

The central headquarters of the Skyline Benidorm Film Festival is located at the following address: Plaza de S.S.M.M Los Reyes de España 1, Benidorm (Alicante), and its official website www.skylinefest.es provides detailed information for contact.

Through a cultural project with a future perspective, the Skyline Benidorm Film Festival aims to promote, disseminate, professionalize, and enhance short-format cinema.

ARTICLE 1. DATES

The celebration of the 8th edition of the Skyline Benidorm Film Festival will take place in the city of Benidorm, Spain, from April 13th to 20th, 2024.

ARTICLE 2. REQUIREMENTS

The competition is open to any screenplay for a short film, whether fiction, animation, or documentary, written in Spanish or Valencian.

The theme of the scripts is open, including both original works and literary adaptations, with a maximum length of 20 pages (including the cover), in Courier font size 12, and they should not have started filming before the beginning of the Skyline Benidorm Film Festival 2024.

By participating in this competition, authors acknowledge that they possess 100% of the copyright for the submitted works.

ARTICLE 3. REGISTRATIONS

Each author can submit a maximum of three scripts.

The registration fee is 13€. In the case of an author submitting multiple works, the fee for the second script is 10€, and for the third, it is 8€.

Payment should be made through Paypal to the account: director@skylinefest.es

The registration period will be open from November 20th, 2023, to January 20th of 2024.

The registration form is available at the following link: <https://bit.ly/InscripcionGuionSKLBFF24>
It must include the following documents:

- Script(s) in .pdf format **without** the author's name.
- Receipt/screenshot of the Paypal payment.

ARTICLE 4. AWARDS

The prize for the best short film script consists of 1,500€ and a trophy.

The prize will be paid by bank transfer to the individual or legal entity that registered, subject to the legal withholdings established by current law.

All prizes and trophies will be presented at the final gala to the awardees or their representatives. The organization will not cover the shipping costs of trophies for non-attendees at the festival.

The future short film's credits must feature the Skyline Benidorm Film Festival logo and laurels as the winner of the 2024 screenplay competition.

ARTICLE 5. SELECTION OF FINALIST SCREENPLAYS

The selection of the finalist screenplays is strictly confidential between the festival's management and the representatives of the selected screenplays, until the festival decides to announce it officially and publicly.

The finalist screenplays will be published on the festival's website until the next edition, giving the opportunity to potential producers who are interested in them.

In the case that a finalist does not want their screenplay to be in the public domain, it will not be uploaded to the festival's website.

ARTICLE 6. JURY

The jury will be composed by professionals from the film industry and will be responsible for deciding the finalist screenplays and awarding the prize.

The jury may if it deems it appropriate, to award an honorary mention, without financial endowment.

The jury's decisions are final.

ARTICLE 7. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

The author of the screenplay will retain his intellectual property rights and will be responsible for them, both in the sense that they are not subject to any legal liability, and in the sense that there are no rights to third parties.

This competition is governed by the provisions of Law 38/2003 of November 17th, General Grants Law, by Royal Decree 887/2006 of July 21st, which regulates the Regulations of the General Grants Law and what the execution bases of the budget of the Benidorm City Council for 2023 provide. Persons who are in any of the causes of prohibition to receive grants collected in article 13 of the General Grants Law may not participate. Participants' data will be collected and processed in accordance with Law 15/1999 of December 13th, on the protection of personal data.

All documentation received will become part of the festival archive.

ARTICLE 8. ACCEPTANCE OF THE TERMS

These rules are subject to possible modifications and/or annexes due to reasons beyond the organization's control. Any matters not covered in these rules will be resolved by the festival organizers.

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