



**95th ACADEMY AWARDS  
DOCUMENTARY SHORT FILM QUALIFYING FESTIVAL LIST**

- **ACADEMIA DE LAS ARTES Y LAS CIENCIAS CINEMATOGRAFICAS DE ESPAÑA [GOYA]** (Spain)  
Goya Award for Best Documentary Short Film  
[www.academiadecine.com](http://www.academiadecine.com)
  
- **ACADEMY OF CANADIAN CINEMA & TELEVISION [CANADIAN SCREEN AWARDS]** (Canada)  
Best Short Documentary  
[www.academy.ca](http://www.academy.ca)
  
- **AFI FEST** (California, USA)  
Grand Jury Award – Documentary Short  
<https://fest.afi.com/>
  
- **AMDOCS – AMERICAN DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL** (California, USA)  
Best American Short  
Best International Short  
[www.americandocumentaryfilmfestival.com](http://www.americandocumentaryfilmfestival.com)
  
- **ASPEN SHORTSFEST** (Colorado, USA)  
Best Documentary  
[www.aspenfilm.org](http://www.aspenfilm.org)
  
- **ATLANTA FILM FESTIVAL** (Georgia, USA)  
Best Documentary Short Film  
[www.atlantafilmfestival.com](http://www.atlantafilmfestival.com)
  
- **AUSTIN FILM FESTIVAL** (Texas, USA)  
Documentary Short Jury Award  
[www.austinfilmfestival.com](http://www.austinfilmfestival.com)
  
- **BIG SKY DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL** (Montana, USA)  
Best Mini-Doc  
Best Documentary Short  
[www.bigskyfilmfest.org](http://www.bigskyfilmfest.org)
  
- **BILBAO INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL OF DOCUMENTARY AND SHORT FILM** (Spain)  
Gold Mikeldi for Documentary  
[www.zinebi.eus](http://www.zinebi.eus)

- **BLACKSTAR FILM FESTIVAL** (Pennsylvania, USA)  
Best Documentary Short  
[www.blackstarfest.org](http://www.blackstarfest.org)
- **BOGOTÁ SHORT FILM FESTIVAL – BOGOSHORTS** (Colombia)  
Best Documentary Short Film – National Competition  
[www.bogoshorts.com](http://www.bogoshorts.com)
- **CAMDEN INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (Maine, USA)  
Best Short  
[www.pointsnorthinstitute.org](http://www.pointsnorthinstitute.org)
- **CAMERAIMAGE** (Poland)  
Golden Frog for Short Documentary  
[www.camerimage.pl](http://www.camerimage.pl)
- **CARTHAGE FILM FESTIVAL** (Tunisia)  
Golden Tanit for the Best Short Documentary  
[www.jctunisie.org](http://www.jctunisie.org)
- **CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (Illinois, USA)  
Gold Hugo – Documentary Short Film Competition  
[www.chicagofilmfestival.com](http://www.chicagofilmfestival.com)
- **CLEVELAND INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (Ohio, USA)  
Best Documentary Short Film  
[www.clevelandfilm.org](http://www.clevelandfilm.org)
- **CORK FILM FESTIVAL** (Ireland)  
Grand Prix Documentary Short Award  
[www.corkfilmfest.org](http://www.corkfilmfest.org)
- **DOC EDGE INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL** (New Zealand)  
Best International Short  
Best New Zealand Short  
[www.docedge.nz](http://www.docedge.nz)
- **DOC NYC** (New York, USA)  
Shorts Competition – Grand Jury Prize Winner  
[www.docnyc.net](http://www.docnyc.net)
- **DOCAVIV INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL** (Israel)  
Best Short Award  
[www.docaviv.co.il](http://www.docaviv.co.il)
- **DOCLISBOA INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (Portugal)  
Best Short Film in Competition  
[www.doclisboa.org](http://www.doclisboa.org)

- **DOCUMENTAMADRID** (Spain)  
 Jury Award for International Short Film  
 Jury Award for National Short Film  
[www.documentamadrid.com](http://www.documentamadrid.com)
  
- **FESPACO - PANAFRICAN FILM AND TELEVISION FESTIVAL OF OUAGADOUGOU** (Burkina Faso)  
 Golden Fowl – Documentary Short Category  
[www.fespaco.org](http://www.fespaco.org)
  
- **FLICKERFEST INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL** (Australia)  
 Best Documentary Short Film  
[www.flickerfest.com.au](http://www.flickerfest.com.au)
  
- **FLORIDA FILM FESTIVAL** (Florida, USA)  
 Grand Jury Award - Best Documentary Short  
[www.floridafilmfestival.com](http://www.floridafilmfestival.com)
  
- **FULL FRAME DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL** (North Carolina, USA)  
 Jury Award for Best Short  
[www.fullframefest.org](http://www.fullframefest.org)
  
- **GALWAY FILM FLEADH** (Ireland)  
 Best Short Documentary  
[www.galwayfilmfleadh.com](http://www.galwayfilmfleadh.com)
  
- **GERMAN SHORT FILM AWARD** (Germany)  
 Documentary Film 1 min. – 30 min.  
[www.deutscher-kurzfilmpreis.de](http://www.deutscher-kurzfilmpreis.de)
  
- **GO SHORT INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL NIJMEGEN** (The Netherlands)  
 Best European Short Documentary Film  
[www.goshort.nl](http://www.goshort.nl)
  
- **GUANAJUATO INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (Mexico)  
 Best Short Documentary International  
 Best Mexican Short Documentary  
[www.giff.mx](http://www.giff.mx)
  
- **HAMPTONS INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (New York, USA)  
 Best Documentary Short  
[www.hamptonfilmfest.org](http://www.hamptonfilmfest.org)
  
- **HEARTLAND FILM: INDY SHORTS INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (Indiana, USA)  
 Best Documentary Short  
[www.heartlandfilm.org](http://www.heartlandfilm.org)

- **HOT DOCS CANADIAN INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FESTIVAL** (Canada)  
 Best International Short Documentary Award  
 Best Canadian Short Documentary Award  
[www.hotdocs.ca](http://www.hotdocs.ca)
  
- **HOT SPRINGS DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL** (Arkansas, USA)  
 Best Documentary Short  
[www.hsdfi.org](http://www.hsdfi.org)
  
- **HUESCA INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (Spain)  
 Documentary Short Film Contest - Danzante Award  
[www.huesca-filmfestival.com](http://www.huesca-filmfestival.com)
  
- **IDFA – INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL AMSTERDAM** (Netherlands)  
 IDFA Award for Best Short Documentary  
[www.idfa.nl](http://www.idfa.nl)
  
- **IT'S ALL TRUE – INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL** (Brazil)  
 Best Documentary of the International Short Film Competition  
 Best Documentary of the Brazilian Short Film Competition  
[www.etudoverdade.com.br](http://www.etudoverdade.com.br)
  
- **JIHLAVA INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL** (Czech Republic)  
 Best Documentary Short  
[www.ji-hlava.com](http://www.ji-hlava.com)
  
- **KERALA INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY AND SHORT FILM FESTIVAL** (India)  
 Best Short Documentary  
[www.idsffk.in](http://www.idsffk.in)
  
- **KRAKOW FILM FESTIVAL** (Poland)  
 Golden Dragon for Best Short Film  
 Silver Dragon for Best Short Documentary  
[www.krakowfilmfestival.pl](http://www.krakowfilmfestival.pl)
  
- **LA SHORTS FEST** (California, USA)  
 Best Documentary  
[www.lashortsfest.com](http://www.lashortsfest.com)
  
- **LEIPZIG INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL FOR DOCUMENTARY AND ANIMATED FILM** (Germany)  
 International Short Documentary Competition – Golden Dove  
[www.dok-leipzig.de](http://www.dok-leipzig.de)
  
- **MELBOURNE INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (Australia)  
 Best Documentary Short Film  
[www.miff.com.au](http://www.miff.com.au)

- **MORELIA INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (Mexico)  
Best Documentary Short Film  
[www.moreliafilmfest.com](http://www.moreliafilmfest.com)
- **NASHVILLE FILM FESTIVAL** (Tennessee, USA)  
Grand Jury Prize Documentary Short  
[www.nashvillefilmfestival.org](http://www.nashvillefilmfestival.org)
- **NEW DIRECTORS/NEW FILMS FESTIVAL** (New York, USA)  
Documentary Short Program Selection  
[www.newdirectors.org](http://www.newdirectors.org)
- **NEW ORLEANS FILM FESTIVAL** (Louisiana, USA)  
Best Documentary Short  
[www.neworleansfilmsociety.org](http://www.neworleansfilmsociety.org)
- **NORWEGIAN SHORT FILM FESTIVAL** (Norway)  
Best Short Documentary  
[www.kortfilmfestivalen.no](http://www.kortfilmfestivalen.no)
- **ODENSE INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (Denmark)  
Documentary Competition Grand Prix  
[www.filmfestival.dk](http://www.filmfestival.dk)
- **PALM SPRINGS INTERNATIONAL SHORTFEST** (California, USA)  
Best Documentary Short  
[www.psfilmfest.org](http://www.psfilmfest.org)
- **PROVINCETOWN INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (Massachusetts, USA)  
Best Documentary Short  
[www.provincetownfilm.org](http://www.provincetownfilm.org)
- **RAINDANCE FILM FESTIVAL** (U.K.)  
Best Short Documentary  
[www.raindance.org](http://www.raindance.org)
- **RHODE ISLAND INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (Rhode Island, USA)  
Best Short Documentary  
[www.film-festival.org](http://www.film-festival.org)
- **RIVERRUN INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (North Carolina, USA)  
Best Documentary Short  
[www.riverrunfilm.com](http://www.riverrunfilm.com)
- **ST. KILDA FILM FESTIVAL** (Australia)  
Best Documentary  
[www.stkildafilmfestival.com.au](http://www.stkildafilmfestival.com.au)

- **ST. LOUIS INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (Missouri, USA)  
Best Documentary Short  
[www.cinemastlouis.org](http://www.cinemastlouis.org)
- **SAN FRANCISCO INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (California, USA)  
Golden Gate Award Documentary Short  
[www.sffilm.org](http://www.sffilm.org)
- **SAN FRANCISCO JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL** (California, USA)  
Best Short Documentary Award  
[www.jfi.org](http://www.jfi.org)
- **SEATTLE INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL** (Washington, USA)  
Best Short Documentary  
[www.siff.net](http://www.siff.net)
- **SEBASTOPOL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL** (California, USA)  
Jury Award Short  
Jury Award Mini-Doc  
[www.sebastopolfilmfestival.org](http://www.sebastopolfilmfestival.org)
- **SHEFFIELD DOC/FEST** (U.K.)  
Sheffield Short Doc Award  
[www.sheffdocfest.com](http://www.sheffdocfest.com)
- **SHORT SHORTS FILM FESTIVAL** (Japan)  
Best Short – Non-fiction  
[www.shortshorts.org](http://www.shortshorts.org)
- **SLAMDANCE FILM FESTIVAL** (Utah, USA)  
Jury Award for Documentary Short  
[www.slamdance.com](http://www.slamdance.com)
- **SOUTH BY SOUTHWEST** (Texas, USA)  
Best Documentary Short  
[www.sxsw.com](http://www.sxsw.com)
- **SUNDANCE FILM FESTIVAL** (Utah, USA)  
Short Film Jury Award: Non-fiction  
[www.sundance.org](http://www.sundance.org)
- **TAMPERE FILM FESTIVAL** (Finland)  
International Competition – Best Documentary  
[www.tamperefilmfestival.fi](http://www.tamperefilmfestival.fi)
- **TRAVERSE CITY FILM FESTIVAL** (Michigan, USA)  
Best Short Documentary Film  
[www.traversecityfilmfest.org](http://www.traversecityfilmfest.org)

- **TRIBECA FILM FESTIVAL** (New York, USA)  
Best Documentary Short  
[www.tribecafilm.com](http://www.tribecafilm.com)
  
- **VIS VIENNA SHORTS FESTIVAL** (Austria)  
Jury Prize - Documentary  
[www.viennashorts.com](http://www.viennashorts.com)
  
- **VISIONS DU RÉEL, NYON** (Switzerland)  
Best Short Film  
[www.visionsdureel.ch](http://www.visionsdureel.ch)
  
- **WARSAW FILM FESTIVAL** (Poland)  
Best Documentary Short Film  
[www.wff.pl](http://www.wff.pl)
  
- **WOODSTOCK FILM FESTIVAL** (New York, USA)  
Best Documentary Short Film  
[www.woodstockfilmfestival.org](http://www.woodstockfilmfestival.org)

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