

Capital City SHORT FILM FESTIVAL **TRIVANDRUM**

JULY 10 - JULY 12, 2015

The inaugural Trivandrum Capital City Short Film Festival is fast becoming an Asian hub for innovative cinema and a new wave of short filmmaking. Showcasing a broad range of genres by international directors, Trivandrum Capital City Short Film Festival brings the best of fresh filmmaking to film-loving Trivandrum audiences.

Trivandrum Capital City Short Film Festival will run from July 10 to July 12, 2015, at Capital City of Kerala, India.

The Trivandrum Capital City Short Film Festival will show over 100 films, and is open to any film in any genre, under 150 minutes in length. Trivandrum Capital City Short Film Festival especially looks forward to exhibiting independent and low-budget films with innovative flair.

With three days of film screenings and networking events for filmmakers, the Trivandrum Capital City Short Film Festival is an event not to be missed.

FESTIVAL PROGRAM:

The festival program is divided into the following categories:

- Short Films with a maximum duration of 60 minutes
- Short Documentaries with a maximum duration of 60 minutes
- Short Animation Films with a maximum duration of 60 minutes
- Short Experimental Films with a maximum duration of 60 minutes
- Music Videos with a maximum duration of 60 minutes
- Retrospectives, Tributes, Country Focus, other Special Packages and Premieres
- Technical Workshops and other Interactive Sessions

Trivandrum Capital City Short Film Festival Regulations

These regulations may be called the 'Trivandrum Capital City Short Film Festival Regulations', and will come into force with immediate effect.

The official Name of the festival will be 'Trivandrum Capital City Short Film Festival'

The Festival will be organized by the Arts Lab Foundation (ALF), or such other organization as may be notified from time to time.

The Trivandrum Capital City Short Film Festival welcomes any film in any genre, less than 150 minutes in length for screening.

Only digital submissions will be accepted. Applicants should upload films via one of the online submission platforms. Entries must be received before May 30th, 2015.

If Applicants are unable to upload a screener, Trivandrum Capital City Short Film Festival will accept a private Vimeo link, emailed along with the submission tracking number, to <u>capitalcityshortfilmfestival@gmail.com</u>

All films which are selected / nominated for the Festival, will be informed by emails & listed on our website <u>www.capitalcityshortfilmfestival.webs.com</u>

The list of selected films will be available on Trivandrum Capital City Short Film Festival's website from June 10, 2015.

If selected all screening copies must be received before June 20th, 2015.

Accepted filmmakers attending the festival are responsible for their own expenses.

Filmmakers certify that they have full rights to use all music in their films.

All films must have English subtitles.

By submitting a film, all participants give the organiser, Trivandrum Capital City Short Film Festival the authorization to the catalogs and publications, as well as on the website, all the information, including photos. The organiser, Trivandrum Capital City Short Film Festival will share the information with its publicity partners.

Although participants enjoy freedom of expression in creating their works, their

productions must not either in the film or associated posters and documentation:

A. Contain hateful, racist, sexist, offensive or defamatory statements.

- B. Cause harm to anyone.
- C. Constitute an invasion of privacy

Films once selected & submitted for final screening will not be allowed to be withdrawn under any circumstances until festival is over. Programs composed of films may be circulated after the Festival for its promotion in India and abroad.

Organisers reserves the right to not screen any film for any reason it deems valid.

The organiser, Trivandrum Capital City Short Film Festival reserves the right to cancel any submission or take any suitable measure in the event of a breach of regulations or in response to any behavior disturbing the course of the festival.

Organisers reserve rights to change or re-schedule the dates, venue, awards & categories without information to applicants.

The code of conduct will have to be strictly followed by the entrants; misbehavior will lead to disqualification & legal actions.

The organiser, Trivandrum Capital City Short Film Festival or its representative will settle all non-specified cases within the terms of the present regulations and may allow special dispensation regarding justified and specific requests.

In case of litigation only the courts of the city of Thiruvananthapuram in Kerala (India).

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The organiser, Trivandrum Capital City Short Film Festival reserves the right to refuse the registration of any work/film/person or institution for violating any of the above.

A person submitting an entry for the Trivandrum Capital City Short Film Festival shall be deemed to have accepted these regulations.

ANNEXURE-I

ENTRY FEE:

No.	Category	Duration	Entry Fee
1	Short Film (Fiction)	Up to 60 minutes	\$ 20 USD
2	Short Documentary	Up to 60 minutes	\$ 20 USD
3	Short Animation Film	Up to 60 minutes	\$ 20 USD
4	Short Experimental Film	Up to 60 minutes	\$ 20 USD
5	Music Video	Up to 60 minutes	\$ 20 USD
6	Special Screening Category	Up to 150 minutes	\$ 50 USD

ANNEXURE- II

How To Apply ?

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