

VAFF 20

Vancouver Asian Film Festival

ASIANS IN MOVIES (AIM) LOGLINE Competition



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ONLINE RULES AND REGULATIONS

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Please read the Official Rules before submitting your logline.

Official Rules:

1. Contest Sponsor: Vancouver Asian Film Festival Society (“VAFF”) is a not-for-profit society committed to promote and support filmmakers and writers of Asian heritage in North America. VAFF’s mailing address is 1350 Burrard Street, Suite 367, Vancouver, BC V6Z 0C2.
2. How to Enter: NO PURCHASE NECESSARY. To enter the Competition, click the “Logline Campaign Contest Online Application” link on this webpage and provide your logline and movie concept in English in the online submission form. You must also sign the VAFF waiver to be considered in this Competition. Submissions can only be submitted online through the submission form (i.e. emails not accepted). You may submit up to three (3) loglines. Loglines must be original and must belong solely to you (e.g. no joint submissions). Loglines that have been previously licensed or sold to, or produced or encumbered by any third party, or that have won any other logline competition are not eligible to enter in this Competition. Loglines must be for feature films only. Loglines may be submitted even if the screenplay is not completed (although it may be to your benefit to have a screenplay ready in the event there is interest in your logline).
3. Duration of the Competition: VAFF will accept submissions starting from 12:00 am PST on July 27, 2016, and stop accepting submission after 12:00 am PST on August 31, 2017. Submissions received after this period will not be considered in the Competition. VAFF has the right in its sole discretion to shorten or extend the submission period.
4. Eligibility: The Competition is open to any legal resident of Canada (excluding Quebec) and the fifty (50) United States, the District of Columbia (excluding Rhode Island and Maine) who self-identifies as Asian, including East Asian and South Asian and is 18 years or older.

5. How to Win: All submissions will be judged by a panel of judges chosen at the sole discretion of VAFF’s Board of Directors and/or Executive Committee. The submissions will be judged based on the following criteria: (a) originality of concept; (b) castability of Asian actors; and (c) commercial viability. The judges will choose 12 winning loglines. The judges are under no obligation to accept substitutions or corrections to submissions.

6. Prize: There is no monetary prize. The prize is being selected to be used in the production of VAFF’s 12-month calendar (the “Calendar”). For each of the 12 winning loglines, VAFF will design a movie poster based on the selected logline and include the logline and the poster in its Calendar. No feedback will be provided to any of the submissions. Because of time constraints, winners of the Competition will not be given an opportunity to provide input for the interpretation of the loglines or the design of the Calendar in any way. VAFF shall have the sole and exclusive right to use and interpret the loglines in any manner its sole discretion for the design and production of the Calendar. Winners may be required to execute an affidavit of eligibility before he/she can be selected as a winner.

7. Conduct: All entrants agree to be bound to these Official Rules and the decisions of VAFF. VAFF in its sole discretion, reserves the right to disqualify any entrant it finds to be in violation of these Official rules.

8. Use of Personal Information: By participating in this Competition, each entrants agrees to provide personal information to VAFF and that VAFF may use such information for any purpose and in any manner in its sole discretion.

9. Participation in the Competition: By entering this Competition, each entrant grants to VAFF a perpetual, non-exclusive, irrevocable, fully-paid, royalty-free, sublicensable, transferable, and worldwide right and license (but not the obligation) in any and all media, now known or hereafter devised, to use, modify and create derivative works based on his/her submissions (including without limitation, any loglines and concepts), name, likeness, picture, image, identity, address (city and state), email address, voice, biographical information, social media handles and written or oral statements (collectively, an “Entrant’s Information”), for use in the Calendar, advertising and promotional purposes in promoting or publicizing the Calendar and/or VAFF, without any form of compensation to such entrant. Each participating entrant shall have no right of approval, no claim to compensation, and no claim (including without limitation, claims based on invasion of privacy, defamation, rights of integrity or attribution, or right of publicity) arising out of any use, blurring, alteration or use

in composite form of such entrant's information. The rights and license granted under this paragraph shall extend to VAFF and agents for all entrants in the Competition, including entrants who are selected as winners and entrants who are not so selected.

10. Disclaimer: By submitting a logline, you understand and acknowledge that: (a) ideas are not protected by copyright; (b) by submitting a logline, your logline and concepts may be shared publicly; (c) VAFF and any member of the public use or modify your idea without any compensation or credit to you.

11. Limitations of Liability: VAFF is not responsible in any way for any submissions, concepts, ideas, submitted to it in connection with this Competition. If for any reason, the Competition is not capable of running as planned, VAFF may in its sole discretion and at any time cancel, terminate, modify or suspend the Competition. Entrants agree to release VAFF from any liability resulting from, or related to participation in the Competition. By entering the Competition, you release VAFF and its respective affiliates, directors, officers, employees and agencies (collectively, the "Released Parties") from any liability whatsoever, and waive any and all causes of action, related to any claims, costs, injuries, losses, or damages of any kind arising out of or in connection with the Competition or the delivery, mis-delivery, acceptance, possession, use of or inability to use any prize (including without limitation, claims, costs, injuries, losses and damages related to rights of publicity or privacy, defamation or portrayal in a false light, whether intentional or unintentional), whether under a theory of contract, tort (including negligence), warranty or other theory.

12. Governing Law: All issues and questions concerning the construction, validity, interpretation and enforceability of these Official Rules, or the rights and obligations of an entrant and/or the Released Parties in connection with the Competition, shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the Province of British Columbia, Canada, and by its courts, without regard to its conflict of law principles.

13. General: Decisions of VAFF shall be final and binding in all respects in all matters relating to the Competition and the awarding of the prizes (including without limitation, the Calendar) and are not subject to appeal.

14. Winner's List: For the name of the prize winners, mail a self-addressed, stamped envelope to VAFF 2016 Logline Competition, c/o the Vancouver Asian Film Festival Society, 1350 Burrard Street, Suite 367,

Vancouver, BC V6Z 0C2, requesting the name of the winners.

15. Official Rules: A copy of these Official Rules may be obtained by sending a self-addressed, stamped envelope to VAFF 2016 Logline Competition, c/o the Vancouver Asian Film Festival Society, 1350 Burrard Street, Suite 367, Vancouver, BC V6Z 0C2, or by sending an email to info@vaff.org requesting a copy of the Official Rules, or by visiting [insert link to this page] for an electronic copy.

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Thank you.

I have read and agree to the Terms of Service.
Please fill & sign on the online application form and press submit once and wait for confirmation.