

1. Submission

1-1) I want to check the submission rules. Where can I find it?

You can read it [here](#).

1-2) What standard should I refer to determine the rating?

Please refer to [the Korea Media Rating Board's rating system](#) when the film is created in Korea and [MPA's rating system](#) when the film is not created in Korea. Then, the director should specify the rating. However, if the selected rating is deemed not appropriate in the first preliminary selection, we may arbitrarily change it.

1-3) How can I submit my film?

The GISFF receives films **only via the MovieBloc website**. See the [Submission Rules & Regulations](#) before uploading the film on the MovieBloc website (MovieBloc website > GISFF Submission > Upload). For detailed information about submission through the website, please see the

[Online Submission Guideline](#)

※ To submit online, you should sign in to MovieBloc(moviebloc.com).

※ Please contact the program team (gisff@moviebloc.io) for other questions.

1-4) Do you charge any submission fee?

No, the GISFF **does not charge any submission fee**.

1-5) Can I withdraw my submission?

Yes, **you can withdraw before the submission period ends**. However, you cannot withdraw after the submission period and selections. Please carefully read the submission rules and decide to submit.

[*Link to the Confirm and remove submitted film page](#)

1-6) Can I replace only the video after submission?

No, you cannot replace only the video after submission. You should **remove the submitted film and replace it with the new one**. However, you can edit information about the film.

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1-7) Is there any limitation on how many films a director can submit?

No, **there is no limitation on how many films** a director can submit.

1-8) Can I submit a film already screened or awarded in the other film festivals?

Yes, you can. All films that meet the submission standards of the GISFF can be submitted.

1-9) Can I submit a film created a long time ago?

Yes, you can. **The GISFF receives films regardless of when it made.** However, world premiere films are preferred.

1-10) How can I submit my film as a group submission?

For group submission, you can upload the film on the MovieBloc website with related information.

1-11) Are English subtitles and a synopsis required?

Yes, English subtitles are necessary. The selected films of the GISFF are for the global audience, so subtitles, movie title, and synopsis in English must be submitted. English subtitles are necessary, even if the lines are in English. If you do not submit and provide the necessary items, you cannot submit your film and be awarded. Please submit and provide the necessary items.

1-12) How do I know whether my submission was successful?

You can check the status on the [Visit the Confirm and remove the submitted film page](#). When it shows "Reviewing," the submission process went through fine.

2. Selection and Result

2-1) How do selection processes work?

Our selection processes consist of the first and second rounds of preliminary selection and the final selection.

- **The first preliminary selection** - the juries select the films and screen out the ones that do not meet submission standards.
- **The second preliminary selection** - the juries and audience juries select the final lists through evaluation and preliminary meetings. The second preliminary selection partially reflects the audience response (views, movie reviews, etc.) on the MovieBloc website for the individual films.
- **The final selection** - the juries consult with each other, evaluate the selected films from the second preliminary selection and select the winners.

2-2) My film passed the preliminary selection but is not screened on the MovieBloc website.

The films uploaded on the MovieBloc website are the ones that passed the first preliminary selection. Please check if your film passed it.

2-3) When do the final winners be announced?

The 20th GISFF's final winners are expected to be announced on **30 June 2022**. The result will be uploaded on the MovieBloc and the GISFF official website.

3. Grant for the next film

3-1) Can the next film of the award winners be co-directed?

Yes, it can. However, one of the directors must be the winner of the GISFF.

3-2) Can I receive additional support funds outside for my next film in addition to the production fund from the GISFF?

If you receive production funds from the GISFF, you cannot take additional funds from other production companies or support projects.

4. MovieBloc Screening

4-1) I do not want my film to continue to be screened on the MovieBloc after the GISFF ends. Can I stop the screening?

All films that passed the second preliminary selection are automatically converted as the general content of MovieBloc and screened after the GISFF ends. You can remove your film anytime if you do not want it to be screened on the MovieBloc website anymore.

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4-2) The films screened on the MovieBloc website during the film festival. Do you charge for watching them? If they are charged, how do you share the revenue?

We charge for watching the films screened on the MovieBloc website to the general audience during the film festival. You will take 70% of the revenue from your film.

4-3) Can I screen my film screened on the MovieBloc website at another online or offline film festival?

Yes, you can. For the not-awarded films, the directors can stop screening or remove the film from the MovieBloc website. For the awarded films, after the festival ends the directors can consult with the GISFF (gisff@moviebloc.io) to ask to temporarily stop the screening on the website for reasons, including submission to other film festivals.

5. In-person Screening Event

5-1) What is the in-person screening event?

It is a program to screen the three GISFF winners at the local theater in the region the director lives after the online screening ends.

5-2) When and where will it be held?

We will consult with the winners to determine the city and schedule after the GISFF ends. The information about the city and schedule will be announced after the GISFF ends.

5-3) Where can I get the tickets for the event?

We will announce detailed information about the ticket after the region and theater are set.