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## 1950 - 2020: FIAP is already 70 years old!

This year FIAP is celebrating its 70th anniversary. In order to celebrate its long and fruitful influence on world artistic photography, it announces an international photography competition open to all photographers from around the world with photos taken during the year 2020. The competition is under FIAP patronage and free of charge entry. Apart from the acceptances and the medals which will count for the FIAP distinctions, the Best Author will be invited to the next FIAP Photo-meeting with all expenses paid (flight / transport costs and hotel costs).

## **Rules:**

1) This competition is organized under FIAP patronage in Luxembourg, which is the official seat of FIAP (Patronage Number 2020/505). Consequently, the participation and the rewards of this special competition will be eligible for FIAP distinctions and all the conditions under FIAP DOC 018/2017 patronage are applied.

2) The participation in this competition is free of charge.

3) There will be a mixed section with digital color or black and white images.

4) The subject is : "The world in 2020". Photos must be taken during 2020 only. On this subject is added the label "Traditional Photo" (TRAD). Definition: A "traditional photograph" maintains the original single capture image content with minimal adjustments which should not alter the reality of the scene and should appear natural. Rearranging, replacing, adding to or removing any part of the original image except by cropping is strictly forbidden. HDR (High Dynamic Range) and focus-stacking techniques, whether done in camera or post-capture, are strictly forbidden.

Photos already sent for the last FIAP "We Stay Home" competition will not be accepted.

5) Each photographer can submit up to 4 photos. Digital files should be in JPEG, 8 bit, RGB format, with the longest side 1920 pixels, 300 dpi. The size of each file should not exceed 4MB.

6) Each photograph must have a unique title. Words such as "Untitled" are not acceptable even in part of the image title, nor are camera capture file names. Photos with watermarks are not accepted.

7) Opening day: September 1, 2020 and closing day: January 1, 2021.

8) Judgment: January 31, 2021, by members of the FIAP Board of Directors (www.fiap.net). An entry may be rejected if it does not comply with the rules and conditions of the competition. The jury's decision is final and without appeal.

9) Announcement of the results: February 15, 2021. Each participant will receive by email a bulletin with the results of their photos. All results will be uploaded to the competition website.

10) FIAP will produce a PDF catalog that can be downloaded from the Web. FIAP may also consider publishing a book to commemorate its anniversary, if the photos submitted are deemed appropriate. In this case, authors may be asked to send their files in higher resolution.

11) FIAP will award 10 special prizes. The Best Author will be the participant with the highest number of acceptances. In the event of a tie, it will be decided irrevocably, taking into account the rewards awarded. It will be the subject of an invitation to the next FIAP Photo-meeting with all expenses paid (flight / transport costs and hotel costs).

12) Photos must be uploaded to the following site: www.fiap-earthin2020.net

With the sole act of submitting their images or files to a salon under FIAP Patronage, the participant accepts without exception and with no objection that the submitted images can be investigated by FIAP to establish if these obey to FIAP regulations and definitions even if the entrant is not a member of FIAP; that FIAP will use any means at its disposal for this undertaking; that any refusal to cooperate with FIAP or any refusal to submit the original files as captured by the camera, or failure to provide sufficient evidence, will be sanctioned by FIAP and that in case of sanctions following the non compliance with FIAP regulations, the name of the entrant will be released in any form useful to inform the breaches of the rules.

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