

Film Festival @MuslimFest

MuslimFest 2008 FilmFestival Call for Entries Application

Categories:

MuslimFest 2008 "Sounds of Islam" Video of the Year: Islamic multimedia companies produce Nasheed Videos (Islamic Music Videos) to promote their artists. Generating a convincing harmony of visuals and sounds and maintaining Islamic customs and morals constitute a new genre in Islamic arts. MuslimFest is introducing this category into the Film Festival this year. We encourage all artists and their producers to submit their clips to our FilmFestival. Winners will be recognized as MuslimFest 2008 "Sounds of Islam" Video of the Year.

MuslimFest 2008 Film of the Year: MuslimFest recognizes professional Muslim filmmakers and showcases their work to the public. Film screenings will start in the week leading to MuslimFest 2008 and conclude on August 9, 2008.

MuslimFest 2008 Amateur Film of the Year: MuslimFest's Film Festival aims to encourage upcoming filmmakers and showcase their talent to the community. You may submit short-films, animations, public announcements, and Islamic song videos of your creation. Approved work will be recognized and screened on August 9, 2008.

Application Fees: All fees are non-refundable and should be included with the application.

Applicant Information			
Name:			
Co-Applicants' Names:			
Address:			City:
State/Province:	Postal/Zip Code:		Country:
Website:		Email:	
Phone:	Phone 2:	Fax:	

Film Information			
Title:			
Length:		Genre:	Language:
Submission Format	<input type="checkbox"/> Mini-DV <input type="checkbox"/> DVD <input type="checkbox"/> CD <input type="checkbox"/> Other:		
Submission Category	Professional Filmmakers:		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Nasheed Video of the Year	\$50 per clip	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Film of the Year	\$35 per clip	
	Amateur Filmmakers:		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Film of the Year	\$20 per film	
Please attach a statement of intent with this form			
Film Credits	Director:		Producer:
	Screenwriter:		Editor:
	Director of Photography:		
	Composer:		
	Production Company:		
	Cast:		

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Terms and Conditions:

1. All films must be approved by MuslimFest's Board of Directors to be eligible for final selection. Submission of films does not guarantee approval.
2. Submitted films must be respectful of Islamic teachings and sensitive to Muslim ideals.
3. All submitted work is to be the work of the applicant, the co-applicants, and/or whom they represent. The submitted work is to be free of any material copyrighted to anyone else other than the applicant and/or the co-applicants, unless authorized by the copyright owners of such material.
4. All approved films are the responsibility of the applicant and co-applicants. Participants will be responsible for shipping and handling if required. MuslimFest is not responsible for any lost, stolen, or mishandled artwork.
5. MuslimFest will NOT return your tapes and media to you.
6. All applicants must include the submission fee with their application.
7. MuslimFest holds the right to charge admission to the screening of all films and will retain all revenues.
8. You may put multiple films on one tape or DVD. However, each submitted film requires a new form.
9. If submitting files on a DVD-ROM or a CD-ROM, please insure that all files are NTSC MPEG2 DVD-Quality format. (Audio: 224 Kbps, 48,000 Hz. - Video: 29.97 fps, 720x480 minimum 5 Mbps in bit rate)
10. If submitting a Mini-DV tape, make sure that you leave a 30 second pre-load of black screen.
11. Deadline for submission is Friday, July 18th, 2008.
12. All matters of money dealing with payments will be in the form of cheques. Make all cheques payable to "DawaNet Canada".
13. MuslimFest organizers set introductory pricing on all newly introduced competitions and shows and reserve the right to increase or decrease application fees as they see fit in the future.
14. All films will be judged by a panel put together by MuslimFest 2008. The panel's decisions are final.

By submitting this form, I affirm that all submitted work is original and produced solely by myself, the applicant, and any other listed co-applicants. I understand that MuslimFest 2008 reserves the right to reject any works that do not meet the standards set forth in the prospectus. I agree to allow MuslimFest 2008 use of enclosed work for purposes of promoting MuslimFest and/or DawaNet Canada this year and future years. I understand that MuslimFest 2008 reserves the right to revise these regulations and/or terminate this agreement at its sole discretion.

Signature

Date

Please send all submissions to: **MuslimFest 2008 – Film Festival - 711 Eaglemount Cres, Mississauga, ON, L5C 1N8, Canada**

Application Check List: Please check that you have included the following items

<input type="checkbox"/>	Completed Application Form
<input type="checkbox"/>	Payment in the form of check made payable to "DawaNet Canada"
<input type="checkbox"/>	Typed "Statement of Intent" that is no less than 250 words
<input type="checkbox"/>	Typed Artist(s) Biography with one 4x6 Personal photo
<input type="checkbox"/>	Your work on CD/DVD/DV Tapes
<input type="checkbox"/>	20 Business Cards (Optional)