93rd ACADEMY AWARDS
DOCUMENTARY FEATURE QUALIFYING FESTIVAL LIST

Due to the unprecedented coronavirus/COVID-19 pandemic and the mandatory theater closures, the Documentary Branch Executive Committee has expanded the qualifying festival list to include additional festivals/awards from the first half of 2020. This process is ongoing, and the committee will continue to monitor the situation.

For the 93rd Academy Awards only, a documentary feature may qualify by being programmed in TWO of the following festivals:

BERLIN INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL
CPH:DOX
FULL FRAME DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL
HOT DOCS CANADIAN INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FESTIVAL
SAN FRANCISCO INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL
SOUTH BY SOUTHWEST
SUNDANCE FILM FESTIVAL
TRIBECA FILM FESTIVAL
TRUE/FALSE FILM FESTIVAL

For the 93rd Academy Awards only, a documentary feature may qualify by winning one of the following awards:

- **FULL FRAME DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL** (North Carolina, USA)
  - The Reva and David Logan Grand Jury Award
  - Center for Documentary Studies Filmmaker Award
  - [www.fullframefest.org](http://www.fullframefest.org)

- **HOT DOCS CANADIAN INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FESTIVAL** (Canada)
  - Best International Feature Documentary Award
  - Hot Docs Audience Award
  - [www.hotdocs.ca](http://www.hotdocs.ca)

- **SAN FRANCISCO INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (California, USA)
  - McBaine Documentary Feature Award
  - [www.sffilm.org](http://www.sffilm.org)

- **SOUTH BY SOUTHWEST** (Texas, USA)
  - Documentary Feature Competition – Grand Jury Award
  - [www.sxsww.com](http://www.sxsww.com)
- **SUNDANCE FILM FESTIVAL** (Utah, USA)
  - U.S. Documentary Competition – Grand Jury Prize
  - U.S. Documentary Competition – Audience Award
  - U.S. Documentary Competition – Directing Award
  - World Cinema Documentary Competition – Grand Jury Prize
  - World Cinema Documentary Competition – Audience Award
  - World Cinema Documentary Competition – Directing Award
  
  [www.sundance.org](http://www.sundance.org)

- **TRIBECA FILM FESTIVAL** (New York, USA)
  - Best Documentary Feature
  - Albert Maysles New Documentary Director Award
  
  [www.tribecafilm.com](http://www.tribecafilm.com)

A documentary feature may qualify by winning one of the following awards, from the standard qualifying festival list:

- **BERLIN INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (Germany)
  - Berlinale Documentary Award
  
  [www.berlinale.de](http://www.berlinale.de)

- **CANNES INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (France)
  - Golden Eye Documentary Prize
  
  [www.festival-cannes.fr](http://www.festival-cannes.fr)

- **CARTAGENA INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (Colombia)
  - Best Film – Documentary Competition
  
  [www.ficcifestival.com](http://www.ficcifestival.com)

- **CARTHAGE FILM FESTIVAL** (Tunisia)
  - Golden Tanit for the Best Long Documentary
  
  [www.jcctunisie.org](http://www.jcctunisie.org)

- **CPH:DOX** (Denmark)
  - Dox:Award
  
  [www.cphdox.dk](http://www.cphdox.dk)

- **DMZ INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL** (South Korea)
  - White Goose Award – International Competition
  - Asian Perspective Award – Asian Competition
  
  [www.dmzdocs.com](http://www.dmzdocs.com)

- **DOC EDGE INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL** (New Zealand)
  - Best International Feature
  - Best New Zealand Feature
  
  [www.docedge.nz](http://www.docedge.nz)
DOCAVIV INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL (Israel)
Best International Film Award
Best Israeli Film Award
www.docaviv.co.il

DOCUMENTAMADRID (Spain)
Jury Award for International Feature Film
Jury Award for National Feature Film
www.documentamadrid.com

DOCVILLE INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL (Belgium)
Jury Award for Best International Documentary
www.docville.be

DURBAN INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (South Africa)
Best International Documentary Film
Best South African Documentary Film
www.durbanfilmfest.co.za

GÖTEBORG FILM FESTIVAL (Sweden)
Dragon Award for Best Nordic Documentary
www.goteborgfilmfestival.se

HONG KONG INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Hong Kong)
Documentary Competition – Firebird Award
www.hkiff.org.hk

HOT DOCS CANADIAN INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FESTIVAL (Canada)
Best International Feature Documentary Award
www.hotdocs.ca

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

IT’S ALL TRUE – INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL (Brazil)
Best Documentary of the International Feature Competition
Best Documentary of the Brazilian Feature Competition
www.etudoverdade.com.br

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

KARLOVY VARY INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (Czech Republic)
Grand Prix for Best Documentary Film
www.kviff.com
- **KERALA INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY AND SHORT FILM FESTIVAL** (India)
  - Best Long Documentary
  - [www.idssfk.in](http://www.idssfk.in)

- **KRAKOW FILM FESTIVAL** (Poland)
  - Golden Horn for Best Documentary Film
  - [www.krakowfilmfestival.pl](http://www.krakowfilmfestival.pl)

- **LEIPZIG INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL FOR DOCUMENTARY AND ANIMATED FILM** (Germany)
  - International Long Documentary Competition – Golden Dove
  - [www.dok-leipzig.de](http://www.dok-leipzig.de)

- **MORELIA INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (Mexico)
  - Ojo for Mexican Feature-Length Documentary
  - [www.moreliafilmfest.com](http://www.moreliafilmfest.com)

- **MOSCOW INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (Russia)
  - Silver George for the Best Film of the Documentary Competition
  - [www.moscowfilmfestival.ru](http://www.moscowfilmfestival.ru)

- **PREMIOS PLATINO DEL CINE IBEROAMERICANO** (Mexico)
  - Best Documentary Film
  - [www.premiosplatino.com](http://www.premiosplatino.com)

- **SHEFFIELD DOC/FEST** (U.K.)
  - Grand Jury Award
  - [www.sheffdocfest.com](http://www.sheffdocfest.com)

- **SYDNEY FILM FESTIVAL** (Australia)
  - Documentary Australia Foundation Award
  - [www.sff.org.au](http://www.sff.org.au)

- **TAIPEI GOLDEN HORSE FILM FESTIVAL** (Taiwan)
  - Best Documentary
  - [www.goldenhorse.org.tw](http://www.goldenhorse.org.tw)

- **THESSALONIKI DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL** (Greece)
  - Best Documentary – Golden Alexander
  - [www.filmfestival.gr](http://www.filmfestival.gr)

- **VISIONS DU RÉEL, NYON** (Switzerland)
  - Best Feature Film of the International Competition
  - [www.visionsdureel.ch](http://www.visionsdureel.ch)

- **YAMAGATA INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL** (Japan)
  - The Robert and Frances Flaherty Prize, International Competition
    - Ogawa Shinsuke Prize, New Asian Currents
  - [www.yidff.jp](http://www.yidff.jp)