

Photographic Society of America –Electronic Imaging Division



Interclub Competition

Guidelines/ Procedures

This competition will be held four times each competition year, beginning in the fall. Judgings will be in November, January, March, and May. (The times and number of competitions may be modified in subsequent years by the Chair of EID Interclub Competitions.) Any club that is a PSA member may chose to compete as a club, with honors awarded to individuals, and to the clubs with the highest accumulated points for the year. The photographs will be digital only (traditional film images scanned into digital format or direct from digital cameras), and will meet PSA's general requirements for photographs entered into exhibitions. (The photographic work must be the maker's, commercial clip art is not allowed, etc.) The category is General, and includes Alterations.

Each club may enter up to 6 images per competition from 6 different makers. (A full complement for one season would be 24 images. Only one image from the same club maker per competition is allowed. Members who are also members of other competing clubs may also enter from the other club.) Make-up images are not eligible for honors. No more than one month's images may be made up in one season. Once an image has been entered into the Interclub Digital Slide Competition, it is ineligible for re-entry in this competition only, even from another club.

A host club is defined as the club running one of the designated competitions. (Host clubs usually are participants of the EID competition.) If a host club uses judges from outside of their club, the host club may enter the regular number of images for that competition, excluding any make-ups. If the host club chooses to use their members for judges, the host club may not enter any images for that competition, but can elect to enter make-ups in any of the other competitions for that season. Because of the special situation, these "host club" make-ups are eligible for awards.

One club member shall be designated as the club representative, and will be responsible for uploading the images to the web entry site, and receiving emails and ribbons from the chair. Interested clubs can join the competition by providing the designated contact information to the Chair.

Qualifications for Images

Each competing club representative shall upload the qualifying images to the designated website.

Each image must have the following maximum size:

Horizontal images will be no more than 1024 pixels wide or 768 pixels tall.

Vertical images will be no more than 768 pixels tall.

(Unless your image proportions are in the exact ratio of 4 to 3, one of these dimensions will be less than the maximum. The images will be projected as received, as long as not over the maximum.)

Save the file in jpeg format only. (There are no file size restrictions.)

sRGB color space is recommended for optimum results. File name restrictions are only those that are designated on the entry web page. The web site will send an automatic response back to the representative, confirming entry. If entries are submitted after the closing date for the competition, they may refused acceptance.