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The Guadalajara Film Festival (FICG) calls for producers and filmmakers from Mexico, Ibero-America, and other regions of the world to submit their films to the 38th edition of the festival, which will be held from June 3rd to 9th, 2023.

OFFICIAL COMPETITION

FEATURE FILMS

For the official sections in the competition, films finalised in 2022-2023 and with a minimum length of 60 minutes will only be considered. The call for entries for feature film opens on November 7th 2022 and closes on February 17th, at 18:00 (Central Mexico's time -6GMT). The submissions for features films are free of charge from November 7th to 21st, 2022; after these dates the submissions cost is \$200.00 Mexican Pesos.

SECTIONS:

Mezcal Award

Mexican fiction and documentary feature films that have their Mexican Premiere during FICG38 will be considered for the call for entries.

The awards are:

- Mezcal Award to the best Mexican film: Mayahuel statuette and 500,000 Mexican pesos, granted to the majoritarian producing company.
- Audience Award: Mayahuel statuette and 100,000 Mexican pesos, granted to the director.
- Best Direction: Mayahuel statuette.
- Best Cinematography: Mayahuel statuette .
- Best Actress: Mayahuel statuette.
- Best Actor: Mayahuel statuette.

Ibero-American Fiction Feature Film

Ibero-American fiction feature films that have their Mexican Premiere during FICG38 will be considered for the call for entries.

The awards are:

- Best Ibero-American Fiction Feature film: Mayahuel Award and 500,000 Mexican pesos, granted to the majoritarian producing company.

- Best First Film: Mayahuel statuette.
- Best Direction: Mayahuel statuette.
- Best Screenplay: Mayahuel statuette.
- Best Cinematography: Mayahuel statuette.
- Best Actress: Mayahuel statuette.
- Best Actor: Mayahuel statuette.

Ibero-American Documentary Feature Film

Ibero-American documentary feature films that have their Mexican Premiere during FICG38 will be considered for the call for entries.

The awards are:

- Best Ibero-American Fiction Feature film: Mayahuel Award and 200,000 Mexican pesos, granted to the majoritarian producing company.
- Best Direction: Mayahuel statuette.
- Best Cinematography: Mayahuel statuette.

Maguey Award

International fiction and documentary feature films addressing Queer issues related to the LGBTQ+ community that have their Mexican Premiere during FICG38 will be considered for the call for entries.

Films from the Mezcal Award, Ibero-American Fiction Feature Film, Ibero-American Documentary Feature Film, and International Animation feature film can be considered for this section.

The award is:

- Best Maguey Film: Maguey “EMME” statuette.
- Maguey Jury Award: Maguey “EMME” statuette.
- Maguey Award Best Performance: Maguey “EMME” statuette.

International Animation Feature Film

International Animation feature films that have their Mexican Premiere during FICG38 will be considered for the call for entries.

The award is:

- Best Animation Feature Film: Chucho statuette and 500,000 Mexican pesos, granted to the majoritarian producing company.
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Made in Jalisco

Mexican fiction and documentary feature films made in Jalisco that have their Mexican Premiere during FICG38 will be considered for the call for entries.

- The award is: Mayahuel statuette.

Socio-environmental Award

International documentary and fiction feature films addressing issues related to the crossing of society, nature and social justice, that have their Mexican Premiere during FICG38 will be considered for the call for entries.

The award is:

- Best Feature Film: Mayahuel statuette.

SHORT FILMS

Ibero-American Short Film

Ibero-American short films that have their Mexican Premiere during FICG38 will be considered for the call for entries.

The maximum length to participate is 30 minutes, credit roll included.

The awards are:

- Best Ibero-American short film: Mayahuel statuette and 75,000 Mexican pesos, granted to the director.

Rigo Mora Award

International animation short films that have their Mexican Premiere during FICG38 will be considered for the call for entries.

The maximum length to participate is 30 minutes, credit roll included.

The award is:

- Best Animated Short Film: Chucho Award and 200,000 Mexican pesos, granted to the director.

*The Ibero-American Short film section and the Rigo Mora Award, are recognised by the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences of the USA, therefore the short film winners can be considered for Oscar nominations.

EXHIBITION

All the selected films for FICG38 must deliver a final copy of exhibition on DCP and Blu Ray. For the competitive sections, the films in Spanish must be subtitled in English; the films in different languages must count with English and Spanish subtitles.

The selected films for the official competition must cover expenses for KDM, shipping, and subtitling.

FICG does not pay screening fees to films in competition.

SUBMISSION AND SELECTION

To be considered for selection, the films must be submitted in the following manner:

1. Filling in the submission form available at <https://vp.eventival.com/ficg/2023>.
2. Send within the submission form a link to the final cut of the film, or a work in progress version for the online review. This link must be a private link and also passcode protected. DVD/Blu-ray copies will not be accepted.
3. To read and accept the participation conditions stipulated on this call for entries and its rules and regulations.
4. The presence of the filmmakers is mandatory for the fiction, documentary and animation feature films in competition. The absence of the director may be cause of withdrawal from selection.
5. All the films selected must send a link to the final cut of the film to programacion@ficg.mx
6. The selected films may be part of the national and international showcases where FICG participates.
7. The submission for FICG38 will be free of charge from November 7th to 21st, after those dates, the submission costs are:
 - Feature Films, \$200.00 Mexican Pesos.
 - Short Films, \$100.00 Mexican Pesos.

For further information, please read the rules and regulations available at www.ficg.mx, or write to programacion@ficg.mx

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