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## 33<sup>rd</sup> Macao International Fireworks Display Contest Photography Contest

### Contest Guidelines

#### 1. Organizer

Macao Government Tourism Office

#### 2. Coordinator

The Photographic Society of Macao

#### 3. Objectives

To celebrate Macao's designation as the **2025 East Asian City of Culture**, this year's competition adopts the theme **“Cultural Harmony · Fireworks in Bloom”**, encouraging photography enthusiasts to unleash their creativity and talent by capturing the multi-dimensional perspectives of fireworks. This aims to showcase the unique charm of tourism festivities through their lenses.

#### 4. Theme

Cultural Harmony · Fireworks in Bloom

#### 5. Eligibility

Photography enthusiasts aged 12 and above.

#### 6. Categories

Group	Age	
Youth Group	Age 12 – 18	Born in 2007 – 2013
Open Group	Age 19 or above	Born in or before 2006

#### 7. Photo Entry Dimension

The image size of the photographs should be 4,800 pixels on each side.

#### 8. Submission Date

7 to 31 October, 2025 23:59 (Macao Time).

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### 9. Entry Form

Please visit the Macao Government Tourism Office webpage at <https://fireworks.macaotourism.gov.mo/index.php> or the Photographic Society of Macao webpage at <http://www.psm.org> to download the entry form.

### 10. Submission of entry

Participants must enter the contest as individual entrants. Each participant is required to send the completed entry form and photo entries to [psm\\_competition@yahoo.com](mailto:psm_competition@yahoo.com) on or before **October 31, 2025**. A confirmation reply will be sent by the coordinator upon receiving the submission. Complaints regarding lost submissions due to oversized attachments will not be accepted.

Only digital image files in JPEG format with file size between 3MB to 5MB will be accepted. Please name the photograph as follows: *number\_title\_author's name\_contact number.jpg* (For example: *01\_Sparkling Fireworks on Victoria Macao\_John Chan\_66112233.jpg*)

### 11. Number of Entries

Each entrant may submit a maximum of 10 photo entries.

### 12. Jury Committee

The jury committee consist of representatives from the Macao Government Tourism Office and professional experts.

### 13. Assessment Criteria

- 13.1 Comply with the theme (50%), overall aesthetic appeal (40%), and creativity (10%).
- 13.2 If the entries fail to meet the award requirements after being reviewed, the prize may not be awarded.
- 13.3 The final decisions made by the jury committee shall prevail, and no appeals will be entertained.

### 14. Announcement of Winners

The list of award recipients, the award ceremony date and location will be announced in the first quarter of 2026 on the webpages of the Macao Government Tourism Office at <https://fireworks.macaotourism.gov.mo/index.php> and the Photographic Society of Macao webpage at <http://www.psm.org>. Winners will be notified individually.

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**15. Prizes:**

Group	Awards	Prizes
<b>Youth Group</b>	One Champion	MOP 3,000 cash, trophy and certificate
	One 1 <sup>st</sup> Runner-up	MOP 2,500 cash, trophy and certificate
	One 2 <sup>nd</sup> Runner-up	MOP 2,000 cash, trophy and certificate
	Ten Certificates of Merits	MOP 500 cash, plaque and certificate
<b>Open Group</b>	One Champion	MOP 6,500 cash, trophy and certificate
	One 1 <sup>st</sup> Runner-up	MOP 4,500 cash, trophy and certificate
	One 2 <sup>nd</sup> Runner-up	MOP 3,500 cash, trophy and certificate
	Ten Certificates of Merits	MOP 1,000 cash, plaque and certificate

**16. Other Terms and Conditions**

- 16.1 Champion, 1<sup>st</sup> Runner-up, and 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner-up must be different authors. Each participant is eligible for a maximum of one award.
- 16.2 The entrant shall agree to provide personal information which will only be used for the purposes of the event and will be processed in accordance with the provisions of the “Personal Data Protection Act” (Act No. 8/2005).
- 16.3 The entrant must accurately complete all information in the entry form. In case of any omissions or inaccuracies, the organizer reserves the right to disqualify the entrant.
- 16.4 The entrant must confirm their status as the original copyright owner of the work. In the event of infringement on the copyright, patent, or other rights of a third party, the organizer reserves the right to withdraw their eligibility and seek compensation. Participants are required to return any prizes, trophies, and certificates awarded, assuming full legal responsibilities.
- 16.5 The submitted photo entries must not contain any violent, obscene, pornographic, defamatory, morally questionable, insulting, controversial, or inappropriate content.
- 16.6 Upon submission of the photo entries, all participants acknowledge and accept the full terms and conditions of this contest, regardless of whether they are selected as winners. Copyright of awarded works remains with the authors, by participating, individuals grant the Macao Government Tourism Office permanent, royalty-free rights to utilize their submitted works. The Macao Government Tourism Office reserves the right to reproduce, publish, display, or use the photos, either in whole or in part, for promotional purposes as required, at any time and location, without prior consent from the entrants or compensation, while ensuring proper crediting of the authors’ names.

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- 16.7 To ensure fairness, members of the jury committee, employees of the Macao Government Tourism Office, and their immediate family members are ineligible to participate in this contest. The photos will be publicly exhibited after being evaluated by the jury committee.
- 16.8 The organizer reserves the right to cancel or terminate the contest, interpret, and amend all the terms and conditions outlined in this contest's guidelines and entry form. Contest results are final and not subject to dispute by the entrants.
- 16.9 If any unresolved issues arise within these contest guidelines, the organizer reserves the exclusive authority to modify and interpret such provisions at its sole discretion.
- 16.10 In case of any discrepancies among the Chinese, Portuguese, and English versions of these guidelines, the Chinese version shall prevail.
- 16.11 The organizer reserves the right to make final interpretations and decisions regarding any disputes arising from this contest.

#### 17. Inquiry

For any inquiries, please contact Mr. Ma at +853 6682 0281 or email at [psm\\_competition@yahoo.com](mailto:psm_competition@yahoo.com).

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### Entry Form

**1. Group** (please circle the applicable group)

Youth Group / Open Group

**2. Personal Information** (as shown on ID card)

Name: (Chinese) \_\_\_\_\_ (Portuguese / English): \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of ID: \_\_\_\_\_ ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact number: (Residential) \_\_\_\_\_ (Mobile) \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**If the participant is a student, please provide the following information :**

Name of school / institution and contact number (Chinese): \_\_\_\_\_

(Portuguese / English): \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID (with a valid student ID issued by the Education and Youth Development Bureau  
or Macao higher education institution): \_\_\_\_\_

*\*The organizer reserves the right to disqualify participation if the required information in the form is incomplete or not provided in full.*

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**3. Declaration**

- ☐ I have thoroughly reviewed and understood the “Guidelines for the 33<sup>rd</sup> Macao International Fireworks Display Contest Photography Contest”, and hereby pledge full compliance with all its contents and provisions.
- ☐ I declare that all information provided in this entry form is true, and I understand that providing false information or concealing facts may lead to disqualification and potential legal consequences.

**Personal Data Collection Statement**

- The personal data collected in this form will be processed in accordance with the “Personal Data Protection Act” and used solely for the purposes of this event.
- The personal data may also be transferred to relevant competent authorities due to the fulfillment of legal obligations.
- Entrants are entitled by law to submit requests to Macao Government Tourism Office for the purpose of accessing and rectifying any of their personal data that is stored within our records.

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(Entrant's Signature)

Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / 2025