

43th ELCHE INTERNATIONAL INDEPENDENT FILM FESTIVAL (FICIE)

NEW DATES: 24 TO 31 JULY 2020

RULES

Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, FICIE is forced to vary the dates of registration, screening, Closing Gala and the cancellation of the parallel activities planned for this edition. Likewise, for security, hygiene and capacity control reasons, the only screening venue will be the official one, the "Hort del Xocolater" park in the city of Elche.

The track record will also undergo a modification. The 2nd Edition of the School Pitch for students of the Communication Degree of the Miguel Hernández University will not be able to be carried out since there are no pre-production works planned.

Below, we provide the new key dates:

KEY DATES FOR THIS EDITION

- Deadline for short films: from the date of publication of these rules until 23:59:59 (spanish time) on 10 May 2020
- Selected communication Official Section: second half of June 2020
- Sending the selected digital files: In the first half of July 2020
- Communication of the Projection Calendar: In the first half of July 2020
- Venue for the screenings of the Official Section and the Mostra't sections: "Hort del Xocolater" Park.
- Screenings of the Mostra't Sections (non-competitive): From 24 to 30 July 2020 between 21:30 and 21:45 (spanish time)
- Screenings in the Official Section: From 24 to 30 July 2020, from 9.45 p.m. (spanish time)
- Closing Ceremony: 31 July 2020, at 22:00 (Spanish time)
- The prize money amounts to 15,000 euros.
- At the jury's discretion and with the organization of the festival as a partner, a spanish short film from the Official Section will be a finalist at the Reykjavik International Film Festival in its 2020 edition. See below.