

Golden Globe Awards Hosts Iran’s Top Critic



TEHRAN (IFILM) -- Iranian film critic, writer and filmmaker **Hamed Soleimanzadeh** has been appointed as a jury member of the 2023 Golden Globe Awards.

This is the first time an Iranian critic will be a Golden Globe Awards voting member in the category of motion pictures.

He was invited by the Hollywood Foreign Press Association (HFPA) which will conduct the 80th Golden Globe Awards in January, 2023 in Beverly Hills, LA.

Currently residing in Berlin, Germany, Soleimanzadeh collaborates with Berlin University of the Arts (UdK) as a researcher and instructor in the fields of film and philosophy.

Soleimanzadeh has already served on the jury panel of the 68th International Short Film Festival Oberhausen in Germany, the 2021 Global Nonviolent Film Festival in the U.S. and the

Berlin International Film Festival in Germany.

He has also attended the Cannes Film Festival as a jury member of the Fipresci Critics Awards.

Young Iranian film critic has already been selected as a member of the jury panel at several other festivals, including the Schlingel International Film Festival in Germany, the 10th Dytatko International Children’s Television Festival in Ukraine and the 44th Göteborg International Film Festival in Sweden.

The long list goes on with the River International Film Festival in Italy, the Seoul Guro International Kids Film Festival in South Korea, the 17th International Short Film Festival Detmold in Germany, the Kolibri International Film Festival for Childhood and Youth in Bolivia, and the 44th Drama International Short Film Festival in Greece.

World Researchers Invited to Farabi Awards



TEHRAN (IRNA) – Iran’s Ministry of Science, Research and Technology is holding the 14th edition of **Farabi International Award (FIA) on Humanities and Islamic Studies** and called on researchers around the world to submit their research pieces to the secretariat of the event.

FIA is held annually by the Ministry of Science, Research and Technology of the Islamic Republic of Iran in cooperation with Iran’s National Elite Foundation and the Institute for Social and Cultural Studies of the Ministry of Science, Research and Technology in two national and international sections.

The international section is aimed at encouraging and introducing top researches to the international community to identify top talents, top scientific works and theories, new methods, and projects in three fields of “Iranian Studies”, “Islamic Studies” and “Theistic Sciences,” according to the announcement.

Eligible researchers will be awarded in two categories of “Leading Figure” and “Top Research”.

Leading figures should have the following features:

1. Outstanding scientific works and reference works;
2. Innovation or having effective theories;
3. Effective background in the development of higher education;
4. Effective background in training a new generation of specialists;
5. Scientific and practical influence in international forums.

Also, top research works need to possess the following properties:

1. A clear problem-solving and theoretical framework;
2. Methodological and interdisciplinary approach;
3. Critical approach to different views and schools in the subject area of the research;
4. Appropriate innovation;
5. A paradigm, effective theory, or coherent system (in basic research) or a practical and executive solution to the existing problems (in applied research);

The submitted works must have been published in the period from March 2019 to the end of March 2022.

Those who wish to participate in the FIA, should submit their works until November 30, 2022 via www.farabiaward.ir.

Tehran, New Delhi Restore Millions of Farsi Documents

TEHRAN (IP) - A memorandum of understanding was signed between India and Iran for the restoration, preservation, digitization, and cataloging of 33 million documents in Farsi in the Indian state of Telangana.

The presidents of Noor International Microfilm Center of Iran and the Department of Document Archives and Research Center of Telangana State, India ,have signed the MoU .

Telangana State Archives Research and Documents Center is one of the important historical centers and resources in terms of politics, culture, history, science, and economy.

The history of more than five hundred years of presence of Iranians in Hyderabad and South India and the Shia rulings, along with the presence of Iranian Muslim scholars and scientists, have been important factors in creating political, economic, and cultural developments in South India.

Having about 44 million documents in Farsi, Arabic, and Urdu belonging to the Islamic era, the center is known as the central archive in India, and many other centers are affiliated with it. Today, no historian and archeologist can present a complete and accurate picture of the past and present in the area without considering the role of Iranians and the Iranian Muslim and Shiite



Indo-Persian Documents.

rulers.

The effects of the historical presence can be seen in the architecture, language, culture, art, and other aspects of the life of South Indian people. Speaking to Iran Press in Hyderabad, Mehdi Khajeh Piri, the head of Noor International

Microfilm Center of Iran, said that the signing of the MoU to restore Farsi documents between Iran and India is the most important cultural event between the two countries, documents that show the centuries-old and historical relations between Iran and India.

Nanotechnology Festival, Exhibition Underway in Tehran

TEHRAN (IFILM) -- Iran is set to hold the 13th edition of **Nanotechnology Festival and Exhibition**.

The Irannano 2022 fest will be held on October 1-4 in the Iranian capital city of Tehran.

The event is a showcase of the latest research and development in the field of nanotechnology and provides an opportunity for researchers to exhibit their work to the world.

Visitors will have a chance



to learn about the latest developments in this rapidly-growing field.

Iranian researchers are at the forefront of nanotechnology research worldwide.

They have made significant advances in the field, and their work is helping to shape the future of this important technology.

Iranian scientists are working on a variety of nanotechnology projects, including the development of new materials and devices.

Iranian Child Actress Wins Big in Russia

TEHRAN (IFILM) -- Iranian short film ‘**The Savior**’ has been awarded at the 2022 edition of **International Social Film Festival “Love in every heart” in Russia**.

The Iranian Youth Cinema Society reported that ‘The Savior’ brought Setia Asadi the Best Child Role award in the Russian event.

The film also received an Honorable Mention in Animation.

‘The Savior’, written and directed by Soheila Pour-Mohammadi, tells the story of a girl who has recently witnessed the death of her mother.

The cast members of the film include Mahmoud Taqavi and Setia Asadi.

The International Social Film Festival “Love in every heart” presents short films about love.

According to an online submission platform, the event’s goals include “en-

couraging talented filmmakers” and “supporting cultural exchanges”.

The latest edition of International Social Film Festival “Love in every heart” took place on August 27-September 4.



Setia Asadi in the Iranian short film ‘The Savior’.

Picture of the Day



Farmers have started harvesting rice in Iran’s northern province of Gilan.

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