Otsikko: <u>CULTUREELS Ethnographic film festival - Call for documentaries</u>

Dear Filmmakers,

We are inviting you to participate in ethnographic film festival CULTUREELS 2022 organized by current and former students of University of Helsinki. The film festival will take place for the third time in the spring of 2022 in Helsinki, Finland.

CULTUREELS - Ethnographic Film Festival focuses on anthropological and ethnographic documentaries. The aim of our film festival is to promote awareness of anthropological themes to a wider audience through the use of visual art and presentation. On top of showing works by professional filmmakers, we also wish to provide a channel for both graduate and undergraduate students to get their works visible to the wider public. The theme for the 2022 festival is "Power & Resistance", through which we hope to examine power and resistance on both the societal as well as the individual level. To this year's program we are looking for films which give the viewers an insight into the manners, worldviews and attitudes that exemplify both power and resistance and we welcome both clear cut and creative interpretations of our festival theme

We are currently looking for both students and professional filmmakers to collaborate with. If you have made any brilliant anthropological or ethnographic films – whether it was as part of a research project, student work, thesis or anything else – and you wish to have it seen by more people, then you might just be the person we are looking for!

As stated above, the theme of our festival for this year is "Power & Resistance". The topic of the film(s) that you submit should be related to this theme.

As a requirement:

- The length of the film can be anything
- The language of the film can be anything, but should have English or Finnish subtitles if it is in any language other than them

Your application should contain a link to the film, its title, duration and a short description/synopsis. The deadline for submissions is **15.1.2022**. The films will be chosen in February.

We would prefer if you submit your work by sharing a link from Dropbox or Google Drive to <u>program.cultureels@gmail.com</u>. Due to technical reasons we try to avoid screening movies from online sources (although possible if necessary). Please let us know if none of these options work for you and we'll think of an alternative.

If you are interested in presenting your film in our festival (or even joining us) or if you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact us through email at <u>program.cultureels@gmail.com</u> and we will provide you with more information. And please do not hesitate to share this invitation with your colleagues or fellow students who might be interested!

CULTUREELS - Ethnographic Film Festival is organized for the third time by a group of volunteers, current and former students at the University of Helsinki. The CULTUREELS – Ethnographic Film Festival is a non-profit event, and therefore, unfortunately, cannot offer any financial compensation to the authors.

Thank you for your attention!

Sincerely yours, Stefan Fagerström Program team https://www.cultureels.com/