
9. Entry to the Kurzfilm Festival is free and open to all countries
10. Decisions regarding the selection of films will be reached by the 15th of September 2020, at which time a full list of the selected films will be published. Our staff will be responsible for the pre-selection and the final selection.
11. In case of selection, the festival reserves the right to use stills and excerpts from the films for promotional purposes, not exceeding 10 % of the total running time.
12. Entrants are not entitled to claim screening or rental fees for the screenings of their films in competition.
13. Eligible format for screening copies of selected films to be screened during the festival is MP4 File or .mov
14. The awards for the Kurzfilm Festival are following:
 - Grand Prize for Best Short Film in the International Competition Section which is awarded by an International Jury comprised by acknowledged professionals.
 - Audience Prize for Best Short Film which is decided by a voting procedure of the audience.
15. The jury for the International Competition is appointed by the Kurzfilm Festival and is comprised of representatives from various fields of film industry
16. The participation in the festival implies that all conditions and terms described in the rules and regulations herein have been accepted. These regulations are available in English.