



### 7th International Kociewie Photography Competition FOTO - TERMEDYJE 2025

## GENERAL PROVISIONS

- 1. The organizer of the 7th International Kociewie Photography Competition Foto Termedyje 2025, hereinafter referred to as the "Competition," is the Kociewie Photography Association KRS 0000717871, located at ul. Kręta 10, Frank, 83-260 Kaliska, hereinafter referred to as the "Organizer."
- 2. Competition objectives:
  - a) promoting Poland's natural and architectural values,
  - b) awakening interest in the Polish region of Kociewie among participants,
  - c) developing artistic sensitivity of photographers from around the world and providing an opportunity to present their works about people, nature, and architecture from around the world.
- 3. The subject of the Competition is photographs taken by participants registered for the competition.
- 4. The Competition has four themes:
  - Photographic Kaleidoscope of the World
  - Female Beauty in Photography
  - Poland in My Heart and Lens
  - Kociewie My Place on Earth
- 5. Awarded works will be published on the KSF website: www.ksf.com.pl and the association's fanpage.
- 6. The Organizer reserves the right to award distinctions.
- 7. The post-competition gala with the awards ceremony will take place on May 24, 2024. The venue will be announced by February 1, 2024, through social media.

### SUBMISSION OF WORKS

- 1. Participation in the competition requires a fee of 60 PLN for adults and 30 PLN for youth under 18 (with parental consent).
- 2. Works should be sent to the email address kociewskie.sf@gmail.com (subject: Competition Foto Termedyje, first and last name) along with:
  - payment confirmation
  - completed and signed registration form
  - permission for image publication (if the photograph contains a person's image)
  - parental consent for participation (if the participant is a minor)
- 3. Payments should be made to account number: ING Bank Śląski 1610 5017 6410 0000 9031 4697 53.
- 4. Each participant may submit one photo for each theme, in electronic version. Photo size maximum 3 MB, not less than 2 MB.
- 5. Submitted works should be described according to the following pattern: Lastname\_Firstname\_Category.
- 6. Timeline:
  - acceptance of photography submissions: until April 30, 2025

PARTNERZY:

Ministerstwo Kultury i Dziedzictwa Narodowego

Pula nagród o wartości: 20.000 zł

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- jury appointment and evaluation of submitted works: May 9-14, 2025
- awards ceremony and closing gala: May 24, 2025
- awarded participants will be notified via email no later than May 19, 2025
- 7. Works must be submitted with the attached registration form, which constitutes Appendix 1.
- 8. Photos must be saved in JPG format.
- 9. Photomontages combining elements from different files are not allowed.
- 10. The Organizer reserves the right to disqualify works that do not meet the above requirements.
- 11. If competition photographs contain a person's image, the participant submitting the photograph must include a written statement from the person in the photograph consenting to the unpaid publication and distribution of their image
- 12. Each Competition participant, by submitting a photograph in accordance with paragraph 5 above, grants a non-exclusive, unpaid license to use the photograph in the fields of exploitation listed in Article 50 of the Act of February 4, 1994, on Copyright and Related Rights for the purposes of conducting and resolving the Competition and within the scope resulting from these rules.

### JURY

- 1. The Organizer appoints the Competition Jury, hereinafter referred to as the "Jury."
- 2. All photos submitted to the Competition are subject to Jury evaluation.
- 3. Decisions made by the Jury are final and legally binding for all Competition participants.

### GRAND PRIX AWARD

Among the 12 winning photos, one Grand Prix award worth 5000 PLN will be awarded.

#### AWARDS

- 1. Twelve winning competition works will be awarded material prizes for a total amount of 15,000 PLN (approx. 4,000 USD), and a Grand Prix award worth 5000 PLN will also be awarded.
- 2. Competition prizes cannot be exchanged for cash.
- 3. The Jury reserves the right to distribute prizes differently and to award additional prizes.
- 4. The Competition organizer reserves the right to publish the list of winners (including first and last names) in the organizer's advertising materials and in the press, media, and Internet.
- 5. Competition winners will be notified about prize collection methods via email.
- 6. Awarded persons are required to sign a protocol confirming receipt of the material prize.
- 7. Prizes not collected by June 25, 2025, are forfeited and become the property of the Organizer.

#### COMMISSION

- 1. A Commission is appointed to control the Competition's regularity, consisting of Organizer representatives.
- 2. The Commission will supervise the Organizer's execution of all obligations resulting from these Rules.
- 3. After conducting deliberations, a protocol of the commission's proceedings will be prepared.

#### FINAL PROVISIONS

- 1. These Competition Rules are available at the Organizer's headquarters and on the website <u>www.ksf.com.pl</u>.
- 2. By completing the registration form, the Competition participant declares that:
  - a) they are the author of the attached photographs,
  - b) they have exclusive and unlimited copyright to the submitted photographs, which as photographic works are free from any legal defects and are not encumbered by rights and claims of third parties;

- c) they agree to the publication of photos on www.ksf.com.pl and the association's social media service during and after the competition,
- d) they agree to the publication of photos at the post-competition gala exclusively for purposes strictly related to the Competition.
- 3. Persons who do not meet any of the requirements specified in these Rules or provide false information will be automatically disqualified.
- 4. The Organizers do not take legal responsibility for submitted works and reserve the right to immediately disqualify photographs in case of suspected violation of the Rules.
- 5. In matters not regulated by these Rules, appropriate provisions of the Civil Code will apply.
- 6. The Organizers do not claim transfer of copyright or property rights to submitted works; they remain the intellectual property of the authors.
- 7. Competition participants have the right to access their data content and correct it or request its removal; for this purpose, they should contact the Organizer, who is the data administrator. Providing data (which in the absence of expressing the above consents will be processed to perform the above obligations related to the Competition and handling Competition participant complaints) is voluntary but necessary for participation in the Competition.
- 8. These Competition Rules enter into force on January 1, 2025.

Appendix 1

# FREGISTRATION FORM 7th International Kociewski Photography Competition

## FOTO - TERMEDYJE 2025

Name					
Last name					
Nationality/ Domicile					
E-mail adress					
Phone number					
Submitted photos:XMark the correct one with an X		X	File name:		
Topic competition	Photographic Kaleidoscope of the World		(last name-name-fotograficzny)		
	Female Beauty in Photography		(last name-name-kobiece)		
	Poland in My Heart and Lens		(last name-name-polska)		
	Kociewie - My Place on Earth		(last name-name-kociewie)		
The form and photos should be sent to: kociewskie.sf@gmail.com					

#### Statement:

1. I declare that I am the author of the photos I am submitting to participate in the Competition. At the same time, I declare that the rights of the people included in the photos have been clarified and they consent to the exhibition and publication of photos showing them also for advertising purposes of the Competition. I also accept all claims of any nature related to the photos I sent and which third parties could bring against the Competition Organizer.

2. Pursuant to Art. 13 section 1 and 2 of the Regulation of the European Parliament and of the EU Council 2016/679 of 26/04/2016. on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and repealing Directive 95/46 EC (General Data Protection Regulation - GDPR), I declare that I accept the Regulations of the "Poland VII Wonder of the World" Photography Competition, with which I have read. I also consent to the processing of my personal data by the Competition Organizer for organizational and promotional purposes. I also consent to the publication of photos from the event in the media and to the publication of my personal data if I am on the list of distinguished or awarded people.

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date and author's signature

Appendix 2

# PERMISSION TO PUBLISH THE IMAGE

I, the undersigned	,
with identification ID card no	, I hereby voluntarily and
consciously grant to Mr./Mr	, free
consent for the publication of my image immortalized in	n a photograph taken for the $7^{\text{th}}$
International Kociewski Photography Competition, FOTO -	TERMEDYJE 2025.

At the same time, I declare that I have been informed in a clear and understandable manner about my rights related to the protection of my personal data, in particular the right to request the above-mentioned a person as the administrator of my personal data, access to them, rectification, deletion or limitation of processing, objection to processing, transfer of data, as well as the right to lodge a complaint with the supervisory authority and the possibility of withdrawing consent to their processing.

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Signature

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Place, date

# Appendix 3

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Place, date

# CONSENT TO THE PARTICIPATION OF A MINOR

I, the undersigned	.,
with identification ID card no	.,
I give consent to the minor	•••
to participate in the FOTO - TERMEDYJE 2024 photography competition.	

At the same time, I declare that I have been informed in a clear and understandable manner about my rights related to the protection of my personal data, in particular the right to request the abovementioned a person as the administrator of my personal data, access to them, rectification, deletion or limitation of processing, objection to processing, transfer of data, as well as the right to lodge a complaint with the supervisory authority and the possibility of withdrawing consent to their processing.

Signature