

DRAWING OF THE YEAR 2016

International Student Competition

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Drawing Requirements

Only digital works are accepted

Size of drawing: No more than 100 x 100 cm

The resolution of all submitted drawings must be at least 300 dpi when scaled to A4 (210 x 297mm) in one of the following formats:

JPEG, PNG, EPS, PDF, TIFF

Max file size: 1GB

We also ask you to submit a film showing how you made your drawing or any inspirational supplement to your drawing. Film length: no more than two minutes. The film will NOT be part of the evaluation, only a part of the exhibition.

Deadline for submission: 1 November 2016

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Jury members:

Eva Franch i Gilabert_(US)

Sergei Tchoban_(DE)

Kasper H. Frandsen_(DK)

Torben Nielsen_(DK)

Prizes: 1st prize 5000 Euro 2nd prize 2000 Euro 3rd prize 1000 Euro

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