

## Film for Inclusion! A Youth For Inclusion Contest

Are you a young person 18 to 30 years old? Do you have an Instagram account? Would you like to showcase positive stories about migration and the fight against racism in Greece? Do you feel like competing for a 500 Euro gift card for photographic equipment? If your answer to all that is 'Yes!', then keep reading..

### Contest Topic

The "**Film for Inclusion**" contest focuses on the inclusion of refugees and migrants in Greece's social, economic, cultural and political life. It is a quest for positive stories of women, men and children and of inclusion practices, examples and policies, promoting social cohesion within the country's local communities.

### How To Enter

- From **May 21 to July 5, 2020**, you'll need to post an original video that should last from a minimum of 30 seconds to a maximum of 1 minute. Upload that post on **your personal Instagram account** along with a short presentation of yourself and using the [@actionaidhellas](#) and #CiakMigrationVideoGR tags.
- Send us the link at [contest.hellas@actionaid.org](mailto:contest.hellas@actionaid.org) along with your full name, your age and a paragraph describing who you are and what you do.
- Forward and share that video on Instagram and prompt engagement with your followers.

This contest will run simultaneously in Greece, Italy, Hungary and Austria as part of the [CIAK MigrACTION](#) campaign against racism and discrimination in the public discourse. It is financed by the European Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund (AMIF). Together with the winners from Italy, Hungary and Austria, the winner will attend a Live Digital Event at which s/he will receive his/her prize.

### More on the Topic

The need for solidarity and international cooperation has emerged as more urgent than ever due to the global health crisis that we are experiencing. More than ever, it has become obvious that we live in an intertwined world, in which needs are similar for all. It is understood that it is imperative to create strong communities that show resilience to crises without excluding anybody. Polarisation and xenophobia need to be fully ousted and replaced by the inclusion and integration of all refugees and migrants living in our country.

A society in which every person enjoys social, civil and economic rights, while also fulfilling their responsibilities as active global citizens - that is the society we want to live in. In today's Greece, positive examples of social inclusion and integration are rare. Contest participants are invited to showcase stories, practices, examples and policies regarding the inclusion of women, men and children, **which advocate social cohesion in our country's local communities.**

Young people should play a key role in informing society and shaping public opinion; what is more, in this internet era we live in, the video medium has grown into a fundamental tool of story-telling. It helps us convey messages, relate to a cause, take on action that will change the world. This contest aims to

promote a positive narrative of migration as one of the requisite steps to take towards societies that are just and inclusive.

## **Prizes**

The contest's **first prize** is a gift card for photographic equipment worth 500 Euros (including delivery expenses). In the framework of the CIAK MigrAction campaign, the winning video will also be featured on ActionAid's social media as well as at film festivals.

Selection of the first place winner will take place based on the post's interaction (likes and sharing) by 60%, and the decision of a dedicated jury, by 40%.

The jury consists of the 4 communication managers for the CIAK Migration campaign in Greece (ActionAid Hellas), Italy (WeWorld – GVC), Austria (Sudwind) and Hungary (Artemiczio Foundation).

The winner will also receive a guest's invitation to the 14th Terra di Tutti Film Festival held annually in Bologna, Italy, a festival spotlighting documentaries, short films and social content films on human rights. Travelling there is optional and subject to the national and European measures against the spreading of COVID-19.

## **Types of Entries**

Videos submitted for the purposes of this contest should last a minimum of 30 seconds and up to a maximum of 1 minute and should positively depict refugee and migrant inclusion in our country.

Video entries and their descriptions can be submitted in either Greek or English at [contest.hellas@actionaid.org](mailto:contest.hellas@actionaid.org).

Previously published videos cannot be entered in the contest.

Entries including racist, sexist or homophobic content will be rejected.

In the event of pictures or interviews taken, **it is imperative to ensure that you have the consent of the exposed person(s) and that their privacy is not breached.**

## **Contest Duration**

Videos to be entered in the contest can be posted during the period between **Wednesday, May 21, 2020, and Sunday, July 5, 2020**. Judging criteria will apply up to July 5 and results will be announced on **July 10, 2020**. Contestants will need to promote their videos using their own personal accounts.

## **Contest Participation Rights**

Only natural persons aged **18 to 30 years old** (as at the date of the Contest's opening) have the right to participate in this Contest - regardless of nationality. People from vulnerable groups are particularly encouraged to submit their entries.

### **Contest Terms**

The winner will be announced on the ActionAid website on July 10 s/he will also be notified by email at the electronic address indicated when s/he submitted the video. The prize is personal and cannot be exchanged with money. If the first winner declines the prize, ActionAid reserves the right to award the prize to the first runner-up. ActionAid may cancel the Contest, modify its terms or alter its dates and deadlines - on serious grounds - and shall not be held liable if, due to reasons originating in an event constituting force majeure, it is unable to fulfil its obligations regarding the prize. ActionAid employees, their first and second degree relatives, either by blood or affinity, and the spouses thereof are exempted from participating in the Contest.

### **Use of Personal Data**

By participating in the Contest, the participant is construed as providing his/her explicit and full consent to having his/her personal data entered in a register to be kept by ActionAid, in accordance with the provisions of Law 4624/2019, as applicable. Each participant reserves the right to ask the Organisation in writing to erase his/her personal data from the aforementioned register. Contest participants provide their consent and authorise ActionAid to advertise the Contest and its outcome, as well as the video in which they may be present, via radio broadcasts, print and digital media and/or the Internet. Participation in the Contest presupposes and entails the unreserved acceptance of all Contest terms and conditions.