



99th ACADEMY AWARDS
QUALIFYING FESTIVAL LIST

(Combined list for all Documentary Feature and Short Film categories)

Films that win a qualifying festival award between October 1, 2025, and September 30, 2026, may be eligible to submit for 99th Academy Awards consideration.

- ACADEMIA DE LAS ARTES Y LAS CIENCIAS CINEMATOGRAFICAS DE ESPAÑA [GOYA AWARDS] (Spain)
 - Best Animated Short Film
 - Best Documentary Short Film
 - Best Fiction Short Film
 - <https://www.premiosgoya.com/>

- ACADÉMIE DES CÉSAR [FRENCH ACADEMY OF CINEMA] (France)
 - Best Short Fiction Film
 - Best Animated Short Film
 - Best Documentary Short Film
 - www.academie-cinema.org

- AFI FEST (California, USA)
 - Grand Jury Prize – Animated Short
 - Grand Jury Prize – Documentary Short
 - Grand Jury Prize – Live Action Short
 - <https://fest.afi.com/>

- ALCINE – FESTIVAL DE CINE DE ALCALÁ DE HENARES (Spain)
 - First Prize National Competition
 - First Prize European Competition
 - www.alcine.org

- ALEXANDRIA SHORT FILM FESTIVAL (Egypt)
 - Hypatia Award (Live Action Fiction)
 - www.alex-sff.com

- AMDOCS – AMERICAN DOCUMENTARY AND ANIMATION FILM FESTIVAL (California, USA)
 - Best Documentary Short
 - Best Animated Short
 - www.amdocfilmfest.com

- AMERICAN BLACK FILM FESTIVAL (Florida, USA)
 - Best Short Film Award
 - www.abff.com

- ANIFILM – INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL OF ANIMATED FILMS (Czech Republic)
International Short Films Competition: Best Short Film
www.anifilm.cz

- ANIMA – THE BRUSSELS ANIMATION FILM FESTIVAL (Belgium)
Grand Prix Anima for Best International Short Film
www.animafestival.be/en

- ANIMATION DINGLE (Ireland)
Best Irish Professional Short
www.animationdingle.com

- ANIMATOR INTERNATIONAL ANIMATED FILM FESTIVAL (Poland)
Grand Jury Prize – The Golden Pegasus
www animator-festival.com

- ANIMAYO; SUMMIT & INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL OF ANIMATION, VISUAL EFFECTS AND VIDEO GAMES (Spain)
Grand Jury Award
Best Short Film from a Spanish-Speaking Country
www.animayo.com

- ANIMEST INTERNATIONAL ANIMATION FILM FESTIVAL (Romania)
Animest Trophy
Best Romanian Film
www.animest.ro

- ANN ARBOR FILM FESTIVAL (Michigan, USA)
Ken Burns Award for Best of the Festival
Chris Frayne Award for Best Animated Film
Lawrence Kasdan Award for Best Narrative Film
www.aafilmfest.org

- ANNECY INTERNATIONAL ANIMATION FILM FESTIVAL (France)
Cristal for a Short Film
Best Jury Award – Short Films Competition
www.annecyfestival.com/en

- ASPEN SHORTSFEST (Colorado, USA)
Best Animation
Best Comedy
Best Documentary
Best Drama
Best Short Short (under 10 minutes)
www.aspenfilm.org

- ATHENS INTERNATIONAL FILM + VIDEO FESTIVAL (Ohio, USA)
 - 1st Prize Animation Short
 - 1st Prize Narrative Short
 - www.athensfest.org

- ATLANTA FILM FESTIVAL (Georgia, USA)
 - Best Animated Short
 - Best Documentary Short
 - Best Narrative Short
 - www.atlantafilmfestival.com

- AUSTIN FILM FESTIVAL (Texas, USA)
 - Animated Short Jury Award
 - Documentary Short Jury Award
 - Narrative Short Jury Award
 - www.austinfilmfestival.com

- BALI INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Indonesia)
 - Best Short Film
 - www.balinale.com

- BEIRUT SHORTS INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Lebanon)
 - Best Short Live Action (Fiction)
 - Best Short Documentary
 - Best Short Animation
 - www.beirutshorts.com

- BENGALURU INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL (India)
 - Best Film in International Competition Section
 - Best Film in Indian Competition Section
 - Best Film in Animated Section
 - www.bisff.in

- BERLIN INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (BERLINALE) (Germany)
 - Golden Bear for Best Short Film
 - Berlinale Best Documentary Award (Documentary Feature)
 - The TEDDY Award – Best Documentary Feature (Documentary Feature)
 - www.berlinale.de

- BIG SKY DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL (Montana, USA)
 - Best Short Competition
 - Best Mini-Doc Competition
 - www.bigskyfilmfest.org

- BITBANG INTERNATIONAL ANIMATION FESTIVAL (Argentina)
 - International Animated Short Film
 - Latin American Animated Short Film
 - www.bitbangclub.com

- BLACKSTAR FILM FESTIVAL (Pennsylvania, USA)
 - Short Documentary Jury Award
 - Short Narrative Jury Award
 - www.blackstarfest.org

- BOGOSHORTS – BOGOTÁ SHORT FILM FESTIVAL (Colombia)
 - Santa Lucia for Best Animation Short Film (National Competition)
 - Santa Lucia for Best Documentary Short Film (National Competition)
 - Santa Lucia for Best Fiction Short Film (National Competition)
 - www.bogoshorts.com

- BRITISH ACADEMY OF FILM AND TELEVISION ARTS [BAFTA] (U.K.)
 - British Short Film
 - British Short Animation
 - www.bafta.org

- BRONZELENS FILM FESTIVAL (Georgia, USA)
 - Best Short
 - www.bronzelens.com

- BRUSSELS SHORT FILM FESTIVAL (Belgium)
 - International Grand Prize
 - National Grand Prize
 - www.bsff.be

- BUCHEON INTERNATIONAL ANIMATION FESTIVAL (South Korea)
 - BIAF Grand Prize
 - <https://www.bifan.kr/>

- BUSAN INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL (South Korea)
 - Grand Prix in International Competition
 - Grand Prix in Korean Competition
 - www.bisff.org

- CAIRO INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Egypt)
 - Youssef Chahine Award for Best Short Film
 - www.ciff.org.eg

- CALGARY INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Canada)
 - Grand Jury Prize – Best Overall Short Film
 - www.ciffcalgary.ca

- CAMDEN INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Maine, USA)
 - Best Short
 - <https://pointsnorthinstitute.org/ciff/>

- CANADIAN SCREEN AWARDS [ACADEMY OF CANADIAN CINEMA & TELEVISION] (Canada)
 - Best Animated Short
 - Best Live Action Short Drama
 - Best Short Documentary
 - www.academy.ca

- CANNES INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (France)
 - Palme d'Or – Best Short Film
 - Golden Eye Documentary Prize (Documentary Feature)
 - www.festival-cannes.com

- CARTAGENA DE INDIAS INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL - FICCI (Colombia)
 - Best Film – Documentary Competition (Documentary Feature)
 - Best Short Film
 - www.ficcifestival.com

- CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S FILM FESTIVAL (Illinois, USA)
 - Best Animated Short
 - Best Live Action Short
 - www.facets.org/cicff

- CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Illinois, USA)
 - Gold Hugo – Animated Short Film Competition
 - Gold Hugo – Documentary Short Film Competition
 - Gold Hugo – Live Action Short Film Competition
 - www.chicagofilmfestival.com

- CHILEMONOS INTERNATIONAL ANIMATION FESTIVAL (Chile)
 - Latin American Animated Short Film Competition
 - International Animated Short Film Competition
 - www.chilemonos.com

- CINANIMA – INTERNATIONAL ANIMATED FILM FESTIVAL OF ESPINHO (Portugal)
 - Grand Prize – City of Espinho Award
 - www.cinanima.pt

- CINEQUEST FILM FESTIVAL (California, USA)
 - Best Short Animated Film
 - Best Short Narrative Film Comedy
 - Best Short Narrative Film Drama
 - www.cinequest.org

- CLERMONT-FERRAND INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL (France)
 - Grand Prix (International)
 - Grand Prix (National – French Competition)
 - www.clermont-filmfest.org

- CLEVELAND INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Ohio, USA)
 - Best Animated Short Film
 - Best Documentary Short Film
 - Best Live Action Short Film
 - www.clevelandfilm.org

- CORK INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Ireland)
 - Grand Prix International Short
 - Grand Prix Irish Short
 - Grand Prix Documentary Short
 - www.corkfilmfest.org

- CPH:DOX – COPENHAGEN INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL (Denmark)
 - Dox:Award (Documentary Feature)
 - www.cphdox.dk

- CURTAS VILA DO CONDE – INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Portugal)
 - Grand Prix - International Competition
 - Best Short Film Prize – Portuguese Competition
 - www.festival.curtas.pt

- DALLAS INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Texas, USA)
 - Grand Jury Prize – Best Animated Short Film
 - Grand Jury Prize – Best Documentary Short Film
 - Grand Jury Prize – Best Narrative Short Film
 - www.dallasfilm.org/diff

- DEADCENTER FILM FESTIVAL (Oklahoma, USA)
 - Best Animated Short
 - Best Documentary Short
 - Best Live Action Short
 - www.deadcenterfilm.org

- DMZ INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL (South Korea)
 - Grand Prize for International Competition (Documentary Feature)
 - Grand Prize for Korean Competition (Documentary Feature)
 - www.dmzdocs.com

- DOC EDGE FESTIVAL(New Zealand)
 - Best International Feature (Documentary Feature)
 - Best New Zealand Feature (Documentary Feature)
 - Best International Short
 - Best New Zealand Short
 - www.docedge.nz

- DOC NYC (New York, USA)
 - DOC NYC Shorts Grand Jury Prize
 - www.docnyc.net

- DOCAVIV INTERNATIONALDOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL (Israel)
 - Best International Film Award (Documentary Feature)
 - Best Israeli Documentary Film Award (Documentary Feature)
 - Best Short Film Award
 - www.docaviv.co.il

- DOCLISBOA INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Portugal)
 - Best Short Film
 - www.doclisboa.org

- DOCVILLE INTERNATIONALDOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL (Belgium)
 - Jury Award for Best International Documentary (Documentary Feature)
 - www.docville.be

- DRAMA INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL (Greece)
 - Golden Dionysus – National Competition
 - Grand Prix – International Competition
 - www.dramafilmfestival.gr/en/

- DURBAN INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (South Africa)
 - Best International Documentary (Documentary Feature)
 - Best South African Documentary (Documentary Feature)
 - Best Short Film
 - www.ccadiff.ukzn.ac.za

- EDMONTON INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Canada)
 - Grand Jury Award for Best Animated Short Film
 - Grand Jury Award for Best Live Action Short Film
 - Grand Jury Award for Best Documentary Short Film
 - www.edmontonfilmfest.com

- ENERGACAMERIMAGE INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Poland)
 - Golden Frog for Short Documentary
 - www.camerimage.pl

- FANTOCHE INTERNATIONAL ANIMATION FILM FESTIVAL (Switzerland)
 - Best Film – International Competition
 - www.fantoche.ch/en

- FEST ANČA INTERNATIONAL ANIMATION FESTIVAL (Slovakia)
 - Best Animated Short
 - Best Slovak Animated Short
 - www.festanca.sk/en/

- FESPACO - PAN AFRICAN FILM AND TELEVISION FESTIVAL OF OUAGADOUGOU (Burkina Faso)
 - Golden Stallion – Documentary Feature Category
 - Golden Foal – Documentary Short Category
 - <https://fespaco.bf/>

- FESTIVAL DU NOUVEAU CINÉMA (Canada)
 - Best Short Film – International Competition - Loup Argenté
 - www.nouveaucinema.ca

- FESTIVAL INTERNACIONAL DE CINE DE LEBU, CINELEBU (Chile)
 - Best Short Film, International Fiction
 - Best Short Film, National Fiction
 - Best Short Film, International Animation
 - www.cinelebu.cl

- FICX – GIJON INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Spain)
 - Principality of Asturias Award for Best Short Film
 - www.gijonfilmfestival.com

- FLICKERFEST INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL (Australia)
 - Best International Short Film
 - Best Australian Short Film
 - Yoram Gross Award for Best International Animation
 - Best Documentary Short Film
 - www.flickerfest.com.au

- FLORIDA FILM FESTIVAL (Florida, USA)
 - Grand Jury Award: Best Animated Short
 - Grand Jury Award: Best Documentary Short
 - Grand Jury Award: Best Narrative Short
 - www.floridafilmmfestival.com

- FOYLE FILM FESTIVAL (Northern Ireland)
 - Best International Short Film
 - Best Irish Short Film
 - Best Animated Short Film
 - www.foylefilmfestival.org

- **FRISS HÚS BUDAPEST INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL (Hungary)**
 Best Hungarian Live-Action Short Film
 Best Hungarian Animation
www.frisshusbudapest.com/en

- **FULLFRAME DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL (North Carolina, USA)**
 Full Frame Jury Award for Best Short
www.fullframefest.org

- **GALWAY FILM FLEADH (Ireland)**
 James Horgan Award for the Best Animation Short
 Best Short Documentary
 Tiernan McBride Award for Best Fiction Short
www.galwayfilmfleadh.com

- **GERMAN SHORT FILM AWARD (Germany)**
 Animated Film (1 min. – 30 min.)
 Documentary Film (1 min. – 30 min.)
 Live Action (1 min. – 10 min.)
 Live Action (10 min. – 30 min.) www.deutscher-kurzfilmpreis.de

- **GO SHORT INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL NIJMEGEN (The Netherlands)**
 Best European Short Animation Film
 Best European Short Documentary Film
 Best European Short Fiction Film
 Best Dutch Short Film
www.goshort.nl

- **GÖTEBORG FILM FESTIVAL (Sweden)**
 Dragon Award for Best Nordic Documentary (Documentary Feature)
 Dragon Award Best Swedish Short
www.goteborgfilmfestival.se

- **GUADALAJARA INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Mexico)**
 Best Ibero-American Short Film
 Rigo Mora Award for Best International Animated Short Film
 Best Ibero-American Documentary Feature Film
www.figc.mx

- **GUANAJUATO INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Mexico)**
 Best Short Animation
 Best Short Documentary International
 Best Short Fiction International
 Best Mexican Short Documentary
www.giff.mx

- HAIFA INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Israel)
 - Best Independent Film Award (Israeli Short Film Competition)
 - www.haifaff.co.il

- HAMPTONS INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (New York, USA)
 - Best Narrative Short
 - Best Documentary Short
 - www.hamptonfilmfest.org

- HAWAII INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Hawaii, USA)
 - Best Short Film
 - Made in Hawaii Best Short Film
 - www.hiff.org

- HIROSHIMA ANIMATION SEASON (Japan)
 - Grand Prix
 - www.animation.hiroshimafest.org/en

- HOLLYSHORTS FILM FESTIVAL (California, USA)
 - Best Short Film Grand Prize
 - Best Animation Short Film
 - Best Live Action Short Film
 - Best Documentary Short Film
 - www.hollyshorts.com

- THE HONG KONG INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Hong Kong)
 - Documentary Competition – Firebird Award (Documentary Feature)
 - Short Film Competition – Firebird Award
 - www.hkiff.org.hk

- HOTDOCS CANADIAN INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FESTIVAL (Canada)
 - Best International Feature Documentary
 - Best International Short Documentary
 - Betty Youson Award for Best Canadian Short Documentary
 - www.hotdocs.ca

- HOTSPRINGS DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL (Arkansas, USA)
 - Best Documentary Short
 - www.hsdfi.org

- HUESCA INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Spain)
 - 1st Prize - International Danzante Award
 - 1st Prize - Ibero-American Danzante Award
 - 1st prize - Documentary Danzante Award
 - www.huesca-filmfestival.com

- IDFA – INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL AMSTERDAM (Netherlands)
 IDFA Award for Best Feature-Length Documentary
 IDFA Award for Best Short Documentary
www.idfa.nl

- IMAGINARIA FILM FESTIVAL (Italy)
 Best Animated Short Film
www.imaginarialeu.com

- IMAGINENATIVE FILM + MEDIA ARTS FESTIVAL (Canada)
 Best Live Action Short Award
www.imagenative.org

- IN THE PALACE INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL (Bulgaria)
 Best Short Fiction
 Best Short Animation
 Best Short Documentary
 Best National Film
www.inthepalace.com

- INDY SHORTS INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL PRESENTED BY HEARTLAND FILM (Indiana, USA)
 Animated Grand Prize
 Documentary Grand Prize
 Narrative Grand Prize
www.heartlandfilm.org

- INTERFILM INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL BERLIN (Germany)
 Best Animation, International Competition
 Best Live Action, International Competition
www.interfilm.de

- INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY AND SHORT FILM FESTIVAL OF KERALA (India)
 Best Long Documentary (Documentary
 Feature) Best Short Documentary
<https://idsffk.in/>

- INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FESTIVAL SHEFFIELD (U.K.)
 Grand Jury Award for the International Competition (Documentary Feature)
 Best Short Film: International Short Film Competition
www.sheffdocfest.com

- INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL OF DOCUMENTARIES AND SHORT FILMS OF BILBAO – ZINEBI (Spain)
 ZINEBI Grand Prize: International Short Film Competition
 Mikeldi for Best Documentary Short Film
<https://zinebi.eus>

- INTERNATIONAL LEIPZIG FESTIVAL FOR DOCUMENTARY AND ANIMATED FILM (Germany)
 - Golden Dove – International Long Documentary Competition (Documentary Feature)
 - Golden Dove – International Competition Short Animated Film
 - Golden Dove – International Short Documentary Competition
 - www.dok-leipzig.de

- INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL OBERHAUSEN (Germany)
 - Grand Prize of the City of Oberhausen
 - Grand Prize of the German Competition
 - www.kurzfilmtage.de

- INTERNATIONALE KURZFILMTAGE WINTERTHUR (Switzerland)
 - Grand Prize for the International Competition
 - Prize for the Best Swiss Film
 - Promotional Award - International Competition
 - www.kurzfilmtage.ch

- IRISH FILM & TELEVISION AWARDS (Ireland)
 - IFTA Award for Live Action Short Film
 - IFTA Award for Animated Short Film
 - www.ifta.ie

- THE ISRAEL FILM ACADEMY – OPHIR AWARDS (Israel)
 - Ophir Awards – Short Film competition
 - israelfilmacademy.co.il

- IT'S ALL TRUE – INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL (Brazil)
 - Best Documentary in the International Competition, Feature or Medium-Length Films
 - Best Documentary in the Brazilian Competition, Feature or Medium-Length Films
 - Best Documentary of the International Short Film Competition
 - Best Documentary of the Brazilian Short Film Competition
 - www.etudoverdade.com.br

- IZMIR INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL (Turkey)
 - Best National Short Animation
 - Best National Short Fiction Film
 - www.izmirkisafilm.org

- JERUSALEM FILM FESTIVAL (Israel)
 - The Diamond Award for Best Narrative Short Film
 - www.jff.org.il

- JIHLAVA INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL (Czech Republic)
 - Best World Documentary Film (Documentary Feature)
 - Best Central and East European Documentary Film (Documentary Feature)
 - www.ji-hlava.com

- JIFF – JOSÉ IGNACIO INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Uruguay)
 - December Award – Best Short Film
 - www.joseignaciofilmfestival.com

- KABOOM ANIMATION FESTIVAL (The Netherlands)
 - Best Short Film
 - Best Dutch Short Film
 - www.kaboomfestival.nl

- KRAKOW FILM FESTIVAL (Poland)
 - Golden Horn for Documentary Film (Documentary Feature)
 - Golden Dragon for Best Short Film
 - Silver Dragon for Best Short Animated Film
 - Silver Dragon for Best Short Documentary
 - Silver Dragon for Best Short Fiction Film
 - www.krakowfilmfestival.pl

- LA SHORTS INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (California, USA)
 - Best of Fest
 - Best Animation
 - Best Documentary
 - Best International
 - www.lashortsfest.com

- LEEDS INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (U.K.)
 - Louis le Prince International Short Film Competition (Grand Prize)
 - World Animation Competition (Grand Prize)
 - <https://www.leedsfilm.com/>

- LEUVEN INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL (Belgium)
 - Jury Award Best European Short Film
 - Jury Award Best Flemish Short Film
 - www.kortfilmfestival.be

- LOCARNO INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Switzerland)
 - Pardino d'Oro Swiss Life for the Best Swiss Short Film
 - Pardino d'Oro SRG SSR for the Best International Short Film
 - <https://www.locarnofestival.ch/home.html>

- LOS ANGELES ASIAN PACIFIC FILM FESTIVAL (California, USA)
 - Golden Reel Award for Narrative Short
 - Golden Reel Award for Documentary Short
 - www.vcmedia.org/festival

- LOS ANGELES LATINO INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (LALIFF) (Los Angeles, CA, USA)
 - Best US Latino Live Action Short Award
 - Best US Latino Animated Short Award
 - www.laliff.org

- MANCHESTER ANIMATION FESTIVAL (U.K.)
 - Best Short Film
 - www.manchesteranimationfestival.co.uk

- MELBOURNE INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Australia)
 - City of Melbourne Grand Prix for Best Short Film
 - VicScreen Erwin Rado Award for Best Australian Short Film
 - Best Animation Short Film
 - Best Documentary Short Film
 - www.miff.com.au

- MILLENNIUM DOCS AGAINST GRAVITY (Poland)
 - Grand Prix Bank Millennium Award (Documentary Feature)
 - www.mdag.pl/22/en/warszawa/homepage

- MORELIA INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Mexico)
 - Best Mexican Documentary Feature Film
 - Ojo for Best Mexican Animated Short Film
 - Ojo for Best Mexican Documentary Short Film
 - Ojo for Best Mexican Fiction Short Film
 - www.moreliafilmfest.com

- MOUNTAINFILM (Colorado, USA)
 - Best Short Film
 - www.mountainfilm.org

- MOVIES THAT MATTER (The Netherlands)
 - Grand Jury Documentary (Documentary Feature)
 - www.moviesthatmatter.nl/en/festival

- NASHVILLE FILM FESTIVAL (Tennessee, USA)
 - Best Animated Short
 - Best Documentary Short
 - Best Narrative Short
 - www.nashvillefilmfestival.org

- NEW HAMPSHIRE FILM FESTIVAL (New Hampshire, USA)
 - Shorts Jury Award, Animation
 - Shorts Jury Award, Live Action
 - Shorts Jury Award, Documentary
 - www.nhfilmfestival.com

- NEW ORLEANS FILM FESTIVAL (Louisiana, USA)
 - Helen Hill Animated Short Jury Award
 - Documentary Short Film Jury Award
 - Narrative Short Jury Award
 - www.neworleansfilmfestival.org

- NEW YORK INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S FILM FESTIVAL (New York, USA)
 - Jury Award, Best Animated Short
 - Jury Award, Best Live Action Short
 - www.nyicff.org

- NORDISK PANORAMA FILM FESTIVAL (Five Nordic Countries) Best Nordic Short Film
 - <https://nordiskpanorama.com/en/festival/>

- THE NORWEGIAN SHORTFILM FESTIVAL (Norway)
 - The Golden Chair for Best International Short Film
 - The Golden Chair for Best Norwegian Short Film
 - The Golden Chair for Best Short Documentary
 - www.kortfilmfestivalen.no

- OFF – ODENSE INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Denmark)
 - H.C. Andersen Award (International Competition)
 - Best Danish Short Film
 - Børge Ring Award (Animation Competition)
 - Best Short Documentary
 - www.filmfestival.dk

- THE OTTAWA INTERNATIONAL ANIMATION FESTIVAL (Canada)
 - Grand Prize for Best Short Animated Film
 - www.animationfestival.ca

- OUTON FILM, ATLANTA'S INTERNATIONAL LGBTQ FILM FESTIVAL (Georgia, USA)
 - Best Drama Short
 - www.outonfilm.org

- PALM SPRINGS INTERNATIONAL SHORTFEST (California, USA)
 - Best of the Festival Award
 - Best Animation Short
 - Best Documentary Short
 - Best Live Action Short 15 minutes and under
 - Best Live Action Short over 15 minutes
 - www.psfilmfest.org

- THE PAN AFRICAN FILM & ARTS FESTIVAL (California, USA)
 - Best Short Narrative Film Award
 - Best Short Documentary Award
 - Best Animated Short
 - www.paff.org

- PREMI DAVID DI DONATELLO – DAVID DI DONATELLO FILM AWARDS (Italy)
 - Best Short Film
 - www.daviddidonatello.it

- PREMIOS PLATINO DEL CINE IBERO AMERICANO (Mexico)
 - Best Documentary Film (Documentary Feature)
 - www.premiosplatino.com

- PROVINCETOWN INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Massachusetts, USA)
 - Best Documentary Short Film
 - Best Narrative Short Film
 - Best Queer Short Film
 - www.provincetownfilm.org

- RAINDANCE FILM FESTIVAL (U.K.)
 - Best Live Action Short
 - Best Animated Short
 - Best Documentary Short
 - www.raindance.org

- REELSISTERS OF THE DIASPORA FILM FESTIVAL (New York, USA)
 - Reel Sisters Best Narrative Short Award
 - www.reelsisters.org

- REGARD – SAGUENAY INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Canada)
 - Grand Prize
 - Canadian Grand Prize
 - www.festivalregard.com

- RIO DE JANEIRO INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL – FESTIVAL CURTA CINEMA (Brazil)
 - National Grand Prize
 - International Great Prize
 - www.curtacinema.com.br

- RIVERRUN INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (North Carolina, USA)
 - Best Animated Short
 - Best Documentary Short
 - www.riverrunfilm.com

- RUN&SHOOT FILMWORKS – MARTHA’S VINEYARD AFRICAN AMERICAN FILM FESTIVAL (Massachusetts, USA)
 - Best of the Best Award
 - www.mvaaff.com

- ST. KILDA FILM FESTIVAL (Australia)
 - Best Short Film
 - Best Documentary
 - www.stkildafilmfestival.com.au

- ST. LOUIS INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Missouri, USA)
 - Best of Fest
 - Best Animated
 - Best Documentary
 - Best Live Action
 - www.cinemastlouis.org

- SAN FRANCISCO INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (California, USA)
 - Golden Gate Award for Best Animated Short
 - Golden Gate Award for Best Documentary Short
 - Golden Gate Award for Best Narrative Short
 - www.sffilm.org

- SAN FRANCISCO JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL (California, USA)
 - Best Documentary Short Award
 - www.jfi.org

- SAN JOSE INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL (California, USA)
 - Best of the Fest
 - www.sjsff.com

- SAN LUIS OBISPO INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (California, USA)
 - Best Documentary Short
 - www.slofilmfest.org

- SANTA BARBARA INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (California, USA)
 - Best Animated Short Film
 - Best Live Action Short Film
 - Best Documentary Short Film
 - <https://sbiff.org/>

- SANTA FE INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (New Mexico, USA)
 - Best Animated Short
 - Best Narrative Short
 - Best Documentary Short
 - www.santafe.film

- SARAJEVO FILM FESTIVAL (Bosnia & Herzegovina)
 - Heart of Sarajevo for the Best Documentary Film (Documentary Feature)
 - Heart of Sarajevo for the Best Short Film
 - Best European Short Film
 - www.sff.ba

- SEATTLE INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Washington, USA)
 - Grand Jury Prize for Animated Short Film
 - Grand Jury Prize for Documentary Short Film
 - Grand Jury Prize for Live Action Short
 - www.siff.net

- SEBASTOPOL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL (California, USA)
 - Franklin J. Schaffner Jury Award for Short Film
 - Franklin J. Schaffner Jury Award for Mini-Doc
 - www.sebastopolfilmfestival.org

- SHORT SHORTS FILM FESTIVAL (Japan)
 - Best Short – International
 - Best Short – Asia International
 - Best Short – Japan
 - Best Short – Animation
 - Best Short – Non-fiction
 - www.shortshorts.org

- SHOW ME SHORTS FILM FESTIVAL (New Zealand)
 - Best NZ Film
 - Best International Film
 - www.showmeshorts.co.nz

- SIGGRAPH (USA and Canada)
 - Best in Show
 - www.siggraph.org

- SINGAPORE INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Singapore)
 - Best Southeast Asian Short Film
 - www.sgiff.com

- SITGES INTERNATIONAL FANTASTIC FILM FESTIVAL OF CATALONIA (Spain)
 - SOFC Best Short Film Award
 - Best Animated Short Film
 - www.sitgesfilmfestival.com

- SLAMDANCE FILM FESTIVAL (California, USA)
 - Grand Jury Award for Animation Short
 - Grand Jury Award for Narrative Short
 - www.slamdance.com

- SOUTH BY SOUTHWEST (Texas, USA)
 - Animated Shorts Competition Jury Award
 - Documentary Shorts Competition Jury Award
 - Narrative Shorts Competition Jury Award
 - www.sxsw.com

- SPARK ANIMATION (Canada)
 - Best in Show
 - www.sparkcg.org

- STUTTGART FESTIVAL OF ANIMATED FILM (Germany)
 - Grand Prix International Competition
 - www.itfs.de

- SUNDANCE FILM FESTIVAL (Utah, USA)
 - Short Film Grand Jury Prize
 - Short Film Jury Award: International Fiction
 - Short Film Jury Award: US Fiction
 - Short Film Jury Award: Animation
 - Short Film Jury Award: Nonfiction
 - www.sundance.org

- SYDNEY FILM FESTIVAL (Australia)
 - Documentary Australia Award (Documentary Feature)
 - Dendy Award - Best Australian Short Film – Live Action
 - Yoram Gross Animation Award
 - www.sff.org.au

- TAIPEI GOLDEN HORSE FILM FESTIVAL (GOLDEN HORSE AWARDS) (Taiwan)
 - Best Documentary Feature
 - Best Live Action Short Film
 - Best Documentary Short Film
 - Best Animated Short Film
 - www.goldenhorse.org.tw

- TALLINN BLACK NIGHTS FILM FESTIVAL (Estonia)
 - PÖFF Shorts - International Live Action Competition
 - PÖFF Shorts: Best Animation Short
 - PÖFF Shorts: National Competition
 - www.poff.ee

- TAMPERE FILM FESTIVAL (Finland)
 - Grand Prix (International Competition)
 - Best Fiction (International Competition)
 - Best Documentary (International Competition)
 - Main Prize (National Competition under 30 minutes)
 - www.tamperefilmfestival.fi

- TASVEER FILM FESTIVAL (Washington, USA)
 - Tasveer Grand Jury Award
 - www.tasveerfestival.org

- TEHRAN INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL (Iran)
 - Grand Prize
 - www.tisff.ir

- THESSALONIKI INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL (Greece)
 - Golden Alexander – International Competition (Documentary Feature)
 - www.filmfestival.gr

- THOMAS EDISON FILM FESTIVAL (Various, USA)
 - Stellar Award for Animation
 - Stellar Award for Experimental
 - www.tefilmfest.org

- TIRANA INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Albania)
 - Best Short Film
 - <https://tiranafilmfest.org/>

- TORONTO INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Canada)
 - Best International Short Film
 - Best Canadian Short Film
 - www.tiff.net

- TRIBECA FILM FESTIVAL (New York, USA)
 - Best Animated Short Film Award
 - Best Short Documentary Award
 - Best Narrative Short Film
 - www.tribecafilm.com

- UPPSALA INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL (Sweden)
 - Uppsala Grand Prix
 - Best Swedish Short Film
 - www.shortfilmfestival.com

- URBANWORLD FILM FESTIVAL (New York, USA)
 - Best Narrative Short (U.S.)
 - www.urbanworld.org

- VENICE INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Italy)
 - Orizzonti Award for Best Short Film
 - www.labiennale.org/cinema

- VIENNA SHORTS – INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Austria)
 - Vienna Short Film Award
 - ASIFA Austria Award
 - Austrian Short Film Award
 - www.viennashorts.com

- VILNIUS SHORT FILM FESTIVAL (Lithuania)
 - Grand Prix
 - filmshorts.lt

- VISIONS DU RÉEL, INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Switzerland)
 - International Feature Film Competition Grand Jury Prize (Documentary Feature)
 - Jury Prize for Best Short Film
 - www.visionsdureel.ch

- WARSAW INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Poland)
 - Grand Prix for Best Short Film
 - Best Animated Short Film
 - Best Documentary Short Film
 - Best Live Action Short Film
 - www.wff.pl

- WOODSTOCK FILM FESTIVAL (New York, USA)
 - Best Animated Short
 - Best Narrative Short
 - Best Documentary Short
 - <https://woodstockfilmfestival.org/>

- WORLD FESTIVAL OF ANIMATED FILM – ANIMAFEST ZAGREB (Croatia)
 - Grand Prix
 - Best Croatian Film
 - www.animafest.hr

- YAMAGATA INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL (Japan)
The Robert and Frances Flaherty Prize, International Competition (Documentary Feature)
Ogawa Shinsuke Prize, New Asian Currents (Documentary Feature)
www.yidff.jp

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