

“GRÜNSCHNABEL” Competition 2024

Aargau’s sponsorship award for a young puppet theatre company

Figura Theaterfestival Baden – June 18–23, 2024

Competition Registration Form 2024

Company / Puppeteer

Name:

Address:

Town, Postcode, Country:

E-Mail:

Website:

Start date of professional career:

Contact Person

Name

Address:

Town, Postcode, Country:

Phone:

Mobile:

E-Mail:

Website:

Show title:

Duration:

Time needed for setup:

Time for disassembly:

Max. no. of spectators:

Suitable for ages:

Performance language:

Diploma piece: yes no

If yes, has the performance been developed further, and is it on tour?

yes no

On tour and working for the production are

First Name / Surname / Function:

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Remarks:

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Participation Criteria for the “Grünschnabel” Competition

In 2024, at the 16th Figura Theatre Festival in Baden, Switzerland, the Cantonal Council of Aargau will award the eleventh “Grünschnabel” (Greenhorn) prize. Worth 10,000 Swiss Francs, it will go to a young theatre company starting out professionally and working in an original way with puppets and objects.

Participation in the “Grünschnabel” competition is subject to the following conditions:

Based on the documentation submitted **by July 31, 2023, at the latest**, the festival organizers will decide by January 31, 2024, at the latest which plays will be admitted to the programme. During this period the applicants must keep the festival dates blocked.

The festival organizers will select four to seven plays produced by young theatre companies whose careers date back **no more than six years prior to the festival**. Diploma work may be admitted if it has been developed further and taken on tour.

The nominated company must keep the dates from June 18–23, 2024, free and must be present at the prize presentation and celebration.

A jury appointed by Aargau's Cantonal Council and the festival organizers will judge the nominated and invited performances. The decision will be explained at the prize presentation.

The prize will be awarded either to an individual puppeteer or to an ensemble as a whole.

The fee is € 300 per person. The festival will cover the cost of a return journey, transportation, simple accommodation and food in the Festival centre.

Your signature confirms that you accept all terms and conditions herein.

Registration does not count as a nomination.

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Place, date

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Signature

Please include the following documents in digital form:

1. Comprehensive dossier with show description, photos, Vimeo link
2. Technical documents for stage set up, light, sound, video, as well as floor plan and other relevant details
3. List of professional development (**incl. place of training, graduation year and start date of professional career**) for everyone involved
4. List of upcoming show dates for potential viewings (dates, times and places)

The application form including the completed documentation should be submitted by July 31, 2023, at the latest:

gruenschnabel@figura-festival.ch