

12. Internationaler 3D Stereo Photo Wettbewerb Wien 2023

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The International 3D Stereo Contest Vienna is organized by the Section Stereo of the "Photographische Gesellschaft gegründet in Wien 1861" (phg) annually and worldwide. The contest is devoted to contemporary images. Every stereo photographer - amateur or professional - is encouraged to submit stereo 3D-images.

Due to the ageing members who no longer have the energy, this will be the last open competition organized by the phg. We hope that another stereo association will continue the competition. It is important that contemporary work in the field of stereoscopy is documented.

3DS or Stereo-3D or stereoscopic image is a technique for creating or enhancing the illusion of depth. The stereoscopic method presents two offset images separately to the left and right eye in a stereo viewer. These two-dimensional images are then combined in the brain to give the perception of 3D depth.

Rules:

1. The contest is organized in a free category. All themes are accepted.
2. Only digital images are accepted; the name of the participant and/or copyright signs must not appear in the image.
3. Each participant is invited to send up to 4 stereo-images, but be aware that only 2 images may be of the same kind (2 landscape images and/or 2 portraits and/or 2 close ups, etc) .
4. We need your address information to send you the prizes and 3D-TV file:
NAME:
FULL MAILING ADDRESS(INCLUDING ZIP CODE)
COUNTRY:
EMAIL address:
5. Please send the images and your address information electronically per mail or filetransfer services to office@die3dimensionale.at or on a CD/DVD per postage to the phg. Clubs may send one CD/DVD for their members (no dividers please).
6. The stereo images should be in side-by-side format (right image right) as jpg file at least 2x1080x1080 pixel s; maximum 2x1920x1200 pixel s.

The jpg file should not exceed 5 MB.
The images will be shown to the jurors on a big screen with 2 beamers each with a resolution of 1920x1200.
7. The jpg file name should be:
imagenumber-christian_name-title.jpg

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For example: 01-Max_Muster-Mybestimage.jpg, 02-Max_Muster_Mysecondimage.jpg

8. As this is a contest for contemporary images, the stereo-images should be taken within the last 3 years.
9. Each participant confirms that all image elements are taken by himself. The production with not self-made graphics and/or image elements are not allowed.
10. Each participant confirms to have the only image rights.
11. Should one of the rules be broken then the relevant work will be disqualified – also at a later time, should it apply. Additional costs will have to be paid by the offender.

Schedule dates:

1. Start date: Jan 1st, 2023
2. Closing date: April 1st, 2023
3. Jury until: May, 10th 2023
4. Results published until: May 30th, 2023

Fees:

The fee is to be included in the postal mail with the CD/DVD or via bank account transferred or via paypal: office@3dimensionale.at. Bank expenses are to be paid by the participant.

The fee for participation is € 18.- paid via paypal and € 15.- via bank transfer. Images without paid fees will not be judged.

Bank account:

Name of owner: Photographische Gesellschaft Wien, Leyserstrasse 6, 1140 Wien, Austria

Name of Bank: ERSTE Bank, IBAN: AT662011120044886501, BIC: GIBAATWWXXX

Jury:

The international judges are experts of photography and stereoscopy:

Horst Stasny –Photographer, Stereophotographer, international exhibitor

Herbert Rainer - Hon. Es-ÖGPh, IWF, Naturfreunde

DI Peter Wimmer - Producer of Stereoscopic Player, phg

DI Gerhard Peter Herbig, Stereo consultant of DGS, D

Stephen O'Neil Stereo expert and President of SGS, CH

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The results will be published on the homepage. A file with all accepted works will be sent electronically to each participant. The file will be a .wmv file which can be played on 3D TVs in side-by-side technique.

The decision of the jury is indisputable. Legal procedures are excluded.

Awards:

The best three images are awarded a glasmedal of the phg for the first, second and third winner. The artists of the best 15 images get a certificate. Each participant can only receive one medal and/or one certificate.

The person with the most points (the sum of all his accepted images) will be awarded an IWF gold medal. Should participants have the same sum of points then the best image will be considered.

The jury may reward a special prices such as for the „image with the best sense of humor“.

Publication of the competition:

The rules of the 3D Photo Competition will be published in the publications within the 3D Community.

Publication of results, exhibitions and projections:

Each participant gives to the phg the right to publish his name and images for reports of the results of the contest in online and printing mediums, in a catalogue, in exhibitions and the homepage of the phg at no charge. A show of all accepted images will be made and shown at international stereo congresses.

The participants agree with the publication of the accepted works at the exhibition of the Austrian Competition.

Projections of the results are also foreseen at the stereoscopic congresses: ISU, DGS and phg.

Further results will be displayed on the Website: www.3dimensionale.at and in national Photo- and international stereo-journals.

Please feel free to send any questions to office@die3dimensionale.at.