

## Submission form

1. Send your film together with the submission form and a film still until no later than **October 26, 2021** to:

Kinder- und Jugendhaus Buschhütte  
Buschstr. 53  
45276 Essen  
GERMANY

or upload your film to the internet (e.g. Dropbox) and send the download link together with the submission form to: [info@kurz-stumm-filmfestival.de](mailto:info@kurz-stumm-filmfestival.de)

2. The film must adhere to the topic: Geschichten (stories). All genres are accepted.
3. The length of a film can vary from 1 to 11 minutes (including the credits)
4. The film must not contain language. Neither spoken language nor sign language are allowed.
5. Writing is not allowed (no subtitles, no text dialog), except credits.
6. Sound is allowed, music is allowed (without vocals). GEMA restrictions for music apply.
7. The following formats are allowed: AVI, MOV, MP4, WMV and MKV.
8. Please send us a film still for publication before, during and after the festival. If your film is selected, we will use this still for the online and printed program.
9. The selected films will be shown to a public audience at the Zeche Carl on November 27, 2021 as well as streamed online on YouTube. Starting at the November 23<sup>th</sup> everyday some films will be upload on YouTube, till the November 26<sup>th</sup> 2021.
10. A stream of the entire event will be freely available on the KURZstummfilmfestival YouTube channel until December 23<sup>th</sup> 2021. After this date, the recording of the stream will be deleted. By signing this submission form, you consent to these terms, as well as to the privacy policy and terms of service of YouTube.
11. Works of filmmakers who consent to having their films remain available on the KURZstummfilmfestival YouTube channel indefinitely will be reuploaded after deletion of the full event stream recording and remain online until the filmmakers revoke their consent.
12. A jury votes on which film should win an award. Additionally, there will be an online audience award (voting to be conducted by means of text messages) and studio award (voting to be conducted in-person by the audience at the Zeche Carl). Subject to change without prior notice.
13. The award will be received either by the filmmaker(s), i.e. either a single director or the entire team.
14. All movies will be archived. Therefore, submitted materials cannot be returned.
15. The undersigned declares to hold all rights to the film and to have the authority to submit and show the film at the film festival.
16. The applicant is responsible for the costs of sending the review and screening copies to the festival.

Send any questions to: [info@kurz-stumm-filmfestival.de](mailto:info@kurz-stumm-filmfestival.de):

Additional information at: [www.kurz-stumm-filmfestival.de](http://www.kurz-stumm-filmfestival.de)

**Please complete and send the form along with the film and a film still**

Sender:

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Kinder- und Jugendhaus Buschhütte

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45276 Essen

Country: \_\_\_\_\_

GERMANY

Film title: \_\_\_\_\_

Runtime: \_\_\_\_\_

Director/Producer/Group Leader: \_\_\_\_\_

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Your email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Players/actors/participants: \_\_\_\_\_

**Publication**

1. The KURZstummfilmfestival 2021 will take place digitally from the November 23<sup>th</sup> - December 23, 2021 as well as physically on November 27, 2021.
2. By signing this form you consent to your film being screened on location as well as streamed online on YouTube, where it will also be freely accessible on the KURZstummfilmfestival YouTube channel for one month after the event. The stream recording will be deleted on December 23<sup>th</sup> 2021. By signing this form you also consent to the terms of service and privacy policy of YouTube.
3. The submitted film may be uploaded to the KURZstummfilmfestival YouTube channel in its entirety on earliest November 23<sup>th</sup> and latest November 26<sup>th</sup> and will not be deleted on December 23<sup>th</sup> 2021.
  - Yes, the film may remain online after December 23<sup>th</sup> 2021
  - No, the film must be deleted on December 23<sup>th</sup> 2021.
4. Short excerpts (up to 20 seconds) as well as film stills may be published before and after the festival (Facebook, Instagram, homepage and YouTube)
  - Yes
  - No
5. Please state all links, names and/or tags we may use to refer to you and/or your team members on Facebook or Instagram: \_\_\_\_\_

The undersigned hereby declares to be in possession of all rights to the film and has the authority to submit and show the film at the film festival. I agree to the terms and conditions of the short silent film festival (KURZstummfilmfestival) 2021.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_