REGARD sur le court métrage

Saguenay International Short Film Festival



RULES & ADMISSION

Open to all Canadian and international short films under 45 minutes in length;

Priority is given to independently-produced auteur films;

Priority is given to national, North American and world premieres;

Priority is given to films that have never been submitted before;

All films (fiction, animation, documentary and experimental) are eligible;

School films are eligible if they meet the above criteria outlined;

Works created for advertising, promotional, instructional, scientific purposes or videoclips will not be accepted for submission.

REGISTRATIONS

Submitting a film and the subsequent participation of a selected film in the Festival implies that the participant agrees to all of the festival rules;

o Each participant must fill out an online form no later than December 1st. Online on regardsurlecourt.com/soumettre or via shortfilmdepot.com Platform.

Submitters must include in the submission form;

*** a downloadable link for preview copy (mp4 H264 DATA)

*** a photograph of the director

*** Two (2) photographs of the film: 300 dpi (for printing) + 72 dpi (for the web);

*** Short biography (50 words)

In submitting a film to the Festival, participants authorise the publication in the Festival and Short Film Marketplace and on the website, of all information and photos provided with the submitted film. Participants are responsible for providing this information.

The Festival reserves the right to accept late submissions if the production context justifies the reason; however, the program director must be informed before the submission deadline of any late submissions;

All information regarding the refusal of a film will not be available until April, in which case a request by e-mail must be made;

All films submitted to the Festival will be available for viewing at the Short Film Marketplace's video library during the Festival and will be included in the catalogue for industry professionals.

FOR SELECTED SHORT FILMS

Each selected film will be screened in its original version with French subtitles when the language is other than French.

Short Films in another language than French, must be provided with French subtitles OR with a dialog list in French and/or English (Word or SRT format).

The director and the contact person registered in the form of the selected films will receive a selection letter by e-mail;

In this e-mail, you'll find all details regarding the sending procedures, the formats and support of the screening copy of the submitted work;

The Festival will cover a part of the accommodation costs for a limited number of directors whose short have been selected;

In order to ensure proper media coverage, the Festival recommends that every selected film package includes a press kit, photographs, posters and preview trailers;

The Festival reserves the rights to use clips from the selected films for promotional purposes.

Lodging conditions may however change without advance notice.

* The candidates that have not been selected will be informed by e-mail;

SENDING SCREENING COPIES

The participant must cover the cost of sending the film to the Festival;

The Festival will cover the return cost;

The Festival will cover the cost of insuring the film from the time it is received until the time it is sent back. In case of loss or deterioration, the Festival is only responsible for replacing the copy of the film;

In order to avoid problems at customs, please indicate the value of a replacement copy of the tape or of the copy of the film on the proforma form;

If you're sending your film from outside of Canada, please remember to include the following information on the parcel:

FILM - VIDEO POUR FESTIVAL

SANS VALEUR COMMERCIALE

BUT CULTUREL UNIQUEMENT

FILM - VIDEO FOR FESTIVAL

NO COMMERCIAL VALUE

CULTURAL PURPOSE ONLY

All the material related to your film must be shipped to the following address: preselection@regardsurlecourt.com

Regard sur le court métrage au Saguenay / Soumission Film

Att.: Programmation

114, rue Bossé

Chicoutimi, Québec, Canada G7J 1L4

Téléphone : 1 (418) 698-5854

The preview copy will not be returned