

AACTA PITCH: ACTION! Terms and Conditions

1. ENTRANT ELIGIBILITY

1.1 An individual entrant must be either:

- (a) an Australian citizen; or
- (b) an Australian resident, being a person who is lawfully domiciled in Australia, and who has actually been in Australia, continuously or intermittently, for more than one half of the year immediately preceding the application.

1.2 Entrants must be over the age of 18 to participate

1.3 Entrant consists one person only who has created and executed the screen test entry.

1.4 Participation in AACTA PITCH: ACTION! and any related activities, including travel, is at the entrants' own risk.

2. SUBMISSION ELIGIBILITY

Entrants may submit 1 submission per entry to AACTA PITCH: ACTION! by visiting <https://www.aacta.org/aacta-pitch-action/> and completing the entry form and supplying specified supporting material before the listed deadline of Sunday 26 April 2020 at 5:00pm EST ("Submission").

2.1 To be an eligible entry, the Submission MUST:

- (a) be wholly owned (the all intellectual property) by the entrant. No proxy Submissions will be accepted;
- (b) Consist of a single shoot screen test that is based on the script provided by AACTA, which has then been uploaded to YouTube, Vimeo or AACTA TV entry portal
- (c) include the YouTube or Vimeo URL link for submission (if the entrant has not uploaded directly to the AACTA TV entry portal)

- 2.2 Correct entry information is the responsibility of the entrant. Entrants warrant that all of the information provided, including the information provided on the AACTA PITCH: ACTION! entry form is true and correct.
- 2.3 By submitting to AACTA PITCH: ACTION!, entrants automatically grant AACTA a non-exclusive, royalty free license to use the Submission (in whole or in part) for PR and the marketing purposes
- 2.4 Each entrant can submit an entry up to 6 times. Any entries over the first 6 submitted will not be considered for judging.

3. SHORTLISTING AND FINALISTS

- 3.1 Submissions will be reviewed and shortlisted by a panel made up of AACTA executive and consultants ("Panel").
- 3.2 Up to 10 finalists will be selected, with those entries to be reviewed to determine the winner by the AACTA Pitch: ACTION judging panel ("Judging Panel"). Finalists will be notified via email on Friday 1 May 2020, and their submissions will then be viewable on AACTA's YouTube channel.
- 3.3 Decisions by the Judging Panel are final.
- 3.4 The winning finalist ("Winner") will be notified by email on Wednesday 6 May, 2020.

4. PRIZES

- 4.1 Winner will receive:
 - (a) \$500 cash prize;
 - (b) Casting Networks Australia 1 year premium subscription;
 - (c) A professional head shot package;
 - (d) A virtual meeting with Aran Michael from Aran Michael Management, to be scheduled at times agreed upon by both parties;
 - (e) Two tickets to the AACTA Awards Ceremony & Official After Party to be held in Sydney on Wednesday December 9 2020
 - (f) \$500 RRP worth of Manfrotto product (to be chosen from Manfrotto.com.au)
 - (g) Interview and profile piece on AACTA Connect – AACTA's online content hub
 - (h) Written feedback from judging panel
- 4.2 All prizes are non-transferable and cannot be redeemed for cash

5. GENERAL

- 5.1 Entrant consents to the publication of their name if the entrant is shortlisted or the winner.

- 5.2 Any Submission that does not comply with these terms is invalid.
- 5.3 Beneficiary of any prize accept the prize 'as is' and acknowledge that AACTA does not accept any responsibility for any tax implications that may arise from their receipt of any prize. Beneficiaries should seek independent financial advice.
- 5.4 AACTA reserves the right to verify the validity of any Submission and any entrant and may disqualify any entrant whom AACTA has reason to believe has breached any of these terms.
- 5.5 Failure by AACTA to enforce any of its rights at any stage does not constitute a waiver of those rights.
- 5.6 Nothing in these terms limits, excludes or modifies or purports to limit, exclude or modify the statutory consumer guarantees as provided under the *Competition and Consumer Act* or or similar consumer protection laws in the states and territories of Australia ("Non-Excludable Guarantees").
- 5.7 Except for any liability that cannot by law be excluded, including the Non-Excludable Guarantees, AACTA and its their related entities are not responsible for and exclude all liability (including negligence), for any personal injury; or any loss or damage (including loss of opportunity); whether direct, indirect, special or consequential, arising in any way out of: (a) any technical difficulties (whether or not under AACTA's control); (b) any theft, unauthorised access or third party interference; (c) any entry or prize claim that is late, lost, altered, damaged or misdirected (whether or not after their receipt by AACTA) due to any reason beyond the reasonable control of AACTA; (d) any variation in prize value to that stated in these terms; (e) any tax liability incurred by a beneficiary of a prize; (f) use/taking of the prize
- 5.8 In these terms "AACTA" means the Australian Film Institute (ABN 17 006 725 266)