



CALL TO PARTICIPATE AT THE 26TH IN-PERSON EDITION DISCOP KIGALI 2022

The KwaZulu-Natal Film Commission is calling for applications from local (KwaZulu-Natal) film and TV producers to be part of the KwaZulu-Natal Film Commission's registered delegates at the **26th In-Person Edition DISCOP Kigali 2022** to be held from 29 November to 1 December 2022.

DISCOP Kigali will take place at the Kigali Convention Center. Global and regional distributors will be joining Africa's most buzzed-about creators for three days of pre-organized meetings with broadcasters, pay-tv services, mobile and streaming platforms, web TVs, content aggregators, major production houses, and advertising agencies servicing Sub-Saharan Africa.

Complementing the market, a line-up of live sessions will spotlight Rwanda's plans to become a strategic destination for the industry; coproduction opportunities between Anglophone and Francophone Africa; televised sports entertainment; and the relation between e-commerce and broadcasters.

Opening date for submissions: 10th October 2022

Closing date for submissions: 13th October 2022

Applications must include the following:

- A fully completed KwaZulu-Natal Film Commission markets and festivals application form
- All accompanying valid documents as per requirements on the application form
- A motivation to attend the festival that details how your attendance will assist your business and your desired outcomes from your attendance of the festival
- The invitation is open to producers with animation projects, feature films, short films and feature documentary film projects looking for co-producers, funders, distributors, or a combination of these
- Invitation is only open to Tier 1, Tier 2 & Tier 3 producers (working and not expired links of projects must be submitted as proof)

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- Producers must submit the Producer's package of the project they are taking to the festival
- The applicant is to state the stage in which their film is in, ie; development / production / complete
- Detailed CV of the Producer or director, CV/ Profile of the applicant should demonstrate previous work done and include contactable references.
- The invitation is also open to industry professionals e.g KZN Festival Directors with a strong motivation, clear plan of action and clear outcomes for their attendance.
- Valid KZN proof of residence
- Copy of passport
- Vaccination certificate or be willing to vaccinate
- The applicant must be in a position or able to get the festival accreditation, visa and keep receipt for reimbursement.

Submit your applications to KZNFilmFund@kznfilm.co.za

Preference will be given to applicants from designated groups.

NB: All KZN Film Commission delegates will be required to submit attendance report within 14 days after the event.

Tier breakdown:

- **Tier 1:** Experienced filmmakers who have a proven track record for developing and producing 3-5 theatrically released feature films, television fiction and/or non-fiction.
- **Tier 2:** Filmmakers with limited experience but who have developed and produced 1-2 theatrical feature films, television fiction, and/or non-fiction, +short films and/or commercials seeking to venture into feature film development and production.

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- **Tier 3:** New entrants into the industry, particularly recent film school graduates from historically disadvantaged backgrounds.
- **Emergent (A):**
(Produced short film, 4-7 years in industry, No formal training at NQF level 6, Worked in industry as crew/assistant, Produced Micro-budget film/television/fiction or non-fiction)
- **Emergent (B)**
(Completed degree or 3 national SETA certified diploma PDI Male and female, Recent graduate, Portfolio of Evidence, 0-3 years in industry)

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Applications which do not meet compliance will be disqualified.

Please note that no late applications will be accepted.

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