

INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTARY FESTIVAL - BIARRITZ



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**YOUNG
EUROPEANS
JURY**

22 > 27 JANUARY 2019

EXPERIENCE AN UNFORGETTABLE MOMENT WITHIN A FESTIVAL!

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PRESENTATION

FIPADOC is France's new international documentary film festival, founded after 31 years of success by its predecessor FIPA, the former multi-genre festival.

The festival will gather a jury made up of **7 European students who speak French**, invited in Biarritz.

During 6 days, they will confront their points of view, feelings and opinions, and **award a prize to the best documentary spotted by CAMPUS**, made up of a dozen films from all the official selections.

Aged between 17 and 25, they must be curious, movie enthusiasts, and with a particular interest in documentaries.

SUPERVISION

The jury members take part in all official events.

The festival undertakes to provide them with **an adult monitor from FIPADOC during their entire stay in Biarritz**. They are also under the **tutelage of a renown mentor**.

However, FIPADOC cannot be held responsible for any incident that might occur in Biarritz, outside the framework of their role as jury members for the festival.



OBJECTIVES

- discover a sample of the best international documentaries, a genre that proposes a variety of screenwritings and view points
- explore the different ways in which reality is captured on films
- express a personal judgment according to criteria of appreciation and analysis
- experience debating and develop the ability to discuss and argue by confronting opinions with other jury members
- improve skills in French
- open up to the world and understand it better

APPLICATIONS

Students can apply by **filling out the registration form online** and sending the documents listed on the form:

- a short **presentation**
- a **critique of a documentary** (video or written) screened on the IFcinéma platform or of a documentary of his/her choice
- a copy of the passport or official identification

The presentation and the critique have to be **in French**.

There is a **registration fee of €30** (thirty euros) per applicant.

Registration fees will not be refunded.

JURY MEMBERS

FIPADOC selects a **jury of seven members** made up of **one single representative from each participating country**. Country of residence is not a selection criteria.

The **French jury member** is selected in the Region of the **Nouvelle-Aquitaine**.

The selection is based on the **applicant's letter/video** with an emphasis placed on his/her motivations to take part in the jury, **his/her curiosity** and his/her interest in films and documentaries in particular.

The **French skills** of each candidate are important for the selection.

Each candidate is called by phone for a **brief interview in French** in order to test his/her abilities to speak and understand the language.

JURY MEMBERS OBLIGATIONS

- **pay an extra fee of €50 (fifty euros)** in addition to the registration fee. All travel expenses, accommodation and meals are covered.
- **be present in Biarritz** from Tuesday 22 to Sunday 27 January 2019.
- **respect their timetable** and, most of all, attend all the screenings required.
- defend their favourite documentary during the deliberation, and **not reveal their decision to anyone** other than the festival organizers prior to the award ceremony.
- **attend the opening and closing ceremonies** of FIPADOC.
- **award a prize** to the author(s) of a unique film

CALENDAR

Friday 7 December 2018

Between 3 and 14 December 2018

Tuesday 18 December 2018

Tuesday 22 January 2019

Friday 26 January 2019

Saturday 26 January 2019

Sunday 27 January 2019

Deadline for the reception of applications

Phone interviews in French

Results conveyed to all candidates

Arrival and **welcoming of the jury members in Biarritz**

Opening ceremony of FIPADOC

Young Europeans Jury **deliberation**

Closing ceremony of FIPADOC

Awarding of the Prize of the Young Europeans Jury

Departures of the jury members from Biarritz



