



## **CONTEST RULES**

The Green Up Film Festival is partnering with the Atmospheres Festival, with Ushuaïa TV and with Solidays for the first edition of the climate-related short film contest. Last days to enter your film(s)!!!

2 sessions:

- Up to June 13<sup>th</sup>, 2015 included
- Up to September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2015 included

It won't be possible to include the September session films in Solidays 2015 broadcasts, but they will be eligible for all prizes.

Do not hesitate to contact us at : [climat@atmospheresfestival.com](mailto:climat@atmospheresfestival.com)

Here are the rules:

- Call for entries:

The Green Up Film Festival, in partnership with the Atmospheres Festival Solidays and Ushuaïa TV present :

**From 37.2°C to 451°F... Let your imagination run wild and send in your climate change-related short film(s) (less than 5mn)**

- Deadline:
  - June session: until June 13<sup>th</sup>, included
  - September session: until September 1<sup>st</sup>, included

Registration and information: [climat@atmospheresfestival.com](mailto:climat@atmospheresfestival.com)

- Conditions:
  - Respect the climate change theme
  - Less than 5mn film
  - Film to be in its original language subtitled in French or English if original language different than French or English.  
(If in French, please have subtitles in English and if in English, please have subtitles in French)
  - No genre restrictions (fiction, documentary, animation, experimental film, etc...)
  - Any filming medium accepted
  - Broadcasting/distribution formats accepted: DVD, Blue-Ray, DCP, video files.

## DETAILED RULES:

### 1) Presentation

This year, the COP 21 international conference on climate will be held in Paris so, the Atmospheres Festival, in partnership with the Green Up Film Festival (Brussels), Solidays and Ushuaïa TV, is launching a short-film competition on the theme of climate change.

### 2) Selection

The pre-selected films will be broadcast online on the Green Up Film Festival website: [www.greenupfilmfestival.com](http://www.greenupfilmfestival.com) and Internet users will be able to vote for them during the following 10 days in June and then in September.

After 10 days of broadcasting online, the 5 films having gathered the most votes will be shown at Solidays between June 26<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup>, 2015.

### 3) Registration conditions

To participate in the competition, the films must comply with the following criteria:

- Respect the climate change theme
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- If possible : Film to be in its original language subtitled in French or English if original language different than French or English.

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- No genre restrictions (fiction, documentary, animation, experimental film, etc...)
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#### 4) Registration

You can register at [climat@atmospheresfestival.com](mailto:climat@atmospheresfestival.com)

Viewing will be done on DVD or on an online viewing platform.

In case of online viewing, you must provide the corresponding password via the platform.

For any film sent via the post (mail), please send to:

BEEOTOP Atmosphères 21 / Climat, 14 boulevard de Douaumont,  
75017 Paris

Shipping costs are at the sender's expense.

#### 5) Viewing medium

The festival will keep all films sent for consideration in its archives, whatever the medium.

They will not be returned to the sender under any circumstance, whether the film was selected or not.

#### 6) Selection committee

The films entered in the festival are chosen under the organizers' responsibility.

The copyrights holders of these films will be notified via e-mail.

The films which don't make the final cut will be posted as such on the registration page of the website.

#### 7) Selected films

In case the film makes the final selection, the producer and/or director must make sure the festival organizers receive a copy of the film.

Shipping costs are at the sender's expense.

### 8) Prizes

The films pre-selected by the committee will be broadcast online on the Green Up Film Festival and then submitted to the Internet users' vote.

These votes will allow for the films to be first seen at Solidays, then at the Atmospheres Festival.

#### Prizes:

- Tickets to Solidays 2016
- Broadcast on Ushuaïa TV
- Broadcast on big screen during Atmospheres Festival
- Distribution to Conseil Général of Ile de France Region network.

The jury may award some honorary mentions (without prizes).

### 9) Insurance

The festival will carry insurance in its proper name for all copies of the selected films; coverage will include loss, theft or damage during shipping, storing or broadcasting.

### 10) Promotional broadcasting

Participation in the festival implies authorization for the film(s) to be broadcast on all and any regional or national channel or any other medium for promotional purposes (excerpts to be limited to 10% of the total length of the film, in no way to exceed 3mn).

### 11) Rights

The producer or director (or any other party) cannot remove a film once it has been selected.

The producer and/or director must be the copyrights holder or have a proxy to that effect for any and all part of the film, such as, but not limited to: film, music, text, commentary, script and any other work included in the film. In the event a copyright issue should arise, the festival and its organizers decline all responsibility.

In case of a situation not already described above or in these rules, the organizers reserve the right to resolve any issue by postponing, interrupting or cancelling the event, depending on the demands relating to its operation.

Participation in the event implies complete agreement, without reservations, to these rules.