

1 Objective

The "Carlota" Festival-Competition encourages filmmakers and video activists from all over the world to create projects that promote the understanding and transformation of reality.

2 The competition

- This competition is held online and filmmakers, activists, video activists and in general anyone from any country can participate. Individually or in groups.
- Participants have 80 hours to **record and edit a documentary**.
- The contest begins on March 15, 2023 at 12:00 noon Jerusalem, Palestine time. At that time, a technical requirement will be announced that must be met to ensure that documentaries are shot within the 84-hour time frame
- Those wishing to participate must be over 18 years of age.
- Registration for the competition starts on 13.01.2023 and closes one hour before the competition starts, i.e. one hour before the technical requirement mentioned above is made public.

3 Requirements and rules

- Genre: documentary
- Maximum duration of the works will be 8 minutes and the minimum duration is 1 minute.
- The credit titles must be included in the total length.
- The festival logo must be added at the beginning or at the end of the film (downloadable from the website).
- All films must be subtitled in English.
- There is no technical limitation: all types of devices and applications can be used for the recording, it can be recorded either vertically or horizontally.

- The format in which the short films will be delivered will be in a video file of no more than 2 Gb through a data transfer service (for example the free Wetransfer). It must also be uploaded to a private Youtube or Vimeo account with a password and then send the link to the festival's e-mail address.
- A document must be submitted including: Title, synopsis, crew. It will be sent to the festival's email address enabled for this purpose.
- Participants must have and provide the festival with all the necessary authorizations for the audiovisual material (music, protagonists, archive material, etc.) of the documentary.
- All participants authorize the festival to exhibit the documentaries in the different sections of the festival, for activities after the event, as well as for the creation of promotional material to promote the festival.
- All submitted works will be included in the festival's archive.
- The submission of works within the established deadlines implies the acceptance of the festival/contest rules. Any doubt that may arise from the interpretation of these rules will be clarified by the festival organization.

6 The Jury

- The jury is made up of activists, video activists, social fighters, social leaders and social organizations. Its composition will be made public at the awards ceremony.

4 The Ceremony

- All selected short films will be screened at an online ceremony on 25.03.2023, where the winners will be announced.
- Official events will be held in different cities in different countries.

7 Prizes

First prize: 500 USD and CARLOTA trophy.

Second prize: Financial prize of 200 USD and CARLOTA trophy.

Third prize: CARLOTA trophy

Two additional "surprise" prizes.