

SankofaSpirit

Looking Back to Move Forward

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Movies with a Mission 2009 Season Atlanta, Georgia and Chicago, Illinois

Submission Information & Procedure:

About MWM:

In 2004 **SankofaSpirit** created its film series, Movies with a Mission to counter the myths and negative images of people of African descent so often promoted by Hollywood. Movies with a Mission are free monthly films from and about Africa and the African Diaspora that seek to inform and inspire dialogue.

The 2009 season will take place in Atlanta, Georgia at the APEX Museum and in Chicago, Illinois at the Dusable Museum on a monthly basis.

Eligibility:

Movies with a Mission are currently accepting applications for films made by and/or about people of African descent. Films should depict positive and inspiring images and can be of any genre. MWM accept features and shorts; narratives and documentaries.

Submission Procedures:

- A signed and completed applications with publicity materials must be submitted with a **DVD ONLY**
- Mail submissions to:
Theresa Charles
C/o SankofaSpirit
P.O. Box 54894
Atlanta, Georgia 30308
- Submission Fees for submissions postdated between:
August 15 – September 30 - \$30
October 1- October 31 - \$40
After November 1 - \$60
- Make checks/money orders payable to: **SankofaSpirit**. Money orders only after October 31.
- If you desire confirmation that SankofaSpirit has received your entry, please include a self-addressed stamped postcard.

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- **If you include a stamped self-addressed envelope with your application, we will make every effort to return your screener DVD. However, returns are not guaranteed.**
- **Selected submissions will not be returned.**
- SankofaSpirit will not be responsible for DVD's lost or damaged in the mail.
- Selection results will be available around December 15, 2008.

MOVIES WITH A MISSION

SUBMISSION APPLICATION

Entry Deadline: October 31, 2008

Film Title: _____ English Title (if different) _____

Running Time: _____ **Country of Origin:** _____ **Year of Copyright:** _____

Original Language: _____ **English Subtitles:** ___ Yes ___ No

Director's Name: _____ **Producer's Name** _____

Address: _____ **Address:** _____

City, State, Zip: _____ **City, State, Zip:** _____

Phone: _____ **Fax:** _____ **Phone:** _____ **Fax:** _____

Email: _____ **Email:** _____

PLEASE CHECK THE APPROPRIATE GENRE:

___ Narrative ___ Documentary ___ Animation ___ Experimental

SCREENING FORMAT: *Films must be available for screening in format indicated.*

___ DVD

SUBMITTED BY:

Name: _____ **Contact Person:** _____

Address: _____ **City:** _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Tel:(____) _____ **Fax:**(____) _____ **e-mail:** _____

RETURN PRINT TO:

Name: _____ **Contact Person:** _____

Address: _____ **City:** _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Tel:(____) _____ **Fax:**(____) _____ **e-mail:** _____

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ON A SEPARATE PIECE OF PAPER PLEASE INCLUDE A BRIEF PLOT SUMMARY OR SYNOPSIS: (50 words or less to be used in screening schedule if selected)

By submitting _____ (*film title*), the undersigned warrants that (s) he has the right to submit and exhibit the above-indicated film to MWM and will indemnify and hold harmless Movies with a Mission/SankofaSpirit, its directors, staff, sponsors, the APEX and Dusable Museum, its directors, management and staff against any and all claims arising out of MWM's exhibition and promotion of said film should such film be programmed as part of the 2009 Movies with a Mission Season.

Submitted by:

Signature

Date

Print Name

Title

IMPORTANT: THE ENTIRE APPLICATION MUST BE COMPLETED AND SIGNED FOR CONSIDERATION.