

Regulations

The „Filmbüro Augsburg“ organises three festivals:
the 27th Augsburg Children's Film Festival (30.04. - 10.05.2009),
the 21th Days of independent film (30.04. - 10.05.2009);
the 16th Augsburg Short Film Festival (06.05. - 10.05.2009).

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 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, DVD) 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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