

**9th HUMAN RIGHTS FILM FESTIVAL. San Sebastian
8-15 April 2011**

**“INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM COMPETITION”
YOUTH JURY**

The **9th Human Rights Film Festival**, jointly organised by the House of Peace and Human Rights and Donostia Kultura, will take place in **San Sebastian from 8-15 April 2011**.

This Human Rights Film Festival aims to raise critical awareness among citizens with regard to human rights violations the world over. It also fosters and spreads the values of living in harmony and peace, justice, tolerance, solidarity, freedom...

As in previous years, the Festival is organising an **International Short Film Competition**, open to short films on social subjects – documentary and fiction – coming from different countries and prestigious international film festivals.

Bearing in mind criteria of human rights awareness and cinematographic quality, the **Youth Jury** will appraise each of the competing short films. The Youth Jury Award for Best Short Film carries €3,000.

Sitting on this Jury will earn its members **free choice credits from the University of the Basque Country**.

REGISTRATION

The registration deadline is **18 March 2011**.

Registrations can be made at:

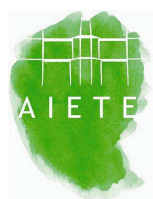
- www.cineyderechoshumanos.com

More information

- www.sansebastian.org/casadelapaz
- Casa de la Paz y de los Derechos Humanos. Paseo de Aiete, 65. 20009. Donostia-San Sebastián. 943 48 19 75.

CONDITIONS FOR SITTING ON THE YOUTH JURY

- Members must be between **18 and 30 years of age**.
- **Attendance of an explanatory meeting at which their registration will be confirmed**, to take place in the days leading up to the Festival*. **During this meeting, the short films corresponding to the 16:30 and 22:30 sessions will be screened and votes cast**. This meeting will last for approximately 4 hours (depending on the length of the short films). Participants must attend this meeting if they wish to sit on the Jury. All those unable to



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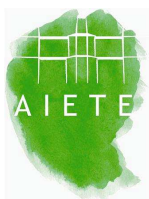
attend this meeting will lose their right to sit on the Jury.

- **Attendance, on 8th and 15th April, of the screenings taking place at 19:00 in the Victoria Eugenia Theatre, viewing of the competing short film, the feature film, and attendance of the talk following the screenings.** Each session will last for approximately 3 hours. After the talk, votes for the short film competition can be placed in the ballot box installed for this purpose.
- The Festival may also programme a number of **parallel activities**, such as conferences or round tables, which will also be taken into account for the obtaining of free choice credits.
- Commitment to participation as a Jury member implies the acceptance of each and every one of these rules.

JURY MEMBERS WILL HAVE THE RIGHT TO:

- A **certificate** issued by the Festival organisation indicating the activity carried out and the number of hours invested. Students at the **University of the Basque Country (UPV/EHU)** can exchange this activity for a maximum of 2 **Free Choice Credits** (Decision taken by the Vice-Rector of Gipuzkoa Campus on 14 December 2010). **These credits are not valid for students taking degree courses.**
- **Free** admission to all 19:00 sessions of the 9th Human Rights Film Festival and double tickets for the 16:30 and 22:30 sessions.
- A ticket for the Festival opening gala and another for the closing gala.
- The **catalogue and programme** for the 9th Human Rights Film Festival in San Sebastián.
- A **season-ticket** for all Victoria Eugenia sessions of the 22nd San Sebastian Horror and Fantasy Film Festival (2011).
- Jury members **must attend** at least **80% of the 19:00 sessions**. Failure to meet this stipulation will deprive them of the above rewards and of the right to sit on the jury in future editions.

* *The date and time of the pre-Festival meeting will be conveyed to the selected jury members.*



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