

# Notice on Works for 2021 Silk Road Youth International Photography Exhibition

**Submission Deadline : 5<sup>th</sup> September 2021**

## I. Who may enter

The submission is open to all photographers and video makers over the age of 8 till 25, which will be divided into A/B/C groups separately from adolescents aged 8- 12, 13- 18 and 19- 25.

## II. Details

"Silk Road Youth International Photography Exhibition" is organized by **PHOTO BEIJING, SRPOIA** (*Silk Road Photographic Organization International Alliance*) and **CAPS** (*China Artistic Photography Society*). It is open to all types of photography and short video works.

**OPEN TO ALL GENRES- FINE ART - VISUAL STORYTELLING..FAMILY LIFE**

**• SCHOOL TIME • FESTIVAL FUN • LANDSCAPE • CRAFTS MAKING**

### (1) Photography:

Each participant shall submit works no more than 10 pieces (portfolios);

Each portfolio is limited to 4- 8 pieces;

Each work (or portfolio) must be labeled with title, author; nationality, age, contact information and brief introduction or description;

Each work must be in JPEG format and the file size is not less than 4MB;

### (2) Short video:

Each applicant shall submit videos no more than 3 clips.

Each short video shall not exceed 5 minutes (including the opening and closing subtitles);

Only the works in rmvb/avi/mp4 format will be accepted.

The submitted works must be labeled with title; author, nationality, age and contact information;

The size of works shall not be less than the standard definition level (720\*576).

### (3) Notice:

- Each participant could submit photography or short video at the same time.
- Only electronic submissions to the designated website or email is accepted.
- The submitted works should be done during January 2019 and September 2021, which have not presented in any other photography events;

- The submitter should own the full copyright of the submitted works; in case the works are synthesized, deleted; modified or subject to other technology processing, special notes shall be attached; the original data files of winning entries shall be provided.

### III. Award Setting

- **Participation Certificate of the Exhibition**

The Exhibition will be finally made of 270 photographic works (pieces/portfolios) (90 pieces/portfolios for each group of A\B\C) and 90 short video works (30 clips for each group of A\B\C); Each selected work will be granted with a **participation certificate** issued by the Organizing Committee of *PHO TO BEIJING* and a commemorative album for *Silk Road Youth International Photography Exhibition*. The organizer reserves the right to adjust the number of final entries.

- **Certificate of Excellent Tutor** (20 for domestic and 10 for international) to those who guide students to create excellent results
- **Certificate for Best Organization** (10 for domestic and 5 for international) to photographic education units or institutions that organize collective participation and excellent results.

### IV. Rights and Obligations of Participants

#### Rights of Participants

- The entries will have the opportunity to participate in the special exhibition of PHOTO BEIJING and itinerant exhibition activities in China nationwide;
- The entries will have the opportunity to participate in the itinerant exhibition activities in member countries of SRPOIA;
- The introduction of the entries will be published on the official websites of Silk Road Photographic Organization International Alliance and PHOTO BEIJING.
- The entries will have the opportunity to be collected into **Excellent Album of Silk Road Youth International Photography Exhibition**. The submitter will probably participate in the film shooting for the publicity of the event.
- The entries could be recommended for commercial use, for which the relevant agreement would be signed separately.
- The entries will have the opportunity to be invited to attend the opening activities of PHOTO BEIJING, as well as media meetings, lectures, and workshops, etc.

#### Obligations of Participants

- Participants should ensure that the submitted works do not infringe any rights of third parties including but not limited to copyright; portrait rights, reputation rights, and privacy rights, etc.

- The participants irrevocably agree and grant free, permanent; non-exclusive rights and licenses to PHOTO BEIJING, the Working Committee of Silk Road Youth International Photography Exhibition and co-sponsors worldwide, allowing them to use submitted works in media promotion, news release, tour exhibitions at home and abroad and other public benefit activities related to “Silk Road Youth International Photography Exhibition<sup>11</sup>”.
- All participants will be deemed to have accepted the terms and conditions of this event, including but not limited to invitation to and arrangement of participating in the works presentations, project achievements sharing and product use experience sharing related to this event during the cooperation.

**Please submit your entries to Photographic Society of Sri Lanka (PSSL) on email [photosocsl@gmail.com](mailto:photosocsl@gmail.com) by 05/09/2021 by 12 noon.**

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