

Nippon Connection



15TH Japanese Film Festival

June 2 –7, 2015

Frankfurt / Main

Germany

Entry Form

Nippon Connection is the largest showcase of Japanese film worldwide and takes place in Frankfurt/Main, Germany. In 2014 the festival showed more than 100 films, with an audience of over 16,000 attending, and more than 60 guests from Japan were to introduce their films. The film program is divided into six sections: NIPPON CINEMA, NIPPON VISIONS, NIPPON ANIMATION, NIPPON RETRO, NIPPON KIDS and NIPPON CULTURE.

Competitions

Films of the NIPPON CINEMA section that are having at least their German premiere are in competition for the »Nippon Cinema Award«, endowed with EUR 2,000 (by courtesy of Bankhaus Metzler). The award winner is determined by audience vote. Films in the NIPPON VISIONS section are in competition for the »Nippon Visions Jury Award« and the »Nippon Visions Audience Award«. The director of the awarded film of the »Nippon Visions Jury Award« will be granted a subtitling for his/her next film (by courtesy of Japan Visualmedia Translation Academy). An international jury will select the winning film. The director of the »Nippon Visions Audience Award« receives EUR 1,000 (by courtesy of the Japanisches Kulturzentrum Frankfurt/Main). All films must have a length of at least 60 minutes and must have been produced in 2014 or 2015. The award ceremony will be held on June 7, 2015. The film program committee reserves its right to decide which films take part in the competitions.

Film entries

All films must have English or German subtitles or be dubbed in German or English to be screened at the festival. For the selection process, screeners without subtitles are allowed. Accepted screening formats are: DCP, 35mm, 16mm, 8mm, HDcam, Digibeta, Betacam SP, miniDV, DV, DVcam, Blu-ray and Quicktime (video formats NTSC or PAL).

Please send a screener of the film (DVD) and the completed entry form to

Nippon Connection
c/o AStA, Mertonstr. 26-28
60325 Frankfurt/Main
Germany

Submission deadline: March 1, 2015

There is no entry fee. The DVD sent for selection will not be returned.

Online screening links are accepted as well.

In case of online submission, please fill out the online form:

www.nipponconnection.com/online-entry.html

and send the DVD to adress above or submit online link (info@nipponconnection.com).

Important note

Please remember to fill out the entry form in Romaji (names in Kanji / Kana and Romaji). All material sent by mail from non-EU member states must be clearly marked with a customs declaration stating the following: »For cultural purpose only. No commercial value.« It must also be accompanied by a proforma invoice stating a value of no more than USD 15.

If selected

You will receive notice by April 30, 2015 at the latest. The screening print, tape or harddisk should be sent to Nippon Connection by May 18, 2015. Detailed shipping information will be provided in time.

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Deadline: March 1, 2015

Original title (Kanji / Kana)

Original title (Romaji)

English title

Director

Distribution

Phone

Contact person

Fax

Phone / Fax

E-Mail

E-Mail

Homepage

Homepage

Address

Address

Language of dialogues

Producer

Language of subtitles

Music

Length (Min.)

Actors

Script

Country of production

DoP

Year of production

Sound

Awards

Genre

Colour / Sound

Added as enclosure

Before Nippon Connection
screenings are planned

Fiction

Colour

screener DVD

in Germany

Documentary

Black & White

EPK (PAL)

in Europe

Animation

Stereo

Stills

other countries

Experimental

Mono

Press kit

Dolby Stereo SR

Posters

Dolby Digital

Flyers

Dolby Stereo A

screening link

Others

Screening print / tape / file

DCP unencrypted

Digibeta

PAL

DCP encrypted

Betacam SP

NTSC

35 mm

HDcam

4:3

16 mm

DV

16:9 anam. widescreen

8 mm

DVcam

16:9 letterbox

1:1,37

miniDV

1:1,66

Bluray

1:1,85

Quicktime file

1:2,35

Place, date

Name of the entrant

Signature