

# NEW DIRECTOR LOTUS SHORT FILMS BY THE FABULOUS FIVE

## ELIGIBILITY

1. Entrants must be directors or assistant directors based in Asia and the Pacific, including Australia, New Zealand, and Middle East.
2. Eligible Directors must have started their career after March 2017.
3. Scripts which might offend national or religious sentiments or public taste are not eligible.
4. Previous Fabulous Four directors are not eligible for script submission.

## PROCEDURE

Each entrant submits (free of charge) a script for a 5-minute short film under the theme, "TMRRW.TDAY", the theme of ADFEST 2019. All scripts will be read by the Film Craft Lotus & New Director Lotus jury panel, who will independently vote for 5 of their favourite scripts. Scripts will be sent anonymously to all juries with no information on the identities of the directors to ensure greatest fairness and transparency.

The 5 directors whose scripts receive the highest scores will be notified by ADFEST to produce the short film of the scripts they submitted. The short films will be debut at ADFEST 2019.

ADFEST will provide return economy airfare, ground transportation, accommodation, and full delegate registration for these 5 selected directors to attend ADFEST 2019 to debut and discuss their short films at the Fabulous Five session on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> March 2019.

**IMPORTANT:** Each entrant must send a signed script submission form along with the script to verify they meet the eligibility criteria.

## SCHEDULE

NOW – Fri 4 Jan	Entrants submit a script (in English) in word document format for a 5-minute short film of their interpretation of "TMRRW.TDAY", theme of ADFEST 2019. <u>Note:</u> Each Director/Assistant Director can only submit one script.
Mon 7 Jan- Fri 25 Jan	Film Craft & New Director jury panel members vote for their favourite 5 scripts.
Wed 30 Jan – Fri 1 Feb	Confirmation of the Fabulous Five New Directors.
Fri 1 Feb – Fri 8 Mar	Short film production <u>Note:</u> There is no production subsidy provided by ADFEST.
By Fri 8 Mar	Deadline for all hi-res short films and 30-second trailers to ADFEST
Tue 19 Mar	The Fabulous Five arrive in Pattaya
Wed 20 - Sat 23 Mar	ADFEST 2019
Sun 24 Mar	Departure from Pattaya

## FOR MORE INFORMATION

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