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Patronage FIAP 2020/270

Skopje, Macedonia

# Photo Club ELEMA

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## The 17<sup>th</sup> biennial

МЕЃУНАРОДНА ИЗЛОЖБА НА ФОТОГРАФСКА УМЕТНОСТ

PHOTOMEDIA  
2020  
PHOTOMEDIA  
INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION OF PHOTOGRAPHIC ART  
SKOPJE  
MACEDONIA

**Theme:**

**Unrestricted (free)**

**Single or collection**

**Calendar:**

**Closing date: 15.09.2020**

**Judging date: 03.10.2020**

**Notification of results: 20.10.2020**

**Public showing: 10 .11.2020**

**All entries returned : 15.01.2021**

**Jury:**

**Boro Rudic, Professional photographer, MFFSM, Macedonia**

**Branimir Karanovic, Professor emiritus Faculty of Applied Arts,KMFSS, Serbia**

**Nelly Gavrilova, Professional photographer-artist, Bulgaria**

**Dear fellow photographers,**

**It is our pleasure to invite you to our biennial Photomedia 2020, which will be held for the 17<sup>th</sup> time. Photomedia, in the last three decades, has become one of the most popular print exhibitions in the world. This year, we will continue to celebrate print photography in its best edition.**

**Your sincerely,  
photo club ELEMA**

## CONDITIONS AND REGULATIONS

### 1. Work characteristics:

Photographs of all types, styles, methods and processing, black/white or color prints shall be accepted.

Each photographer can enter a maximum of eight (8) prints **in two sections:**

1. **Single** - (maximum (4) four photographs), and

2. **Collection** - (maximum (4) four, minimum (3) three photographs).

**Photographs previously exhibited at one of the PHOTOMEDIA Exhibitions shall not be accepted.**

2. **Theme:** Free for both sections

3. **Contestants:** Participants from any country may enter this competition.

### 4. Size of photographs:

Recommended size is 30 x 48 cm, or formats derived from it, but the shorter side should not be less than 30 cm, and the longer side should not be bigger than 48 cm ) ( 30x30 for square format) (unframed and without a cardboard support).

Notice:

Exception from this rule will be applied for the accepted so called PANORAMA photos and photos narrower than 30 cm, but not longer than 48 cm.

It is not allowed to put watermarks on the photograph itself, names or other indicators of the author's identity.

Submissions not conforming to these conditions shall not be accepted.

### 5. Collections:

Notice:

Definition of the term "Collection of photographs "

A **collection** is 3 or 4 (sometimes more...) photographs (b&w or color) interconnected visually or narratively;

**VISSUALLY:** in aesthetic-artistic terms

**NARRATIVELLY:** in terms of a series of photographs witch describes an event, a psychological state, an essay, a theme, a concept, a light etc.

The photographs sent by the author as a collection should be marked on the back side with "**Collection**" and the sequence number that shows the order of the photographs.

Collections will be viewed and judged as a whole and f the jury has the right to reduce it on 3 photographs (if there were 4 photos in the collection).

Those photographs, which are registered as collection should be marked (COLL).

### 6. Information:

The back side of each photograph should contain the following information, printed (in capital letters):

- Name and surname of the photographer;

- Title of the submission in Macedonian or in one of the FIAP languages;

- The information and the number of the photograph or the collection must correspond to the number on the Application.

### 7. Application:

Each shipment of photographs must be accompanied by the enclosed forms (Application and label with the adress) filled out by the photographer. The number of the photograph in the Application must be printed on the back of the photograph as well.

Notice:

During online entry please upload JPEG, or JPG copy of the submitted photographs, max 1920 pix. (width) x 1080 pix (height). These copies ( if selected ) will be used when printing the catalogue.

### **8. How to send entries:**

Photographers can send their photographs individually, or through their clubs, only as an ordinary printed material, in a flat package (maximum weight of two (2) kilograms), at the following address:

Vaclav Lukic – str. Nikola Tesla No.2/1-46 1000 Skopje , Macedonia

Rolled photographs and shipments exceeding two kilograms shall not be accepted.

Notice: All participants should send JPEG or JPG (1200x800 pix 300dpi.) copies of their photos on CD, together with prints , or on the following e-mail address: [elemamedia@gmail.com](mailto:elemamedia@gmail.com) in order to be printed in a catalogue if the photos are accepted ...

### **9. The ENTRY Fee:**

As a compensation for the entry and the costs of the catalogue, the entry fee for authors which are not Macedonian citizens is 20 EUR for one section and 25 EUR for both, or 25 USD or 30 USD for both.

Notice: The photographs will be returned only by request of the authors themselves. For this service there will be 15 EUR, or 20 \$ extra charge ...

We accept PayPal on the following e-mail address: [elemamedia@gmail.com](mailto:elemamedia@gmail.com).

Submissions without the Participation Fee shall neither be reviewed, nor returned to the sender.

10. Use of photographs: By accepting these regulations, the organizer may use the exhibited photographs for reproduction in the catalogue and in the press, free of charge.

### **11. Final regulations:**

Photographs shall be treated with utmost care. Organizer shall assume no responsibility for damages or loss of photographs during transport. Upon the conclusion of the Exhibition, the photographs shall be carefully placed and returned in the same envelope they were sent in.

o Each photographer shall receive a catalogue, and the rewarded photographers shall receive the appropriate awards.

o The results from the voting can be seen on: <http://www.photomedia.mk>

## **AWARDS AND COMMENDATIONS**

The International Jury shall award the following awards and commendations:

### **1. FOR INDIVIDUAL PHOTOGRAPHS:**

- FIAP Medals - one gold, one silver, one bronze
- FIAP RIBBONS -three with equal status
- PAM Medals (Photo association of Macedonia) - one gold, one silver, one bronze
- PAM RIBBONS (Photo association of Macedonia) three with equal status

### **2. FOR COLLECTIONS:**

- FIAP Medals - one gold, one silver, one bronze
- FIAP RIBBONS - three with equal status
- PAM Medals (Photo association of Macedonia) - one gold, one silver, one bronze
- PAM RIBBONS (Photo association of Macedonia) three with equal status

**3. SPECIAL PRIZES AND AWARDS:** For the overall artistic impression of the entries received, the Jury shall award

- **THE SKOPJE CITY PLATE** for individual photographs

**4. FIAP BEST AUTHOR AWARD:** For the author with most accepted entries, the Jury shall award

- **THE FIAP Best Author Award**

**Notification :**

*“By the sole act of submitting his/her images or files to a salon under FIAP Patronage, the entrant accepts without exception and with no objection that the submitted images can be investigated by FIAP to establish if these obey to FIAP regulations and definitions even if the entrant is not a member of FIAP; that FIAP will use any means at its disposal for this undertaking; that any refusal to cooperate with FIAP or any refusal to submit the original files as captured by the camera, or failure to provide sufficient evidence, will be sanctioned by FIAP and that in case of sanctions following the non compliance with FIAP regulations, the name of the entrant will be released in any form useful to inform the breaches of the rules. It is recommended to leave the EXIF data in the submitted files intact in order to ease eventual investigations.”*

**Photo club ELEMA, Skopje , Macedonia**

Photomedia International Contest of Print  
Photography

For official use

Author :

Package :

## Application form

Information's about author:

Name	
Surname	
Title	
Address	
City	
Country	
E-mail, WEB	

Information`s about photo club:

Name	
Address	
City	
E-mail, WEB	

Name of the photos: Single section

1.)	
2.)	
3.)	
4.)	

Name of the photos and name of the Collection in Collection selection

1.)		
2.)		

3.)		
4.)		

With this signature author confirms that sanded photographs are in his own property, and all information's sanded are true, and on his own responsibility ...

"I hereby expressly agree to FIAP document 018/2017 « Conditions and regulations for FIAP Patronage » and FIAP document 017/2017 « Sanctions for breaching FIAP regulations and the red list ». I am particularly aware of chapter II « Regulations for International photographic events under FIAP patronage » of FIAP document 018/2017, dealing under Section II.2 and II.3 with the FIAP participation rules, the sanctions for breaching FIAP regulations and the red list.

Sender:

Signature:

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To:

Photomedia

Photo Club ELEMA

Vaclav Lukic

*Str. Nikola Tesla No.2/1-46 1000 Skopje, Macedonia*

Photographs for exhibition

No commercial value

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