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**MEDIA ALERT**

**CALL FOR ENTRIES**

***DEADLINE MARCH 25 FOR SUBMISSIONS TO OHIO SHORT FILM/VIDEO SHOWCASE***

The Wexner Center is accepting entries **now through March 25** for the 10th annual **Ohio Short Film/Video Showcase**, to be held April 30. The Showcase features works under 20 minutes long and produced in Ohio in the last 18 months, providing Ohio's independent filmmakers and media artists a chance to show—and for audiences to see—this work in a theater setting before an audience. Last year's crowd witnessed 20 short works that varied in genre, tone, and production value, by artists from Columbus, Cleveland, Dayton, Yellow Springs, and other points across the Buckeye state.

The event also features a **Youth Division** for filmmakers 18 and under. Prizes are being awarded to the top pieces; the first-prize winner will receive editing time and assistance in the Wexner Center's Art & Technology studio, which is equipped with AVID digital video editing systems.

The Showcase is presented with the support of the Ohio Arts Council.

**WHAT:** Wexner Center is accepting entries for Ohio Short Film/Video Showcase, including a Youth Division.

**WHEN:** Deadline for entries is March 25. The Showcase takes place on Saturday, April 30, at 7 pm at the Wexner Center; the Youth Division will be held the same day at 4:30 pm.

**SUBMISSION GUIDELINES:** Pieces must be independently produced, no longer than 20 minutes (Youth Division: no longer than 10 minutes), and produced in Ohio within the last 18 months. Entries must be submitted on ½-inch VHS videotape or DVD. Any format of film or video may be screened at the Showcase. Only one entry per person. Works submitted to previous Showcases will not be accepted.

**CONTACT INFORMATION:** The public can call David Filipi at 614 688-3307 or [dfilipi@wexarts.org](mailto:dfilipi@wexarts.org) for entry forms and more information. For the Youth Division, contact Jaclyn Thompson at 614 292-4229 or [jthompson@wexarts.org](mailto:jthompson@wexarts.org).

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