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## THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS TO THE 2017 ADG AWARDS IS APPROACHING

The deadline for entries to the 2017 ADG Awards is fast approaching, with all entries to be submitted by Saturday, 11 February. The annual awards will take place on Friday, 5 May at the Sofitel Melbourne on Collins.

The ADG Awards are the only opportunity for Australian directors and their work to be acknowledged by their directing peers. The Awards recognise excellence in the craft and art of directing, as well as acknowledging individual contributions by Australian Screen Directors to film, television, documentary, animation and interactive media. To be eligible for the Awards, all work must have screened publicly for the first time between 1 July 2015 and 31 December 2016, except for student films where the project needs only to have been completed within these dates.

Award applicants must be financial ADG members for the 2016 – 2017 year. Membership details available at: <https://adg.org.au/membership>

To submit your entry and for further information about the ADG Awards, visit: <https://adg.org.au/competitions/adg-awards>

**The 17 categories in the 2016 ADG Awards are:**

1. Best Direction of a Feature Film
2. Best Direction of a Short Film
3. Best Direction of a Student Film
4. Best Direction of a Documentary Feature
5. Best Direction of a Documentary Series
6. Best Direction of a Documentary Short Subject

7. Best Direction of a Film made for TV or SVOD
8. Esben Storm Award for Best Direction of a Children's TV or SVOD Drama
9. Best Direction of a TV or SVOD Drama Series
10. Best Direction of a TV or SVOD Drama Serial
11. Best Direction of a TV or SVOD Mini Series
12. Best Direction of a TV or SVOD Comedy Program
13. Best Direction of an Online Drama Project
14. Best Direction of an Online Comedy Project
15. Best Direction of an Animation Project
16. Best Direction of Commercial Content
17. Best Direction of a Music Video

Ticket sales for the Awards will open early April and tickets can be pre-booked by emailing the ADG on [tickets@adg.org.au](mailto:tickets@adg.org.au) or contacting the ADG office on 1300 539 639.

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