

RULES AND SUBMISSION 2018

GREEN PLANET BARCELONA

7-12 MAY 2018

INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL

1st Edition of Green Planet Barcelona, International Short Film Festival on and about Environment.

Green Planet Barcelona is an international film festival on and about Environment that includes the genres of fiction, animation and documentary. The selection of the short films for the Official Section and the Non Competitive Section is based on artistic, technical and writing criteria.

CONDICIONS GENERALS

1. You can submit any **short film which has been published after January 2015**.
2. You can submit any national or international short film (**fiction, animated or documentary**) that focuses on Environment.
3. Each participant may submit more than one short film.
4. Films can be submitted in English, Spanish, Catalan or French. Participants have to add subtitles in any of these four languages.
5. The length of the short film cannot exceed:

11 minutes for **fiction and animated** films.

15 minutes for **documentaries**.

6. All entries must be submitted within October 1st, 2017 and February 15th, 2018, both included.
7. Films must be submitted online via the platforms clickforfestivals, festhome or filmfreeway. Films can be submitted also via wetransfer to the email greenplanetbarcelona@gmail.com. The reception and proper submission of the materials will be confirmed to participants via email.

The authors of the selected short films for the Official Selection and the Non Competitive Selection must send a high quality copy of the film, two stills and, if possible, a teaser to be published at the Official Programme. All these must be sent to the email address submitted by the organization of the festival:

greenplanetbarcelona@gmail.com

8. The organization will announce the **finalists on the 10th of April 2018**.
9. The films may not include any content that disrespects any person, group or entity or violates people's rights to honour, privacy, and their own image or any other rights affecting third parties.
10. The organization of the Green Planet Barcelona Festival declines any legal responsibility regarding the short films submitted to the Festival and their content.
11. The participants must guarantee that the short films are not violating any intellectual property, industrial or exploitation rights.
12. The authors of the short films submitted to the Festival sign over the rights for the Festival to show them publicly.
13. All submitted material will become part of the festival's archive.
14. The concession of the right to show the short films included in the Official Selection and the Non-Competitive Sections, and therefore, included in the official festival's programme, will be extended for one year, beginning on the last day of this current edition of the festival.
15. The participants give up the rights of screening for the short films to be broadcasted in different media, either in Internet as well as in local televisions, for one year starting on the last day of the current edition of the festival.
16. The organization keeps the right of partial or total use of the short films in the Official Selection, always without any commercial or lucrative purpose, for the promotion or advertising of the Festival. Likewise the organization keeps the right to publish a preview or a piece of maximum 30 seconds of each short film in the Official Selection in the Website and Social Media for the same purpose.

SELECTION PROCESS AND JURY

The organization of the festival will appoint a jury consisting of several professionals related to the world of communication, cinema, culture and environment. After watching all the short films submitted, the organization of the festival will select the films for the Official and the Non-Competitive Sections, which will be screened in the several venues of the Green Planet Barcelona.

The jury will watch the finalists that make it to the Official Selection and decide the awards.

The People's Choice Awards will be decided by the votes of the audiences attending the screenings.

The Festival's organization will grant a Special Mention, if so it deems.

SCREENINGS

From the 7th to the 12th of May 2018, in the several Green Planet Barcelona venues spread around the municipality of Vacarisses.

AWARDS

Jury's award for best documentary short film: cash prize to be determined + trophy

Jury's award for best fiction or animated short film: cash prize to be determined + trophy

People's Choice for the best documentary: cash prize to be determined + trophy

People's Choice for the best fiction or animated short film: cash prize to be determined + trophy

Jury's award for best school film: cash prize to be determined + trophy

Special mentions: No cash price.

The 25% of each finalist's cash prize must be donated to a non-profit association or entity, which will be chosen by the winner.

Any award may be declared void should the jury decide so.

The awards are subjected to the correspondent taxes.

INSCRIPCIÓ I CONDICIONS TÈCNIQUES

Films must be submitted online via the the platforms: [Festhome](#), Filmfreeway or [Clik for festivals](#). You can also submit your films via Wetransfer to the email of Green Planet Barcelona Festival: greenplanetbarcelona@gmail.com

The deadline for the submission is February the 15th, 2018.

If a film is selected for the Official Selection, the organization will require a high quality copy from the person of contact specified on the submission form.

The organization reserves the right to recode the original films in order to adapt them to the requirements of the screening, keeping its quality as far as possible.

The organization reserves the right to solve any issue not foreseen in these rules. In the event of a disagreement in the interpretation of the Rules for Participation of the Green Planet Barcelona Festival 2018, the organization will resolve within a week's time about the issues brought up by the participants, being the organization's decision totally binding.

TERMS OF ACCEPTANCE

Each participant declares, guarantees, and confirms the following to the Green Planet Barcelona Organization:

He/she is of legal age.

He/she is responsible for adhering to the terms and conditions and shall not hold the Green Planet Barcelona Organization accountable for breach of said terms.

The participant expressly agrees to comply with each and every one of the terms and conditions of this contest, which can be inquired about at any moment by each participant. Failure to comply with any of the terms may lead to the disqualification of the contest participant.

It is understood that the participant, when participating in the contest, accepts these terms and conditions, and, therefore, gives the Green Planet Barcelona the authorization to publish its name and image on the festival website, as well as any type of promotion or publication for informational and non-commercial purposes.

PRIVACY POLICY AND COMPLIANCE WITH THE PERSONAL DATA PROTECTION REGULATIONS

Participation in the festival contest implies acceptance and authorization of the total or partial reproduction of the winning short films for promotion, publicity and broadcasting of the Green Planet Barcelona Festival 2018.

The data will be handled with confidentiality and in accordance with the provisions of the Organic Law of Protection of Personal Data (LOPD) and the regulations that develop it.

As indicated, the party responsible for the said file is the Green Planet Barcelona Festival Organization with address C / Josep Carner nº39 VACARISSES, 08233 and email contact greenplanetbarcelona@gmail.com. At the address above, interested parties may exercise the right of access, opposition, rectification and deletion of their personal data.

CONTROL AND SAFETY RULES

The Green Planet Barcelona Festival Organization reserves the right to take appropriate measures to avoid any conduct that the association suspects has the purpose or effect of acting in fraud in regards to this contest, or supposes a breach of its rules or a cause of

harm to other participants. The first consequence will be the disqualification of the participant and the loss of any right to the prize that would have obtained.

Also, the Green Planet Barcelona Festival Organization reserves the right to exclude participants if they contribute material containing viruses or any computer code directed or capable of damaging, interfering, intercepting or violating the security of any system, information or data.

LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

The Green Planet Barcelona Festival Organization shall not accept any liability for damages of any nature that, despite the security measures taken, may be caused by the improper use of the services or contents by the users or participants, and especially, but not exclusively, for damages and losses that may arise from the impersonation of a third party by a user.

The Green Planet Barcelona Festival Organization denies liability in any case in which the participant has not previously requested consent or authorization for personal data of which they were subject to treatment.