



## 17th International Golden Saffron Photo Contest

### **Subject:**

Cultural Heritage and Preservation

Sub-theme: “Moral Dynamics of Our Civilization“

### **Purpose of the Contest:**

The aim of the contest is to draw attention world heritage sites which is joint responsibility of whole world and to protect facing extinction intangible cultural heritage.

### **Organization:**

Executive of the 17th International Golden Saffron organization and Photo Contest is held by Safranbolu Municipality.

### **Section/Themes:**

The competition has onecategorization: Digital (Digital) Color> DC.

### **Conditions of Entry:**

- Participation to the contest is free.
- Competition; Members of the Selection Committee , TFSF representative of the Secretariat of the Competition Council Safranbolu and outside personnel; at least 18 years of age at the application deadline is open to all professional and amateur photo enthusiasts.
- Each participant a maximum of 4 (four) digital (digital) can participate with color work. Contestants can use any kind of traditional or modern photographic techniques freely.
- Will be submitted to the competition jpg / JPEG format, at 150-300 dpi resolution, compression quality should be recorded in 7-12 ; the size of each photo file should be not little than 2 Mb and not larger than 4 Mb.
- The competition will be accepted only works downloaded from the following directions from the address or addresses directly [www.tfsfonayliyarismalar.org](http://www.tfsfonayliyarismalar.org) [www.altinsafran.org](http://www.altinsafran.org). Print, CD / DVD or mail (e-mail) with the participation will not be accepted.
- Participants of the works sent to the contest is taken by itself, is wholly owned and accept the receipt of all permits, and warrants. The photo sent to the competition, although the building itself does not belong to any kind of demonstration and evaluation board intended to deceive as he was about participants who intervened and changes, violation of operation rules apply.
- The disqualified individuals shall be subject to sanctions further to Article 13 of the Regulations of National/International Competition Organization Standards of the TFSF. The award, title, and any kind of earnings obtained from the contest shall be withdrawn from the competitors who are found to be acting outside of this statement and provisions. The FIAP is also informed of the circumstances.

- If participants violate the competition conditions, their awards will be cancelled. The award will not be replaced with a new one and the ranking and award will be left empty.
- The participants, who are in the list of limitation decision according to TFSF/PAFT (Photographic Arts Federation of Turkey) rules clarified above and are at FIAP's Red List, cannot participate to this contest
- By entering your photographs into a competition that has patronage to FIAP, whether you are a FIAP member or not, you are accepting in advance that where it is deemed necessary FIAP may evaluate suitability according to its own rules and definitions, FIAP may investigate by using all facilities and techniques available.
- 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 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. It is recommended to leave the EXIF data in the submitted files intact in order to ease eventual investigations.
- All parts of the image have to be photographed by the author who is holding the copyright of all works submitted.
- Decision taken by Festival Committee with the instruction of competition regulatory standards will be valid for the situation which is not mentioned in the contract.

### **Copyrights – Use of the Photographs:**

- Awarded (medal & mention) and Accepted photographs will be kept at Safranbolu Municipality archives. Safranbolu Municipality will have the right to use these photographs for promoting purposes (uncommercial) with the Photographer's name and copyright fee will not be paid to owner of the photograph.
- Organizers accept that necessary permissions are granted by photographers participating to this competition for portrayed people or land. Any disputes arising from use of the photographs (with Photographer's name) in printed or electronic media (web, e-mails) in this manner will be solely the Participant's responsibility.
- Awarded (medal & mention) and Accepted photographs will be announced and featured at [www.safranbolu-bld.gov.tr](http://www.safranbolu-bld.gov.tr), [www.altinsafran.org](http://www.altinsafran.org) web sites and results will be e-mailed to participants. Printed exhibition will also be managed by organizers according to the space criteria's of exhibition halls. In addition, Awarded photographs will be announced at [www.tfsf.org.tr](http://www.tfsf.org.tr), [www.tfsfonavliyarismalar.org](http://www.tfsfonavliyarismalar.org) web site and printed on TFSF (Photographic Arts Federation of Turkey) album "Almanac 2016".

- Safranbolu Municipality, may request the original file of the photo exhibition of the winners or participants.
- The people who send their works to the contest represents and agrees that belong to the works themselves. Safranbolu Municipality, allowing their photos of the participants and will not accept any responsibility for the copyright.
- Architecture which is used as an object in the photo, artwork, copyright liability of things like human faces, etc. belong to the competitors. The people who send their works permit is required in this regard taken by themselves, the responsibility for all disputes that may arise and declare that they undertake on their own. Safranbolu municipality accepts no responsibility in this regard.
- All awards will be send to award owners by post. Safranbolu Municipality will not be held responsible for damages occurring during transfer.
- A digital album containing awarded photographs, mentions and acceptances will be prepared and be available for download at [www.altinsafran.org](http://www.altinsafran.org) and [www.safraibolu-bld.gov.tr](http://www.safraibolu-bld.gov.tr) web sites by November 2016. In addition, a printed album with awarded photographs, mentions and acceptances will be prepared and be sent to award, mention and acceptance owners, jury members, TFSE/PAFT (Photographic Arts Federation of Turkey), Photography Clubs in Turkey, FIAP Head Office and to M. Emin Tan Photography Library at Balikesir, Turkey.

### **Participation:**

- Participation to this competition is only available via online participation. Any alternative submission method (e-mail, cargo, post, hand delivery) will not be accepted.
- Online submission of the contest photographs is possible only by using the web pages below and following the membership and the photograph submission procedures.  
Turkish > <http://www.tfsfonayliyarismalar.org/>  
English > <http://www.tfsfonayliyarismalar.org/en/>
- Registration is necessary in order to load photographs on the given page. Activation of the account can be done by clicking the activation link sent to your e-mail address after your registration. Those who already have an account can use their old usernames and passwords.
- Size of the photographs and their titles must be determined beforehand and be kept ready to be loaded on the web page at one single session.
- Photographs should be sent without mat and/or canvas. Photographs containing Photographer's name, mark, logo, date or signature will be rejected.
- The photographs must be in jpg/jpeg format at 150-300 dpi resolution, saved in 7-12 compression quality. Each file should not be less than 1 Mb and should not exceed 4 Mb in size.
- The titles of each photograph files must not exceed 31 letters. Turkish characters (Ç, Ğ, İ, Ö, Ş, Ü, ç, ı, ğ, ö, ş, ü) cannot be used in the title. English letters and underscore (\_) can be used.
- All letters, except the ones in "country code" and "section (theme)", must be in lower case.

### **File Naming:**

1. **Step:** The first two characters of the file name must be the country code (“TR” for Turkey). For the country codes please check:  
<http://www.fiap.net/docs/divers/ISO-CODES-en.pdf>
  2. **Step:** The Country Code must be followed by Author’s name, maximum in 5 characters (Example: For “Omer Eril Yilmaz” it can be “omery” or “oeril” or “erily”).
  3. **Step:** Following the Author’s name, “Section/Theme” abbreviation must be added. For “Digital: Color” > DC.
  4. **Step:** The sequence number of the photograph (1 to 4) must be typed in numbers. After this number an “underscore” ( \_ ) must be added.
  5. **Step:** After the underscore, the title of the photograph must be typed, not exceeding total number of character limitation (total 31 characters). In case of using more than one word for title, underscore ( \_ ) must be added between the words. **Example;** The Author from Turkey, “Omer Eril Yilmaz”’s work for “Digital: Color” section, title as “City and cultural heritage” with sequence number “1” will be titled as; “TRoeyilDC1\_city\_and\_cultural\_heritage”.
- Any problem experienced during online registration or uploading process due to system or due to participants, while participation to competition should be reported directly to [onlineyarismalar@tfsf.org.tr](mailto:onlineyarismalar@tfsf.org.tr). Responsible authorities will return back to claim owners with information related to problem in due time. Please keep in mind that it is not possible to participate to competition by sending photographs to the said address.
  - Safranbolu Municipality cannot be held responsible for possible problems during registration or upload processes.

### **Calendar:**

Starting Date	: 02.06.2016
Closing Date	: 19.09.2016, at 23:00 local Turkish time
Jury Meeting	: 22.09.2016
Results	: 24.09.2016
Printed Exhibition	: 01.10.2016
Award Ceremony	: 01.10.2016

### **Jury (Alphabetical):**

1. Bahadır ACAR Safranbolu Municipality Cultural and Social Affairs Directorate
2. Prof. Dr. Adnan ATAÇ Photograph Artist, FSK - TR
3. Ass.Prof. Dr. Ömer GEMİCİ Photograph Artist, BASAF, TR
4. Fikret ÖZKAPLAN (AFIAP) Photograph Artist, FSK - TR
5. Firdevs SAYILAN (AFIAP) Photograph Artist, FOTOGEN, TR

The jury meets at least with 3 people.

**TFSF Representative:** Hüseyin SARI

**Awards:**

First	FIAP Gold Medal + 5000 TL + Golden Saffron Prize Statuette
Second	FIAP Silver Medal + 3000 TL + Golden Saffron Prize Statuette
Third	FIAP Bronze Medal + 2000 TL + Golden Saffron Prize Statuette
Safranbolu Special Award	+ 1000 TL + Golden Saffron Prize Statuette(only a photograph taken in Safranbolu)

FIAP Mention (6)

Exhibition (maximum 35, but not more than 30% of the participation)

FIAP Best Author (overall best score in terms of awards, mentions and acceptances)

**Secretariat:**

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Our contest is approved by TFSF (Photographic Arts Federation of Turkey),FIAP (Federation of International Art Photograph).TFSF/PAFT Patronage No: (TFSF/PAFT 2016-065), FIAP Patronage No: (FIAP 2016-384).

Award (Medal & Mention) and Acceptance points can be used during FIAP title applications.

During the competition, TFSF Representative will be available.



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