Luminous Frames Film Festival

Terms & Conditions for Submission

1. Eligibility & Representations

The Entrant confirms they hold all necessary rights (intellectual property, performance, music, location, talent releases, etc.) for the Entry.

If any third-party rights are included, Entrant has obtained all permissions and can provide proof upon request.

The Entry is not subject to litigation or any conflicting claims.

2. Grant of Rights

Entrant grants Festival, its licensees, successors, and assigns a worldwide, perpetual, royalty-free, paid-up, irrevocable, non-exclusive license and right to:

- Use, reproduce, adapt, sublicense, broadcast, exhibit, promote, distribute, edit, and publicly display the Entry in whole or part in any media now known or later developed.
- Create derivative works and include cast/crew names and likenesses as part of promotion.
- Store, copy, and archive the Entry on Festival-controlled platforms or hosted servers.

3. Festival Use

Selected Entries may be exhibited at Festival screenings, including in-person events, online platforms, and future "best-of" or retrospective programs.

The Festival may use short excerpts (e.g., max. 40 seconds), screengrabs, posters, still images, and trailers for marketing, press kits, social media, and web presence.

Festival may grant press/industry access (e.g., via password-protected platforms) for promotional or coverage purposes.

4. Entry Acknowledgements

Submission of the Entry implies acceptance of all Festival rules and regulations.

Entrant agrees to non-exclusive use of their name, image, likeness, and biographical info for marketing without further compensation.

Entrant acknowledges that submission does not guarantee screening, awards, or compensation.

5. Warranties & Indemnification

Entrant warrants:

- Full rights over Entry and immunity from third-party claims.
- That content does not violate laws or rights of others.

Entrant agrees to indemnify and hold Festival, its officers, employees, partners, licensees, and assigns harmless from any claims, losses, or expenses (including legal fees) arising from breach of these terms.

6. Limitation of Liability

Festival, and its affiliates, are not liable for:

- Loss, damage, or corruption of submitted materials.
- Any claims or liabilities related to Entry's use in accordance with these terms.

7. Selection & Notifications

Final decisions on programming, awards, inclusion, or exclusion are at the sole discretion of the Festival.

Entrant will be notified of selection/non-selection through official channels.

8. Data Processing & Privacy

Festival may collect and process Entrant's personal and submission data to administer the Festival and maintain archives in compliance with applicable data protection laws.

Submitted materials may be shared with press and partners strictly for Festival-related purposes.

9. Fees & Submission Materials

Submission fees (if any) are non-refundable.

Entrant must meet all technical formats, deadlines, and delivery requirements. Late or non-conforming Entries may be disqualified.

10. Governing Law & Miscellaneous

These terms are governed by the laws of the Festival's jurisdiction.

If any provision is deemed invalid or unenforceable, remaining terms continue to apply.

Festival reserves the right to revise these terms; updated terms apply to future editions only.

By submitting your projects to the festival, you agree to our terms and conditions.