

DUMNA
PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST- 2017
(October 28-29, 2017)

Highlights

- First Prize (1) Rs 51000/-
- Second Prize (1) Rs 31000/-
- Third Prize (1) Rs 21000/-
- Fighter Award (5) Rs 5000/- each
- Photography for the contest will be carried out in Dumna Nature Reserve only on 28th and 29th October 2017.
- Staying facilities will be provided to participants from outside Jabalpur District.

1. ELIGIBILITY

1. The Digital Photo Contest (“Photo competition”) is open to all professional and amateur photographers who are Citizens of India. Only individual entries will be entertained.
2. Images that have won prizes in prior competitions, or have been used for commercial purposes and/or been published will not be eligible.
3. This is “ON THE SPOT PHOTOGRAPHY” Contest. Photographers are required to take photographs at Dumna Nature Reserve on the dates specified -28th and 29th October, 2017 for online submission by 12 hrs on 1st November 2017.
4. Images can only be submitted online on website of Jabalpur Smart City Limited (www.jscljabalpur.org) only.

2. SUBMISSION OF ENTRIES

1. Images of not more than 30 MB in size must be submitted online and the organizer may request for higher resolution images subsequently. Participants will be notified via email to submit their original images within a week for judging.
2. Submitted images should be in JPEG format and at least 1,600 pixels wide for a horizontal image or 1,600 pixels tall for a vertical image. Images that have been digitally altered beyond standard optimization (removal of dust, cropping, reasonable adjustments to exposure, color and contrast, etc.) will be disqualified.



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3. Each participant can submit up to 05 images.
4. Digital manipulation that distorts the reality of the images will not be allowed. Only basic enhancements such as sharpening, contrast adjustment, or simple cropping will be allowed.
5. If you choose to include any individual in your photographs, you will be responsible for obtaining the necessary permission from the individuals depicted, and providing the copies of such permission to the organizer.
6. The organiser reserves the right to reject images with incomplete details required under the photo submission page. The submission deadline is 1st November 2017 upto 12 hrs.
7. All submissions will be the asset of Jabalpur Smart City Limited (JSCL) with publication rights. The file name for each image should be clearly labeled with the participant's name.
8. Participants are entirely responsible for all entry-related costs.
9. Staying arrangements at Jabalpur will be made for participants from outside Jabalpur district. Such participants should inform the organizers about the date and time of their arrival and departure.
10. Refreshment and Lunch will be available at DUMNA Nature Reserve on payment basis.

3. COPYRIGHT / INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

1. Each image submitted must be the original and unpublished work of the participant who must also be its copyright owner.
2. By submitting an image for the competition, the participant will be regarded as having granted the organizer the right to use the image in print, broadcast and/or electronic media without any fee payment, for the purposes of promoting the competition or areas related to the organizer's work including: Urban planning and design , Conservation of Environment, Eco Tourism, Architecture etc
3. Where any image is so used by the organizer, the participant will be acknowledged accordingly.



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4. Images received through the competition may be used by the organiser in any publication.

5. PRIZES

1. Prizes are non-transferrable and non-exchangeable for cash or in kind.
2. The organiser reserves the right to change or replace the competition prizes and/or modify the rules and regulations of the competition as and when necessary, without prior notice.

Winners will receive prizes as follows

1st Prize	Rs 51,000/-	(1)
2nd Prize	Rs 31,000/-	(1)
3rd Prize	Rs 21,000/-	(1)
Fighter awards	Rs 5000/- each	(5)

5. JUDGING AND RESULTS

1. The images will be selected by a panel of judges and their decision will be final. No correspondence pertaining to the selection process and decision will be entertained.
2. The panel of judges will evaluate the images based on the following criteria originality, technical excellence, composition, overall impact, artistic merit visual appeal. and subject matter relevance
3. Results of the competition will be uploaded on the provided Link of Jabalpur Smart City Limited (JSCL) and will also be made available in the Media and the individual winners will be informed via email.

6. ACCEPTANCE OF RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. By submitting an image for the competition, the participant will be regarded as having accepted and agreed to be bound by the rules and regulations of the competition.
2. While the organiser will exercise due care during the collection, selection and storage of images, it shall not be held liable for any loss, theft or destruction of the images.

7. ORGANISERS

1. The DUMNA PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST-2017 is being organized by Jabalpur Smart City Ltd (JSCL) Jabalpur .



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8. DISPUTES

You agree that any and all disputes, claims and causes of action arising out of, or connected with the Photography Contest or any prize awarded shall be resolved individually, without resorting to any form of legal action, and decision of the organizing committee will be final.