

CALL for PARTICIPATION



CONTEMPORARY PHOTOGRAPHY STUDENT FESTIVAL

29, 30 April & 1 May 2018
HCT, Fujairah Women's Campus
Fujairah, United Arab Emirates



SUBMISSION TERMS & CONDITIONS

Fujairah Contemporary Photography Student Festival invite all students from institutions anywhere in the world to participate. Any entrant over 18 years of age and enrolled in college/University at the time of submitting to this festival can do so, with the exception of the festival judges and organisers team.

By registering and submitting works to the Contemporary Photography Student Festival, the student hereby accepts these Terms and Conditions.

THEMES

This year festival theme will be:

1. Happiness: Describe through your photograph what is happiness to you? it doesn't have to be an obvious picture of a happy person, we want you to look deeper visually and use indirect way to express the meaning of happiness to you.
2. Portrait: portrait photos beyond selfie, the pure and unique photographic vision of yours in contemporary form.
3. Open theme: In this category we will let you to explore your creativity in taking contemporary photograph in any form such as urban architect, landscape, macro or even abstract.

In this submission, we are looking for images that are contemporarily composed, such as using the latest composition trend, colours, lighting and technique. Participants are encourage to push the boundary beyond traditional and feel free to be more experimental.

GENERAL CONDITIONS

The submission is FREE via email: sshanley@hct.ac.ae or yyulius@hct.ac.ae, and will be available from 00:01 on 11th until 24:00 on 21st April 2018, UAE local time. No Submissions made after the deadline will be accepted.

There is no limit to the number of individual images each participant may submit. Images that have won prizes in other competitions or that have been submitted in other competitions currently underway are eligible, in fact we are encouraging you to submit your award winning pictures! There is no time or date restriction on when the image was taken.

Files must meet the following specification:

- sRGB or Adobe98 colour space, 8-bit.
- Longest dimension: 2,000 pixels, 72dpi.
- Saved as a JPG.
- No Watermarks / Copyright Units / Logos on images.
- Only bleed photographs without borders.

Only basic technical editing of the photo is acceptable, provided such editing does not affect the authenticity of the photo.

All entries must be your own original work and must not infringe the rights of any other party. You must be the sole copyright owner of all photographs entered and must have obtained permission of any people featured in the entries. Further, you cannot not have breached any laws when taking their photographs.

Photos that include inappropriate or offensive contents, including nudity, violence and any other contents deemed to be contrary to the UAE religious, cultural or public morals traditions and practices will be disqualified.

Selected works will be notified via email. Selected Entrants must be able to provide a high resolution digital file (minimum 3,000 pixels longest dimension @300 dpi). This file will be used to prove the ownership of the image and to be printed for exhibition purpose during the festival. Selected Entrants who do not fulfils these eligibility criteria will be deemed ineligible and disqualified without the right to appeal.

COPYRIGHTS

Copyright of the images will remain at all times with the photographer.

Images will be used strictly in connection to the festival and will not be used for any other marketing purposes other than to promote the Contemporary Photography Student Festival. Images will not be resold or used by any other third party. If there is a request for such, we will forward that request to the photographer via e-mail.

To promote the selected works, Contemporary Photography Student Festival is granted the right to display images on social network websites.

SELECTION CONDITIONS

Entries will be selected by nominated judges and based on artistic merit, originality, subject and style which in this year festival would be "contemporary".

The decision of Fujairah Student Contemporary Photography Festival is final.

EXHIBITION

Selected works will be professionally printed and framed for the exhibition during the festival. Selected participant will receive certificate of appreciation from the event organiser as well as have their photo and profile featured in our printed catalogue.

Questions:

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