



THE DOCUMENTARY FILM PROJECT IN LA LOUVIERE, BELGIUM

The 5sur5 Festival invites 5 young filmmakers from Europe to take on a challenge; to make a documentary film in just a few weeks. Five directors, 3 Europeans and 2 Belgians (one French speaker and one Dutch speaker) are selected and invited to live together for five weeks and to take part in a residential film-production project. **Transportation, food and lodging, as well as all crew and equipment involved in the shooting and editing are provided so that each director can produce their own film.**

The following rules and conditions must apply:

- The film must be based on a pre-determined and pre-selected topic. This topic will change yearly.
- The film must be shot in the region of La Louvière **(for 4 films) and a fifth one, in Mons, another city in the province of Hainaut (Belgium)**

The project will take place on the 28th August till the 3th of October 2014.

The theme is “JE VEUX “ “I WANT “

The theme for 2015's festival is “Je Veux “ in French. “I want”

« Je Veux » will be the theme of the « Decrocher La Lune » , a big openair shows which takes place in the streets of La Louvière.

What are we looking for in life in general? Sun, diversity, social mixing, human heat, love?

“I want ! but

Not as a whim

Not as a self-obsessed demand

Not as derisive envy

But I want

as a collective shout, a cry of love, a cry of desire

as a positive anger

as the desire to rebel against the fatality

as the good impulse to change things

The selection process

The non-Belgian candidates will be selected in collaboration with the European Capitals of Culture. The 5 sur 5 festival is a cinematic project of Mons 2015 - The European Cultural Capital.

Requirements to apply

- Must have experience in filmmaking
- Must be capable of directing a technical crew
- Must be between 20 and 40 years of age.
- Must be able to work well with others
- Must be able to work under pressure
- Knowledge of English or French preferred

How to become one of the participants

The candidate's application must include the following information:

- A curriculum vitae
- A cover letter explaining why you should be selected
- A completed application form
- Previous work (DVD format,links, vimeo)

The submission deadline is May 8, 2015

Please send application package by mail to

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