

There are NO restrictions as to when your film or script was completed or where it has been released. Anyone may enter the competition. All entries must receive an average score of 85 or above in the judging process to qualify for award placement.

Filmmakers - Please check BOTH copies of your DVD or Blu-Ray before mailing to make sure they play. Each DVD or Blu-Ray should have your film title and total runtime. It is recommended that you check your DVDs on more than one DVD player (computers don't count) to ensure they play, as this is a common issue with submissions. We do NOT accept files, file discs, or any other format - NO EXCEPTIONS.

When submitting your project, be sure to e-mail us at kristina@worldeonline.com with any necessary project information regarding genre selection (experimental; fantasy; horror; horror-comedy; sci-fi; slasher; suspense-thriller). Please note if your project is a student film. Please include your project name and in the e-mail.

Hard copies are NOT returned, unless you clear this with the festival administration from the beginning. In order to have your disc(s) returned to you (after the festival) you MUST send an SASE along with your disc(s) - not separately or after.

IF YOU SUBMIT VIA SECURE ONLINE SCREENER AND YOUR FILM IS SELECTED TO SCREEN, YOU WILL BE REQUIRED TO SEND A HARD COPY (DVD / BLU-RAY) OF YOUR FILM FOR SCREENING. ANY SELECTED FILM NOT RECEIVED BY A GIVEN DEADLINE WILL BE REPLACED IN THE LINEUP - NO EXCEPTIONS.

Please note, if your project qualifies for an award, you or a direct representative from your project must be in attendance at the festival in order to receive any physical awards. Non-attending winners will be e-mailed award certificates after the event.

All submissions - whether accepted or not - come with ONE complimentary 4-day event pass to the festival. Any additional passes must be purchased in advance or at the door.

If you have a film in competition which can no longer be considered for screening, you may withdraw it from screening consideration only but leave it in competition for award placement. Please e-mail kristina@worldeonline.com in the event of this.

You may withdraw your submission at any time, but there are no refunds on submissions.