

FIRSTGLANCE FILM FESTIVALS



FirstGlance Film Festival Announces Call for Entries and Dates for 24th Annual Philly Event

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., February 12, 2021 – [FirstGlance Film Festival](#), Philadelphia's Independent Film Festival since 1996, opens call for entries on March 1, 2021 exclusively on [FilmFreeway](#) for their 24th annual event scheduled for October 15-17, 2021, at the iconic [Colonial Theatre](#), 227 Bridge Street, Phoenixville, Pa.

FirstGlance is open to filmmakers across the globe and accepts submissions in all genres, especially horror, sci-fi, fantasy, drama, and comedy from professional, first-time, student, national and international indie filmmakers with films in the following categories:

(Local and International: Live Action and Animation accepted in every category)

- Feature Film (over 60 min.)
- Feature Documentary (over 45 min.)
- Short Film (under 60 min.)
- Shorts Too (under 10 min.)
- Short Documentary (under 45 min.)
- Student Shorts (under 20 min.)
- Music Videos (under 7 min.)
- Web Series Pilots (under 15 min.)
- Animated Shorts (under 30 mins.)
- Trailers (under 5 mins.)

FirstGlance awards over \$30,000 in prizes and giveaways annually plus offers cash prizes to categories that receive over 200 entries; produces a live awards presentation and nominations in over 20 categories; Audience Choice in all categories plus Best of Audience awards for each category; BEST OF FEST award winners and a Special Shot in Philly Category that welcomes submissions produced and shot in the Philadelphia and Pennsylvania regions.

Call for entries runs through July 2021. For complete details and prize packages, visit

<http://bit.ly/FGFFCFE>.

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About FirstGlance Films

FirstGlance Films began in 1996 as an indie film festival in the basement of a small theater in Center City Philadelphia. FirstGlance Films has currently produced over 40 festivals in Philadelphia and Hollywood. In addition to producing their award winning bi-coastal film festivals, FirstGlance has year round activities that include On-line Short Film Competitions, Short Film Productions, and streaming and VOD Distribution. For more information, please visit firstglancefilms.com.

About the Colonial Theatre

Located in the heart of downtown Phoenixville, the iconic, non-profit Colonial Theatre boasts three venues – the original, circa 1902 theatre with 650 seats and two state-of-the art theatres in the adjacent 1925 Bank of Phoenixville building. Programming includes first-run, independent and classic films, young audience shows, concerts, and community events. For upcoming shows and times visit thecolonialtheatre.com.

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