

Short Film Competition on HIV/AIDS

Rules and Regulations

Who can participate and which language?

Registration is open to residents of Manipur, who is 18 years or above. Organizations will have to be represented by an individual and the entry will have to be made primarily in her/his name.

Any language. Manipuri.

What is the topic of films?

All the Film entries should be fiction based on HIV/AIDS and may include routes of HIV transmission, stigma and discrimination of People Living with HIV/AIDS, condom promotion, film based on children infected or affected by HIV/AIDS.

What is the length & format of the films?

Films submitted should be in FHD (1920 x 1080) shot in 25fps and maximum duration of 10 minutes (inclusive of credits).

Can animated/documentary films be entered?

No. Films submitted should be fictions based on the above mentioned topics.

How many films can one person submit?

Filmmakers can submit two films for the competition. However, separate forms should be used for each films submitted.

In what format should the film/s be submitted?

DVD.

What is the last date for submitting entries?

25th May, 2018.

How will the best films be selected?

A jury comprising of film experts and experts/professional in the field of HIV/AIDS will judge the submitted films.

What is the prize money?

The total prize money is Rs 1,00,000/-.

The best film in each of the three categories will get Rs. 50,000/- and a merit certificate.

1st Runner-up will get Rs. 30,000/- and a merit certificate.

2nd Runner-up will get Rs. 20,000/- and a merit certificate.

How will the films be utilized?

The films will be utilized by MACS for public awareness about HIV/AIDS. Films will also be screen in Cable TV Networks & Doordarshan and also released on You Tube Channel, Facebook page and other social media sites used by MACS, from where all the good films will go viral. The films will also be used by MACS extensively in their workshops and training programs.

What about copyright?

The copyright will vest with the creator. However she/he will permit MACS to use the films on any platform and media vehicle they choose to.

How does one enter and how does one submit the final film?

The participants are required to download and print the contest registration form from the link given below. They will then submit the DVD at MACS office at the address below.

For further information contact MACS office, Room No. 211, New Secretariat, Western Block Annexe Building, Imphal-West.

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REGISTRATION FORM

PRIMARY CONTACT INFORMATION:

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Postal Code _____

Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

Film Specs:

Title of Film _____

Director(s) _____

Producer(s) _____

Running Time (Min : Sec) _____ Month/Year Completed _____

I have enclosed the following items and agree to the Rules of the application:

1. Completed /Signed Entry Form
2. Film Description (100 Words or Less)
3. Complete Production Credits
5. Director's Bio-data

READ AND SIGN THE FOLLOWING CERTIFICATION

(No application will be accepted without director or producer signature):

I/We have read all the rules and guidelines of the Short Film Competition organised by Manipur State AIDS Control Society (MACS). I/We understand and have complied with all these rules. I/We warrant the submission of my/our original work and there are no disputes regarding the ownership of my/our submission. I/We also warrant the submitted material does not defame or invade the rights of any person living or dead and I/we fully indemnify MACS against any claim made for such violations of law. To the best of my/our knowledge, all of the statements herein are true and correct.

I/We agree to hold MACS harmless from and defend them against all claims, demands, losses, damages, judgments, liabilities, and expenses (including legal fees) arising out of or in connection with any and all the claims of third parties, whether or not groundless, based on any film submitted for the Short Film Competition on HIV/AIDS organized by MACS.

I/We declare that I/we hold all necessary releases for all images, personnel, music, script, and any other previously copyrighted material. I/We understand that all submitted materials are authorized by the filmmaker and/or producer for use in publicity purposes for the Short Film Competition on HIV/AIDS organized by MACS, and that MACS has the right to use any or all of these materials.

Signed:

Name of the signatory: Date:

Place