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ISA Fast Track Fellow Signs with the Savage Agency

Melissa Birks - Screenwriter

Melissa Birks and her Victorian-era thriller UNCAGED has been signed by A.J. Harris, literary agent with The Savage Agency. The script is heralded as a light Jack The Ripper origin story.



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Chicago Comedy Film Festival Screenplay Competition

Benefits:

- Winning Scripts Read By Agent at Innovative
- Table Read in Chicago
- Industry Connections

Regular Deadline:

April 15, 2023 

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Benefits:

- Pros read the winning script
- Pros consider finalist loglines
- Cash prizes

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Benefits:

- Cash Prizes for Top Prize Winners
- Exposure. Winning scripts are promoted in Scriptation for a full year.
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April 16, 2023 

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- Query Email
 - Free Entry
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April 17, 2023

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- Benefits:**
- Email to Industry Professionals
 - Free Submission to Future Competition
 - Winning Competition Laurels

Final Deadline:
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Scriptapalooza Television Writing Competition

- Benefits:**
- 50 producers reading the winners
 - We promote the winners for 6 months
 - We have great industry contacts

Final Deadline:
April 18, 2023

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Table Read My Screenplay - Hollywood

- Benefits:**
- Trip to Hollywood
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 - Live Table Read

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Creative Screenwriting Feature Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- \$3,000 Cash to The Grand Prize Winner
 - Consideration for an option by Creative Screenwriter Productions
 - Consideration for representation by Culture Creative Entertainment

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- Benefits:**
- \$2,000 Grand Prize
 - Development Assistance
 - Industry Circulation

Early Deadline:
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- Benefits:**
- \$3,000 Cash to The Grand Prize Winner
 - Consideration for an option by Creative Screenwriter Productions
 - Consideration for representation by Culture Creative Entertainment

Early Deadline:
April 20, 2023

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Emerging Screenwriters Animation Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- \$1,000 Cash
 - Career Consultation & Connections
 - Development Slate Consideration

Regular Deadline:
April 26, 2023

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Great American Script Contest

- Benefits:**
- Reads From Circle of Confusion, Innovative Artists, Kaplan/Perrone
 - Discounts To Other Fest, Contests and Events
 - Film Festival Networking Passes

Final Deadline:
April 26, 2023

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Emerging Screenwriters Suspense Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- \$1,000 Cash
 - Career Consultation & Connections
 - Development Slate Consideration

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April 26, 2023

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Emerging Screenwriters Action & Adventure Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- \$1,000 Cash
 - Career Consultation & Connections
 - Development Slate Consideration

Regular Deadline:
April 26, 2023

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Shore Scripts TV Pilot Contest

- Benefits:**
- \$6000
 - Meetings & Mentorship
 - Development Prizes

Early Deadline:
April 28, 2023

Starting at \$45
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Imaginarium Convention Screenplay Awards

- Benefits:**
- All finalists receive a full weekend pass to Imaginarium 2022
 - Awards juried by writing professionals
 - Awarded as part of our renowned Imadjinn Awards

Regular Deadline:
April 30, 2023

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Script Pipeline TV Writing Contest

- Benefits:**
- \$25,000 Grand Prize
 - Industry Circulation
 - Development Assistance

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Script Pipeline Screenwriting Contest

- Benefits:**
- \$25,000 Grand Prize
 - Industry Circulation
 - Development Assistance

Regular Deadline:
May 01, 2023

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Shore Scripts Short Film Fund

- Benefits:**
- Production Grant
 - Free ARRI equipment rental
 - Mentorship with Producer

Final Deadline:
May 02, 2023

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The Red River Script Competition

- Benefits:**
- Your Script Will Be Produced as a Short Film!
 - \$1,000
 - 5% Ownership Position in Project

Final Deadline:
May 03, 2023

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HollyShorts Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:**
- Win \$65,000
 - Get Your Shorts Produced!
 - Make great connections and have fun

Late Deadline:
May 05, 2023

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ISA Fast Track Fellowship

- Benefits:**
- TOP Level Meetings
 - \$3,500 in CASH Prizes
 - Invitation onto the ISA Development Slate for 1 Year

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May 10, 2023

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Scriptapalooza Fellowship

- Benefits:**
- Robert McKee Story Seminar
 - 6 month mentorship with producer
 - Access to 90 producers thru Scriptapalooza

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May 15, 2023

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Book Pipeline: Adaptation Contest

- Benefits:
- \$5,000 to Winner
 - Extensive project development from Pipeline's exec team
 - Long-term circulation and promotion to producers and other execs

Early Deadline:
May 20, 2023

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Film Pipeline Short Script Contest

- Benefits:
- \$5,000 Grand Prize
 - Extensive Development Assistance
 - Industry Circulation

Early Deadline:
May 21, 2023

Starting at \$35
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Book Pipeline: Unpublished Contest

- Benefits:
- \$2,500 to Category Winners
 - Immediate circulation to publishers, agents, editors, and other execs
 - Additional long-term review of other books for potential circulation

Early Deadline:
May 25, 2023

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Capital Fund Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:
- Scripts read directly by investors
 - Don't just win, get a movie made
 - Turn your script into a movie now

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June 01, 2023

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Scriptapalooza FICTION PODCAST Competition

Benefits:

- We will cast the VoiceOver actors
- Podcast will be produced
- We will try to get it green light

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Script Pipeline: First Look Project

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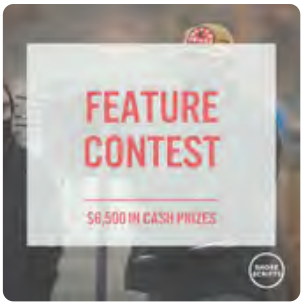
- \$2,500
- Industry Exposure and Circulation
- 1-on-1 Consultations

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Shore Scripts Feature Screenplay Contest

Benefits:

- \$6500
- Meetings & Mentorship
- Development Prizes

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The Art of Cinema Excellence Writer's Room Initiative

Benefits:

- All produced work will premiere on Acex Network and its partner's platforms
- Writer's credit towards joining the Writer's Guild of America.
- 1 Year of Mentorship and Resources

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Southern California Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- \$3,000
 - Video Calls with Hollywood Writers & Producers
 - Meetings with Hollywood Producers

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New Renaissance Film Festival (London, U K)

- Benefits:**
- A wide range of Awards
 - Professional Masterclasses
 - UK / World / Young Talent Awards

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July 31, 2023

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ISC International Screenplay Competition (Jaipur)

- Benefits:**
- Scripts Read by Industry Professionals.
 - Connect with Producers!
 - Submit in 10 Languages

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Starting at \$30
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Shore Scripts Script Development Fund

- Benefits:**
- \$3000
 - Script Development
 - Development Prizes

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October 16, 2023

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Golden Script Competition

- Benefits:**
- 1on1 Masterclass with an OSCAR and BAFTA-winner
 - 1on1 Masterclass with an EMMY-nominee
 - Get your script read by 60+ production companies & agencies

Early Deadline:
October 26, 2023

Starting at \$55
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Outstanding Screenplays Feature Competition

- Benefits:**
- The winner receives a \$5,000 GUARANTEED option.
 - 8 Oscar nominated judges - CEOs of world's top production companies
 - 8 x \$500 in Cash to each of our 9 GENRE Prize Winners.

Final Deadline:
April 10, 2023

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ISA TV Pilot Pitch Challenge

- Benefits:**
- Pitch Your Script Live
 - Industry Exposure
 - Career Tools

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Wscripted's Cannes Screenplay List presented by MUBI

- Benefits:**
- Visibility during the Cannes Film Festival
 - Recommendation to producers
 - 1 on 1 meetings at Cannes Film Market

Regular Deadline:
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Female Film Festival Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:**
- Table Reading of your screenplay
 - Full Feedback on your submission
 - Free Logline Contest

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March 29, 2023

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ISA Diversity Initiative

- Benefits:**
- Invitation onto the ISA Development Slate
 - ISAConnect Membership
 - Career Consult with the VP of Development

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International Horror Hotel Film Festival and Convention

- Benefits:**
- Championship Belt/Trophies/Plaques/Certificates

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Under 5 Minute Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:**
- Full Feedback
 - Screenplay Table Reading
 - Video Performance

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March 03, 2023

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- LookBook
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- Benefits:**
- Cash Prizes for Top Prize Winners
 - Exposure. Winning scripts are promoted in Scriptation for a full year.
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- Benefits:**
- Meeting with Marvel or HBO
 - \$45,000 in awards
 - Press

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Table Read My Screenplay

- Benefits:**
- \$1000 Cash
 - Table Read of Your Script
 - Meetings with Industry Execs

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Emerging Screenwriters Drama Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- \$1,500 Cash
 - Career Consultation & Connections
 - Development Slate Consideration

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Emerging Screenwriters Sci-Fi & Fantasy Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- \$1,500 Cash
 - Career Consultation & Connections
 - Development Slate Consideration

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25th Annual Scriptapalooza Screenplay & SHORTS Competition

- Benefits:**
- \$10,000 Grand Prize
 - 90 producers do all the reading
 - We promote the top 100 for a year

Early Deadline:
December 12, 2022

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Save the Cat! Screenplay Challenge

- Benefits:**
- 50 Points of Analysis of Screenplay (all submissions)
 - Top 5 finalists meet with one of the judges
 - 3-Day trip to LA, Flights & Hotel

Early Deadline:
November 27, 2022

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- Benefits:**
- Look Book Email
 - Free Submission to Future Competition
 - Laurels

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Creative Screenwriting UNIQUE VOICES Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- \$7,500 In Cash
 - 10 Genre Winners
 - Meditative Writing Workshop

Early Deadline:



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Emerging Screenwriters Comedy Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- \$1,500
 - Career Consultation & Connections
 - Development Slate Consideration

Early Deadline:
August 25, 2022

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Emerging Screenwriters Family & Holiday Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- \$1,500
 - Consideration for the ISA Development Slate
 - Industry Connections

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Firenze FilmCorti Festival

- Benefits:**
- First prize \$500 + InkTip package
 - Second prize Ink Tip package
 - Third prize Ink Tip package

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Table Read My Screenplay - Park City

- Benefits:**
- Trip to Sundance
 - \$1500 Cash
 - Table Read, Movies, Parties and more

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August 18, 2022

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Hot Springs Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- \$500.00 cash prize OR a videotaped reading of screenplay
 - Feedback notes for Finalists (if requested)
 - Free Pitches at Virtual Pitch Fest

Early Deadline:
August 06, 2022

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KILLER SHORTS HORROR SHORT SCREENPLAY COMPETITION

- Benefits:**
- Guaranteed reads from literary managers, producers, and executives.
 - Free Copies of Final Draft
 - Free subscriptions to Shudder

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August 05, 2022

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Bigfoot Script Challenge

- Benefits:**
- \$10,000 in cash and grants
 - Hour-long Zoom calls to discuss work and career with our Judges
 - Fellowships with top LA execs and international producers.

Early Deadline:
July 24, 2022

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Vancouver International Women in Film Festival Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- Screenplays by women/gender diverse
 - Selections receive a festival pass
 - Cash Prize

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Emerging Screenwriters Genre Screenplay Competition

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- \$25,000 in Cash Prizes
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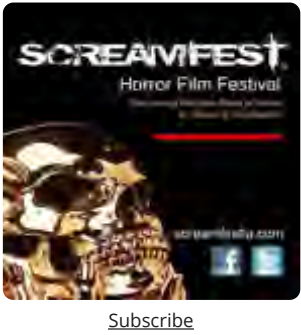
San Diego International Kids Film Festival Screenplay

- Benefits:
- Entertainment with education
 - Multicultural & International
 - Gives a voice to Kid filmmakers!

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Screamfest Horror Film Fest / Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:
- \$1,000 cash prize
 - Pros read finalists
 - Winner meets with managers and producers

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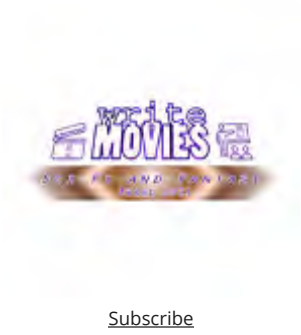
Barnstorm Fest

- Benefits:
- Receive free feedback as soon as 2 weeks from submission!
 - The Grand Jury Prize winner receives \$2500 USD.
 - Get your script in front of producers!

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May 27, 2022

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WriteMovies Sci-Fi and Fantasy Award

- Benefits:
- Guaranteed Pitching to Industry
 - Two sets of Development Notes and further advice
 - Automatic entry to the WriteMovies 2022 Writing Contest

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New Renaissance Film Festival (Amsterdam, N L)

- Benefits:**
- Good networking possibilities
 - Professional Masterclasses
 - World / LGBTQ Talent

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Cynosure Screenwriting Awards

- Benefits:**
- \$6,500 in Cash Prizes
 - Connect w/ Mentorships & Meetings
 - High Profile judges

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- Benefits:**
- Short/Feature/TV Pilot Screenplay/Film/Dcoumentary Competition
 - Cast-to-Type Live Read
 - All Screenwriters Receive FREE Extensive Valuable Industry Coverage

Early Deadline:
April 03, 2022

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Table Read My Screenplay Genre Screenplay Competition Summer

- Benefits:**
- A Professional Table Read of Your Script
 - \$6,000 Cash
 - Industry Mentors, Unparalleled Career Development & more

Mega Early Deadline:
March 17, 2022

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Mystic Film Festival

- Benefits:**
- Winners receive a personalized award and recognition
 - Top 5 finalists receive consultation with literary manager
 - ISACconnect Membership

Early Deadline:



March 05, 2022 

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WriteMovies Seasonal Screenwriting Contest



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- Benefits:**
- \$3500 cash prize
 - Free year of script development worth up to \$3200
 - Guaranteed pitching to industry

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- Winners receive a personalized award certificate & recognition
 - Publicity

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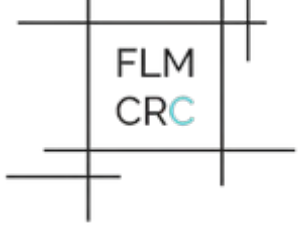
- Benefits:**
- Guaranteed Pitching to Industry
 - Two sets of Development Notes and further advice
 - Automatic entry to the WriteMovies 2022 Writing Contest

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Filmocracy Scriptwriter Showdown



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- Benefits:**
- \$250 going to first place
 - \$100 going to second and third place
 - 3 months of Filmocracy Festival Premium membership (\$99 value)

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Benefits:
Every script submitted gets registered with SWN for free.
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Guaranteed Option
Industry Exposure

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Benefits:
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Two sets of Development Notes and further advice
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Regular Deadline:
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Much More than a Script Competition

Benefits:
Prestigious International Award
Past Winners have seen their careers take off

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SWN Short Film Screenplay Competition

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- Benefits:**
- Pitch Your Script Live
 - Industry Exposure
 - Career Tools

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October 21, 2021 

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UK Film Festival: Feature Script Competition

- Benefits:**
- History of Launching Careers
 - Hosted in the heart of London
 - Championing of Winning Script

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UK Film Festival: 3 Minute Script Competition

- Benefits:**
- History of Launching Careers
 - Most Winners so far have been Produced or Optioned
 - Hosted in the heart of London

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UK Film Festival: 10 Minute (or less) Script Competition

- Benefits:**
- History of Launching Careers
 - Most Winners of 3 Minute Script Competition Produced or Optioned.
 - Hosted in the heart of London

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Universe Multicultural Film Festival Screenplay Contest



Benefits:
Celebrate diversity in film
Learn and connect
Share your story

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Big Apple Film Festival Screenplay Competition

Benefits:
Professional screenplay coverage from WeScreenplay
Opportunity to pitch script to 5 industry reps from Virtual PitchFest
Feature screenplay winners will receive an Inktip Listing

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Fresh Voices Screenplay Competition



Benefits:
Screenplay Feedback & Analysis
Script Reads/Industry Consideration
\$20,000 in Cash & Prizes

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Make Your Feature Competition

Benefits:
Land a \$25,000 cash investment to make your feature!
Thousands of dollars worth of pre and post production resources.
Yes, we ACTUALLY will make your film!

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ANIMAFILM International Animation Festival

Benefits:
Great opportunity to network with professionals in the field
Photo camera
An opportunity to participate in professional workshops

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Cinequest Screenwriting Competition

Benefits:

- Feature: \$5,000 Grand Prize
- Short Film: \$1,000 Grand Prize
- Teleplay: 2 x \$1,000 Grand Prizes

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Destiny City Film Festival Short Screenplay Competition



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Benefits:

- Cash Prize
- Industry Connections

Early Deadline:

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Creative Screenwriting ANIMATION Screenplay Competition



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- \$2000 Cash To Grand Prize Winner
- Option Consideration
- \$500 to 3 Category Finalists

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Benefits:
Winner: Best Unproduced Screenplay award at Raindance Film Festival
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(Top 10 scripts) 10-week Writers Fellowship sessions

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May 31, 2021



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Silent River Screenplay Competition

Benefits:
Rapidly growing in popularity
\$250 of in-kind prizes
6 categories based on submission deadlines

Early Deadline:
May 30, 2021



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StudioFest

Benefits:
Winner gets their feature financed and produced
Unparalleled access to industry pros during our event
Travel stipend, room , and board for on-location. VR headset otherwise

Early Deadline:
March 14, 2021



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Page Turner Screenplays - First 15

Benefits:
A phone call with one of the judges (Writer and/or Development Exec)
Winning Competition Laurels
Free submission to any future competition in 2020

FREE DEADLINE Deadline:
January 11, 2021



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South Europe International Film Festival: Valencia Edition

Benefits:
Trophy/Awards
Networking & Collaborations
Industry Professionals

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Indie Gathering International Film Festival

Benefits:
Trophies / Plaques / Championship Belt

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Apeiron Films Screenplay Contest

Benefits:
Winning short film scripts get made (directed / produced) by us.
Feedback can be requested for a fee.
Our films often tour many festivals worldwide.

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Benefits:
Prestigious Trophy Award
International Recognition
Opportunity for Potential Funding

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Free ISA Virtual Pitch Challenge

Benefits:
Pitching to Industry Pros

Final Deadline:
November 12, 2020

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Phoenix Film Festival Short Screenplay Search

- Benefits:**
- \$250 First Place Cash Prize
 - One (1) InkTip script listing and one (1) InkTip magazine listing
 - 2 VIP Passes to the 2021 Phoenix Film Festival

Early Deadline:
November 02, 2020

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International Horror and Sci-Fi Screenplay Challenge

- Benefits:**
- \$250 Cash Prize
 - One (1) InkTip script listing and one (1) InkTip magazine listing
 - 2 VIP Passes to the 2021 International Horror and Sci-Fi Festival

Early Deadline:
November 02, 2020

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Miami Intl SciFi Festival Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:**
- Final Draft software
 - Feedback Provided
 - Interaction with Judge

Early Deadline:
October 31, 2020

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Shoot Your Short

- Benefits:**
- \$5,000 Cash to Shoot Your Short
 - ISA Development Slate Invitation
 - Guidance from ISA Consulting Producers

Early Deadline:
October 29, 2020

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VAIL FILM FESTIVAL SCREENPLAY COMPETITION

- Benefits:**
- Any genre

Early Deadline:



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Table Read My Screenplay Genre Competition (Action, Horror, Mystery)

- Benefits:**
- Trip to the Austin Film Festival
 - \$1000 Cash for 6 Genre Winners
 - Table Read, Festival Pass, Parties and More

Early Deadline:
May 28, 2020 

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Sherman Oaks Film Festival

- Benefits:**
- InkTip Membership
 - Public Awards Ceremony
 - Complementary Festival Attendance

Early Deadline:
May 15, 2020 

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Screenplay Festival

- Benefits:**
- \$500 CASH Grand Prize
 - Media Recognition
 - Get Your Foot In the Door!

Regular Deadline:
April 30, 2020 

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International Film Festival of Wales

- Benefits:**
- Synopsis Featured on Official Website
 - Title of Best Unproduced Screenplay & Official Laurels
 - Physical Award with Ticket to Event

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March 28, 2020 

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East Europe International Film Festival: Warsaw Edition

- Benefits:**
- Trophy/Awards
 - Networking & Collaborations
 - Industry Professionals

Regular Deadline:
February 14, 2020

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BIFF Montana Screenwriting Competition

- Benefits:**
- Open only to Montana writers &/or screenplays with Montana locations
 - Winning screenplay gets Live Reading at BIFF 2020 in Bigfork MT
 - Feature and short screenplays judged by MT and Hollywood writing pros

Final Deadline:
February 02, 2020

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West Europe International Film Festival: Brussels Edition

- Benefits:**
- Trophy/Awards
 - Networking & Collaborations
 - Industry Professionals

Regular Deadline:
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100 SCREENPLAYS

- Benefits:**
- Limited entries
 - Winners announced faster
 - \$500 Cash Prize

Early Deadline:
December 31, 2019

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Film Invasion Los Angeles

- Benefits:**
- Complementary Film Festival Attendance
 - InkTip Membership
 - Public Awards Ceremony

Early Deadline:



December 15, 2019

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S R - SOCIALLY RELEVANT (TM) FILM FESTIVAL NEW YORK

Benefits:
Read by international pros - finalists scripts get table read
Awards by InkTip & FinalDraft, as well as readings
Socially Relevant™ stories only

Late Deadline:
November 14, 2019

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Filmaka Screenplay Competition for a Feature to be Set/Shot in the UK

Benefits:
\$25,000 prize for the winning screenplay
If a Pitch/Short wins, winner paid \$9500 to write script in 12 weeks.
The winner has the opportunity to pitch themselves as the director.

Final Deadline:
November 04, 2019

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Creative World Awards Screenwriting Contest

Benefits:
A-list Company Connections.
Production Opportunity.
Over \$30,000 in Cash and Prizes

Early Deadline:
October 16, 2019

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SHOOT YOUR SIZZLE

Benefits:
\$27,500 in Post Production Services
\$5,000 Cash
\$7,500+ in Production Mentoring

Early Deadline:
September 11, 2019

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SkyPilot One-Act Theatre Festival

- Benefits:**
- Your One-Act Play Performed in Festival
 - \$50 Cash Audience Award
 - \$50 Cash Producers Award

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September 01, 2019

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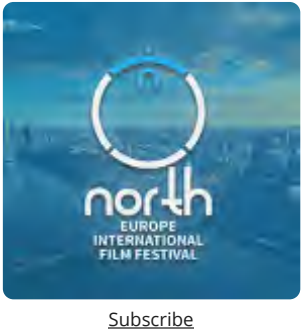


Little Screenwriters Competition

- Benefits:**
- 1500 Cash Prize
 - Written Feedback
 - Industry Reads

Early Deadline:
July 09, 2019

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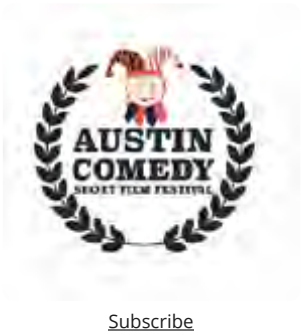


North Europe International Film Festival: London Edition

- Benefits:**
- Trophy/Awards
 - Networking & Collaborations
 - Industry Professionals

Regular Deadline:
July 05, 2019

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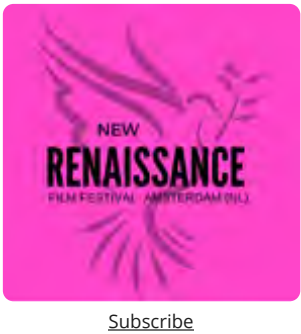


Austin Comedy Short Film Festival

- Benefits:**
- Certificate / Recognition

Regular Deadline:
June 30, 2019

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LGBTFFAmsterdam

- Benefits:**
- Good network possibilities
 - Professional Masterclasses
 - World / LGBTQ Talent

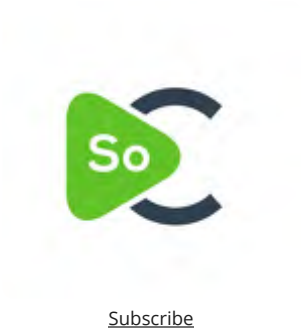
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May 16, 2019

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SoCreate's "Get Writing" Screenwriting Competition

- Benefits:
- 1st Place Wins a Laptop of Your Choice! + a "Get Writing" Writer's Kit
 - 5 Runner-Ups Receive a "Get Writing" Swag Bag

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March 29, 2019

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Screenwriting Master Contest

- Benefits:
- \$1000 Cash to Feature Screenplay Winner
 - \$500 Cash to Short Screenplay Winner
 - Feedback From Industry Professionals

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Nickelodeon Writing Program

- Benefits:
- Paid salary for 1 year
 - Hands-on development of craft
 - Considerable industry connections

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WriteMovies Screenwriting Contest

- Benefits:
- \$2500 cash prize
 - Free year of script development worth up to \$3200
 - Guaranteed pitching to industry

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Fade In Thriller Competition

- Benefits:**
- All Access Pass to the Hollywood Pitch Fest
 - GreenlightMyMovie submissions
 - meet with 200 A-list Hollywood Buyers + Reps

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May 31, 2018



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Fade In Action Competition

- Benefits:**
- All Access Pass to the Hollywood Pitch Fest
 - GreenlightMyMovie submissions
 - Meet with 200 A-list Hollywood Buyers + Reps

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SHIFT Creative Fund - Short Film Grant

- Benefits:**
- 3 Grand Prize Winners Awards, \$30,000 each
 - Free Entry
 - Production Grant

Final Deadline:
May 31, 2018



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StoryPros Awards Contest

- Benefits:**
- Competition in 5 Genre Categories
 - 3 Winners in Each Category
 - \$2,500 cash Grand Prize

Extended Deadline:
May 11, 2018



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Other Worlds Austin Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:**
- \$250 each category winner, plus additional \$250 for Grand Prize winner
 - All Winners get full script coverage from The Script Butcher
 - All winners software download for Save the Cat! screenwriting software

Early Deadline:



April 30, 2018 

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Fade In Comedy Competition

- Benefits:**
- All Access Pass to the Hollywood Pitch Fest
 - GreenlightMyMovie submissions
 - Meet with 200 A-list Hollywood Buyers + Reps

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April 30, 2018 

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Action on Film Annual International Film Fest and Writers Event

- Benefits:**
- Over \$250,000 in cash & prizes!
 - Win Production gear Support!
 - Gain exposure and have fun

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Fade In Horror Competition

- Benefits:**
- All Access Pass to the Hollywood Pitch Fest
 - GreenlightMyMovie submissions
 - Meet with 200 A-list Hollywood Buyers + Reps

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Fade In Sci Fi Competition

- Benefits:**
- All Access Pass to the Hollywood Pitch Fest
 - GreenlightMyMovie submissions
 - Meet with 200 A-list Hollywood Buyers + Reps

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WILDsound FEEDBACK Film and Screenplay Festival

Benefits:

- Full Feedback on your work
- Script/novel performed by actors
- Also have private tutoring

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February 28, 2018

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TV One Screenplay Competition

Benefits:

- Opportunity to get your movie made on TV One
- \$5000 to Winning Screenwriter (from the 3 finalists)
- 3 Finalists win a trip to ABFF 2018 in Miami, FL from 6/13-6/17/18

Regular Deadline:
February 20, 2018

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ScreenCraft Sci-Fi and Fantasy Screenplay Contest

Benefits:

- Consultation with Top Industry Pros
- \$1500 in cash prizes
- Prize for Semi Finalists!

Regular Deadline:
February 09, 2018

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ScreenCraft Screenwriting Fellowship

Benefits:

- Week of meetings w/ Execs at Five Studios
- Round-trip travel and lodging in LA
- WriterDuet Pro

Regular Deadline:
January 31, 2018

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New Hope Film Festival Script Competition

Benefits:

- High film and TV industry exposure
- Tied to prestigious film festival
- Run by artists for artists

Late Deadline:



January 26, 2018

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LA Screenwriter Logline Competition

- Benefits:
- Monthly Winners
 - Feedback on your Loglines
 - Low Entry Fee

Final Deadline:
January 25, 2018

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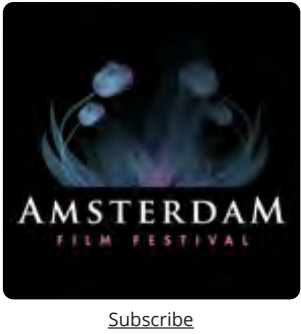
Orb Media China-Hollywood Fellowship

- Benefits:
- \$13,374 Cash Option
 - Flight & Lodging to Beijing
 - Circulation to Chinese Productions

Regular Deadline:
January 18, 2018

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Amsterdam International Film Festival

- Benefits:

Final Deadline:
December 31, 2017

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ScreenCraft Family Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:
- \$1,000 Grand Prize
 - Consultation with Literary Manager
 - Invitation to exclusive virtual writers group

Early Deadline:
November 02, 2017

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Table Read My Screenplay - Chicago

Benefits:

- Trip to the Chicago Int'l Film Fest
- Table Read of Winning Screenplay
- Script OR Career Consultation

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October 05, 2017

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WeScreenplay Feature Contest

Benefits:

- \$1000 cash prize
- Distribution to Producers, Agents and Managers
- Free Screenwriting course and software

Early Deadline:
September 29, 2017

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New England Playwrights: 10-Min Play Contest

Benefits:

- 8 Winners!
- Winning Plays Performed Live on NYE
- Focused to New England Writers

Final Deadline:
September 22, 2017

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Shortcut 100 International Film Festival

Benefits:

- \$100 Cash + Trophy/Certificate
- Bigger discount for ISAConnect Members
- Exclusive interview in Scaffolding Magazine

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StoryPros International Screenplay Contest

Benefits:

- \$2,000 Cash Grand Prize
- Top 5 Scripts Win
- Cash Prize For All Winners

Early Deadline:



August 31, 2017 

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WeScreenplay Diverse Voices

- Benefits:**
- \$1,000 Cash Prize
 - \$5,000 in Development Notes
 - Industry Reads

Early Deadline:
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ScreenCraft Short Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:**
- Introductions to key executives
 - \$1000
 - Feedback from industry judges

Final Deadline:
August 06, 2017 

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People's Pilot

- Benefits:**
- Great exposure to get you staffed!
 - Free Feedback for ALL!
 - Created by TVWriter.Com's Larry Brody

Early Deadline:
August 01, 2017 

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American Zoetrope Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:**
- Grand Prize Winner Receives \$5,000
 - Consideration for Representation
 - Oscar Winning Judge

Early Deadline:
July 31, 2017 

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Film Daily - Screenwriting Competition

- Benefits:
- Lots of categories, cash prizes!
 - Genre-Specific, Monthly winners
 - Consultation & software for winners

Regular Deadline:
July 31, 2017

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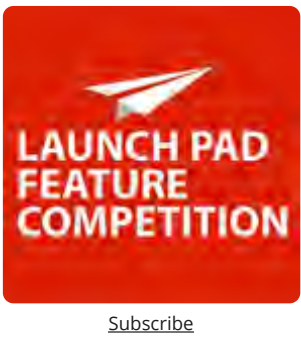


ScreenCraft Pilot Launch Contest

- Benefits:
- Consultations with top execs
 - \$2500 in cash prizes
 - TV & Web categories

Early Deadline:
July 13, 2017

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Launch Pad Feature Competition

- Benefits:
- Grand Prize Winners flown to LA
 - Meetings with Top Reps & Producers
 - Guaranteed Option & Signing Prizes

Early Deadline:
July 09, 2017

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ScreenCraft Horror Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:
- Consultations with top horror execs
 - \$2500 in cash prizes
 - WriterDuet Pro lifetime access

Final Deadline:
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Scholarship Contest "Cyberbullying experience"

- Benefits:
- Prize \$1500
 - Essays Discount

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Contest of Contest Winners

- Benefits:**
- Two Evaluations/Coverage worth \$300
 - Presented at Sunscreen Film Fest
 - Story Notes worth \$1500

Early Deadline:

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WeScreenplay Television Pilot Competition

- Benefits:**
- \$2000 in Cash Prizes
 - Comedy Central and Universal Execs on Jury
 - Distributed to Industry Members

Late Deadline:

June 16, 2017

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Hollywood Hills Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- Feature & Short Screenplay Prizes
 - TV Drama & Comedy Prizes
 - New Media Prizes

Early Deadline:

June 15, 2017

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SUNSET BOULEVARD AWARDS

- Benefits:**
- Jury Prize Best of Fest (Feature): \$800, FEEDBACK,
 - Jury Prize Best of Fest (Short): \$200, FEEDBACK,

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ISA Logline Contest

- Benefits:**
- FREE TO ENTER
 - Great American PitchFest Pass
 - Emerging Screenwriters & Table Read Entries

Final Deadline:
May 31, 2017

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Byron Bay International Film Festival Screenplay Comp

- Benefits:**
- \$2500 first prize
 - Final Draft screenwriting software
 - One of Australia's only contests!

Late Deadline:
May 11, 2017

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CineStory T V / Digital Retreat & Fellowship

- Benefits:**
- Win a Fellowship
 - One-on-One Sessions with Mentors
 - Real Writer's Room Experiences

Early Deadline:
May 08, 2017

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T V PITCHING INTENSIVE: HOSTED BY WORKING T V WRITERS

- Benefits:**
- Free ISA CRAFT COURSE
 - Free 4-WEEK TV PITCHING INTENSIVE HOSTED BY PROS
 - Free Tracking Board 1-year membership

Early Deadline:
April 30, 2017

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PAGE International Screenwriting Awards

- Benefits:**
- 31 Awards in 10 Genre Categories
 - Over \$50,000 in Cash & Prizes
 - Many Winners Optioned & Produced!

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April 17, 2017

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CineStory Feature Retreat & Fellowship

- Benefits:**
- Three one-on-one Mentor Sessions
 - Panels and Informal Sessions about the Industry
 - CineStory Fellow Earns \$10K

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FanFix - Fan Fiction Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:**
- Recording of Live Script Reading
 - Fan Fiction Festival!
 - Better deals for ISA members!

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WeScreenplay Shorts Contest

- Benefits:**
- \$10,000 Cash Prize
 - Free Scorecards for all Entrants
 - Support on Production of Film

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NYC Midnight Short Screenplay Challenge

- Benefits:**
- Writers have 48 hours
 - Assigned genre, location, object
 - Must create 5 page screenplays

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Screencraft Action & Thriller Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:**
- Consult with Die Hard Producer
 - \$2,000 in cash prizes
 - Meet our industry judges

Regular Deadline:
October 15, 2016

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Milano Playwriting Festival Call: TV Competition

Benefits:

Final Deadline:
September 30, 2016

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ScriptFest Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:**
- Pitch to 100s of execs
 - \$1,000 travel cash plus free hotel
 - \$10,000 in prizes for finalists

Early Deadline:
September 15, 2016

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Act One Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- 3-5 meetings with key industry exec
 - 1 wk all-expense-paid trip to LA
 - Financing consideration Film Fnd

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September 01, 2016

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River Bend Film Festival

- Benefits:**
- Last year was our biggest yet!
 - The entire town comes to the fest!

Early Deadline:



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Toronto Independent Film Awards

- Benefits:**
- \$2,500 towards your next film!
 - Trophy- Best Screenplay
 - Trailer Produced for you!

Early Deadline:
August 22, 2016

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TheWriteRoom Women in Media Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- Cash Grand Prize
 - We Promote Winner On Our Site 1year
 - Promote Female Writers & Characters

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August 01, 2016

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SoCal Film Festival

- Benefits:**
- Open to all genres
 - Publicity for our winners
 - Distinguished Jury Members

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Newark International Film Fest Feature Film Screenwriter's Competition

- Benefits:**
- Grand Prize awarded on national TV
 - Feedback by Oscar-nominated writer
 - Cash Prize/Industry Opportunities

Regular Deadline:
July 21, 2016

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JTIFF Short Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:**
- Exciting Industry Judges
 - \$500 for production Expences
 - Weekend Writer's Retreat in JT

Early Deadline:
June 15, 2016



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DENT Monthly Short Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:**
- Affordable entry fees
 - 3 Monthly Winners!
 - Potential Production Deal

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WeScreenplay International Screenwriting Competition

- Benefits:**
- Over \$20,000 in Cash and Prizes
 - Mentor w/ Director, VP, and Exec
 - Promotion of Winners to Industry

Early Deadline:
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Palm Street Films Annual Script Contest

- Benefits:**
- Cash Prize
 - Small Competition Field
 - Past Winners Also Got Produced!

Early Deadline:
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Industry Insider Television Writing Contest

- Benefits:**
- Meeting with AMC Scripted Dept.
 - ScriptXpert Mentoring
 - TV Pilot Bootcamp

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NextPage Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:**
- Industry Professionals Contacts
 - 14 Categories
 - Winners Promotion

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Artists Alliance Short Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:**
- Exclusively for shorts
 - Cash Prizes
 - Referral to Production Team

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Writers and Filmmakers.com

- Benefits:**
- Feature Receives up to \$20,000
 - Short Receives up to \$10,000
 - Both Winning Scripts to be Produced

Final Deadline:
February 29, 2016 

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Table Read My Screenplay - LONDON!

- Benefits:**
- FREE Trip to London!
 - Showcase of YOUR Screenplay
 - Network at BFI London Film Festival

Early Deadline:
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Industry Insider Screenwriting Contest

- Benefits:**
- Movie Magic Screenwriter 6
 - 12-weeks of ScriptXpert Mentoring
 - One-on-One meeting with Judd Payne

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Shorts For Feature

- Benefits:**
- € 2000 cash prize
 - Production
 - Distribution

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Massachusetts Independent Film Fest screenplay contest

- Benefits:**
- Media packages for all participants
 - Screenings in Cambridge, MA
 - Awards and after party

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Submit your Screenplay SYNOPSIS in 1-2 page-Win \$1000

- Benefits:**
- Make yourself discoverable
 - Sign up to show your talent
 - No Entry Fees!

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Las Vegas International Film and Screenwriting Competition



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- Benefits:**
- Feature Screenplay
 - Television Script
 - Short Scripts

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Lift-Off Film Festival Global Network

- Benefits:**
- Nomination - Lift-Off Season Awards
 - Submission in 10 Global Cities
 - Full Feedback on Your Work

Rolling Deadline:
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ScreenplayFest.com Philadelphia

- Benefits:**
- \$5000 in Prizes
 - Workshop with Robert McKee
 - The Great American Pitchfest

Rolling Deadline:
December 15, 2015



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Hamptons International Film Festival Screenwriters Lab

- Benefits:**
- One-on-one mentorship.
 - Creative laboratory setting.
 - HIFF community support.

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ALL SPORTS HOLLYWOOD FILM FEST SCREENPLAY COMPETITION

- Benefits:**
- Compete with sports genre only
 - Win Script Pipeline Subscription
 - Open doors, connect w/ the industry

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ACTS in Good Taste SCREENPLAY COMPETITION

Benefits:

- Cash Prize
- Scripts with Positive Messages
- Biographical stories welcome

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Win a Ticket to Next TV Summit & Expo - San Francisco

Benefits:

- A high-level conference
- An expo and networking event
- FREE TO ENTER

Regular Deadline:
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Scripts Get Made Short Film Script Competition: HORROR

Benefits:

- Guaranteed Production
- Cash Prize
- Red Carpet World Premiere

Early Deadline:
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Napa Valley Film Fest

Benefits:

- Top Industry Execs as Panelists
- Direct Feedback & Guidance
- Cash Award

Extended Deadline:
October 22, 2015

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Win a Ticket to The Content Show

Benefits:

- FREE TO ENTER
- Invaluable Networking Opportunities
- Incredible Industry Panels

Regular Deadline:



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Atlanta Film Festival Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- Academy Award®-qualifying festival
 - BIG Fest, Low Fees
 - Audience of nearly 27,000

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September 18, 2015

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"Hang on to Your Shorts!" Film Festival

- Benefits:**
- Only fest of its kind in the area
 - Low Entry Fees
 - Any Length from 1-45 pages

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September 10, 2015

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Avanti Productions Short Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- Cash Prize
 - Short Grand Prize Script Produced
 - Short Selected by Industry Judges

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Circus Road Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:**
- \$5000 Grand Prize
 - Industry contacts
 - Potential option to produce

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Sunset Film Festival Los Angeles

- Benefits:**
- Connect writers with producers
 - Free software
 - Pitches from virtualpitchfest.com

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Kairos Prize for Spiritually Uplifting Screenplays

- Benefits:**
- \$50,000 in Cash Prizes
 - Read by Top Industry
 - Numerous Winners Produced

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Breaking the Cycle Films Short Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- First place script is produced.
 - \$100 for second place.
 - \$50 for third place

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Scripted Project, The

- Benefits:**
- Get Scripts Produced
 - Get Writers Representation
 - Get Money

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MANHATTAN SHORT Film Festival Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- Connect with Short Film Producers
 - Receive Manhattan Short Gold Metal
 - Listed on the Manhattan Short

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Nashville Film Festival Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- Over \$60,000 in cash and prizes
 - Awards in 23 categories
 - Connect with execs and studios

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Terror Film Festival

- Benefits:**
- International Recognition Online
 - Prestigious Claw Award
 - Accepts ALL Genres

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Scriptwriters Network High Concept Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- High concept desirable to studios
 - Winners read by industry folk
 - Top 15 eligible for DreamAgo

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Scriptwriters Network Hollywood Outreach Program

- Benefits:**
- Provide script analysis
 - Access industry contacts

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Television Outreach Program

Benefits:

- Support undiscovered TV writers
- Help writers improve their craft
- Help achieve their goals

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June 30, 2015

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Marquee Lights Screenwriting Competition

Benefits:

- \$500 Cash Award - Best Screenplay
- Multiple script categories
- Lowest entry fees with cash awards!

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Brightside Tavern Shorts Fest

Benefits:

- For NYC and New Jersey writers
- Get your Short Script Noticed
- Fun at the Brightside Tavern

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Boathouse Group Screenwriting Competition

Benefits:

- One Year Agency Representation
- Cash Prizes for top three winners
- Coverage for top three winners

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Great American Short Screenplay Contest

Benefits:

- Opportunity for full scholarship
- Opportunity for partial scholarship
- Amazing learning experience!

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Atlas Awards

Benefits:

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May 01, 2015

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Launch Pad Pilots Competition

Benefits:

- Grand Prize Winners flown to LA
- Meetings with Top Reps & Producers
- Mentor Program & Guaranteed Signing

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April 30, 2015

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AURA Screenwriter Awards

Benefits:

- \$1,000 AURA Screenwriter Award
- \$500 AURA Filmmaker Award
- Competitive entry fees!

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Courier Awards

Benefits:

- \$1,000 Cash Prize
- Competitive entry fees
- Features, TV, Shorts/Web Series

Early Deadline:

March 31, 2015

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Reel Writers Screenwriting Competition

- Benefits:**
- Fast 3-tiered feedback
 - Ability to resubmit revisions
 - Industry judges

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March 30, 2015

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NewLife Film Festival

- Benefits:**
- Short, Feature, Series
 - \$500 Winner & \$350 Nominee
 - All genres accepted

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March 28, 2015

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Burbank International Film Festival

- Benefits:**
- Enter Adapted or Original Scripts
 - 7 Year Anniversary
 - Prestigious Honors

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February 28, 2015

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BVEW Screenwriters Career Lab in Costa Rica

- Benefits:**
- Win a free retreat in Costa Rica!
 - Table read in NYC
 - Learn from industry mentors

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Firereel Film Festival

- Benefits:**
- Largest film festival in NorCal
 - Enter short and feature scripts
 - 4th year anniversary

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Baltimore Screenwriting Competition

- Benefits:
- Free entry!
 - Cash prizes!
 - 10 year anniversary!

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January 20, 2015

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Big Island Film Festival Feature Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:
- Judging by industry professionals
 - opportunity for feedback
 - share your creative talents

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Italy International Film Festival

- Benefits:
- International Filmmaker Award
 - Industry Professionals
 - Partner opportunity's

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Comedy Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:
- Cash Prizes
 - Industry Contacts
 - Management Option to Winners

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Peachtree Village International Film Festival

Benefits:

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December 19, 2014 


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SHORT SCREENPLAY CONTEST

Benefits:
Shorts - 15 pages or less!
Industry Contacts to Winners
Cash Prizes

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TOP TEN TV SHOW FILM FESTIVAL

Benefits:
Cash Prizes!
Hollywood Connections
Comic Book Series

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Women In Cinema International Screenplay Competition

Benefits:
Exclusively for women
Cash prizes
Skype pitch to an executive

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GoKinema Script Competition

Benefits:
Script Shot in 3 Interpretations
Write for Famous Filmmakers
Golden Ticket to GoKinema Events

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Columbia Gorge International Film Festival

- Benefits:**
- Fiscal Sponsorship
 - Grants
 - Event Participation

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Holiday Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:**
- Only Holiday Themed Contest
 - Cash & Industry Contacts to Winners
 - 7th Anniversary - 2014

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168 Write of Passage

- Benefits:**
- Critiqued by Development Executives
 - Speed-writing
 - Biblically based themes

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October 09, 2014 

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Writing for the Future

- Benefits:**
- Win prize money
 - Feedback on your script
 - Possibility to have story produce

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September 05, 2014 

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VOCATIV Short Script Competition

Benefits:

- Your film made in Nollywood
- \$1,000
- Wide online exposure

Final Deadline:
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ONE IN TEN SCREENPLAY CONTEST

Benefits:

- 2014 - 16th Anniversary
- Promoting GLBTQ themed scripts
- Many sold winning scripts

Regular Deadline:
September 01, 2014

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ISA BUNDLE! Table Read My Screenplay & The Launch Pad

Benefits:

- 2 Contests - 1 Entry Fee
- Trip to London FF w/ table read
- Winners Enter the Industry - REALLY

Final Deadline:
August 07, 2014

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Lorne Film - Australian Screenwriter Award

Benefits:

- \$10,000 Cash Prize
- 1 Year Industry Level Mentoring
- Structured Development Guidance

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Horror Screenplay Contest

Benefits:

- #1 Rated Horror Screenplay Contest
- Over \$5,000 in cash and prizes
- 2014 - 7th Anniversary!

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Open Door Pictures - Annual Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:**
- Over \$5,000 in Prizes
 - Script made into a MOVIE & PROMOTED
 - Producer 1-on-1 Consultation/Notes

Early Deadline:
July 14, 2014 

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Omaha Film Festival

- Benefits:**
- Get Your Script Read to Audience
 - Meet Notable Industry Pros
 - Win, Attend, AND Learn

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July 07, 2014 

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72 Script Fest

- Benefits:**
- Winning Screenplay will be Produced
 - Winner Receives \$250
 - Up to Two Runner Ups produced

Regular Deadline:
June 12, 2014 

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Buffalo Dreams Fantastic Film Fest Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:**
- Focus on Genre based themes
 - All reviewed by writers/filmmakers
 - Finalists receive All Festival Pass

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Sidewrite Short Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- Cash Prizes
 - Festival Networking Opportunities
 - Public Table Reads for Finalists

Regular Deadline:
May 15, 2014

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Nantucket Film Festival's Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- Up to \$7,000
 - Mentor's Brunch, Showtime reception
 - Nantucket Screenwriters' Colony

Regular Deadline:
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KCWIFT Short Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:**
- \$1,000 Cash Prize to the Winner
 - Staged Reading at KC Film Fest

Extended Deadline:
February 21, 2014

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COMEDY NINJA Film Festival and Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:**
- L.A. film industry exposure
 - Read by top industry judges
 - Run by filmmakers for filmmakers

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Possibly the Best Screenplay Contest Ever

- Benefits:**
- Winning script produced into film!
 - Hollywood exec's choose the winner
 - Professional Industry Feedback

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Hollywood Screenplay Contest

- Benefits:
- Exclusive Advisory Meetings
 - Annual Memberships
 - Software Packages

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Words on Screen

- Benefits:
- Cash Prizes
 - Production of the 3 winning scripts
 - Feedback for every submitted script

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CineStory Screenwriting Awards

- Benefits:
- Win Year-Long Fellowship
 - 4-Day Writer's Retreat
 - 3 One-on-One Mentor Sessions

Early Deadline:
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YouPix.org: Where Scripts get a Shot!

- Benefits:
- Your Script Produced!
 - Our team credited in over 80 films
 - Feedback on your script

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Extreme Short Script Contest

Benefits:
Winning Short Script Produced

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Chicago Screenplay Contest

Benefits:
Scripted - Pro Lifetime Membership

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October 31, 2013

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African Film Commission Screenwriting Competition

Benefits:
Read by 5 Intl film companies
Optioned by African Film Commission
Cash Prize

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Reality TV Format Awards

Benefits:
Delivers Actual Deals To Finalists
Guaranteed Review By Producers
Industry Wide Exposure

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Cristal Festival International Scriptwriting Contest

Benefits:
Web series
Short

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IMLC Quarterly Logline Contest

- Benefits:
- 140 character limit
 - Peers select winner
 - Help creating logline

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Lady Filmmakers Film Festival - SHORT Script Contest

- Benefits:
- Awards and Panels
 - Screenings, Music, and Art
 - Screenplay Contest

Final Deadline:
August 07, 2013

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Slamdance Screenplay Competition

- Benefits:
- Grand Prize
 - Feedback/Coverage

Late Deadline:
July 29, 2013

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British Independent Film Festival

- Benefits:
- Prestigious Screenwriting Prize!
 - Leicester Square Premieres!
 - Famous After Party!

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Ohio Independent Screenplay Awards

- Benefits:**
- Three CASH Winners
 - National Recognition
 - Press for your work

Early Deadline:
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Just Effing Entertain Me Screenwriting Competition!

- Benefits:**
- CASH
 - 3 Nights Accommodations in LA
 - Industry Meetings and Connections

Regular Deadline:
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FOX - NYTVF Comedy Script Contest

- Benefits:**
- \$25,000 & guaranteed deal with FOX
 - 25 Finalists invited to NYTVFest
 - It's FREE to submit

Final Deadline:
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Big Star Screenwriting Competition

- Benefits:**
- Feature Film Scripts
 - 5 Categories
 - Consultations

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MyTeeVee's One-Minute Monologue Initiative

- Benefits:**
- Get your work performed by actors
 - Get paid for your efforts
 - Expose your work to a prod. company

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