

competition

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brief

There are two categories to choose from. The overall winner could be from either category.

Category 1

Interaction

The challenge here is to demonstrate "interaction". It could be the way we interact as a society, how we interact with our environment or how people interact with each other, anything that illustrates the word "interaction".

Category 2

Today

The world today is ever changing. The remit here is to produce an image that specifically illustrates the world as it is today. It could feature anything from the environment to the credit crunch to an image literally featuring "today", ie recording an event taking place on a particular day at a particular moment, either locally or internationally.

The brief is deliberately broad in order to encourage a diverse range of images covering a wide range of subjects. The judges will be looking for images that are original, imaginative, contemporary and powerful. We anticipate that the quality of the winning image, printed on our exceptional paper, will produce an outstanding and stunning piece of photography.

This competition is deliberately targeted at students because we believe that the response will produce high-quality, original entries from a student base enthusiastic about this art form and our new range of HARMAN CRYSTALJET RC inkjet paper. The winning entries will be exhibited on our stand at FOCUS on Imaging 2010 and on our website: www.harman-inkjet.com as soon as possible after the announcement of the winners.



HARMAN CRYSTALJET is a resin coated inkjet paper which offers high quality printing at an affordable price, making it accessible to all, from professionals to students.

This paper has been developed by HARMAN technology Ltd, the specialist photo-imaging company who also manufactures the HARMAN PHOTO FB baryta papers , and the ILFORD b&w darkroom papers.

HARMAN CRYSTALJET RC has a smooth surface finish and is available in either a gloss or luster option with a weight of 260gsm. Size availability; A4, A3, A3+ sheets and rolls. Profiles to obtain the best print results can be downloaded from www.harman-inkjet.com.

The prizes are as follows:

The overall winner will win a digital printing workshop plus £100 (rrp) HARMAN CRYSTALJET RC paper. Further details at www.harman-inkjet.com/studentcomp09.

There will also be three runner-up prizes from each category. They will win £50 worth of HARMAN CRYSTALJET RC paper per winning image.

Special college prize for the college which submits the most entries (see further details below).

Special College Prize

Because we appreciate that some colleges will be particularly enthusiastic about entering and also to encourage all students to take part, we will be donating £750 (rrp) worth of HARMAN CRYSTALJET RC paper as a prize to the college submitting the most entries. In the event of a draw where two or more colleges submit the same amount of entries, the judges will award the prize based on overall quality of the combined entries. Due to the collective nature of this element of the competition the winning college will not necessarily be the college attended by any of the winners.

Brief Terms and Conditions

All entries must be printed on HARMAN CRYSTALJET RC paper and must be the original work of the student.

The size of the printed images for submission into the competition must be either A4 or A3 in size.

The closing date for all entries is 31st July 2009. Winners will be notified by 30th September 2009 at the latest and results published on our website as soon as possible thereafter.

All entries should be sent to: Jane Crossen, Competition Co-ordinator, HARMAN technology Ltd, Ilford Way, Mobberley, Cheshire, WA16 7JL. Colleges and students may wish to send their entries as a whole or individually, or both. In any event all entries will be collated by the competition co-ordinator to determine how many entries are submitted by each college.

Within all categories the judges' decision is final and absolute. No correspondence will be entered into regarding the judges' decision.

To College Photo Instructors -

Would you please ensure that the attached information, which is specifically about the competition and aimed at the students themselves, is forwarded to your students and/or posted on noticeboards or briefed in a way you feel will achieve the most impact.

If you have any queries or require any further information please call Jane Crossen on 01565 684274 or email: studentcomp09@harmantechnology.com.

Please read the full terms and conditions as failure to adhere to the rules will result in automatic disqualification from the competition. HARMAN technology Ltd will not be held responsible for non-adherence to the rules.