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23 editions of the international short film festival **8** editions of FuoriFuoco, Independent Italian Film Festival **8** Editions of VisionArt, International Video Art Festival **2** editions of Food & Water, film festival on Sustainability **1** edition of Siena.Doc **1** edition Ulassai Documentary Film Festival **1** archive with 9000 films 8000 shorts
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“Were you outside watching? What were you thinking?”

Flammen & Citronen (Madsen, Denmark 2008)

“

There is still a profound moral and legal difference between who takes action and who lets things happen”

Primo Levi



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Submission deadline

August 17th, 2017

Money prizes

\$ 2,000.00

The dates of the Festival

The Festival will take place from the 11th to the 18th of November 2017 in the towns of Poggibonsi and San Gimignano (Siena, Italy).

Competition - Sections

International competition (24th edition)

This is the historical section of the Festival, for which short fiction films, documentaries, docu-fiction films and cartoons can be presented. There is no set theme and it is possible to submit shorts in any language, as long as they are subtitled in English or Italian, having a maximum duration of 15' (fifteen minutes).

VisionArt, visual arts in motion (10th edition)

The section is reserved for works of video art, digital experimentation, computer animation, etc. The short films can be enrolled optionally in three different sub categories: White, Black or Neutral. The works selected will be included in an exhibition within the 2017 Festival and they will be judged by a panel of experts on contemporary artistic languages. This section won't see prize money awarded but the screening of finalists in an exclusive exhibition during the Festival and a special mention for the best in each single sub



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Special Section “Food and Water” (3rd edition)

The section is created in collaboration with the University of Siena and it is dedicated to all international short fiction or documentary films on the theme of “Food and Water and environmental sustainability”. Works submitted in this section will be judged by a dedicated panel. The award ceremony will take place in Spring 2018.

Short films will be admitted in any language, as long as they are subtitled in Italian or English and have a maximum duration of 15 minutes.

“ShortSight” Section (1st edition)

An open theme section dedicated to short films (maximum duration of 15 minutes) directed by authors resident in Tuscany. In this category a special mention will be assigned by a specific jury of students of the schools of the Val d’Elsa.

How to submit

It is possible to register a work for Visionaria through the free platform FilmFreeway, which can be found at the following link: <https://filmfreeway.com/festival/visionaria>

The registration will only be valid if all the fields on FilmFreeway are filled in. Please pay adequate attention to upload high resolution images and complete texts. The organisation may request at any moment a copy of the files in MP4, H264, HD 1280x720 or 1920x1080, through a hyperlink from a space belonging to the author (directly in HD on FilmFreeway, Dropbox, Vimeo etc.) The payment of a participation fee is expected, as specified on FilmFreeway.



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Regulations

Participation to the XXIV edition of the Visionaria Film Festival is open to short films from every part of the world and in every language, as long as they are subtitled in Italian or in English.

The videos submitted to the sections of the Competition must have a maximum duration of 15 (fifteen) minutes, including the credits, otherwise they will be disqualified.

A Selection Committee will select the artworks and the Art Committee will shortlist the finalists at their own unquestionable judgement.

The shortlisted Art Works will be then judged by the Visionaria Judgement Panel and then opened to the vote of the Public (Gran Visionario Prize)

The Visionaria Judging Panel may, at its discretion and in agreement with the Selection Committee, decide not to assign awards or to assign special awards.

The VisionArt section will be selected by a Committee of Contemporary Art experts.

Selected shorts will be part of an exhibition which will be open for the whole duration of the Festival. The special mention for the best VisionArt work will be awarded by a Panel of students of the international Siena Art Institute contemporary art school.

Results of selections for all sections of the Festival will be announced on the website www.visionaria.eu.

The winners will be notified via e-mail.

The organisers are excluded from the participation in the competition. The organisers, while taking the utmost care in keeping the films, decline all responsibility for any damages, loss or accident. The authors are responsible, also in relation to the people and subjects portrayed, for the content of their works.

Participation in the competition implies the complete acceptance of these rules.



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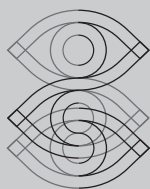
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The authors, in registering for the competition, accept that their films will be deposited at Siena Media Library and destined exclusively for purposes study and conservation, and used in events organised by Visionaria and the Media Library, excluding any commercial purposes.

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