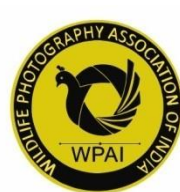


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FOTOFLASH CIRCUIT 2023 (DIGITAL)

Circuit Chairman – Kanchan Raikwar

APSA, PPSA, F. HKNPS, Hon. MP. HKNPS, Hon. WPG, A. WPG, AISF,
GPA. PESGSPC, Hon. FWPAI, WPAI Gold, IIPC GOLD

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Sections – Monochrome (PIDM), Monochrome – Theme - City Life (PID),
Color (PIDC), Color – Theme - People (PIDC) & Photo Travel (PTD)

Entry Fee for Entrant		
Any two section	Euro 20	INR 1500
Each additional sections	Euro 8	
All Sections	Euro 40	INR 2100

The Group Discount will be given on 5 entrants - 10%, 10 entrants – 15% and more than 20 entrants - 25% discount will be available on total entry fee.

Remittance Details for Overseas Entrant: Entry Fee would be paid by
PayPal OR by Swift Transfer
PayPal id- jcmcircuits@gmail.com

Remittance Details for Indian Entrant: Entry would be paid by
Online Transaction (NEFT, IMPS etc.)

Bank Account Details:

Bank Name: Yes Bank Ltd.

Branch Name: Mayur Vihar

Swift Code: YESBINBBDEL

Account Holder: JCM Photographic Society

Account no. – 044994600000864

Account Type: Saving A/C

Circuit Calendar Dates: Closing Date – 15th September 2023

Judging Date – 28 th till 30 th September 2023	Entrant NOTIFICATION DATE – 14 th October 2023
Latest Date for Filing EDAS Report – 30 th October 2023	Mailing of Awards – 29 th November 2023
pdf Catalog published – 29 th November 2023	Online Exhibition Gallery – 29 th November 2023
PDF downloadable from web site by exhibitors.	

Judging will be offline - Clubs Name & Judges Name:

1- JCM – Delhi

Chitrangad Kumar - India – FPSA, MPSA, AFIAP (Judging all sections)

Sarabjit Kaur – India - APSA, PPSA, BPSA, AFIP (Judging all sections)

Ravi Puntambekar – India – AFIAP, AFIP (Judging all sections)

2- Kalakumbh Photography Club – Dewas

Anurag Badoliya – India – EFIAP, EFIP, Hon. PESGSPC, GPA. PESGSPC (Judging all sections)

Mahendra Rathore - India - AIIPC, INDORE UNIVERSITY PHOTOGRAPHER, Hon. WPAI (Judging all sections)

Akhil Hardia - India – EFIAP, EFIP-Gold, FIIPC, (Judging all sections)

3- LAKE CITY CAMERA CLUB – Udaipur

Sudhir Saxena – India - EFIAP/d1, EFIP/g-nature, (Judging all sections)

Sruti Saxena – India - EFIAP, FFIP, EFIP/gold (Judging all sections)

Munindra Trivedi – India - AFIAP, AFIP, GPU CR1 (Judging all sections)

FOTOFLASH CIRCUIT 2023 AWARDS

Award List Judging -1 (For all 5 sections)

MONO-OPEN	MONO-THEME-CITY LIFE	COLOR-OPEN	COLOR-THEME-PEOPLE	PHOTO TRAVEL
FIAP Gold	FIAP Gold	FIAP Gold	FIAP Gold	FIAP Gold
FIP Gold	FIP Gold	FIP Gold	FIP Gold	FIP Gold
WPAI Gold	WPAI Gold	WPAI Gold	WPAI Gold	WPAI Gold
JCM Gold	JCM Gold	JCM Gold	JCM Gold	JCM Gold
JCM Silver	JCM Silver	JCM Silver	JCM Silver	JCM Silver
JCM Bronze	JCM Bronze	JCM Bronze	JCM Bronze	JCM Bronze
GPU Gold	FIAP Ribbon-2	FIAP Ribbon-2	FIAP Ribbon-2	FIAP Ribbon-2
FIAP Ribbon-2	FIP Ribbon -5	FIP Ribbon -5	FIP Ribbon -5	FIP Ribbon -5
FIP Ribbon -5	E-Certificates-5	E-Certificates-5	E-Certificates-5	E-Certificates-5
GPU Ribbon -2	E-HM- 2	E-HM- 2	E-HM- 2	E-HM- 2
E-Certificates-5				
E-HM- 2				

Award List Judging -2 and 3 (For all 5 sections)

MONO-OPEN	MONO-THEME-CITY LIFE	COLOR-OPEN	COLOR-THEME-PEOPLE	PHOTO TRAVEL
FIAP Gold	FIAP Gold	FIAP Gold	FIAP Gold	FIAP Gold
FIP Gold	FIP Gold	FIP Gold	FIP Gold	FIP Gold
WPAI Gold	WPAI Gold	WPAI Gold	WPAI Gold	WPAI Gold
JCM Gold	JCM Gold	JCM Gold	JCM Gold	JCM Gold
JCM Silver	JCM Silver	JCM Silver	JCM Silver	JCM Silver
JCM Bronze	JCM Bronze	JCM Bronze	JCM Bronze	JCM Bronze
FIAP Ribbon-2	FIAP Ribbon-2	FIAP Ribbon-2	FIAP Ribbon-2	FIAP Ribbon-2
FIP Ribbon -5	FIP Ribbon -5	FIP Ribbon -5	FIP Ribbon -5	FIP Ribbon -5
E-Certificates-5	E-Certificates-5	E-Certificates-5	E-Certificates-5	E-Certificates-5
E-HM- 2	E-HM- 2	E-HM- 2	E-HM- 2	E-HM- 2
FIAP BLUE PIN, BEST OF INDIAN ENTRANT, BEST OF CLUB				

“E- Certificates & E-HM will not be surface mailed by exhibition and these will be available through online downloads.”

Awards (FIAP Gold, FIP Gold, GPU Gold, WPAI Gold, JCM Gold, JCM Silver & JCM Bronze, FIAP Ribbon, FIP Ribbon and GPU Ribbon) will be posted.

ADDED EXHIBITION CONDITIONS:

- ENTRIES to be submitted as digital file by online through our website: <https://jcmcircuits.com/>, for result, you can visit it.
- If Entry fee is not received, the entry will not be judged and the entry will be cancelled.
- All Acceptances of entrants will be shown in the website gallery and one can visit on: <https://jcmcircuits.com/>
- Accepted and Awarded images obtained in WPAI Patronage Circuit / Salon will count towards WPAI Distinction and Honors.
- An author may win only one award in each section.**
- WILL ABIDE BY THE PSA GLOBAL RULES OF FIVE EMAILS ANNOUNCEMENTS OF THE EXHIBITION.
- Webmaster for this exhibition – Raju Sutradhar. Email id - raju@stintsolution.com
- Monochrome Theme (City Life) – PIDM-Definition** - Life as experienced in a city, especially when contrasted with that in a small town, village, etc.; the lifestyle regarded as typical of the inhabitants of a city. **Only Monochrome images are allowed in this section.**
- And Color Theme (People) – PIDC- Definition** - People’s Activity which includes men, women and children as a whole in accordance as is the case with an ethnic groups or nation. **Only Color images allowed in this section.**

Note: Titles of Digital Images are not read at time of Judging

FIAP CONDITION OF ENTRY:

1. The exhibition is open to anyone all over the world; however, an entry may be rejected when the sponsoring organization, in its reasonable reason, believes that the entrant does not conform to the exhibition rules and regulations.

NO ALTERNATION IN NATURE, PHOTO TRAVEL

2. It will be organized under the approved rules and acceptance will count for FIAP, FIP, WPAI & GPU.
3. There are no restrictions as to subject matter except as outlined in the rules and definitions of specific sections.

"With the sole act of submitting his/her images or files to a salon under FIAP Patronage, the entrant 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 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 in that case 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. It is recommended to leave the EXIF data in the submitted files intact in order to ease eventual investigations"

4. In order to have legal authority on those who do not respect the rules of FIAP, all participants in our event must tick a box next to which the following text is stated:

- The new applicable document now is FIAP DOC 018/2017
- I hereby expressly agree to FIAP agree to FIAP document 018/2017 << Conditions and regulations for FIAP Patronage>> and <<FIAP document 017/2017>><<Sanctions for breaching FIAP regulations and the red list>> I am particularly aware of chapter II <<Regulations for International photographic events under FIAP patronage>> of FIAP document 018/2017, dealing under Section 11.2 and 11.3 with the FIAP participation rules, the sanctions for breaching FIAP regulations and the red list."
- The text FIAP document FIAP DOC 018/2017 must be linked to the attached document
- **IMPORTANT: Participants who do not tick the box must be excluded from the contest. If needed, FIAP can request a report showing that specific participants under investigation have de facto tick that box.**
- "Entries must originate as photographs (image-captures of objects via light sensitivity) made by the entrant on photographic emulsion or acquired digitally. By virtue of submitting an entry, the entrant certifies the work as his own (aliases are not permitted).
- The entrant permits the sponsors to reproduce all or part of the entered material free of charge for publication and/or display in media related to the exhibition. This may include low resolution posting on a website,
- A mixed entry of slides and digital images in the same section are not allowed
- The Jury reserves the right to withhold some awards if the quality of submitted photos is not satisfactory.
- The image size must be maximum 1920 pixels wide and 1080 pixels high, the files must be in JPEG format at 300dpi, File size within 2 MB.
- An entrant's four images will be distributed throughout four rounds of judging in that section.
- All entrants in must provide name and country data exactly the same in each exhibition entered to receive proper credit.
- The Organizer will take all possible care while posting the awards, however we assume no liability for damages or loses during shipment.
- **ENTRIES WILL NOT BE JUDGE WITHOUT ENTRY FEE.**

FIAP / FIP DEFINITION OF MONOCHROME:

A Black and white work fitting from the very dark grey (black) to the very clear grey (white) is a monochrome Work with the various shades of grey. A black and white work toned entirely in a single color will remain a Monochrome work able to stand in the black and white category; such a work can be reproduced in black and white in the catalogue of a salon under FIAP Patronage. On the other hand, a black and white work modified by a partial toning or by the addition of one color becomes a color work (polychrome) to stand in the color category; such a works requires color reproduction in the catalogue of a salon under FIAP Patronage.

FIAP / FIP DEFINITION OF COLOUR PHOTOGRAPHY:

Entries must originate as photographs (image captured of objects via light sensitivity) made by the entrant on photographic emulsion or acquired digitally. Pictures on any subject including creative or experimental Images can be submitted.

Use of Computer-generated graphics is totally restricted excepting Creative thematic section.

All element of the image must have been shot by the author. No part of the image should have been taken from Net or other person's image. Use of some filters available on net is permissible.

Same images either color or mono in two different sections of the same Salon will result in

disqualification for both the images.

FIAP / FIP DEFINITION OF PHOTO TRAVEL:

Photo Travel image must express the characteristic features or culture of a land as they are found naturally. There are no geographic limitations. Images from events or activities arranged specifically for photography, or of subjects directed or hired for photography are not appropriate. Close up pictures of people or objects must include features that provide information about the environment. Techniques that add, relocate, replace or remove any element of the original image, except by cropping, are not permitted. The only allowable adjustments are removal of dust or digital noise, restoration of the appearance of the original scene, and complete conversion to grayscale monochrome. Other derivations, including infrared are not permitted. All allowed adjustments must appear natural.

- 1.** A travel image depicts features of a culture, place or people as found naturally, anywhere in the world.
- 2.** Images of individuals or group must show their environment or location.
- 3.** The image should not be a SET UP image and it should not be a directed image.
- 4.** It should not be from a PHOTO WORKSHOP where a troupe dances for the workshop organizer or HORSE are made to run in dust or water or an individual shows his acrobatics on payment of a fee.
- 5.** Many monasteries have religious festivals with dances etc, and it is perfectly legal to submit such images though you may have paid an entry fee. Same is true for ballet and other stage shows.
- 6.** Images shot at fairs where the subject is obviously posing for you, with or without payment, is only good for pictorial section. On the other hand, a candid image is good for PT section.
- 7.** Techniques that add, relocate, replace or remove any element of the original image, except by cropping, are not permitted. Conversion to infrared, either by digital technique or by original technique is not allowed. Stitching of two or more image is not permitted.
- 8.** Complete conversion to grayscale Monochrome is allowed but without partial or complete toning.
- 9.** It is perfectly legal to remove dust, flares or digital noise. Minor global colour / tone correction is OK as long as it is not selective and the final image looks natural but not dramatic. Dodge and Burn tool is for you only but use it judiciously. Correction of perspective is perfectly legal. Techniques like panning, slow shutter speed or in exposure zooming are part of your creativity. Filters like Polarizers and NDs are ok but Star effect or rainbow filters are illegal.
- 10.** Drone photography is OK as long it is legally permissible in that part of the world. In India use of DJI Mavic Mini model of Drone is perfectly legal, except in areas where Drone Photography is prohibited by the authorities like National Parks etc.
- 11.** Finally, be sensitive to the community or people whom you are shooting. Care for your subjects and care for your fellow photographers as well. If someone doesn't wish to be photographed, please respect the person's feelings and greet her or him with a sweet smile before parting ways.