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## Press Release

## **Call for Film Submissions** 12th Algiers International Film Festival

Algiers, July 19, 2025 – Under the patronage of the Ministry of Culture and the Arts, the Algiers International Film Festival (AIFF), taking place from December 4 to 10, 2025, announces the Call for Film submissions opening for its 12th edition.

The submission deadline is set for **September 10**, **2025 (11:59 PM Algiers time)**. Submissions are free and available via the Film Free Way platform and the Festival Official Website www.ficinema.dz.

Fiction, documentary, animation, experimental and scientific films — both **short and feature** films— are welcome to contribute to a bold programme rooted in collective memory, shifting identities, struggles, fiction narratives from the Global South.

## The AIFF programming is built around the following themes:

- Official Competition: Short and feature film, Documentaries.
- International Panorama: Out of competition.
- Focus on Algeria/Africa: Works by African filmmakers or related to the Algerian context.
- **Cine-LAB:** Educational screenings and interactive sessions.
- Knowledge & Science Films.

Selected films in **competition** will compete in each category — **feature**, **short and** documentary - for the following awards: Grand Prize, Jury Prize, Audience Award, and Technical Award.

Participation requirements are available on the Festival's official website and attached in three languages: Arabic, English, and French.

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With our best regards,

