**10th FINDECOIN – Independent International Short & Feature Film Festival "The day is short" (VENEZUELA)**

February, 22 to 24 – 2024

**DESCRIPTION OF THE FESTIVAL**

The FINDECOIN - **Independent International Short & Feature Film Festival "The day is short"** search diffusion and promotion of Venezuelan, Latin American and World cinematography; And of all its cultural field. It tries to show cinematographic works that entertain, but above all, that they exert an educative influence in the children, young people and population in general.

**DATE OF THE FESTIVAL**

The Festival will celebrate its 10th Edition from February, 22 to 24 – 2024.

**RULES**

1.- The short films must have a maximum duration of forty-five minutes. And for feature films over 45 minutes.

2.- In case the language of speech is not Spanish, it must be subtitled in Spanish or English.

3.- Any natural or legal person of any nationality can participate.

4. The number of movies that each artist can present to the festival is unlimited.

5. All themes are accepted.

6.- The categories in competition are the following:

6.1.- International Competition:

Drama Short film

Comedy short film

Experimental short film

LGBT Short Film

Fantastic short film

Horror short film

Documentary short film

Animated Short Film

Student Short Film

No-Budget Short Film

Web serie

Video clip

Video art

Short Film Screenplay

Narrative Feature Film

Documental Feature Film

6.2.- National Competition:

Fiction Short film

Documentary short film

Animated Short Film

7.- Shipping method: Will only be accepted via On-line, through the associated platforms. If the link is not public, you must enter the password. If not, the movie will be automatically disqualified.

**REGISTRATION DEADLINES**

The reception of works will be from May 24, 2023 until February 2nd, 2023.

**FEES**

**Short & feature film:**

June deadline: before June 20th. Short & feature Film: $ 10

July deadline: before July 16th. Short & feature Film: $ 11

August deadline: before August 16th. Short & feature film: $ 12

September deadline: before September 16th. Short & feature Film: $ 13

October deadline: before October 16th. Short & feature film: $ 14

November deadline: before November 16th. Short & feature film: $ 15

December deadline: before December 16th. Short & feature Film: $ 15

January deadline: before January 11st. Short & feature Film: $ 16

February deadline: before February 2nd. Short & feature Film: $ 16

**NOTIFICATION**

The selected works will be published on February 07, 2024, at the festival sites:

- Website: <https://findecoin2017.wixsite.com/findecoin>

- Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/FestivalElDiaSeHaceCorto/>

- Twitter: <https://twitter.com/findecoin>

In the same way, they will be informed to those responsible for each short by email.

**OFFICIAL SELECTION**

The selected works will be live screening, during the festival in February 2024, according to the program of the 10th edition of the Festival, published well in advance.

**SELECTED MOVIE REQUIREMENTS**

Once the selection of a film by the Festival has been made for any of the Sections, it can not be withdrawn.

The inscription of a film to competition in the Festival assumes the full acceptance and fulfillment of the present Bases of Participation and of its possible annexes.

The projection copy must be sent on line with sufficient time.

**PROGRAMMING AND EXHIBITION RIGHTS**

During the celebration of the contest, the organization reserves the right to exhibit the selected films in as many public sessions as it deems appropriate.

**AWARDS**

The Jury will award the following prizes:

International Competition:

Best Drama Short film

Best Comedy short film

Best Experimental short film

Best Lgbt Short Film

Best Fantastic short film

Best Horror short film

Best Documentary short film

Best Animated Short Film

Best Student Short Film

Best No-Budget Short Film

Best Web serie

Best Video clip

Best Video art

Best Short Film Screenplay

Best Narrative Feature Film

Best Documental Feature Film

National Competition:

Best Fiction Short film

Best documentary short film

Best Animated Short Film

**ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS**

These participation bases may be supplemented or modified, prior to the start date of the Festival, with as many other annexes as the Organization deems appropriate.

The interpretation of these will be exclusively the responsibility of the Festival Directorate.

**CONTACT**

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