

# 2<sup>ND</sup> **TWIST** ISLAMOPHOBIA CONTEST

**1 minute and 280 characters  
in a day** for human rights

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## RULES FOR THE 2<sup>ND</sup> TWIST ISLAMOPHOBIA CONTEST

### 1. ORGANIZER

The Islamic Culture Foundation (FUNCI) is launching the **2nd Twist Islamophobia Contest 2017**, for the categories of Video and Micro-fiction.

Its goal is to fight islamophobia and all forms of racism, in the frame of the project “Twisislamophobia, because differences add”, which aims at eradicating hate speech.

The Contest will be launched for the Human Rights Day, on December 10th, the day that, in 1948, the United Nation’s General Assembly approved the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.

The Islamic Culture Foundation (FUNCI), with tax ID number G79545547, has its registered office in C/ Guzmán el Bueno, 3, 28015, Madrid.

### 2. CONTEST CALL AND OBJECTIVE

Our objective is to create a collaborative audiovisual short film with the videos and micro-fiction received for the contest.

All works must be done and sent on **December 10, 2017, Human Rights day**. The purpose is to join our strength and creativity in the #FightforHumanRights.

The **theme** must reflect values of coexistence, cooperation, the growing and improving of society, interculturality, equal rights, and the fight against xenophobia, islamophobia, or racism. It can tell a personal experience, intercultural situations, opinions, reflections, songs, poems, filmed portraits, video diaries, in the form of documentaries or docu-fiction.

The **prices** will have a solidarity-focused dimension and prices will be donated to an NGO or association related with the defense of human rights, designated by the winner

### 3. PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS

Any person or group of people will be able to participate in the Contest, without restrictions on ethnic, gender, origin, or legal situation grounds. Minors will need to send a parent or legal tutor's authorization in a digital file.

The works can be made alone or in a group, but the price will be awarded to just one person.

Participating in the contest implies the full acceptance of these rules.

The organizer entity's employees and managers, the jury members and their relatives are excluded from participating in the contest.

### 4. CATEGORIES

The contest includes two different categories. Each person will be able to submit as many works as he/she deems appropriate.

- **Category 1: Video**
- **Category 2: Micro-fiction**

### 5. DEADLINE

All works must be made and sent on December 10th, until 24.00 h.

### 6. JURY AND PRICES

This edition will have four (4) winners:

- One for each category as selected by a **professional jury**.
- One for each category as selected by **popular vote**.

The contest will have a solidarity-focused dimension and prices will be donated to an NGO or association designated by the winner, within a maximum of 3 business days since its announcement. The organization receiving the prize must be related to the fight and defense of human rights,

FUNCI will not be responsible for the impossibility of contacting the winners or the impossibility of awarding the price in the case that the participants' personal information is incorrect or incomplete.

FUNCI will not be responsible for the winner's inability to set a date for the reception of the price.

FUNCI reserves the right to disqualify all participants acting in an abusive or fraudulent manner, any participants lying, hiding or falsifying their data or breaching this rules' terms and conditions.

FUNCI will not be responsible for any problems of access into the social network, due to its poor functioning or to Internet problems.

## NOTIFICATION TO THE WINNERS

The decision will be taken before December 21st, 2017. Once the winners have been selected, they will be notified through one of the contact channels provided: telephone or email, and the decision will be published in the website Twist Islamophobia. If in the term of 15 days, the winner doesn't answer through any of the channels provided, or if, by any reason, the contact data provided does not belong to the winner (and, thus, the communication is impossible), FUNCI reserves the right to declare the position vacant or to choose a new winner.

Every winner will expressly accept the prize in writing. Once accepted, FUNCI will begin the transfer of the prize.

There are two different types of prize: the Jury Prize and the Public Prize.

### 6.1 JURY PRICE

The Jury will be formed by several experts in the fields of audiovisual communication, development cooperation and education, its composition will be published in the website [www.twistislamophobia.org](http://www.twistislamophobia.org). Their decision will not be subject to appeal.

One work will be selected from each category. The price will consist of:

- **Video: 300 €**
- **Tweet: 300 €**

The Jury reserves the right to declare the prize null and void if the quality of the works is insufficient. In the event of a tied vote, the President of the Jury may exercise a casting vote.

### 6.2 PUBLIC PRIZE (popular vote)

The winners will be selected based on the number of votes received through the Contest website.

Each user may assign one vote per category, through the contest app: <https://premium.easypromosapp.com/p/818711>, which will be activated on December 10th, 2017. In order to cast a vote, the user will need to sign up through a validated email address. The validation email will be automatically sent to the user's inbox. In order to confirm the address, open and click on the email, so the vote can be counted as valid.

Voting will be possible from December 10th to December 17th 2017, until 24.00 hours.

One work will be selected from each category. The price will consist of:

- **Video: 200 €**
- **Tweet: 200 €**

The organization reserves the right to withdraw any work considered to have received fraudulent votes.

## 7. GENERAL PARTICIPATION RULES

The works presented cannot have been awarded or selected in any other Contest.

Works must be original, cannot be adaptations or transformations of third parties' works, unless express authorization from the author, or use works of public domain unless it represents only a fraction of the video and its inclusion is justified (collage, critics, quotes...).

The use of third parties' works will lead to the immediate disqualification of the submitted work. The participant will be responsible for the use of works or images that breach intellectual property rights, image rights or any other third parties' rights.

By participating in the contest, the participant accepts the use of the works by FUNCI, both in the website, social media or printed documents, always citing the author of the work. In any case, the property rights will always belong to the author, who will be able to use the work in any format or place.

The organization reserves the right of excluding any work that doesn't comply with the abovementioned conditions, as well as those encouraging irresponsible behaviors, including vulgar images or language, going against the elementary rules of cohabitation or containing ideological, religious, political, racist or sexist messages.

The works must remain published in the channels elected to participate, at least until the day the winners are announced. Their elimination prior to that date will mean the disqualification of the work from the Contest.

FUNCI reserves the right to cancel, modify or to declare the Contest desert if there is a just cause.

## 8. SUBMISSION OF THE WORKS

### VÍDEO

- Each participant will be able to present as many works as he/she wants.
- The video can be recorded using any type of device: mobile telephone, tablet, video camera, photo camera, etc. any technique or postproduction technique is allowed.
- If there are minors in the video, the necessary measures must be taken in order to respect their image rights.
- Participants will have to submit the video to the contest app: <https://premium.easypromosapp.com/p/818711> or publish it on Twitter under the hashtag #TWISTislamophobia on **DECEMBER 10, 2017**. In order to do so, press on "Participa", this will take them to a registration form which they will need to fill in, and where there is an option to upload the video. Participants will need to register every time they want to upload a new video.
- The maximum file size allowed goes from 1MB to 80MB.
- The maximum length is 1 minute.
- In case of problems or difficulties, please, all contact will be carried out through the following email: [concurstotwist@funci.org](mailto:concurstotwist@funci.org)

## **MICRO-FICTION**

- Every participant can write as many micro-fictions as wanted for the contest, as long as each of them is a different and independent micro-fiction.
- Participants will need to have an open Twitter account.
- The tweet cannot exceed the 280 characters (spaces, orthographic signs and hashtag included).
- Participants will need to publish the tweet along with the hashtag #TWISTislamophobia. Only the tweets published on December 10, 2017 will be admitted.

## **9. ACCEPTANCE OF THE RULES**

Participating in the Contest implies the acceptance of the rules. FUNCI, as organizer of the Contest, reserves the right to modify or eliminate any participation that doesn't fulfill the conditions established. The organization reserves the right to modify these rules in order to facilitate the Contest's correct development.

## **10. GOVERNING LAW AND JURISDICTION**

These rules are subject to the Spanish legislation. The Contest's participants, with express resignation to the jurisdiction that could correspond them, submit to the jurisdiction of Madrid for all disputes resulting from this contest.

## **11. FOR MORE INFORMATION**

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