



Edmonton International  
**FILM FESTIVAL**

The 24<sup>th</sup> Edmonton International Film Festival  
September 24 to October 2, 2010

**CALL FOR ENTRY: Submission Fees & Guidelines**

**Alumni Filmmakers** are Producers or Directors who have submitted a film to EIFF in 2005 or later. The Primary Contact Name and e-mail address must match your previous submission. Postmark submission deadline for Alumni Filmmakers is **June 21<sup>st</sup>** for ALL categories.

**Alberta Filmmakers** must provide an Alberta address in the contact information section of the online submission form. Your postmark submission deadline is **June 21<sup>st</sup>** for ALL categories. Submission fees are **WAIVED** for Alberta Filmmakers.

**Student Filmmakers** are required to include a photocopy of current student i.d. with their DVD submission screener. Student Filmmakers receive a reduced submission fee **ONLY** for Short Film categories.

**Deadline Dates** are **POST-MARKED** only dates. Films and videos must have been completed **AFTER** April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009 – 18 months prior to the festival – and not previously submitted to EIFF.

**NARRATIVE FEATURE (+75-mins.):** Narrative feature films are dramatic stories over 75-minutes, from Canada and around the world. These films are programmed into these streams: Contemporary Independents, Edge of Night, Oh Canada! and World Cinema.

**DOCUMENTARY FEATURE (+60-mins.):** We're looking for documentaries that engage, enlighten, and entertain. Perfect examples of the types of documentaries we look for are 'Spellbound', 'Strictly Ballroom' and 'Anvil! The Story of Anvil'. Documentary films are chosen by festival programmers and must be feature-length (60-minutes or more).

**SUBMISSION FEES & DEADLINES FOR FEATURE-LENGTH FILMS (below):**

<b>Deadline Dates</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Standard Fee</b>	<b>WAB Discounted Fee</b>	<b>Alberta Residents</b>	<b>Alumni</b>
April 30	Earlybird Deadline	\$50	\$40	Waived	Waived
June 7	Regular Deadline	\$60	\$50	Waived	Waived
June 14	Late Deadline	\$75	\$60	Waived	Waived
June 21	Alberta & Alumni Deadline	Waived	Waived	Waived	Waived
June 21	WAB Extended Deadline	\$75	\$60	Waived	Waived

**NARRATIVE SHORT (30-mins. or less):** We are looking for stories that inspire, engage and entertain. Selected films are a showcase of 'excellence in filmmaking' -- we're all about the CRAFT that goes into telling a cinematic story.

**DOCUMENTARY SHORT (30-mins. or less):** Short documentaries are 30-minutes or less. We are looking for all kinds of fascinating, documentary stories that teach us, motivate us, or take us to a place (in mind, or in body) that we might never have gone.

**FAMILY/CHILDREN SHORT (30-mins. or less):** Shorts under 20-minutes that are suitable for children ages 6 to 14. Sub-titled films are accepted, and the more we can show our youth films from around the world, the better people they will become!

**ANIMATED SHORT (30-mins. or less):** We continue to be blown away by the films you animators are making! So imaginative, and sometimes brilliant.

**COMMERCIAL (2-mins. or less):** Edmonton audiences LOVE commercials and we're looking for the best of the best! We'll consider spots from anywhere in the world, with an emphasis on those that'll make us laugh, cry, or just FEEL something! Filmmakers in ALL categories must have copyright clearance to the music for festival screenings.

**SUBMISSION FEES & DEADLINES FOR SHORT FILMS (below):**

Deadline Dates	Description	Standard Fee	WAB		Alberta Residents	Alumni
			Discounted Fee	Student		
April 30	Earlybird Deadline	\$30	\$25	\$20/\$15	Waived	Waived
June 7	Regular Deadline	\$35	\$30	\$20/\$15	Waived	Waived
June 14	Late Deadline	\$40	\$35	\$20/\$15	Waived	Waived
June 21	Alberta / Alumni Deadline	Waived	Waived	Waived	Waived	Waived
June 21	WAB Extended Deadline	\$50	\$35	\$40/\$25	Waived	Waived