

# **Photo contest rules**

## **French Institute of Jerusalem - Chateaubriand**

### **1 - Organization of the contest**

The French Institute of Jerusalem - Chateaubriand is organizing a photography contest, from May 1, 2021 to May 31, 2021.

### **2 - Theme**

The theme of the photographs will be "Back to life العودة إلى الحياة"

This theme will be left to the imagination of the participants to illustrate it.

### **3 - Conditions of participation**

The contest is open to all Palestinian amateurs and photographers residing in Jerusalem who are over 18 years old and who wish to participate. Proof of identity may be requested at the time of registration.

The organizers and the members of the jury cannot participate in the contest.

A contribution of 50 NIS is required upon registration to cover the organisational costs of the contest. Only participants who have paid the registration fee will be considered.

The fee cannot be refunded under any circumstances.

### **4 - Duration and conduct of the contest**

The contest is open from May 1, 2021 until May 31, 2021.

### **5 - Terms of participation**

Each participant must submit a series of 4 to 8 photos maximum on the theme "Back to life العودة إلى الحياة", in the dimensions of their choice.

The photos must not be edited.

Participants must send their photos in high definition, in PNG or JPEG format, between 1 May 2021 and 31 May 2021 to the following address: [ifj-chateaubriand@consulfrance-jerusalem.org](mailto:ifj-chateaubriand@consulfrance-jerusalem.org)

In the body of the participation email, the following information must be included:

- Name, first name, e-mail address, age, telephone number.
- Title of the photo, place and date of shooting.
- Copyright: declare that you are the exclusive author of the photograph submitted.

- Respect of image rights: declare to have obtained the prior written authorisation of the persons identifiable in the photos submitted.

Each participant declaring to be the author of the submitted photographs, acknowledges and accepts that by submitting them, he/she authorizes the French Institute of Jerusalem - Chateaubriand to use his/her photographs, without any form of remuneration, for an indefinite period of time, in the following frameworks: exhibition, websites, social networks and brochures.

For any use, the intellectual property of the participant will be notified on his/her photo or in the legal notice.

## **6 - Jury and selection criteria**

The jury will be constituted of French and Palestinian photographers:

- 1. Ahed Izhiman**
- 2. Lionel Antoni**
- 3. Rula Halawani**
- 4. Sandra Mhel**
- 5. Steve Sabella**

The jury will be responsible for selecting the photographs of the participants in an anonymous manner.

The photographs will be judged by the jury on three main aspects :

- respect for the theme and originality
- technical quality (framing, light, etc.)
- artistic interest (aesthetics)

The decisions taken by the jury will be final.

## **7 - Prizes and awards**

The photo contest includes three prizes for the first three photos selected by the jury:

1st prize :

Trip and internship in France. Personal exhibition at the French Institute.

2nd prize :

Camera: Canon EOS 4000D

3rd prize :

French language course (40 hours)

The French Institute of Jerusalem - Chateaubriand will organize a collective photo exhibition for the first 5 selected participants at the end of the contest.

The winners will be contacted by phone or email following the jury's deliberations.

The results may be communicated publicly in various publishing and web media.

The prize won cannot be exchanged for money or any other prize. And in case the winner is unable to benefit from the prize, for whatever reason, he/she will lose the benefit of it. The jury will then make a new selection among the participants.

The simple fact of taking part in this contest implies pure and simple acceptance, without reserve, of the present rules.

Last name :  
First name :  
Date of birth :

Address:  
Telephone number :  
E-mail address :

I, the undersigned .....

- wish to participate in the photo contest organized by the French Institute of Jerusalem - Chateaubriand,
- declare that I have read the rules and accept the conditions,
- authorize the French Institute of Jerusalem to use my photographs for any communication support or exhibition.

Done at..... on .....

Signature :