

CORTISONICI 2015 - International Short Film Festival
VARESE, MAY 2015
REGULATIONS

Film Festival Dates: May 2015
Film Entry Deadline: 30th January 2015
Organizer : Associazione Cortisonici

SUBMISSION and ELIGIBILITY

1. The application is open to directors/producers and filmmakers without discrimination as to race, religion or country of origin.
2. Films that have been screened at other Film Festivals, except for previous Cortisonici editions, are eligible for submission.
3. All films must have been completed after **January 1st, 2014**.
4. Only films that meet the following conditions can be submitted:
 - Films that do not exceed 15 minutes in length, including credits;
 - Films that do not contain any advertising messages;
 - Films that do not contain any promotional videos or film clips;
 - Films that do not contain any racist or defamatory messages.
5. All films must be submitted in Italian language or with Italian or English subtitles if the original language is not Italian.
6. Film submission is free of charge.
7. To submit a film, all applicants must send before the Film Entry Deadline:
 - 1 DVD copy of the film
 - A properly completed Application Form (see below)
 - A short filmography of the Director

The Organizer might require other formats, in addition to DVD, of the selected films which must reach the Festival not later than **two weeks before the Festival Opening**. CORTISONICI Film Festival will not accept films that do not meet the outlined deadline. The required format will be communicated to the selected applicants by email afterwards.

8. Each film must be submitted on its own DVD and accompanied by its own completed Application Form. Should an application form be incomplete, the Film Festival is not responsible for the film rejection.
9. Applicants can send maximum two short films in two different DVDs. Anyhow, only one will be selected to participate in the Festival. DVDs must be labeled with the following: title, director's name and surname, length in minutes.
10. The DVD must be shipped, in accordance with the above mentioned deadline, to the following address:

CORTISONICI 2015
C/o Filmstudio90
Via De Cristoforis,5
21100 VARESE
ITALY

11. All DVDs must be submitted not later than **January 30, 2015**. Cortisonici will not bear any shipping or transportation costs of any kind.

12. Cortisonici Film Festival will not be responsible for any loss or damage of any kind occurred during the shipment and during the Festival itself.

13. The applicants are responsible for the film content and for the soundtrack, for both original and not original music (protected by copyright). No consideration will be given to films that have racist or calumnious content or purpose.

14. The Film Festival does not return DVDs and any promotional materials submitted for the preselection phase. The Film Festival reserves the right to include them in the Cortisonici Film Festival Archive that stands for an authorized representative of the cultural and educational spirit of the Festival. The Film Festival reserves the right to collect and to reproduce the submitted films in order to spread and to encourage the idea of film as a culture bearer.

15. A Special Selection Team selects all the films to be presented at the main competition. The Festival Jury is selected among film professionals and experts. The Jury members' names will be posted on the website by April 2015.

16. Cortisonici 2015 features three competition programs:

- **People's Choice Award**
- **Cortisonici Ronzinanti Award** (a special prize assigned by the Film Festival Organizer)
- **Jury Award**

In some exceptional case, the Jury can decide to give a Special Mention to a particular film. In any case, all final decisions are irrevocable.

17. The Film Festival reserves the right to show some of the submitted films in other Festival sections, out of the main competition, such as the *Inferno Section* (Inferno Night Screening).

18. The Film Festival reserves the right to change this regulations or to suspend the Festival if necessary.

19. Personal data and information will be used only to meet the purposes of the Festival and could be included in some future cultural events organized by *Filmstudio90* and/or *Ronzinanti Association*.

20. Final programming and slotting of films will be posted by April 2015 on our site : www.cortisonici.org

21. The application and/or selection of a film imply unconditional acceptance of the above regulations. Should something be unclear, the Film Festival Management reserves the right to make the final decision.

For any further information please contact our Foreign Applicants Office at foreignoffice@cortisonici.org

APPLICATION FORM CORTISONICI 2015

TITLE _____

DIRECTOR
 First Name _____ Last Name _____
 Age _____ Street Address _____
 City _____ Country _____ ZIP Code _____
 Mobile Phone _____ Home Phone _____
 E-mail _____

COPYRIGHT OWNER (if different from the Director)
 Company Name _____
 First Name _____ Last Name _____
 Age _____ Street Address _____
 City _____ Country _____ ZIP Code _____
 Mobile Phone _____ Work Phone _____
 E-mail _____

SUBJECT _____

SCREENPLAY _____

PHOTOGRAPHY _____

EDITING _____

SOUNDTRACK _____

ACTORS

TIME LENGHT	ORIGINAL FORMAT	YEAR OF PRODUCTION
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SYNOPSIS

Declaration of acceptance of the Regulations above

I, the undersigned _____ born on ____/____/____ in _____ and resident in _____ declares to have read Cortisonici Regulations and to fully accept them.

Signature _____

I, the undersigned _____ born on ____/____/____ in _____ and resident in _____, director of the film _____, gives the right to Cortisonici to screen it in public, on television, on the Internet, on promotional materials and to include it in Cortisonici Archive.

Signature _____