



Association of arts for cinema and theater of Kef

## KEF SHORT FILM FESTIVAL

### TERMS

#### Registration:

**The Kef Short Film Festival** is an initiative of the **Association of Arts for Cinema and Theatre of Kef (ACT Kef)**.

It will take place in June 2017.

The organization of this operation is a part of a professional project carried out each year by the ACT Kef's members.

#### Article 1 – Topic:

**The Kef Short Film Festival** is a short film competition open to all lovers of images and cinematography.

Throughout the competition, the objective of this initiative is to:

- Create a showcase exhibition of short films from the Maghreb.
- Stimulate audio-visual and digital creation and bring out hidden talents.
- Encourage meetings and exchanges between film lovers.
- Facilitate the dissemination and promotion of original works by cinema lovers of all kinds to the general public.
- Develop creativity and critical thinking on images.

#### Article 2 - Participation and types:

##### Part 1

**The Kef Short Film Festival** is open to all short films made in Algeria, Egypt, Libya, Morocco or Tunisia starting from January 1st, 2016.

##### Part 2

**The Kef Short Film Festival** is a contest with no entry fees and with a non-profit purpose.

##### Part 3

No restrictions on the theme and genre of the short films presented (fiction, animation, documentary, etc.), as long as they can be viewed by audiences of all ages.

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#### **Part 4**

The proposed works must contain a title and credits and should be no longer than 20 minutes (title and credits included).

#### **Part 5**

To participate in the contest/competition, you have to send your short film via:

- [www.wetransfer.com](http://www.wetransfer.com) or
- [www.vimeo.com](http://www.vimeo.com) or
- [www.googledrive.com](http://www.googledrive.com)

#### **Part 6**

All material has to be sent as a:

- Blu-ray copy,
- DVD+R copy or
- DVD-R copy.

#### **Part 7**

Screenwriters and/or directors can apply more than once if they have more than one work to present during the festival, in which case all creations could be gathered in the same digital support. A registration form has to be filled for every short-film separately.

#### **Part 8**

Films must be in Arabic. Any occasional use of a foreign language in the film must be subtitled in Arabic.

English or French subtitling is recommended.

### **Article 3 - Participation process**

#### **Part 1**

Applications are open from January 20 to April 20, 2017 at midnight.

#### **Part 2**

Sending the registration form duly completed, dated and signed (PDF format) at: [fckef@actkef.org](mailto:fckef@actkef.org).

#### **Part 3**

Films have to be sent via:

- [www.wetransfer.com](http://www.wetransfer.com) (up to 2GB) or
- [www.vimeo.com](http://www.vimeo.com) (protected by password) or
- [www.googledrive.com](http://www.googledrive.com) (for files greater than 2GB and less than 10GB)

#### **Part 4**



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These original documents (a signed registration form and an original copy of the film) must be presented if the film is selected. The shipping costs are the responsibility of the participant.

#### **Article 4 - Selection process for short films and awards:**

##### **Part 1**

All short films proposed and sent within the deadlines laid down in Article 3 part 1 of this Regulation shall be the subject of an initial selection by professionals in audio-visual arts.

##### **Part 2**

At the end of this first step, the list of short films nominated for the official selection and their screening dates in the Governorate of Kef will be published on the ACT Kef's website [www.actkef.org](http://www.actkef.org) starting from May 15, 2017.

##### **Part 3**

A study of the festival's budget will determine the number (or possibility) of invitations to be sent for a representative of the selected short film.

##### **Part 4**

All short films nominated for the official selection will be numbered and recorded on ballot papers.

##### **Part 5**

All films nominated for the official selection will be screened in several cities in the Governorate of Kef.

Members of the public will be invited to vote for three films from the competition using the ballot papers available at the end of the screenings.

The film with the highest number of votes will win the Audience Award.

##### **Part 6**

A jury composed of three film professionals will designate the film that will be declared as the winner of the competition from the official selection.

##### **Part 7**

The members of the ACT Kef office will designate the short film that will be declared the winner of the ACT Kef Award from the official selection.

#### **Article 5 - Copyrights and liability:**

##### **Part 1**

The participant undertakes to be in possession of the copyright and artistic or intellectual property rights of the works (including films, music and texts) included in the film.



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Otherwise, the KEF ACT can not be held liable.

## **Part 2**

The organizers of the **Kef Short Film Festival** decline all responsibility in the event of bad reception or absence of reception of the registration files and films, for whatever reason.

### **Article 6 – Rights of ACT of Kef:**

ACT Kef will keep a copy of the short films that have been selected for the **Kef Short Film Festival**.

These short films may be screened for free by the ACT Kef as a part of the activities of the association.

*Regulations read and approved by the participant*

Date  
At

Signed