

DISCOVERY DAYS

— FLIMS LAAX FALERA —

Terms of participation

General terms

At the DISCOVERY DAYS known and unknown speakers, or those who want to become one, from Switzerland or other countries get the possibility to participate.

At the competition the best live reports in the categories BEST PRESENTATION, BEST PHOTOGRAPHY and BEST STORY will be evaluated and awarded by a jury.

Each participant can apply with ONE live report for the DISCOVERY DAYS. The total duration shall not be more than 30 minutes. The presentation must be performed live and in German or as an exception in English. All speakers present in front of a live audience on location, but their talk may also be presented as a live stream on the internet. The organizers may use digital material for future advertising (e.g. future trailers), but no presentation will remain available on the internet after the event (no on-demand). The speakers also agree to a potential interview before the festival and to participate in a „Campfire Talk“ in the evening after their presentations.

Out of all received proposals, 12 to 18 presentations will be chosen for the participation at the competition. The pre-selection of the editorial office and the judgement of the jury at the competition are incontestable, the legal recourse is excluded.

Through the participation at the competition the participant accepts the terms and allows the usage and the imprint of the 15 submitted photos (see terms of submission) including the right of usage (press releases, program, merchandising, etc).

The direction of the competition is subject to the organisation committee of the DISCOVERY DAYS. The organisers have the right to decline without reasoning.



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Terms of submission

For the application the following material needs to be handed in:

Form of participation: The signed form has to be attached to the application

Titel: max. 25 characters

Subtitle: if needed, max. 45 characters

Speaker: If there is more than one person speaking, please state the other names

Pictures: 15 photos with a minimum resolution of 4500 x 3000 pixel (or max. resolution)

Text: Synopsis of the presentation, between 1000 and max. 3000 characters

Short text: For advertisement and teaser with 400 to max. 440 characters

About yourself: Origin, age, who you are, max. 2500 characters

Trailer: if you have one, max. 3 minutes length

Voluntary additions are:

Press article about the story

Other background material of the presentation or the presenter

Reference to the homepage, etc

The documents have to be provided digitally and well structured by e-mail or download (Dropbox, WeTransfer, or others). You will receive a short confirmation via e-mail. No postal mail allowed.

Contact address:

All applications for the participation must be sent to the following address:

redaktion@discovery-days.ch

Further information is available at:

www.discovery-days.ch



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Location, Time schedule, Services

Place of the event:	Waldhaus Arena	Via Sorts Sura 9	CH-7018 Flims
Date of the competition:	Friday, 23th September 2022 from 2 pm Saturday, 24th September 2022 from 11 am		
Deadline for the application:	25th April 2022, 11:59 pm		
Qualifying round:	The announcement of the participants is 6 weeks after the deadline of submission		
Award ceremony:	24th September 2022, around 8 pm		
Services of the organiser:	Two overnight stays including breakfast in hotel and two dinners.		

Prizes

Additional to the symbolic DISCOVERY DAYS prizes the following prizes will be assigned:

Category	Prize
Best presentation / 1st place	6000.- CHF from Explora Events
Best presentation / 2nd place	3000.- CHF from Bach Equipment
Best presentation / 3rd place	2000.- CHF from Explora Events
Best photography	3000.- CHF from Nikon
Best story	3000.- CHF from Transa



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Assessment

The assessment of the presentations and the assignment of the prizes will be carried out through an independent jury.

Basically, we want authentic and exciting stories, so the storyline is the focus of the evaluation. Please do not simply put together random travel anecdotes, instead we want unique and coherent stories with suspense and real emotions. There are no limits to your creativity in terms of choice of topic, technical realization and stage presence - the stage is yours!

Other than that, for the category BEST PRESENTATION the following criteria applies: story, photography, presentation (text, rhetoric, dramaturgy), background (music, original sound fade-in, etc), total impression (the sum of all factors).

For the category BEST PHOTOGRAPHY only the quality of the photos is key and in the category BEST STORY only the originality and uniqueness of the story will be judged.

Technical specifications

The presentation has to be executed with the installed video beamer of the organiser. The resolution of the beamer is 1920 x 1080 pixel.

The presentation will be played from your own PC or MAC. This device must be brought along and serves as your preview monitor at the same time.

As a backup the presentation has to be handed in to the editorial office two weeks in advance on a stick or by WeTransfer.



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Personal Data

I have read the terms of participation and accept all the terms:

Title of the presentation

Subtitle of the presentation

Surname / First name

Adress (Street, PostCode, City, Country)

Email

Phone-nr / Mobile-nr

2. Speaker

How did I hear from the Discovery Days

Place / Date

Signature

