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# ASEAN NEW GENERATION SHORT FILM AWARD 2025

Application period

**MAY 13 - AUG 17**  
(Japan time)

The ASEAN-Japan Centre (AJC) is looking for short films of 2–3 minutes long for the ASEAN New Generation Short Film Award 2025.

Japan and ASEAN have had a long history of friendship and cooperation, with **2023 marking the 50th anniversary of friendship and cooperation**. Moving forward, the AJC aims to continue to build on this relationship by deepening the understanding of ASEAN and its 10 Member States and their people.

**The theme is 'I Belong'**; which aligns with the ASEAN theme 2025 of 'Inclusivity and Sustainability'.

The winner of the ASEAN New Generation Short Film Award will be **an original work incorporating your perspectives, thoughts, and ideas** that will convey the deeper charms of

ASEAN people to the Japanese people.

## Eligibility

Anyone of **ASEAN nationality**, whether professional or aspiring, can apply.

## Support

The winner of the most popular film (decided by young Japanese film audiences) will win a **4-day, 3-night trip for one (ticket and lodging) to Tokyo, Japan.**

**ASEAN New Generation Short Film Award 2025 application guidelines**

**Deadline: 17 August 2025**

### WEBSITE

[HTTPS://WWW.ASEAN.OR.JP/EN/EVENT-INFO/20250513/](https://www.asean.or.jp/en/event-info/20250513/)

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