

ARCICORTO FILM FESTIVAL 2023

ARCI Valdarno Inferiore and the association "Le ali di Icaro" present the 2023 edition of the Arcicorto Film Festival.

The Festival was born from the need and the desire to shorten the distance between cinema and spectator, thus favoring low and medium cost self-productions, in order to make the public participate as much as possible.

During the screenings, which will take place in July 2023, the spectator will be able to personally judge the works viewed and contribute, together with the Jury, to decree the winner of the various categories.

During the days dedicated to film screenings, there will be the opportunity to learn basic technical notions about the world of cinema and the cinematographic "machine" and to be able to deal directly with the authors of the competing works.

The screenings will take place during the open-air cinema evenings organized for summer 2023 in the **Valdarno Inferiore** area, between the provinces of **Pisa** and **Florence**.

Regulations:

Article 1

a) The competition is open to fictional and animated short films, experimental videos, documentaries and video investigations, of both independent and collective production (including school), produced in Italy and abroad.

If the Opera is NOT in ITALIAN language, SUBTITLES in ITALIAN language must be present, under penalty of exclusion from the Festival.

The theme is free with non-obligatory reference to "leap in the dark".

Each author can send an unlimited number of video-works, but only one per artist will be admitted to the exhibition.

The works already presented in previous editions cannot be re-proposed.

b) At the Arcicorto Film Festival 2023, short films with a maximum duration of 15 minutes (including credits) can participate.

c) The works must be presented exclusively by viewing a special link (possibly with a dedicated password), sent to the address lealidiicarolab@gmail.com. The videos that arrive incomplete or illegible will not be taken into consideration. The works sent for pre-selection must be received by June 1, 2023.

d) The short films must have been made after January 1, 2019.

Article 2

a) The Festival will culminate with the final evening (Friday 29 July 2022), during which the finalist works will be screened and the winners of the various categories will be announced. After June 1, 2023, the list of finalists will be made public on the Festival portal and will also be notified by e-mail.

Awards

Best Short Film - Jury Prize (**700 euros**)

Best Short Film - Audience Award (**300 euros**)

Best Direction

Best Screenplay

Best Interpretation

Best Photography

Special Jury Prize

b) The works complying with the regulations, finalists or not, will be cataloged and will become part of the Festival archive.

c) The following tasks are assigned to the qualified jury, which will be nominated by the organizing bodies: - to select the works to be admitted to the final phase of the Festival; - indicate the winners of the prizes provided for in these Regulations; - report works considered particularly worthy.

d) The judgment of the Jury is unquestionable

Article 3

Registration

a) The contribution for participation in the Festival is 15 euros for each short film entered.

Registration

It is necessary to fill in the registration form and the release form (Annexes A and B to this announcement) and proceed with the payment of the aforementioned contribution.

Copies (photos or scanners) of the form, release and payment receipt, must be sent by e-mail to: lealidiicarolab@gmail.com.

Extremes for payment by bank transfer:

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Reason: Festival participation fee