

FILM SUBMISSION/fees & deadlines

Alumni Filmmakers are Producers or Directors who have submitted a film to EIFF in 2005 or later. Your postmark submission deadline is June 30th for ALL categories.

Alberta Residents must provide an Alberta address in the contact information section of the online submission form. Your postmark submission deadline is June 30th for ALL categories.

Student Filmmakers are required to include a photocopy of current student i.d. with their DVD submission screener.

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: Family Films, Contemporary Independents, Edge of Night, Oh Canada! and World Cinema.

DOCUMENTARY FEATURE (+70-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 (70-minutes or more).

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

Deadline Dates	Description	Standard Fee	WAB Discounted Fee	Student	Alberta Residents	Alumni
March 31	Earlybird Deadline	\$45	\$40	\$45/\$40	Waived	Waived
June 15	Regular Deadline	\$55	\$50	\$55/\$50	Waived	Waived
June 22	Late Deadline	\$65	\$60	\$55/\$50	Waived	Waived
June 30	Alberta / Alumni Deadline	N/A	N/A	N/A	Waived	Waived
June 30	WAB Extended Deadline	\$75	\$60	\$75/\$60	Waived	Waived

NARRATIVE SHORT (20-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 (20-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 (20-mins. or less): We continue to be blown away by the films you animators are making! So imaginative, and sometimes brilliant.

MUSIC VIDEO (6-mins. or less): Music Videos are 6-mins. or less (including credits), and filmmakers must have copyright clearance to the music for festival screenings.

SUBMISSION FEES & DEADLINES FOR SHORT FILMS (below):

Deadline Dates	Description	Standard Fee	WAB Discounted Fee	Student	Alberta Residents	Alumni
March 31	Earlybird Deadline	\$30	\$25	\$20/\$15	Waived	Waived
June 15	Regular Deadline	\$35	\$30	\$20/\$15	Waived	Waived
June 22	Late Deadline	\$40	\$35	\$20/\$15	Waived	Waived
June 30	Alberta / Alumni Deadline	N/A	N/A	N/A	Waived	Waived
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