



## Eligibility and Submission Requirements

- The applicant must be at least 18 years of age.
- The applicant must be an “independent” film/media maker. This means the applicant has artistic, budgetary and editorial control of their project. Also, he or she must be able to legally grant WMHT the right to broadcast the short film.
- Applicants must have all rights cleared for their submitted short film. Rights include all persons and entities connected with the production, music and literary material on which it is based.
- The maximum length allowable for film submissions is 22 minutes.
- Applicants must reside in the viewing area of WMHT-TV. This includes Albany, Columbia, Dutchess, Fulton, Greene, Montgomery, Rensselaer, Saratoga, Schenectady, Schoharie, Ulster, Warren and Washington counties.
- Applicants grant WMHT Telecommunications limited rights to broadcast their film (in part or entirety) on TV, the Web or any other media. WMHT will also have the right to reproduce and distribute all images, titles, and related materials for the purpose of advertising and promotion.
- Films can be any genre or visual style. We will also consider works-in-progress that meet the above criteria.
- All submissions will include a completed entry form, synopsis of the film, one-sheet filmmaker bio and a copy of the film on DVD. Submissions are non-returnable. The deadline for all submissions is March 31, 2008.

**Note:** Selected filmmakers will be asked to submit at their expense a copy of their film on miniDV, Beta SP., Digital Beta or DVcam formats in order to be broadcast.



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