

## Invitation

to enter the

## PHOTO COMPETITION

**„EUROPEAN RURAL VISIONS: CREATED BY  
FARMERS, SUPPORTED BY THE EU“**



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rural visions  
**2020**



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EUROPÄISCHE ARGE  
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The European association for rural development and village (ARGE) renewal has arranged a pan-European photo competition under the motto “European rural visions: created by Farmers, supported by the EU”. The contest is part of an EU sponsored project.

The goal is to spotlight the beauty as well as the importance of Europe’s rural areas. There are no limits in regards to the subject, the location, or the technique of the picture. It is important to the organiser to convey the “face” of the cultural landscape which is highly influenced by agriculture.

**The best pictures will be recognized with great prizes as well as presented to a broad audience all over Europe as part of a mobile exhibition.**

**The competition will be held in a general category and a special category for children and young adults (until the age of 14).**

**Entry deadline is July 15<sup>th</sup> 2013**

**Apart from agricultural produces from throughout Europe, you can win attractive holiday stays in Italy and Austria.**

### **Participation and technical requirements:**

Every participant is allowed to submit a maximum of 3 pictures.

Please send the photos as thumbnails (jpg or tiff) to [info@landentwicklung.org](mailto:info@landentwicklung.org). Please include the term “photo competition” to the subject of the e-mail (maximum data volume per mail is 5 MB). Furthermore name the photographer and the location (Please write in German or in English). The pictures should be 1400 pixels broad or wide and can be sharpened.

Once the photos for the mobile exhibition are chosen, we will ask the photographers to submit the high-resolution data. These pictures have to be suitable for a large-format print and feature a clear RGB colour space. Do not interpolate the data! Please sharpen moderately!

## Further regulations:

### 1) Copyright and rights to the personal image

The submission of photos equals the participant's warrant that s/he is the sole creator and therefore has all rights of use and no rights of any third party exist. Every participant is also responsible that all shown persons and/or other right-holders have verifiably agreed to the publication and utilisation of the pictures (If required, please assure any official authorisation.). The ARGE will exempt from any liability for any infringement of the picture's rights.

### 2) Legal right of use

Every submitted picture may be used for the EU sponsored project "European Rural Visions 2020" and its journalistic analysis (regardless of any award/prize). This concerns in particular the eponymous mobile exhibition and publications belonging to the project. The ARGE also has the right to publish the photos on its website and to pass them on to newspapers and its editors for the purpose of press coverage.

For the hereby termed usage entrants cannot assert claim compensation (or any kind of royalty fee).

External inquiries regarding the acquisition of a photo's rights of use will be answered accordingly with the participant's contact data.

### 3) Liability

The participant bears the risk of loss or damages to the pictures during the transmission (online or via post on a CD/DVD). The ARGE is excluded from any liability.

### 4) Closing provisions

Submissions which do not meet content-related or technical or any other of these requirements will be excluded from the competition. If it is uncertain that a photo meets the requirements, the jury will decide whether it is admitted or not. The jury's decisions are indisputable. It is impossible to take legal action.

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