



8TH PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST

OBJETIVO ÁFRICA

A POSITIVE VIEW OF THE DECADE

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We're looking for photographs from the last ten years that best portray the positive aspects of Africa.

 **10** AÑOS
YEARS
ANS
CASA ÁFRICA 2007 – 2017

Send your images before 13 December and help us spread the word about Africa and Spain growing ever closer. There are 1,200 euros in prizes.

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Check the terms & conditions and participate at casafrika.es/objetivoafrica

RULES

Casa África has announced its 8th Photography Contest “Objetivo África” which will award prizes to photographs which best portray the positive aspects of the African continent. This year, we are commemorating the first 10 years of Casa África, where we work to promote the infinite realities of the continent beyond the stereotypes often associated with it. This year’s theme is therefore linked with time. We want the competition to be a celebration of the past 10 years in Africa and we will accept images taken in Africa since 2007 that reflect or communicate positive stories.

First. Participants

1. Any person of legal age can take part in the competition. Under no circumstances may they have any kind of working and/or professional relations with Casa África
2. Participation by the competitors implies the acceptance of these rules and is subject to the judges’ final decision
3. Each participant expressly authorises Casa África to reproduce, distribute and publicly communicate the images submitted, as well as to adapt them to the necessary medium for their communication. These images will form part of Casa África’s archive, which may only be used by them for non-profit documentary purposes. This authorisation does not grant Casa África exclusivity, and the authors may use their own images as per their own criteria. In the event that Casa África uses an image in public communication events, the author’s name will always be mentioned
4. In cases that differ from those specified in the previous section (1.c.), Casa África will manage those corresponding rights with each author

Second. Subject

The 8th Photography Competition Objetivo África is searching for the photographs which best express the positive aspects of the African continent. This year’s theme is linked with time: we want the competition to be a celebration of the past 10 years in Africa and, therefore, we will accept images taken in Africa since 2007.

Third. Procedure and selection

1. Photographs can be entered for the competition from 10 October to 13 December 2017 (inclusive)
2. Each applicant may participate with a maximum of five (5) photographs. To do this, you must send them either as attachments or through a file exchange system (such as WeTransfer or Dropbox) to redes.sociales@casaffrica.es. Photographs should be sent in JPEG format with a minimum resolution of 200 dpi and file-size between 1.5 MB and 5 MB. The participant’s following personal details should be included:

- Name & Surname
- Contact telephone
- Email address
- Date of Birth & nationality
- ID No., passport or Foreign residence card
- Address, Post Code, Town and Country
- Title & description of each photograph
- Date & place where each photograph was taken

Competitors that do not include these details in the message could be excluded from the competition

3. We also value the creativity and innovation of the technique used and the way the message is transmitted. The photograph’s description and title will also be valued under these criteria
4. The jury will be made up from renowned professionals from the field of the arts. Its composition will be communicated once the decision is published and they will meet shortly after the reception period for the photographs ends. The jury’s decision will be published on Casa África’s website (<http://www.casaffrica.es>) and on the social networks where Casa África is present
5. Casa África reserves the right to declare the competition void if the number of images presented were not enough or in the case that, in the jury’s opinion, the artistic level or reason for the photographs does not fit in with the competition’s rules or objectives
6. The photographs must not have been awarded prizes in any other competition

Fourth. Prizes

1. Each image could obtain one of the following prizes:
First prize: 800 €
Second and third prize: 200 € each one
2. The authors of the prized photographs will be notified of their prize via the email address given for communication
3. The winners must respond to the message received accepting the prize. If no response is received within five working days from when the email is sent or if the email address is incorrect or non-existent, the prize will automatically pass to the following photograph chosen by the jury

4. Payment of the prize will be subject to Spanish tax legislation in force at the time of payment, regardless of the winner's country of tax residence
5. The winners will be able to receive the prize via a bank transfer or a money transfer service. The transfer fees will be charged at the destination account

Fifth. Data Protection

The competition's contestants and participants are informed and authorise that personal data given when enrolling into the competition, without which they could not take part in the competition, will be incorporated into an automated file, which is held by the Casa África Consortium, and will be used only so as to allow them to take part in the competition.

Sixth. Rights of exclusion

Casa África Consortium reserves the right to rule out and exclude participants from the competition in the following cases:

- If they enrol with false data. Due to this, participants may be requested to verify their data
- If they fraudulently or artificially manipulate their participation in the competition

- If the jury consider that the photographs do not fit in with the subject matter set out; contain elements that in any way could be considered contrary to fundamental rights and public freedom; they induce, incite or promote criminal, slanderous, violent actions or that are generally against the law, morality or good customs generally accepted in public order; they are protected by any copyrights or intellectual rights belonging to third parties, without the participant having acquired previous legal permission from the holders beforehand; they violate the right to honour, personal or family privacy or the image of people themselves; they could be considered advertising or have a virus or other elements that could damage the normal functioning of the network, system or computer equipment
- If any of these rules are not complied with in any way

Seventh. Exoneration of responsibility

The Casa África Consortium will be exonerated and will not be responsible for the failure of the participant to comply with copyright, intellectual property ownership or that of image, as well as any responsibility that could arise from this failure or defective compliance by the participants of these Competition rules.



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Casa África is a Spanish foreign policy instrument, dedicated to promoting relationships between Africa and Spain and improving mutual knowledge. For this purpose, Casa África encourages cooperation and long-lasting relationships through joint political, economic, cultural, academic and social activities and programs.

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