



RIURAU FILM FESTIVAL
INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL
IX Edition 2020

BASES

Please, read carefully all 10 points of these bases.

RIURAU Film Festival takes place in the Marina Alta region in Alicante (Spain) on the following dates and locations:

- Plaça del Cinema. La Xara, Friday, August 28.
- Great Riurau. Jesús Pobre, Friday, September 4.
- Torrecremada Park. Denia, Saturday 5 and Sunday 6 September.
- Riurau d'Arnauda. Jávea / Xàbia, Friday, September 11.

The short films should **register online** through the MOVIBETA platform website www.movibeta.com **before May 15**, for all sections except for the *RIURAU EXPRESS* section (see p.5 of these bases). RRFF does not have any economic benefit from the short-films inscriptions.

1. Sections and specifications of short films.

- a) **LGTBI+ fiction**
- b) **Dance Film** (multi-perspective filming and fragmentation)
- c) **General Fiction**
- d) **Social Fiction "The other one: alike or different"**
- e) **"Environment and the Sea":** (fiction or documentary)
- f) **Fiction in Valencian - Catalan language**
- g) **RIURAU EXPRESS** (shooting in Jesús Pobre - see p.5)

- The short films will have a maximum duration of **20 minutes, except** for the express shorts, which will not exceed 5 minutes (see p.5).
- The Selection Committee is entitled to change any short film to a different section, based on its theme.
- Short films presented must be produced from January 1st, 2019.
- The contest **does not include the documentary, except** in the Environment section.
- The contest **does not comprise animation, although** a punctual use of it as a cinematographic resource will be accepted.

2. Subtitles:

All short films will be presented in original version with the corresponding subtitles:

- For short films in Spanish or Valencian – Catalan language English subtitles in the film will be valued.
- Short films in languages other than Spanish or Valencian - Catalan will necessarily include subtitles in Spanish or Valencian - Catalan. In addition, they can also show English subtitles.

3. Copies:

- The selected participants will provide an **HQ or HD quality copy** of their short film, with the **subtitles duly integrated in the film**, to be downloaded by the RRFF.
- Copies of all the selected films will remain in the archives of the RRFF Film Library, created for its conservation, consultation and as teaching material of its film school.

4. Advertising material and promotion:

- With the inscription, the **promotional poster** of the film and its **trailer** or teaser should be provided.
- The organization of the RRFF reserves the possibility of using a fragment of up to 1 minute of the selected short films for the promotion of the festival, as well as the possibility of making a screening of a selection of the short films before or after the festival.

5.- RIURAUEXPRESS section.

- The production of the short films in this section will take place **in Jesús Pobre (Alicante) on Saturday, August 22nd and Sunday, August 23rd, 2020.**
- **Registration** for the *RIURAUEXPRESS* section is free and will be opened from the beginning of this call until 22nd August, first thing in the morning. Participants will fill the form that appears on the website www.riuraufilmfestival.com where filmmakers must state the willingness to participate in the section, the name, surname and contact (phone and mail) of the person in charge or responsible for the group.
- All filmmakers will attend on Saturday, August 22nd, at 10 am at the *Social Centre 8 De Març of Jesús Pobre* to confirm their registration and receive the **requirements** of the call. This centre is equipped with WIFI and will be available for participants to work and rest.
- **The theme is free.** The organization **will ask the filmmakers to meet the requirements** that will be revealed at the beginning of the shooting day (e.g. locations, local population, route, etc.)
- For the **realization of the short film**, 36 hours will be provided, including shooting, editing and delivery of copy **through Movibeta platform or via WeTransfer** before the end of August 23.
- **Duration** of express short films will have a maximum of **5 minutes**.
- **Other requirements:** Short express films must include the *RIURAUEXPRESS* logo, title of the short film and final credits. The logo can be downloaded from the website www.riuraufilmfestival.com
- **The 5 selected short films** will be screened on Friday, September 4 at the Gran Riurau de Jesús Pobre.

6. Selection.

- Short films selected for screening will be announced on the festival website www.riuraufilmfestival.com **before July 6, 2020** for all categories.
- The Selection Committee will assess the use of fragmentation, multi-perspective and good management of ellipsis and metaphor in short films; all them characteristics inherent to our *Escola de Cinema Riurau* and our festival.

7. Awards

- The participating short films will be eligible for the following awards by category:

Best Fiction Short Film: *Villa de Xàbia* Award with a € 700 prize, diploma and statuette.*

Best Direction: *Ciutat de Dènia* Award with € 700, diploma and statuette.*

Best Dance Film: Award endowed with 400 euros, diploma and statuette.*

Best LGBTI+ Short Film: *Jesus Pobre's EATIM* Award of 400 euros, diploma and statuette.*

Best Short Fiction in Valencian - Catalan Language: *EATIM La Xara* Award of € 600, diploma and statuette.*

Best Short Fiction Social Fiction: Award endowed with € 400, diploma and statuette.*

Best Short Film "Environment and the Sea": Endowed with 300 euros, diploma and statuette.*

This prize aims to motivate the participation of local agents.

Best Short Film Express: A first prize chosen by the jury endowed with € 300 and diploma*

Short Film Express Baleària Award, chosen by the public, endowed with TWO PASSAGES of the Baleària Ferries' Company and diploma.

Best Interpreter: Diploma.

Best Cinematographer: Diploma.

Best Art Director: Diploma.

Best Script: Diploma.

Best Film Edition: Diploma.

Best Sound: Diploma

- **Money prizes marked with an asterisk *** will be increased to a maximum of € 200 only in case the director, producer or main performer representing the film personally attends the day of the awards ceremony and and prove to reside farther than 100 km.
- Prizes **are not exclusive**, which means that a short film can receive more than one prize.
- The organization will provide the corresponding **diplomas and laurels** to the winners. **Achieving an award is compelled to** the publication of the RRFF's laurel in the credits of the short film.
- VERY IMPORTANT: **No statuette will be sent.** The statuettes will only be delivered by hand to the winners or their accredited representative on the day of the awards ceremony.

8. The Jury of RRFF.

- The Jury is formed by a minimum of three Cinematography specialists. RRFF reserves the possibility of appointing different juries for different sections of the contest.
- For the Dance Film section, the jury will be formed by members from the RRFF and from the *Centre Coreogràfic de Denia*, all specialists in this category.
- For the *RIURAUEXPRESS* section, the jury will members of the *Escola de Cinema Riurau Association*, a neighbour of Jesús Pobre's EATIM and a film specialist appointed by RRFF.
- For section "Environment and the Sea", the jury will be formed by members from the RRFF and specialists from the Oceanogràfic Foundation.
- The jury's decision is final.
- The jury reserves the right to declare a desert prize.
- The management of the RRFF will announce the identity of the jury at the time it deems appropriate and before the start of the festival, within the media, networks and its own website.

9. Rights and Minors' participation

- Rights:** The participant will be fully responsible for showing all the rights related to the film submitted to the contest. The Festival is not responsible for the lack of rights that can compete in the short films.
- Minors:** Any participant under the age of 18 must be represented by one of their parents or, where appropriate, the tutor, who must download, complete and send via email the Minor Authorization Form which appears in the website <https://riuraufilmfestival.com/bases-e-inscripcion-2020/>. An adult representative will assume the total responsibility for the presentation of the film and the image rights of all the participating children.

10. Acceptance of the bases and Data Protection Law.

- The registration implies the full acceptance of these bases, as well as the decisions of the organization, selection committee and juries. Any matter not foreseen in the bases will be resolved by the organization of the RRFF and will be unappealable.
- The organization undertakes and obliges that the personal data belonging to the data file of the participants will be treated according to article 12 of the Organic Law 15/1999, of December 13, of Protection of Personal Data (LOPD) .

For any additional information, the participant can refer to the Festival website www.riuraufilmfestival.com , send a message through the RRFF platform in MOVIBETA or to communication@riuraufilmfestival.com

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