



Call for Projects 2017

Industry Meetings – Workshops – Pitching

In 2016 SEEFest launched *Project Accelerator*, for film projects currently in advanced stages of development. Accelerator is structured as an industry platform connecting South East European talent and Hollywood industry professionals. Submissions are accepted through FilmFreeway:

<https://filmfreeway.com/festival/SouthEastEuropeanFilmFestival>

The track record of the submitter will be taken into account and the likelihood that a project can get made will play a substantial role in the selection process. Priority is given to projects with existing partial funding and international distribution potential. However, as is the tradition of SEEFest, compelling, innovative projects by up and coming filmmakers will also be considered.

The jury of Hollywood industry professionals will choose the winners and present *Impact Awards*.

The festival is charging a symbolic flat processing fee of \$20 to offset some of the costs associated with the selection process. Project submission deadline is **March 26, 2017** at midnight Pacific Standard Time.

Application Details

I – INFORMATION ABOUT SUBMITTER / PRODUCING ENTITY

Name, Company name if any, Contact information

Brief description of the company/project history

Bios of the project principals

II - PROJECT INFORMATION

One Sheet (Poster), if available

Project title

Logline

One to ten page max synopsis

Full Screenplay/ Pilot script should NOT be submitted. However it must be available if requested by the jury.

Bios of the screenwriter, producer, director, lead actors (if any are already attached)

Teaser (optional, not required)

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Budget Top Sheet, clearly identifying existing and anticipated sources of funding

III – MARKETING INFORMATION

One to two page description of the prior or current marketing activities

Up to 2 pages of summary about the strategy to package the movie or TV series

IV – MAKING THE CASE

Up to one page statement about your project’s potential in attracting American, and/or international partners.

Project Accelerator Details

All selected participants will have access to industry meetings, business conference, and networking activities during the festival. Festival passes will be provided for all screenings and parties. Travel and accommodation expenses are the sole responsibility of the project submitter.

V – ACCELERATOR ACTIVITIES

Mentoring sessions

Individual meetings

Group sessions with panels of Hollywood professionals

Workshops

Pitching

Project presentation will include:

- Teaser (if available), up to 3 min
- Presenter's pitch/project presentation, up to 20 min
- Panelists elaborating on questions (submitted beforehand by the presenter)
- Q&A with industry audience

Awards

Impact Award, including service packages and industry prizes, will be given to the winning projects in all categories (feature, documentary, animation) at the conclusion of the festival.

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