

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

Through a cultural project with long-term vision, Skyline Benidorm Film Festival aims to promote, disseminate, professionalise and highlight cinema in short-film format.

ARTICLE 1. DATES

The 10th edition of the Skyline Benidorm Film Festival will take place in Benidorm, Spain, from 18 to 25 April 2026.

ARTICLE 2. REQUIREMENTS

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

The subject matter is free. Screenplays must be original or literary adaptations, with a maximum of 20 pages (including the cover), typed in Courier, size 12, and must not have begun shooting before the start of the Skyline Benidorm Film Festival 2026.

By participating, authors acknowledge that they hold 100% of the copyright of the submitted work.

ARTICLE 3. SUBMISSIONS

Each author may submit up to three screenplays.

The entry fee is €13. If an author submits more than one screenplay, the fee for the second entry will be €10, and for the third €8.

Payment must be made via Paypal to: director@skylinefest.es

The submission period will remain open from 17 November 2025 to 19 January 2026.

The submission form is as follows: <https://forms.gle/xuJqvswojLSgV3xh7>
It must include the following documents:

- Screenplay(s) in .pdf format without the author's name.
- Proof/screenshot of the Paypal payment.

ARTICLE 4. AWARDS

The prize for the Best Short-film Screenplay consists of €1,500 and a trophy.

The prize will be paid via bank transfer to the individual or legal entity who completed the submission, and will be subject to legally established tax deductions.

All awards and trophies will be presented during the festival's closing ceremony to the winners or their representatives. The organisation will not cover shipping costs for trophies in case of non-attendance.

The future short film must include the Skyline Benidorm Film Festival logo and laurels accrediting it as the winner of the 2026 Screenplay Competition.

ARTICLE 5. SELECTION OF FINALIST SCREENPLAYS

The selection of finalists is strictly confidential between the festival management and the representatives of the selected screenplays, until its official public announcement.

Finalist screenplays may be published on the festival's website, with prior authorisation, until the following edition, allowing potential production companies to show interest.

If a finalist does not wish their screenplay to be public, it will not be uploaded to the website.

ARTICLE 6. JURY

The jury will be composed of professionals from the film industry and will be responsible for selecting the finalist screenplays and deciding the winner.

The jury may grant an honourable mention without monetary prize if deemed appropriate.

All jury decisions are final and binding.

ARTICLE. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

The author will retain all intellectual property rights and is responsible for ensuring that the screenplay is not subject to any legal claims or third-party rights.

This competition is governed by Law 38/2003, of 17 November, General Subsidies Act, Royal Decree 887/2006, regulating the General Subsidies Act, and the budget execution rules of the Benidorm City Council for 2026.

Individuals who fall under any of the prohibition grounds set forth in Article 13 of the General Subsidies Act may not participate.

Participants' data will be collected and processed in accordance with Organic Law 15/1999 on the Protection of Personal Data.

All documentation received will become part of the festival's archives.

ARTICLE 8. ACCEPTANCE OF THE RULES

Submitting an entry implies acceptance of these rules.

These rules are subject to possible modifications and/or annexes due to reasons beyond the organisation. Any issue not foreseen will be resolved by the festival management.

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