Documentary in Europe Is Calling for Your Project

For the 10th time the international documentary event Documentary in Europe is gathering Producers, Directors, Commissioning Editors, Distributors and other documentary professionals to discuss, watch and present documentary films and projects. If you have a documentary project with an international appeal you can submit it either for the Pitching Forum, which is for developed documentary projects, or the Match Making session, which is for documentary ideas at an earlier stage. Documentary in Europe takes place on July 5-8, 2006 in Bardonecchia, close to Torino, Italy.

The Pitching Forum

Documentary in Europe will once again seek to promote the production of new documentary proposals by organizing a Pitching Forum. Up to 15 projects will be selected to participate. The participants will be required to attend a 2-day preparation lab on July 4-5 with the opportunity to re-write the project presentation under guidance from international experts. The pitching of the projects will be on Saturday 8 in front of an international panel of Commissioning Editors. The participation fee is: first participant with project 280 Euro, second participant/observers 250 Euro. A 20% reduction is given to members of EDN, doc.it & F.E.R.T.

Match Making

At the Match Making session filmmakers will present their documentary ideas to European professionals. The session gives an opportunity for authors and directors to introduce themselves to the documentary world and test their ideas. The aim is to create a link and common language between newcomers and established professionals. The selected documentary ideas will be introduced in the special Match Making sessions on July 6-7. A preliminary introduction will be given to all participants on Wednesday 5. The price for participation is 200 Euro, second participant/observers 160 Euro. A 20% reduction is given to members of EDN, doc.it & F.E.R.T.

Submitting a project

In order to qualify for selection to one of the above sessions please send an English **2-page presentation** of your documentary proposal. Please be sure to include:

- title, name of producer, production company and director, length, format
- synopsis & treatment with visual approach and reflections on the narrative
- the total budget amount & a brief financing plan
- production plan/time of delivery
- short CV & filmography of company and director
- contact details on producer/production company and/or director

When submitting a project for the pitching forum, please include visual material.

Deadline for submitting your project is June 1st.

Your 2-page proposal should be send via email to documentary@docineurope.org. Please forward a VHS/DVD copy of your visual material to:
Documentary in Europe
Via Pesaro 24/D
10152 Torino,
Italy

For further information on Documentary in Europe please refer to <u>www.docineurope.org</u>

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