

PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST RULES - MY POLAND – MY GREECE

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1. ORGANIZERS

- Polish Culture Association of Juliusz Słowacki
- The Union of Poles in Greece of Książę Mieszko
- The Polish Entrepreneurs Club “Agora”

2. MEDIA PATRONAGE

- Tygodnik Ateński
- Athenian Observer
- Polonia
- Polonorama

3. SPONSORS

- M55 Gallery in Athens

4. THE AIM AND THE CHARACTER OF THE CONTEST

4.1. The aim of the contest is to promote Poland in Greece and the Polish-Greek relations in the field of culture. The works submitted for the competition should show events, history and people portrayed in the aspect of these relations.

4.2. The competition is open for everyone – it is available for everyone who is interested in the history, Polish and Greek culture, and their mutual relations.

4.3. The competition is held in one category of age and subject. Each entrant must send TWO (2) works of a subject mentioned in p. 4.1., where the subjects of “Poland” and “Greece” may be divided into two individual works or they may put together in one or both works. Evaluated will be only a set of two works of the same author.

5. AWARDS

5.1. The following prizes will be awarded:

First prize: gift voucher worth 400 € + certificate.

Second Prize: gift voucher worth 200 € + certificate.

Third Prize: gift voucher worth 200 € + certificate

and three honourable mentions of equal rank confirmed with a certificate.

5.2. Another award for the winners will be an exhibition of their works in the M55 Gallery.

5.3. Authors of works which were not awarded but met the requirements of the competition will receive a certificate of participation and the most interesting works will be included in the publication after the competition.

5.4. The organizers – at the request of the Jury – have the right to establish an additional prize for one of the youngest participants (up to 16 years old), if his works meet the requirements of the Contest.

5.5. The decisions of the Jury are final and unquestionable.

5.6. The prize-giving will take place during the opening ceremony of the exhibition after the competition. The prizes may be picked up in person or by an authorized representative established in accordance with Greek law. Under-age winners receive the award in the company of one parent or legal guardian.

5.7. The prizes unclaimed during the opening ceremony will be kept in the deposit of the Chairman of the Jury for the time of six months and after this period will be forfeited and donated to charity.

6. JURY

Anna Maria Leonhard – the Chairman

Justyna Słowik

Krzysztof Łuczak

Teodor Adamidis

Adrian Nowierski

7. TERMS AND CONDITIONS

7.1. The submitted works cannot be awarded in other competitions.

7.2. The submitted works must be original (not montages), on paper in A4 size. The competition package must also include a digital copy in JPG format (uncompressed).

7.3. The works should be sent in sealed envelopes. On the reverse of each work there must be its topic (description in Polish and Greek), date and place where it was taken, and the author's personal data (name, age, address, e-mail and telephone number).

7.4. The works which do not comply with the conditions of the contest specified in these regulations or which were sent after the deadline will not be considered.

8. THE RIGHTS OF ORGANIZERS

8.1. The submitted works will not be returned to their authors; they will remain in the deposit of the Polish Culture Association of Juliusz Słowacki in Athens.

8.2. The organizers are entitled to economic rights to the awarded works on their presentation on exhibition after the contest and on their publication – at any time and form, in connection with the realization of p. 4.1 of these regulations.

9. DEADLINES

9.1. Submission of work: from 15.09 to 31.10.2013 (date of postmark).

9.2. The conclusion of the Competition and publication of the results: 15.11.2013.

The authors of the winning and honoured works will also be notified by e-mail.

9.3. The organization of the exposition of awarded and honoured works and the ceremonial prize-giving in the M55 Gallery: until 30.12.2013.

10. SUBMISSION OF ENTRIES

10.1. The works can be sent within the period specified in p. 9.1 on the following address:

P.S.E.P.P. – Maria Zacharopoulou

Zoodochou Pigis 12-14

106 81 Athens

(Tel: +30 210 384 3660)

On the envelope, please write PHOTO

10.2. Under-age entrants must attach a proper declaration from parents or legal guardians in which they express their agreement for participation.

10.3. The submission of works to the Contest is equivalent to declaration that the author's copyright of the submitted entries belongs to the entrant, and it is also equivalent to acceptance of these rules.

10.4. Submission of entries to the Contest is equivalent to agreement for the processing of personal data, including publication and distribution.

11. EXHIBITION

11.1. All expenses connected with the organization of this competition and exhibition after the contest are covered by the organizers up to the established budget.

11.2. The organizers of the Contest may organize additional exhibitions of the awarded, honoured and the other works, in different place and time. The dates and locations of these exhibitions will be available to the public.

12. CONTACT

For further information, please contact the promoter of the Competition:

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