

9. *up-and-coming*
Int. Film Festival Hannover 22.-25. November 2007
International Young Film Makers Award

Deadline: 01. September 2007

Call for Entries

The *up-and-coming* Int. Film Festival Hannover will take place for the ninth time in November 2007.

We would like to invite young film makers to submit their work to the festival.

The festival is an international competition for works by the young generation of **film makers from the ages of 7 to 27.**

The festival comprises a German competition and an international competition.

During the festival a jury will choose three films for the **German Young Film Makers Prize** and three films for the **International Young Film Makers Award**. These prizes are an initiative of the *up-and-coming* festival.

We are looking for new films in all genres, lengths and formats:
experimental, documentary, animation, feature films, short or long.

The festival intends to present works which are imaginative, unusual, humorous, provocative and unconventional. We also welcome the results of first-time work in these media.

The festival is intended as a forum for the exchange of experience between young film makers, the audience, professional film makers, producers and media educators.

Festival languages are German and English.

We look forward to your entries and welcoming you to the festival in person.

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Regulations

Participants

Young people from all countries **age 27 or younger** who have produced films either alone or in groups are eligible (the age of the film maker in the year of production is decisive). Applicants may enter one or more works.

Formats

All video systems. 16mm and 35mm (projecting with separate sound is not possible). There are no limits to subject or duration.

All works must have been completed after 1 December 2005.

If the original language of the film is neither English or German, the preview copy should be subtitled in one of these two languages. Otherwise an English or German dialogue list should be enclosed.

All films will be screened by an independent pre-selection jury which will then compose the festival's competition program, both for the German and the international competitions. All films will be categorized into three age groups: up to 16, 17 to 22 and 23 to 27 years of age). The selection criteria do not emphasize technical perfection but originality, autonomy of the concept and how the concept has been translated into film.

Jury and Awards

During the festival an independent jury will award the **German Young Film Makers Prize** and the **International Young Film Makers Award**.

All decisions by the pre-selection jury and the festival jury are final and may not be contested.

Deadline/Contact Address

A viewing copy must be submitted with the entry form, including materials for the festival catalog (text and photos), to be received in Hannover no later than **01 September 2007**.

Address:

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Int. Film Festival Hannover
Lister Platz 1
D-30163 Hannover
Germany

Submissions and Return

All postage for all submissions of preview material to the Hannover Festival must be paid by the submitter. The postage for the return of films selected for showing at the festival will be paid by the *up-and-coming* festival.

As for not selected films: all preview material will remain in the *u-a-c* archive if no cash-note of 10 Euro (\$15 US for non-EU countries) has been attached to the application to defray return postage and handling expenses.

Material posted from abroad the European Union must be declared '**Artwork - for cultural use only - no commercial value**'. **Important:** a proforma-invoice must be enclosed declaring a value of no more than 10 Euro or \$10 US.

Accommodation Service for Festival Visitors

An accommodation service for festival visitors will provide assistance in finding accommodation.

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