



Photography Contest 2024

Information & Rules

Description/Overview:

Photography offers a mode of creative communication as well as a lens into the communities we inhabit and visit. Photographs can capture a range of moments and expressions, people, places, and events. As such, the Office of Academic Affairs and Center for Excellence in Teaching & Learning would like to invite all University of Detroit Mercy community members to submit digital photographs for consideration as part of an ongoing annual photography contest. The contest is open to faculty, staff, students, and administrators to celebrate and display



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Community Standards

- The photo must not contain material that violates or infringes another's rights, including but not limited to privacy, publicity or intellectual property rights, or anything that constitutes copyright infringement.
- The photo must not be a promotion of brand names, trademarks, or social media account(s).
- The photo must, in its entirety, be a single work of original material taken by the contestant.
- The photo must not contain content that is inappropriate, indecent, obscene, hateful, tortuous, defamatory, slanderous or libelous.
- The photo must not contain material that promotes bigotry, racism, hatred or harm against any group or individual or promotes discrimination based on race, sex, religion, nationality, disability, sexual orientation or age.
- The photo must not contain material that is unlawful, in violation of or contrary to the laws or regulations in any state where the photo was created.

Conditions of Entry:

All entrants hold the Sponsors and their respective regents, directors, officers, employees, emeriti, fellows, interns, research associates, and volunteers (the "Indemnified Parties") harmless from and against all claims of any nature arising in connection with entrant's participation in the contest and acceptance or use of a prize. The Indemnified Parties are not liable for any costs, damages, injuries, or other claims incurred because of entrants' participation in the contest or winner's acceptance and usage of a prize. The Indemnified Parties are not responsible for incomplete or misdirected entries, technical or network malfunctions or failures, or causes beyond their control. Entrants are solely responsible for their entries. Entrants may not submit materials that introduce any software viruses, worms or other programs designed to damage software, hardware or telecommunications equipment or are off-topic, partisan-political, contain advertising, nudity, personal attacks or expletives, or is otherwise abusive, threatening, unlawful, harassing, discriminatory, libelous, obscene, false, sexually explicit, or that infringes on the rights of any third party. The contest is void where prohibited or restricted by law. The University of Detroit Mercy reserves the right to cancel the contest or modify these rules at its discretion. In the event of a dispute regarding the winners, UDM reserves the right to award or not award the prizes in its sole discretion. UDM reserves the right to disqualify any entrant whose entry or conduct appears in any way to: inhibit the enjoyment of others; tamper with the competition; violate these rules or other applicable law or regulation; infringe on the rights of third parties; or act in an unsportsmanlike or disruptive manner. Decisions of the University of Detroit Mercy are final and binding.

Questions

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