

AltFF Alternative Film Festival Spring 2022

Winners in RED, Award-Nominees in BLACK

Short Category

Nominees for Best Animation

947 What a Coincidence - Dir. by Adrian Baluta (Romania)

Small. Quite Small - Dir. by Ewa Maria Wolska (Poland)

Greta's Storm - Dir. by Christopher Gustav Buhr (Germany)

On / Off - Dir. by Nicolas P. Villarreal (Argentina)

Rainbow - Dir. by Hui Tan (USA)

Nominees for Best Art Film

Aphorisms for a Wounded World - Dir. by Robert David Duncan (Canada)

If We Knew, Would Anything Be Different? - Dir. by Brennan Munshaw (Canada)

a quiet con·triv·ance film - Dir. by Jennifer Scully-Thurston (USA)

Textures - Dir. by Kilo Watts (USA)

Nominees for Best Comedy

The Murderer's Metaphysics - Dir. by Rubén Méndez (Spain)

The Summoning - Dir. by Mark Kullas (UK)

The Prodigious Bifurcaria - Dir. by Emiliano Fajardo Garcia (Mexico)

Nervous Records - Dir. by Jesse Eastman and Adam Gutierrez (USA)

F**k - Dir. by Joseph Rossi and David Magini (Canada)

The Dead's Line - Dir. by Axel Torre (Canada)

Nominees for Best Documentary International

Spring Festival in the Year of Tiger - Dir. by Shihyun Wang (Taiwan)

Ukraine Crisis According to Nostradamus - Dir. by Shihyun Wang (Taiwan)

The Crop Circle from Inside - Dir. by Shihyun Wang (Taiwan)

Holy War - Dir. by Claudio D'Attis (Germany)

The Enchanted Mission - Dir. by Marta Torres (Brazil) - SUBMISSION WITHDRAWN (no longer in competition)

Nominees for Best Documentary North America

Future in Prophecy - The Wrong Direction - Dir. by Shihyun Wang (USA)

Under Covid Shadow - Dir. by Shihyun Wang (USA)

All That Glitters is Bronze - Dir. by Jinji Sayson (USA)

Ready or Not - Dir. by Rachel Martin (Canada)

Genius Loci North, A Music Album - Dir. by Bramanda Mahaputra (Canada)

Bethel Saloon March 12 Afternoon - Dir. by William Anthony Stancik (USA)

Naked Hearts - Dir. by Jacy A. Mairs (USA)

Fulfilled Prophecy on Quake, Covid, Variant and War 2022 - Dir. by Shihyun Wang (USA)

Nominees for Best Drama Canada

The Day I Killed Him - Dir. by J. Christian Hamilton (Canada)
Walking The Grey - Dir. by Obi D'meano (Canada)
I Was Expecting - Dir. by Suzanne Miller and Sundance Nagrial (Canada)
The Bostonians - Dir. by Amir Kiani (Canada)
The Dead's Line - Dir. by Axel Torre (Canada)
That's Life - Dir. by Dan Nicholls (Canada)

Nominees for Best Drama USA

As Apple Pie - Dir. by Pierre Marais (USA)
Invasion - Dir. by Dave Siriano, Ashleigh Ann Wood (USA)
Red and Blue Make Purple - Dir. by Olivia Medrano (USA)
The Ever Hours - Dir. by Ella Vance (USA)
The Settler - Dir. by Zara Mirzaei (USA)
Shaggy Finds His Way - Dir. by Daniel Wanamaker (USA)

Nominees for Best Drama International

Bedtime Story #14 - Dir. by Kristine De Leon (Philippines)
Her Last Farewell - Dir. by Charles Ritter (France)
It Will Be Loud Today - Dir. by Tatyana Rudkovskaya (Russia)
Perfection - Dir. by Ilenia Sbarufatti (Italy)

Nominees for Best Experimental North America

Nobody is Perfect - Dir. by Andrea Careri (USA)
Searching for Godot - Dir. by Nick Maizlin (Canada)
Ressasser (No Radar On) - Dir. by Samuel Cogrenne (Canada)
The Coronation - Dir. by Emily Penick (USA)
The Screaming Worm of Tarshish - Dir. by James Ristas (USA)

Nominees for Best Experimental International

Hands - Dir. by Lili Viràg Szuhay-Murciano (Italy)
Charles Bukowski's Last Known Footage - Dir. by Antonio Fernando Vieira de Almeida (Brazil)
Yalda Night - Dir. by Elifnaz Yilmazcan (Turkey)
The Wanderer of the Montagnette - Dir by Jacques Micke (France)

Nominees for Best Horror

From Where It Came - Dir. by David Nguyen (Canada)
Cameo - Dir. by Ryan G. Kelly (USA)
Doll - Dir. by Louis Taylor (UK)
The Haunted Hall - Dir. by Daniel Attrill (UK)
Trooper - Dir. by Olivia Kovach and Coral Untalan (USA)
Locked - Dir. by Vahid Salehizadeh (Canada)
Waver - Dir. by Aaron Wakem (Australia)

Nominees for Best Sci-Fi/Fantasy/Supernatural

Trifles - Dir. by Bingliang Li (USA)
Charlie the Lonely - Dir. by Shihyun Wang (Taiwan)
Paranormal People - Dir. by Edmundo Barraza (USA)
The Collector - Dir. by Jeremie Sery (France)
Ancestral Land - Dir. by Gabriel Bissonnette (Canada)
Pratyantar - Dir. by AkaNisha Sinha (India)

Nominees for Best Thriller

Blue Devil - Dir. by Nadeem Omar (Canada)
Two Fried Chicken Filled Croquette - Dir. by Leo Miguel (Brazil)
Under a Bad Moon - Dir. by Steve Blanton (USA)
The Last Bottle - Dir. by Patrick Gamble (Australia)
Cicada - Dir. by Freddie Jarrett (USA)

Nominees for Best Student Film

Chivalry Ain't Dead - Dir. by Doug Sroka, Chad Tailor and Sunmin Oh (Canada)
What's Left Unpacked - Dir. by Desirée Tolchin (USA)
Plastic Flowers - Dir. by Rodolfo Alexandre (Canada)
A Morsel Of Love - Dir. by Helia Behrooz and Sana Norouzbaki (Iran)
Hidden Hysteria - Dir. by Kimberly Ann Malhoit (USA)

Nominees for Best First-Time Filmmaker

Ádám Ferenczi - Milk (Hungary)
Kimberly Ann Malhoit - Hidden Hysteria (USA)
Craig Sim Webb - Treasure in a Bottle (Canada)
Hayley McInline - Wild is the North (UK)
Nadeem Omar - Blue Devil (Canada)
Omar Cook - Skandalouz (USA)

Nominees for Best Actor

Manuel Millán - The Murderer's Metaphysics (Spain)
Manuel L. Nemo - Hope (Austria)
Edwin Roa - The Settler (USA)
Trevor Lawless - That's Life (Canada)
Bobby Robertson - Wild is the North (UK)

Nominees for Best Actress

Sabrina Knappett - From Where It Came (Canada)
Joyce Chan - Catching Bandit (Canada)
Mélyssa Lorrain - Absolute Ears (Canada)
Hannah Erin Eakin - Eventide (USA)
Margaret Eppeh - Snap (USA)

Nominees for Best Cast

From Tom On - Dir. by Maria Vallin (Sweden)

Ogygia - Dir. by Dimitris Giouzevas (Greece)

Cameo - Dir. by Ryan G. Kelly (USA)

Burn a Debt - Dir. by James Ristas (USA)

5 Days - Dir. by Erifili Davis (USA)

Nominees for Best Cinematography

Dimitris Giouzevas - Ogygia (Greece)

Barry Gunning - Wild is the North (UK)

Thiago Lagarto - Two Fried Chicken Filled Croquette (Brazil)

Matthew Tomkins - As Apple Pie (USA)

Cara Urban - The 1K Video (USA)

Nominees for Best Writer

Rémi Damecour and Pascal Phaneuf - Absolute Ears (Canada)

Tomasz Kopański - Prank (Poland)

Freddie Jarrett - Cicada (USA)

Tamara Bick and Drew Antzis - The Lottery Ticket (Canada)

Obi D'meano - Walking The Grey (Canada)

Nominees for Best Director

Luigi D'Angelo - The Other Half (Italy)

Maria Vallin - From Tom On (Sweden)

Suzanne Miller and Sundance Nagrial - I Was Expecting (Canada)

Anthony Apar Parson and Dajour Ashwood - Write My Wrong (USA)

Ella Vance - The Ever Hours (USA)