
exground filmfest 22

November 13 – 22, 2009

Wiesbaden/Germany



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PRESS RELEASE

**Last Call for Entries: August 1 is the deadline for the 22nd
exground filmfest in Wiesbaden**

We are still looking for interesting films as well as award sponsors

This year, exground filmfest takes place for the 22nd time in the state capital of Hessen, Wiesbaden. Between November 13 and 22, 2009, the highlights from the current supply of independent short and feature films will be presented in the Caligari FilmBühne. exground filmfest will show a total of around 300 films from all over the world. A special program focus lies on the film scene in Sweden this year.

Deadline for film submissions is August 1, 2009. The relevant submission forms can be downloaded from the homepage www.exground.com. Film makers can also submit and upload their works via www.reelport.com: The internet platform enables the festival application per mouse click. The submission of films is free of charge. Detailed information regarding film submissions are included in the submission forms in German and English. Further questions will be answered at info@exground.com.

In addition to films in the categories American Independents, News from Asia, International feature and short films, and Focus Sweden, exground filmfest presents a series of contests: German Short Film Contest – audience award for direction, endowed with a total of 6,000 Euros; International ON-VIDEO-Contest – jury award for direction, endowed with 1,500 Euros; youth days – International Youth Film Contest - jury award for direction, endowed with 2,500 Euros, and Wiesbaden-Special – Short Film Contest – audience award for direction, endowed with 500 Euros.

The Cultural Office of the state capital Wiesbaden sponsors exground filmfest's German Short Film Contest with a total of 4,000 Euros for the winner and the third place of the audience award, and



donates the 2,500 Euros for the “youth days – International Youth Film Contest”. The award of 500 Euros for the „Wiesbaden Special – Short Film Contest“ is being sponsored by the „Wiesbadener Kurier“ newspaper for the fifth time.

We are still urgently looking for sponsors for the prize money of 1,500 Euros for the „International ON-VIDEO-Contest“ though – as well as sponsors for the 2,000 Euros for the second place of the “German Short Film Contest”. Interested sponsors can please contact exground filmfest, c/o Wiesbadener Kinofestival e. V., Ernst-Goebel-Straße 27, 65207 Wiesbaden, Telephone (06 11) 1 74 82 27, info@exground.com.

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