

A horror film contest. Prizes include promotion on the Hollywood Investigator website and award plaques. There is also a possibility of screenings at fan conventions. Past winning films have screened at the World Horror Convention and Loscon (in Los Angeles).

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Awards & Prizes

Winners receive promotion and plaques. Award categories include:

- * Best Horror Feature Film
- * Best Animated Horror Short Film
- * Best Dramatic Horror Short Film
- * Best Comedic Horror Short Film
- * Best Avant-Garde Horror Short Film
- * Best Horror Documentary
- * Best Horror TV/Web Series
- * Best Horror Music Video
- * Best Dramatic Actress
- * Best Dramatic Actor
- * Best Comedic Actress
- * Best Comedic Actor
- * Best Supporting Actress
- * Best Supporting Actor
- * Best Child Actress
- * Best Child Actor
- * Best Cinematography
- * Best Sound Design
- * Best Editing
- * Best Production Design
- * Best Visual Effects
- * Best Make-Up Effects
- * Best Music Soundtrack
- * Honorable Mention

Rules & Terms

Horror films only. Any length. Live action, animation, avant-garde, or music video. Okay if it's been screened elsewhere.