

"Art Nouveau and Movement" photography competition as part of World Art Nouveau Day 2017

Deadline for entries: midnight on 6 June 2017

Article 1: OBJECTIVE

<u>The Réseau Art Nouveau Network</u> is a European cooperation network for the study, conservation and promotion of Art Nouveau heritage. As part of this year's World Art Nouveau Day, celebrated on 10 June every year, it is holding a photography competition on <u>its Facebook page</u> to celebrate and promote Art Nouveau heritage from Europe and in particular its member cities.

Article 2: THEME

This new event will be dedicated to the theme of movement in Art Nouveau, a characteristic feature of this genre, as it was of the *Fin-de-Siècle* period in which it appeared. Advances in technology went hand-in-hand with the growth of transport (trains and aviation), communications (the telephone) and leisure activities (photography and cinema), all of which encouraged movement and flow. In addition to the organic curves and shapes and the more geometric lines and rhythms that we find in Art Nouveau, the use of natural light in the interiors and the representation of subjects in motion (e.g. nature, fauna and flora) make it a kinetic art form.

The Réseau Art Nouveau Network is inviting the public to illustrate the best expression of movement in a total art such as Art Nouveau by taking part in this competition.

Article 3: FORMAT

Photos must be in digital format and can be black and white or colour. The use of filters is allowed, as are retouches. No frames, borders, dates or signatures are allowed on the photograph. The resolution quality must be at least 200 dpi or 7 million pixels.

Article 4: CONDITIONS

This competition is open to the general public (hand-written parental permission is required for participants under 18 years of age). Direct family relationships with members of the jury are not allowed and no distinctive mark must be visible in the competition entry.

Participation in the competition implies the acceptance of these regulations. In submitting the entry form, participants accept these regulations and any subsequent modifications that may prove necessary, including in the event of "force majeure".

The Réseau Art Nouveau Network reserves the right to reject an entry if it does not respect these regulations or if the submitted work violates the rights of third persons.

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Article 5: SUBMISSION OF PHOTOGRAPHS

The entry form is compulsory and must be attached together with the photo(s).

The deadline for submitting photos is <u>midnight on 6 June 2017</u>. Photographs must be submitted by email, to <u>info@artnouveau-net.eu</u>.

The following will be eliminated from the competition: all photographs received after the closing date, all photographs that do not comply with the competition rules, all contentious photographs (plagiarism, precedence, counterfeits), photographs that are in breach of morality or incite hatred or discrimination towards a person or group of persons due to their race, ethnicity, religion, sexual orientation or gender.

Article 6: ASSOCIATED RIGHTS

The project is open to all participants provided that they respect the regulations, and in particular that they own the copyright for their photo(s) and transfer to the Réseau Art Nouveau Network the right to use these photos on their website, social network pages and platforms and in publications (flyers, brochures, etc.) Photographs showing recognisable people or private properties must be accompanied by signed authorisation from the person in question or by that of their parents or legal guardians if the person is a minor.

Photographs submitted must be original works and the participant must be their author. Participants declare and certify that:

- they are the owner of this photograph;
- no other person has copyright or intellectual property rights over the submitted photograph;
- the submitted photograph does not infringe the copyright or intellectual property rights of third persons;
- they have received authorisation to publish the photograph from each person shown on it.

Participants retain ownership of the copyright for the submitted photograph(s). The Réseau Art Nouveau Network will add the appropriate reserved rights mention next to the photograph every time it is reproduced or shown to the public. Participants may determine the form that this mention will take (see the entry form).

Article 7: JURY

The competition jury will be composed of the Secretariat and members of the Réseau Art Nouveau Network.

Article 8: WINNERS

Three prizes will be awarded:

- "The Internet users' prize" for the photograph that has received the most *likes/votes* by 6 pm;
- "The Mystery prize" for the Internet user who guesses the origin of the subject (work and author) of the largest number of photographs;
- "The Jury's prize" awarded by a jury composed of the Secretariat and members of the Réseau.

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The winners will be announced to the public in the evening of 10 June 2017 on the Facebook page and on the Réseau Art Nouveau Network website. The jury's decisions will be final.

Article 9: DATA PROTECTION

Any personal data provided by participants will only be used for the purposes of this project. Participants have the right to access their personal data and to correct it if it is inaccurate or incomplete. For any questions or observations relating to the processing of personal data, please contact info@artnouveau-net.eu.

Article 10: LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

The Réseau Art Nouveau Network declines all liability for the content of the submitted works. Only participants may be held liable for any violations of the rights of third persons.

The Réseau Art Nouveau Network may in no event be held liable for any direct or indirect damage that may result from participation in this project and will not be obliged to pay any financial compensation.

The Réseau Art Nouveau Network may not be held liable if it postpones, cancels or interrupts part or all of the project due to reasons beyond its control.

Article 11: GENERAL PROVISIONS

The photography competition is governed by Belgian law. In the event of a dispute that cannot be settled amicably, the only competent courts are Belgian courts in the judicial district of Brussels.

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