

Regulations for the International Festival "A Film for Peace"
Fifth Edition 2010

1. The Festival "A Film for Peace" takes place in the city of Medea.
2. The Festival "A Film for Peace" is organized by the city of Medea, the province of Gorizia and the Windcloak Film Production.
3. Applications for admission to the Festival must be addressed to:

Windcloak Film Production
via San Giovanni 21/3
33050 Lestizza (UDINE) - Italy

The package must contain:

- a duly completed registration application, available at www.unfilmpelapace.it
- 2 copies of the film on DVD; there are no time limits
- a CD-Rom containing one or more images of the competing film (in .jpg - 300 dpi)

All sent copies will be deposited in the headquarters of the City of Medea.

4. The film, documentary or fiction, must focus on the theme of peace, wartime conflict, civil war or human rights. Films that deal with other themes will not be admitted to the Festival or be included in the catalogue.

Foreign works, if in a language other than English, must be received with English subtitles and the information must be written in English.

5. Participation within the festival is free and registration will take place by application until 15/03/2010.

6. Admitted films will be inserted into the electronic catalogue available free of charge on the official website of the Festival. The catalogue will contain information for each work accepted, including scene photos, a synopsis of the film and a biography and filmography of the director. Accepted films will be included in a list which is published on the official website of the Festival. The catalogue will be printed and a hard copy version will be sent free of charge to each producer or director of the films entered in the competition.

7. The festival grants the following awards for the 2010 edition:

- Special Audience Award for "Best Story Film" granted by the network of cities
- Special Award "Water Rights" for the Best Film with a theme based on water rights, granted by a special jury
- Special Award of the "History of Cinema" (films prior to 1990) only by invitation of the Artistic Director and granted by the Artistic Director
- Special Award for "Best Educational Feature Film Recommended for Schools" and Special Award for "Best Educational Short Film Recommended for Schools" awarded by the Technical Jury.
- "A FILM FOR PEACE 2010 AWARD" (4 finalists) granted by the Technical Jury

8. All admitted films will be screened in a network of cities in the region Friuli Venezia Giulia, according to the calendar which will be published on the official website. The Artistic Director, based on the public rating, will grant a special award for the Best Story. The award consists of a framed parchment.

9. A Jury, between all short and feature films admitted to the Festival, will assign a special award for the best film dealing with the theme of water rights. The preselected film will also be screened during the celebration of World Water Day (March 22, 2009). The award consists of a framed parchment.

10. The Artistic Director, with the collaboration of a committee of experts, will select among the admitted films that will be subject to the judgement of the Popular Jury and the Technical Jury.

11. The Artistic Director, with the collaboration of a committee of experts, will grant a special award to a film prior to 1990 as having made a significant contribution to the history of cinema and that has dealt with the theme of peace, conflict or civil war, or human rights (only those films invited by the Artistic Director). The award consists of a framed parchment.

12. The films selected by the Artistic Director will be assigned to a Network of Italian and Foreign Schools that will promote the film viewing and discussion with the teachers, assigning an appropriate score for the selection of 4 film finalists.

13. The Popular Jury, which is composed of university students and representatives of associations working in the field of peace and solidarity, will view and judge the film by assigning an appropriate score for the selection of 4 film finalists.

14. The Artistic Director will announce the 4 finalists based on the scores given by the High School Network Jury and the Popular Jury.

15. The Technical Jury will be composed of members from the fields of art, communication, cinema and culture.

The Technical Jury will view the 4 finalists and create a ranking in order to grant the appropriate awards.

- 1st PLACE SHORT FILM (parchment and prize of 500 Euros)
- RUNNER-UP SHORT FILM (parchment and prize of 250 Euros)
- 1st PLACE FEATURE FILM (parchment and prize of 500 Euros)
- RUNNER-UP FEATURE FILM (parchment and prize of 250 Euros)

Among the four films, the jury will announce the final winner: "A FILM FOR PEACE 2010" which will also be awarded a silver plaque.

The Technical Jury will also grant a special award to the Best Educational Feature Film Recommended for Schools and a special award for the Best Educational Short Film Recommended for Schools. The two special awards consist of framed parchments.

16. The award ceremony will take place in July at the Concert for World Peace held in Medea (the date will be announced on the official website and communicated to the finalists) in front of the National Monument "Ara Pacis Mundi" with the attendance of the public and members from the institutional and cultural fields.

17. The producers of the 4 finalists must confirm their attendance at the award ceremony within 10 days of selection notification.

Prize money will only be paid out if the producer of the film or his delegate is present at the time of claiming of the prize. If not, the amount will not be paid and the parchment and plaque will be delivered to the address stated by the producer.

The finalists who are present for the claiming of the prize shall be entitled for accommodation in a hotel in the area. Finalists residing in the region of Friuli Venezia Giulia are not entitled to accommodations. Round-trip travel expenses of producers residing outside the region will be taken care of by the organizer. All covered travel and accommodation expenses pertain to only

one representative attending the Festival for each film finalist.

18. The two DVDs delivered for each film will be deposited and catalogued by the Windcloak Film Production at the Media Library of the City of Medea. The Media Library of Medea, with the support of the Province of Gorizia and other media libraries online, will promote the selected films by organizing meetings, conferences and screenings with scholars and the public to promote the film producers and discuss themes of peace and human rights.

The final winner for "A FILM FOR PEACE 2010" award will be promoted in a conference in which the film will be screened and discussed regarding the themes of peace and human rights, with the participation of researchers, recognized members from the field of culture and the press. The place and date of the conference will be announced on the official website.

19. For all the screenings provided by the Festival and in art. 18 of these regulations, rental charges shall not be implied.

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