

Regulations

The „Filmbüro Augsburg“ organises three festivals:
the 13th Augsburg Short Film Festival (10.03. - 13.03.2005) and
the 24th Augsburg Children's Film Festival (06.03. - 13.03.2005) and
the 18th Days of independent film (07.03 - 13.03.2005)

Augsburg Short Film Festival

The **Augsburg Short Film Festival** shows international short feature, animation and documentary films, film-historical programmes and short films for children.
At the **Augsburg Short Film Festival** the audience itself is the jury of the competition programme.

Augsburg Children's Film Festival

The **Augsburg Children's Film Festival** gives an insight into new films for children and youth. There are also special programmes on different topics and retrospectives of one director. Within the **Children's Film Festival** two student-juries award the „**Dragons**“, certificates (diplomas) to the best two films in the competition programme.

Days of Independent Film

The **Days of Independent Film** is a festival for documentary and feature films in any format or length. This year a focal point will be new developments in film technology. In addition there is main focus on different countries.
Furthermore we will give film students a meeting point for discussion and the chance to screen their films in front of an expert audience on the 13th International Conference of Film Students "Cinema of Tomorrow".

GENERAL INFORMATION

Registration:

To hand in a film, the director/producer should send an **application form** (available at the address below), a **preview tape** (VHS PAL/NTSC) in English, German or French or with subtitles (exception: with dialogue list), two stills and a **photography of the director**. All formats are possible. The films should not be older than two years (date of production). Films for the Augsburg Short Film Festival mustn't be longer than 35 minutes.

Selection:

The film-makers/producer of the selected films should send following additional materials which are necessary for the festival's publications and a good translation: dialog- or text list (in German, English or French) and a press kit of their films.

Transport, Insurance:

Applications cover the costs of sending in preview tapes. **VHS tapes of selected films - or a copy - will be kept in the festival's video archive. The selected film should be sent to the Filmbüro Augsburg one week before the festival latest:** via international shipping companies or via Cultural Institutes/Embassies. **The festival covers the costs of one way** of the print's shipping: to Augsburg or from Augsburg.

A (proforma) invoice („no commercial value“) is necessary for the shipping of films and tapes which are sent from not EC-countries to Augsburg.

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