



Prizes and Awards: Children's Film Festival Seattle 2017

### **AUDIENCE FAVORITES AND OTHER SPECIAL PRIZES**

Audience Favorite Feature Film of the Festival, chosen by audience votes:

**Nelly's Adventure** (*Dominik Wessely, Germany*)

Audience Favorite Animated Short, chosen by audience votes:

**Moom** (*Robert Kondo and Daisuke 'Dice' Tsutsumi, Japan/USA*)

Audience Favorite Live Action Short, chosen by audience votes, a tie!

**Chasing Rabbits** (*Jacob Smith, USA*) and **Mr. and Mrs. Kim** (*Jaehuen Chung, USA*)

Audience Favorite Youth-Made Film, chosen by audience votes:

**Oliver O'Malley: Orca Cop** (*Sorchia Zilavey and Orca Filmmakers and Screenwriters*)

Children's Film Festival Seattle PLURAL+ Prize, chosen by a panel of teen jurors, as part of Children Film Festival's Seattle inaugural partnership with the PLURAL+ Festival. PLURAL+ is a joint initiative of the United Nations Alliance of Civilizations and the International Organization for Migration, that showcases films by youth and young people made on the subjects of diversity, social inclusion and migration. **"Displacement," by Shatha Alghabri (Malaysia)**

**JURY PRIZES, FILMS FOR AGES 5+**  
chosen by the Festival's CATBUS KIDS Jury

Best Feature Film for Ages 5+

**Jill & Joy's Winter** (*Sami Keski-Vähälä, Finland*)

Best Animated Short for Ages 5+

**Little Stone Lion** (*Tang Chen, Taiwan*)

Best Live Action Short for Ages 5+

**Lost in Spring** (*Fred Leao Prado Wall, UK*)

Special Jury Prize for Best Storytelling for Ages 5+

**The Sled** (*Olesya Shchukina, Russia*)

**JURY PRIZES, FILMS FOR AGES 8+**  
chosen by the Festival's FANTASTIC FOXES Jury

Best Feature Film for Ages 8+

**Heidi** (*Alain Gsponer, Germany/Switzerland*)

Rights of the Child Feature Film Prize for Ages 8+

**Fortune Favors the Brave** (*Norbert Lechner, Germany*)

Special Jury Prize for Best Ensemble for a Feature Film for Ages 8+

**Nelly's Adventure** (*Dominik Wessely, Germany*)

Best Animated Short for Ages 8+

**Lilou** (*Rawan Rahim, Lebanon/France*)

Special Jury Prize for Most Artistic Short Film for Ages 8+

**Jonas and the Sea** (*Marlies van der Wel, The Netherlands*)

Best Live Action Short for Ages 8+

**Mr. and Mrs. Kim** (*Jaehuen Chung, USA*)

Rights of the Child Award for a Film for Ages 8+  
**Drawing for Better Dreams** (*May Odeh and Dia' Azzeh, Palestine*)

Best Documentary Short for Ages 8+  
**A Year Without My Parents** (*Els van Driel, The Netherlands*)

**JURY PRIZES, FILMS FOR AGES 12+**  
chosen by the Festival's IRON GIANTS Jury

Best Feature Film for Ages 12+  
**Boxing for Freedom** (*Juan Antonio Moreno and Silvia Venegas, Spain*)

Rights of the Child Prize for a Feature Film for Ages 12+  
**Mussa** (*Anat Goren, Israel*)

Special Jury Prize for Best Child Actor in a Feature Film for Ages 12+  
**Luis Vorbach** as Michi in **At Eye Level** (*Evi Goldbrunner and Joachim Dollhopf, Germany*)

The Northwest Prize for Best Film for Ages 12+ made in the Pacific Northwest  
**Confessions of a Former Bully** (*Lisa Cohen, Seattle*)

Best Animated Short for Ages 12+  
**Blind Vaysha** (*Theodore Ushev, Canada*)

Best Live Action Short for Ages 12+  
**I am Yup'ik** (*Daniele Anastasion and Nathan Golon (USA)*)

Rights of the Child Prize for a Short Film for ages 12+  
**Chika, the Dog from the Ghetto** (*Sandra Schießl, Germany*)

Special Jury Prize for Best Cinematography in a Film for Ages 12+  
**Slush Ice** (*Søren Grinderslev Hansen (Denmark)*)