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**2019 FIN Atlantic International Film Festival ‘call for entries’ is open!**

(Halifax, NS) – The 2019 FIN Atlantic International Film Festival ‘call for entries’ is officially open. FIN is currently accepting fiction, documentaries, and animation in both short and feature-length formats from all local, national and international filmmakers.

Providing an immersive escape and experience for movie-lovers, filmmakers, and industry professionals worldwide, FIN Atlantic International Film Festival is Atlantic Canada’s curator of epic and unforgettable stories.

May 17, 2019 - Early bird deadline

May 31, 2019 - Regular deadline

June 14, 2019 - Late deadline

June 28, 2019 - Final deadline

August 9, 2019 - Notification date

September 12 - 19, 2019 - FIN Atlantic International Film Festival

**For more information on submitting a film, visit: [finfestival.ca/2019-call-for-entries](http://finfestival.ca/2019-call-for-entries).**

Also taking place in 2019 is FIN Partners, September 12-14. FIN’s international co-production and co-financing market team will travel to Prime Time in Ottawa in January and to the European Film Market at the Berlin International Film Festival in February. The team will be meeting with new and returning partners, contacts, and industry leaders to set the stage for FIN Partners 2019. Stay tuned for registration details in the new year.

**For more information about FIN Partners, visit: [finfestival.ca/fin-partners](http://finfestival.ca/fin-partners).**

**About FIN Atlantic International Film Festival**

FIN Atlantic International Film Festival is an eight-day celebration of film and media from around the world. It’s a festival that turns Halifax into an international mecca for the arts, abuzz with movie-lovers and filmmakers alike. Discover a variety of local, national and international films that explore all corners of life, culture, entertainment and the global human experience. A champion of local filmmakers, all of our film selections are chosen with our audience in mind and our special events are designed to bring our community together.

A not-for-profit organization, the Festival began as a tiny, grassroots operation in St. John’s, Newfoundland in 1981, relocating to Halifax the following year. Nearly four decades later, FIN Atlantic International Film Festival has grown into one of Canada’s premier film festivals. Whether for unabashed film-lovers, curious onlookers or industry folks, the Festival offers an ocean of opportunities to engage through the celebration of film.

FIN Atlantic International Film Festival is now a year-round celebration, growing beyond our cornerstone event in September to include: FIN Partners, FIN Kids, FIN Campus, FIN Outdoor and FIN Makers.

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