



SHORT RIGA BALTIC MUSIC VIDEO COMPETITION

The music video, much like the short film, is a playground for experimentation in form, structure and style. This competition is aimed at exploring advancements of artistic expression in moving picture set to moving music (or vice versa?).

Regulations and submission process:

1. For all submissions a Latvian film festival premiere of the work must be guaranteed.
2. No entry fees are charged
3. Deadline for all submissions is 1st of June, 2016, 23:59 pm
4. Admitted music videos of all must not exceed a length of 8 minutes
5. Productions entering the Baltic Music Video Competition must have been completed after 1st of January, 2015
6. (In rare and exceptional cases the selection committee reserves the right to admit videos of longer duration as well as videos produced in 2014)
7. The makers of the video and/or the musicians are from the Baltic States (Latvia, Lithuania, Estonia)
8. The video must be the official video of the song. However, also videos that were fan-made but musicians approved of it and have since made it their official video will also be considered.
9. The submitter must hold the rights to screen the video or provide an agreement that gives rights to submit the music video to a film festival
10. Submissions must be made via the festival website shortriga.rigaiff.lv (providing a password and address to a secured link of the online screener of the submitted film)
11. Once selected, entries cannot be withdrawn from the competition. No entry fees are charged.
12. For competition films no license fees will be paid.

A confirmation of the complete submission will be provided till 15 of June 2016, in case if any details will be missing the submitter will be notified in order to complete the submission process.

SELECTION

By 1st of September, 2016 the selection committees will make a decision on the selection based on all entered contributions.

PRIZES AND AWARDS

- The International Jury will award the Best Baltic Music Video
- The Jury holds the rights to give special mentions as well as do not give an award.