

# **Categories in Competition**

The AmiCorti International Film Festival (AmiCorti IFF) presents a diverse array of categories in competition, each celebrating a unique aspect of cinematic artistry. Below are the categories in order of importance, along with the prestigious awards for each:

## 1. Best Feature Film (Lungometraggi)

- Award: Best Feature Film Award
- This category honors the most outstanding full-length film (over 40 minutes) that excels in storytelling, direction, acting, and technical execution. It represents the pinnacle of achievement at the festival.

## 2. Best Narrative Short Film (Cortometraggi)

- Award: Best Narrative Short Film Award
- Awarded to the best short film that delivers a compelling fictional story, showcasing exceptional narrative techniques, direction, and performances.

## 3. Best Documentary Film (Documentari)

- O Award: Best Documentary Film Award
- This category celebrates the best documentary, whether short or feature-length, that offers a powerful and insightful exploration of real-life subjects, events, or issues.



## 4. Best Animated Film (Animazione)

## • Award: Best Animated Film Award

 Recognizing excellence in the animation genre, this category is open to both short and feature-length animated films that demonstrate creativity, technical skill, and engaging storytelling.

# 5. Best Social Theme Short Film (Cortometraggi di Tema Sociale)

# • Award: Best Social Theme Short Film Award

• This award honors the best short film that addresses significant social issues,

raising awareness and encouraging dialogue on topics of public interest.

# 6. Best Music Video (Videomusic)

# • Award: Best Music Video Award

 Celebrating the fusion of music and visual art, this category is for the best music video that creatively interprets a song through compelling imagery and innovative direction.

# 7. Audience Choice Award

- Award: Audience Choice Award
- This special award is determined by the festival audience, recognizing the most popular film across all categories as voted by viewers. It reflects the audience's engagement and connection with the film.



## **Special Jury Awards**

In addition to the main categories, the festival may also present special jury awards for

exceptional achievements in various aspects of filmmaking, including:

- Best Director
- Best Screenplay
- Best Cinematography
- Best Editing
- Best Sound Design
- Best Production Design

These awards are given at the discretion of the festival jury to films that demonstrate

outstanding artistic or technical accomplishments.