

## INTERNATIONAL MARTIAL ARTS PHOTO CONTEST

### I . Overview

- Title: **International Martial Arts Photo Contest**
- Theme: **Martial Arts**
- Eligibility for applying: Everyone interested in martial arts and photography regardless of her or his country of residence
  - Dates: From Friday, **1 June 2018** 09:00 to Friday, **31 August 2018** 18:00 (GMT + 9 Korean Time)

- How to submit photos : **Online submission** through photo contest website([www.unescoicm.org/photocontest](http://www.unescoicm.org/photocontest))

Read the photo contest overview and photo contest rules ⇒ If you agree with them, fill out the Entry Form including basic personal information ⇒ Submit your photos along with a brief description

- Photos submitted through emails won't be accepted / The centre will ask for signed agreements on Personal Information Protection Policy, Contest rules and Intellectual property rights when necessary

- Participation fee: Free of charge

- Awards

Category	Number of winners	Note
<b>Grand Prize</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5,000,000 KRW</b> award money and award certificate
<b>Gold Prize</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3,000,000 KRW</b> award money and award certificate
<b>Silver Prize</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1,000,000 KRW</b> award money and award certificate
<b>Bronze Prize</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>400,000 KRW</b> award money and award certificate
<b>Fine Work Prize</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>200,000 KRW</b> award money and award certificate

- The actual amount you receive will be less than the amount stated above due to taxation and currency exchange rates / Number of winners may vary depending on the quality of the registered photos, etc.

- Additional Benefits for the winners

- Plus, the award winners will be individually informed of on displaying of their works **at various exhibitions to be held in and out of Republic of Korea** (Display of the works will be decided by the Exhibition Curator)

- The awarded works will be published as a photo book and sent to the awardees
- ❑ Submission format and number of photographs: Minimum 3 pieces of work to maximum 5 pieces of work per applicant / JPEG or JPG format
- ❑ Sized of the file: 3MB of size (at least 10MB of size for original copy)
  - Edited photos: eligible / Photo collage: Ineligible
  - There is no limitation on the kind of camera. The film images should be scanned and uploaded as a file. However, note that the submission of a CMYK file of at least 10MB of size is OBLIGATORY when selected as a winner

## II. Contest Rules

- This photo contest seeks to fulfill the function and objective of the International Centre of Martial Arts for Youth Development and Engagement under the auspices of UNESCO (hereinafter referred to as the centre) by “collecting, preserving and disseminating records and materials on martial arts from all countries”
- By participating in this International Martial Arts Photo Contest, participants agree to be bound by Personal Information Protection and Copyright Protection Policy, and the Contest Rules. When required, the entrants shall provide the centre with the signed Grant of Rights Form, written agreement on the contest rules and written permission from the legal guardians
- Minors wishing to participate under the age of 18 must have prior permission from their legal guardians(s). The centre won't accept the participation of minors under the age of 7 from EU
- Series work must be submitted as a piece
- After clicking the “Submit” button, editing or deleting submitted information and works is not possible
- Each participant remains as the copyright-holder of all submitted photographs. As the owner, the winners of the contest grant to the centre, for the whole term of copyright, the permission of exclusive right to use, edit, translate, reproduce, copy, exhibit, publish or distribute the work for the purposes of the contest such as exhibitions, photobook or any other promotional purposes of the centre.
- Works will not be returned and the centre will pay due attention so that the works registered are not distributed
- Depending on the review results and quality of the works submitted, the number of the award winners may change.
- **Causes of annulment of the award winning works, or exclusion from review are as follows** (Even in case such works have been awarded a prize and the fact of such violation nor offense is discovered at a later date, the award will be annulled and the prize shall be retrieved)
  - In case the participant refuses or fails to submit the original copy of the work at least 10MB of size when required

- In case the participants are unreachable through the contact information they have provided (Email, telephone number, etc.) when applying to the contest
  - ※ The centre may contact the participants to ask for original copies of the work or higher definition version of the works during the judging process
  - Works that are reported to have legal issues or have infringed any third party rights including but not limited to portrait rights, copyrights and copied or pirated works.
  - Works that do not satisfy the required format and regulation of the contest
  - Works that have already been awarded in other competitions
  - Works that have been produced or distributed as printed materials, through websites or SNS for commercial use
  - Works which the participants do not own the copyrights to
  - Entrants who have submitted the works on behalf of another person
- The actual amount the winners receive will be less than the amount stated due to taxation. In case of foreign transaction, the difference between the amount stated and the actual amount received is due to currency exchange rate and taxation. Number of award winners may change depending on the quality of the registered works, etc

- Inquiries to: Strategic Planning Team / Photo Contest Operational Team  
icmphoto@unescoicm.org

### III. Schedule for review and announcement of results

- Judging Process: In-depth review by panel of experts
- Judging Criteria: Relevance to the theme, Creativity, Aesthetics, Photography techniques
- Announcement of results: September 2018
- ※ Detailed schedule may vary during the process and the changes made will be announced through the contest homepage.