Euro Indie Film Fest Official Rules

1. Eligibility

- All films must have a clear connection to music, whether through themes, soundtrack, or focus on the musical culture

or artists.

- Films containing excessive vulgarity or offensive content will not be accepted.
- All film genres are welcome as long as they adhere to the music-related theme.
 - 2. Submission Guidelines
- Films must be submitted by the deadline specified on the festival's official website.
- Each submission must include the completed registration form and all required media files.
- By submitting a film, the filmmaker agrees to the public screening of their work if selected for the festival.
 - 3. Judging Process
 - Films will be evaluated based on five main categories:
 - 1. Cinematography
 - 2. Soundtrack
 - 3. Editing
 - 4. Screenwriting
 - 5. Artistic Interpretation
 - Each category will be scored from 1 to 10 by a panel of judges.
 - The top 10 films with the highest total scores will advance to the final round.
 - 4. Bonus Categories
 - In addition to the main categories, bonus points (from 1 to 3) will be awarded for exceptional performance in the $\,$

following five areas:

- 1. Innovation Films that demonstrate a unique or groundbreaking approach to filmmaking or storytelling.
- 2. Cultural Impact Films that highlight or explore significant cultural themes, especially related to music.
 - 3. Use of Visual Effects Exceptional use of digital or practical effects to enhance the narrative.
- 4. Sound Design Outstanding use of sound effects, ambient audio, or dialogue that enhances the film's atmosphere.
- 5. Human Connection Films that effectively evoke empathy, highlight the human experience, and build a deep

emotional connection with the audience.

5. Category Awards

- In addition to the top 10 finalists, the best film in each of the five main categories (Cinematography, Soundtrack,

Editing, Screenwriting, and Artistic Interpretation) will qualify for the final and receive a special award.

7. Awards

- The winner of the Euro Indie Film Fest will receive a special award and international recognition with the broadcast of

their film on Euro Indie Music Chart TV.

- Additional category-specific awards will also be presented.

8. General Conditions

- The festival reserves the right to disqualify any film that does not meet the submission criteria or is deemed inappropriate.

- The festival's decisions are final and binding.