

Script Competition Application

(TYPE or PRINT ONLY)

(Collaborators must fill out separate forms)

Mr / Ms First Name MI Last Name

Permanent Mailing Address Line 1

Address Line 2

City *Check box for primary phone number below:* State / Prov Zip / Postal Code

Country Home Phone Cell / Work Phone

E-mail Address

Title of submitted screenplay: _____

Genre: _____ Length (pages): _____

Brief synopsis of submitted screenplay (no longer than this space): _____

My signature below attests:

- A. To the accuracy of the information supplied above.
- B. That the material submitted is my (our) sole and original work.
- C. That the burden of obtaining copyright or otherwise protecting any proprietary interests in the material, if I (we) wish to do so, rests entirely with me (us).
- D. That the submitted script has not been produced, optioned, or currently have negotiations pending.
- E. That providing false or misleading information on this application, or failing in any other way to comply with the rules of the competition, may subject me (us) to disqualification, forfeiture of prize money and/or other penalties.

Signature of Applicant (Remember: collaborators must fill out separate application forms.) Date

Fee Schedule

Early Bird Deadline: Postmarked by July 15th \$35.00

Regular Deadline: Postmarked by August 15th \$45.00

Late Deadline: Postmarked by September 15th \$55.00

A complete entry includes a single copy of a script, a completed application form, and the corresponding application fee. Checks and money orders should be made payable to Means Entertainment. Entries must be postmarked by September 15, 2009.

All entries should be sent to:

Means Entertainment • Script Competition • 1317 N. San Fernando Blvd. #340; Burbank, CA 91504

Retain your original script and a copy of your completed application for your records. Your name, address and phone number should not appear on the cover or on any page of your screenplay.

The Rules

All scripts must be written by women

Scripts can be either features or shorts, of any length. One prize will be awarded to each format.

All scripts must be written in English. Format should meet industry standards: 12-point Courier font, numbered pages, 3-hole punch paper, etc.

All scripts must include one title page with contact information and a 50-100 word synopsis. Contact information should not appear anywhere else on the script.

Writers can enter more than one script; however each script must be accompanied by a separate entry form and entry fee.

Scripts will not be returned; it is the writer's responsibility to retain an original copy.

The Prizes

A winner will be selected in both feature and short script formats and will be posted on the festival website. A cash prize of \$500 will be awarded to the feature winner and a cash prize of \$250 will be awarded to the short script winner. Winners will also receive a pass to the 2010 film festival.

Frequently Asked Questions

Can I submit more than one script?

Yes, however each script must be accompanied by a separate entry form and submission fee.

May I submit a double-sided copy of my script?

Yes. We encourage you to conserve trees and save postage.

When are entrants notified about the status of their scripts?

The winners will be notified and posted on the website the first week of November.

What if the script is written with partners?

Each writer must fill out and sign a separate entry form, but only one submission fee must be paid. If the script wins only one cash prize will be awarded.