



LA PECCA

13th Edition Competition Rules

LGBTQI+ Short Film Competition
organised by the NGO DeFrente (Seville, Spain)

THEME

The central or secondary theme of the short films must be gender and/or sexual diversity: homosexuality, bisexuality, trans*, queer, intersectionality, etc.

REQUIREMENTS

The competition is open to individuals over 16 of any nationality or country of residence. Amateur and professionals may take part.

The maximum length is 20 minutes including credits.

The short films may have already been screened, selected and/or won award(s) in other film festivals, but not previous editions of "LA PECCA".

The film should have been produced after 1st January 2019.

Submissions should be in Spanish, or include Spanish subtitles.

There is no limit to the number of films each person/group can submit.

If possible, the video format should be Ultra HD 3840x2160.

SUBMISSION

The closing date for submission is the 30th September 2021.

Competition entry is free.

The short films should be submitted using one of the following methods:

- Festhome: <https://filmmakers.festhome.com/festival/la-pecca-pequeno-certamen-de-cine-de-ambiente-concurso-de-cortometrajes-de-tematica-lgtb>
- Clickforfestivals: <https://www.clickforfestivals.com/la-pecca-concurso-de-cortometrajes-de-tematica-lgtb>
- Sending an email to cultura@defrente.org, including the details of how/where to watch the film, the technical documentation, personal and contact details of the representative submitting.

SELECTION PROCESS

The Selection Committee will view all films submitted and choose a shortlist that will be shared with the Judging Panel.

The authors and/or producers whose films are selected as finalists will be notified, and are required to provide the organisers with a high-quality copy at least 10 days before LA PECCA Festival Gala. If this is not provided on time they will be disqualified.

PRIZES

The Judging Panel, composed of audio-visual professionals and/or LGBTI activists, will choose the 10 finalists (from the shortlist) that will be screened at the festival. These short films are eligible for the following prizes:

- **“Pecca de Oro” (Golden Pecca) including €1000 prize money and a statuette**, chosen by the Judging Panel.
- **“Pecca de Plata” (Silver Pecca) including €500 prize money and a statuette**, chosen by members of the public during the gala.

The prizes cannot remain unawarded or be combined. The prize money is subject to the tax deductions in accordance with Spanish Law.

THE GALA

The participants will be informed by the organisers when the gala date has been chosen.

The 10 finalists chosen by the Judging Panel will be screened at LA PECCA Festival Gala event, prizes are awarded at the end.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

It is the responsibility of the participants to ensure that the films submitted do not have any legal claims or compromised screening rights.

By participating in this competition, you accept the rules shown above. Any situation that is not explicitly shown here will be resolved by the organisers.

The decisions made by the Selection Committee, the Judging Panel and the general public cannot be appealed, unless there is a legal reason for appeal.

The organisers reserve the right to modify any of the rules shown in this document, and will advise those involved before the changes are made.

The organisers are committed to the protection of personal data included in data file(s) associated with the event, in accordance with Spanish Data Protection Laws (Ley Orgánica 3/2018, de 5 de diciembre, de protección de datos personales y garantía de los derechos digitales (LOPD)).

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