



14th New York Turkish Film Festival

Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in our festival.

For the past fourteen years, The New York Turkish Film Festival, which is the only annual Turkish film festival in the New York and Tri-State, has screened over 300 Turkish films to a steadily increasing audience. Nonetheless, this accomplishment can only be maintained by your valuable support and film submissions.

To submit your film, please carefully read the “**General Regulations**” and “**Submission Regulations**” before filling out the “**Application Form**” and send us the relevant documents in a timely manner.

For additional information about the Moon and Stars Project of The American Turkish Society, please visit our website at www.maspny.org or www.newyorkturkishfilmfestival.com. For questions related to the film festival, please e-mail us at the address below. Good luck.

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GENERAL REGULATIONS

The 14th New York Turkish Film Festival is organized by Moon and Stars Project of The American Turkish Society.

The aim of the festival is to increase exposure to Turkish cinema and encourage the distribution of Turkish films in the United States.

DATES: The festival is scheduled to take place between **March 27 and April 5, 2015** in New York City.

PROGRAM: The 14th New York Turkish Film Festival is comprised of six sections: Contemporary Turkish Cinema, Tribute to Masters, Documentaries, Debut Films, Directors Abroad and Short Films (fiction, animation, experimental, and documentary).

SELECTION: Submitted films will be viewed by the Selection Committee, and applicants will be notified of the results on **January 26, 2015**. All films selected by the Selection Committee will be automatically considered for our audience-choice award, which was first implemented in 2014.

TRANSPORTATION: The transportation cost of the screening copy to New York City will be covered by the filmmaker(s); the return cost will be covered by the Festival. Applicants of the selected films will be further contacted and notified of transportation details.

RIGHTS: The applicant hereby certifies with regard to third parties involved that he/she is legally authorized to enter the film in the Festival.

Entry and participation to the festival implies acceptance of the regulations listed above.

In unspecified cases, the Cinema Department of the Moon and Stars Project will make the final decision.

SUBMISSION REGULATIONS

- 1) Applications are to be completed using the official "Application Form".
- 2) The screening copy of feature films must be in 35 mm format, and the screening copy of short films must be in 16mm, 35mm, Betacam or DVD format. (*NTSC is preferred for Betacam and DVD*)
- 3) Short films must be no longer than 15 minutes.
- 4) All films to be screened at the festival must be subtitled in English.
- 5) Deadlines for application, promotion materials and the screening copy:

Application, Screening copy (DVD) submission deadline: December 31, 2014

Notification date for short films: January 26, 2015

Screening copy submission deadline: February 20, 2015

- 6) Please note that the submission deadlines are not postmark deadlines. Complete application form, copy of film in DVD format and promotion materials must arrive at the below addresses **no later than December 31, 2014**. (Film copies submitted for the first round selection will not be returned and will be kept in the festival archives. These copies will by no means be used for commercial purposes.)
- 7) Applicants will be notified of the results on **January 26, 2015** via e-mail.
- 8) Participants are responsible for ensuring that the screening copies arrive at one of the below addresses **no later than February 20, 2015**.
- 9) Applications that do not meet the deadlines and regulations stated on this form will be disqualified.

PROMOTION MATERIALS

- Copy of the application form
- Synopsis in Turkish and English
- Director's CV, filmography, and URL
- Director's headshot (must be taken within the last 6 months, JPEG and minimum of 300 dpi resolution)
- Film stills in color and/or black & white (if digital, must be 300 dpi and 10x15 cm minimum and on a CD)
- Printed publicity materials such as posters, promotion cards, and brochures.
- Press release, press reviews, and film website
- Subtitled trailer (for feature films)

Application Submission Address

Moon and Stars Project (14th NYTFF)

c/o The American Turkish Society

54 West 40th Street

New York, NY 10018

U.S.A. Phone: 646.434.4409



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Application Form Deadline:
December 31, 2014

PLEASE COMPLETE THE APPLICATION FORM DULY AS THE INFORMATION PROVIDED
ON THIS FORM WILL BE USED IN THE FESTIVAL CATALOG

Original Name _____

English Name _____

- Category applied for**
- D Feature Film
 - D Short Film
 - D Animation
 - D Fiction
 - D Documentary

Country(ies) of production _____

Year of completion _____

Director(s) _____

Producer(s) _____

Screenwriter(s) _____

Cinematographer(s) _____

Editor(s) _____

Sound _____

Music _____

Principle Cast _____

Synopsis _____

Technical Information **Please provide the details of Screening Copy**

Duration _____
(in minutes)

- Format**
- D 16 mm
 - D 35 mm
 - D Betacam
 - D DVD
 - D Black & White
 - D Color

Sound

- D Mono
- D Stereo
- D Dolby
- D Dolby/Surround

Ratio

- D 1:33
- D 1:66
- D 1:85
- Other: _____

Number of reels

(If the screening copy is 16 mm or 35mm)

Festivals

(With the dates and all supporting documents)

Awards

Director's Address

Phone number

Fax number

E-mail

Production Company's Name and Address

Phone number

Fax number

E-mail

Sales Agent's Name and Address

Phone number

Fax number

E-mail

Festival Contact Person

(If the person to whom Moon and Stars Project will correspond with regarding the screening of the film at the festival is different from above)

Phone number

Return shipping contact

- D Director
- D Producer
- D Contact person
- D Other (if different from above) _____

Phone number _____

Fax number _____

E-mail _____

Rights Holder

- D Director
- D Producer Company
- D Sales Agent
- D Other _____

Added as Enclosed

(Please check items)

- D Copy for Pre-Selection
- D Final Script
- D Film's Photos
- D Director's Photo and Biography
- D Synopsis
- D Dialogue, Commentaries or Other Texts
- D Inserts
- D Attended Festivals' supporting documents

By signing this application form, I agree to the terms and conditions listed above.

Name: _____

Date: _____ Signature: _____