



OUR CITY FILM FEST

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SUBMISSION FORM 2011

Brought to you by Yachad, Inc.

The Jewish Housing and Community Development Corporation of Greater Washington

Our City Film Festival will bring together people from all Washington, D.C neighborhoods and cultures to celebrate “our city’s” history, culture and distinctiveness by viewing narratives and documentaries about D.C. Local filmmakers and film students will have the opportunity to show their work in a unique and open-minded environment. The film festival is sponsored by Yachad, Inc., the Jewish Housing and Community Development Corporation of Greater Washington, which revitalizes Washington, D.C.’s neighborhoods while building bridges between the city’s residents. For more information about Yachad, visit www.yachad-dc.org. You can also find more information there about the film festival, our partners and our judges. All proceeds from the festival will go directly to Yachad, Inc. (a 501(c)(3) organization) and its efforts to renovate affordable housing and revitalize urban neighborhoods.

To enter the film festival, please fill out the submission form and return it to us with a copy of your film in DVD format. Also enclose: 2 digital still images from film (300 dpi or higher) and any press material you may have. Our City Film Festival, Yachad, Inc. 1776 Massachusetts Ave., NW., Ste. 810, Washington, D.C. 20036. 202 296-8563.

Early Submission Deadline: 9/1/10 **Regular Submission Deadline: 11/1/10**

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Film’s Title: _____

Applicant’s Name: _____

Applicant’s Position: _____

Home: _____ *Cell:* _____ *Work:* _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ *State:* _____ *Zip:* _____

Secondary Contact Person (if any): _____

Contact’s Position: _____

Home: _____ Cell: _____ Work: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Referred to festival by: _____

FILM INFORMATION:

Film's Title: _____

Name all festivals which your film has been screened in:

ONE CATEGORY MUST BE CHECKED FOR FILM TO BE ACCEPTED

Category of Entry (check all that apply)*:

- Film is about or takes place in Washington, D.C.
- Documentary is about D.C. surrounding area (up to 30 miles outside)
- Film is completed by a native Washingtonian**
- Film is completed by a D.C. Public School student

**Note: Films will not necessarily be judged in these categories. Categories will be decided when all films are collected and are under the film festival organizer's discretion.*

***Native Washingtonian is someone who was born and raised within city lines until the age of 18. Must supply proof of residency-ie. driver's license, birth certificate, etc.*

Film's Genre (check all that apply)

- Documentary
- Narrative
- Animation
- Experimental/Art

Film's Running Time:

Hour: _____ Min: _____ Sec: _____

Original Production Format (check primary):

- 35 mm
- Super 8
- 16mm
- Digital Video
- Hi-8 Video
- Beta SP
- Digital Computer Generated
- Other: _____

Visual Treatment:

- B & W
- Color
- Animation
- Silent
- Subtitles
- Only Music

Provide a brief description of the film (500 words or less):

If not obvious from above essay, please note how this film relates to Washington, D.C. (200 words or less):

PAYMENT:

More than one submission may be made by a filmmaker, however, each film must be accompanied by its own submission fee.

Please mark appropriate box below and enclose check in submission package. I

- I referred another filmmaker's entry: FREE
 - Filmmaker I referred: _____

Please Note: One waived fee per referred film.

- Returning Submitting Filmmaker: \$15.00
- Regular submission fee: \$35.00
- Early submission fee is \$25.00
- Students (College and Grad): Regular: \$20.00, Early: \$15.00 **include copy of ID**
- Students (High School and below): Regular: \$12.00 Early: \$10.00
- No submission fee for D.C. Public School Students and Teachers

Submission fees are non-refundable and will not be returned to sender

Please make checks payable to Yachad, Inc. If you would like to make a separate donation to Yachad, Inc. please include that as well. Thank you.

CHECKLIST:

- Completed submission form with legal section signed and dated
- 2 copies of film (DVD)
- Check payable to Yachad, Inc.
- 2 digital still images from film (**300 dpi or higher**)
- Press material (optional but appreciated)

LEGAL:

I have reviewed all the information contained in this application and will comply with the rules herein and agree that I am submitting the film to the Our City Film Festival. I am the creator and legal owner of the film submitted and own or control the copyright in and to and am duly authorized to submit the film to the Our City Film Festival. I also assert that there are no assigned rights, agreements, riders, distribution agreements, production deals, copyright issues or any arrangements or any claims or litigation (or threatened claims or litigation) whatsoever attached to this work that would in anyway interfere with the showing or screening of this film to the public within the terms of the Our City Film Festival. I also agree that Yachad, Inc. and the judges chosen by Yachad, Inc. have full discretion in choosing or not choosing my work and reserve the right to show my film for as many times during the day of the film festival as they would like, in their discretion. I agree that in exchange for this showing, I do not expect any payment, monetary or otherwise. I agree to hold the Our City Film Festival and Yachad, Inc., its officers and directors, harmless from and against any (i) claims arising from any untrue statement made by me in this application, (ii) damage to or loss of the film during the course of Our City Film Festival's possession of the entry, and (iii) claims which may arise in connection with my film. I understand and agree that if my film entry is selected for the Our City Film Festival, it may be used for promotional purposes by the festival and/or Yachad, Inc. and I grant the Our City Film Festival, Yachad, Inc., and their partners the rights to use footage, stills and/or titles and information from the film for such promotional purposes. I understand that Our City Film Festival has full discretion in choosing the winners of the festival, and if I am not chosen I will not hold Our City Film Festival or Yachad, Inc. or any officers and directors legally accountable in any way.

Signature: _____ Date: _____