



**COVER ART DESIGN COMPETITION
CALL FOR ENTRIES**

Design the 23rd Singapore International Film Festival Programme Book cover.
Deadline: 11 January 2010

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Application Form for the 23rd Singapore International Film Festival Cover Art Design Competition

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Country of Residence: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Postal Code: _____

Telephone: _____ E-mail Address: _____

Design School (if applicable): _____

Artistic Credits (if applicable): _____

Design Format: _____

Brief Description of Design (max. 75 words): _____

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Rules of the 23rd Singapore International Film Festival Cover Art Design Competition

Article 1. Presentation

The Singapore International Film Festival (hereafter SIFF) is organising a contest to select the design for the front cover of the Programme Book for the 23rd edition of the SIFF, which will be held from 15 to 25 April 2010.

Article 2. Candidates

Participation in this competition is open to all individuals aged 18 or older, regardless of their country of residence. Only one application per candidate will be allowed.

Article 3. Competition

The contest includes the following phases:

3.1. Project Submission Phase

- The design submission deadline is **11 January 2010**. Candidates must mail in or drop off their designs at the SIFF Secretariat Office by this date.
- Candidates must fill in the application form and submit the form with their design, accompanied by a brief written description of the design.
- Designs can be in any medium that must be replicable for formats other than print.
- Designs must be replicable on other media such as, but not limited to, banners, posters, brochures, flyers, website, e-newsletters, slides and t-shirts.
- Incomplete applications and late submissions will be rejected.
- Designs must be consistent with the SIFF's mission and vision. Designs that include messages of a political or religious nature, elements that directly or indirectly promote hatred, discrimination, violence, racism or pornography, or that are contrary to the laws in force or to public order and morality, will be automatically eliminated from the competition.

3.2. Judging Phase

- A jury appointed by the SIFF will choose the winning design by 31 January 2010.
- Some modifications will be made to the design chosen by the jury during its making, to comply with possible modifications for technical or visibility reasons.
- The SIFF will inform the winner of his/her victory in February 2010.
- Notwithstanding the choice of the jury and the prize awarded to the competition winner, the SIFF reserves the right ultimately not to use the design selected within the framework of this competition for the 23rd SIFF Programme Book cover.

3.3. Modification of the Contest

The SIFF reserves the right at any time to modify the dates indicated in article 3 or to cancel the present contest. In general, the SIFF reserves the right to modify these rules without the possibility of any complaint.

3.4. Compliance

All the designs must be in compliance with these terms and conditions at all times. The SIFF may, at any time, and based on its own appreciation, exclude any design or any candidate in breach of the aforesaid terms and conditions.

Participation in this contest implies the full, complete and unreserved acceptance of these rules. Non-observance of the conditions for participation set out in the regulations makes the participation invalid.

Article 4. Intellectual Property Rights

4.1. The candidates acknowledge that the graphic elements sent within the framework of this competition are free of rights.

4.2. The candidates fully guarantee to the SIFF that they possess all the rights to the designs submitted within the framework of this competition and that these designs do not violate any existing copyright or any other intellectual property rights belonging to third parties, and that the candidates have acquired all the necessary authorisations to allow them to use the elements belonging to third parties, as well as all other necessary authorisations. At the first request of the SIFF, the candidates will provide copies of these written authorisations.

4.3. The candidates agree not to publish, have published, disclose or use in any way, and for whatever reason, their designs without the prior written consent of the SIFF. An exception will be made for the contest period from 30 November 2009 to 28 February 2010, that is during the project submission and judging phases, and only in the manner defined in the contest rules.

4.4. The winner irrevocably transfers to the SIFF all the intellectual property rights to his/her creation, including, but not limited to, the right to transfer, reproduce, copy, publish, alter, adapt, modify or distribute his/her creation, in any currently existing or future medium or form, and agrees that his/her creation will be the exclusive property of the SIFF. The winner guarantees to the SIFF that he/she is fully authorised to transfer the rights covered by the present transfer, and that, in the event that he/she is a member of a copyright association to which he/she has previously transferred rights to future works, the winner guarantees the SIFF that he/she has obtained the agreement of the aforesaid association that the design submitted within the framework of this contest will be expressly excluded from the general transfer.

A rights assignment document must be signed by the winner and will be an integral part of the acceptance by the winner as a condition for his/her selection.

The winner also agrees to provide to the SIFF, at its request, the source files for his/her design (EPS format).

Article 5. Prizes

5.1. The winner will receive the following prizes:

- Design featured on cover of the 23rd SIFF Programme Book
- Design displayed on the SIFF website
- Acknowledgement in the 23rd SIFF Programme Book
- Acknowledgement on the SIFF website
- 6 tickets to film screenings (except Opening and Closing Films) at the 23rd SIFF
- 2 tickets to the Opening Night Party of the 23rd SIFF

The SIFF reserves the right to modify the nature and/or value of the prizes up to the day on which they are awarded.

5.2. In no event may the prizes defined in section 5.1 above be exchanged for their value in cash or transferred to anyone, free of charge or against payment.

Article 6. Use for Information and Promotion Purposes

By taking part in this competition, the candidates unreservedly agree that their names and projects may be used and disseminated for information and/or promotion purposes regarding this competition and/or the 23rd SIFF on behalf of the SIFF or any other individual or legal entity acting on its behalf.

Such use of their names and projects will be unrestricted and will not lead to any rights or remuneration, and can be in any in-house or external communication medium for information and/or promotion purposes, as mentioned in the preceding paragraph, on behalf of the SIFF or any other individual or legal entity acting on its behalf, for one year starting from the end of this competition and throughout the world.