



International Permafrost Association

IPA Photo Contest

Rules & Regulations

GENERAL

These rules and regulations are final on all matters relating to the *IPA's Photo Contest*. By applying, all entrants agree to be bound by these rules and regulations.

ELIGIBILITY

- ✧ The contest is open to all members of the international permafrost research community and their collaborators;
- ✧ Contestants must be willing to sign the *Photographer-IPA Agreement Form* and be proprietors of their submission;
- ✧ Participation in the contest constitutes entrants full and unconditional agreement to abide by these contest rules and regulations;
- ✧ Contestants must be at least 18 years of age.

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

- ✧ Photos and applicable forms must be submitted by email to Jen Humphries (contact@ipa-permafrost.org);
- ✧ Contestants may submit up to three (3) photos;
- ✧ Submissions must consist of your highest resolution digital photos in .JPG or .TIFF format;
- ✧ File names must include the contestant's first and last name (e.g., `firstname_lastname1.jpg`);
- ✧ Submissions must be accompanied by a caption for each photo, including the location, date taken and name of any recognizable person appearing in the photograph;
- ✧ All entries must be accompanied by a signed *Photographer-IPA Agreement Form*;
- ✧ Any entry that depicts a recognizable person must be accompanied by a *Model Release Form*;

DEADLINE

Photos must be submitted before **Sunday, January 31, 2021**.

JUDGING

Entries will be judged on originality, composition, overall impact, and other criteria. The judging panel will be composed of two IPA representatives.

PRIZES

Best Photo: \$100

2x Runners Up: \$50

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