PRIZE AWARDING PROTOCOL ENVIROFILM 2012 Of the 18th International Environmental Film Festival

THE GRAND PRIX OF THE FESTIVAL **THE WELL – WATER VOICES FROM ETHIOPIA (Italy)** Director: **Paolo Barberi, Riccardo Russo** Applicant: **Esplorare la Metropoli**

THE PRIZE IN THE CATEGORY JOURNALISTIC PROGRAMMES AND FILMS SHARPSHOOTER OF THE EURASIAN LYNX (Czech Republic) Director: David Macháček, Radek Kudela Applicant: Czech Television, Prague

THE PRIZE IN THE CATEGORY DOCUMENTARIES Film: MADAGASCAR, THE LOST MAKAY (France) Director: Pierre Stine Applicant: GEDEON Programmes

THE PRIZE IN THE CATEGORY EDUCATIONAL AND INSTRUCTIVE VIDEO PROGRAMMES AND FILMS Film: **SUPER ANIMALS 2 – 2. WILD KINDERGARTEN (Germany)** Director: **Georg Graffe** Applicant: **ZDF Mainz**

THE PRIZE IN THE CATEGORY FREE PRODUCTION AND FILMS FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH (advertisement spots, animations, puppet films, features, video clips etc.) Film: CHERNOBYL FOREVER Director: Alain de Halleux (Belgium) Applicant: Simple Production

THE PRIZE OF THE FESTIVAL DIRECTOR FOR THE BEST FILM BY A SLOVAK AUTHOR Film: **THE LANDS OF STRAWMAN(Slovakia)** Director: **Peter Kováč** Applicant: **Academy of Arts Banská Bystrica**

THE PRIZE FOR COURAGE AND BRAVERY IN SHOOTING AND DISCLOSING OF ILLEGAL LOGGING awarded by the Mayor of Banská Bystrica Film: CRIME SCENE: RAINFOREST (Germany) Director: Michaela Kirst Applicant: WDR Köln

THE PRIZE FOR FASCINATING CONNECTION OF PICTURE, COMMENTARY AND MUSIC awarded by the Mayor of Banská Štiavnica Film: WILD GERMANY – BAVARIAN FOREST (Germany) Director: Jürgen Eichinger Applicant: BR/Arte/WDR

THE PRIZE FOR A PORTRAIT RICH IN INFORMATION AND EXCEPTIONAL IMAGES awarded by the Mayor of Košice

Film: SERGE AVIOTTE, THE ICEMAN (France) Director: Thierry Berrod Applicant: Mona Lisa Production

THE PRIZE FOR AN EMOTIONAL STORY CREATED BY ANIMATION TECHNIQUE awarded by the Mayor of Kremnica Film: ABOUT THE HARD LIFE OF THE BARN SWALLOW Director: Chintis Lundgren Applicant: Chintis Lundgren

THE PRIZE FOR THE BEST AMATEUR FILM awarded by the Mayor of Krupina Film: **SHEPHERD MILAN VERSUS EUROPEAN UNION DIRECTIVES** Director: **Ján Kuska (Slovakia)** Applicant: **Ján Kuska**

THE PRIZE FOR ATTRACTIVE APPLICATION OF TRICKS IN A DOCUMENTARY awarded by the Mayor of Poltár Film: UNIVERSE OF THE OCEANS – WITH FRANK SCHÄTZING (PART 2) Director: Stefan Schneider (Germain) Applicant: ZDF Mainz

THE PRIZE FOR ECOLOGICAL SATIRE awarded by the Mayor of Skalica Film: **SEEKING ASYLUM ON ECOLOGICAL GROUNDS (Czech Republic)** Director: **William Lee** Applicant: **Reel Illusion, s.r.o.**

THE PRIZE FOR INVENTIVE USE OF MEANS OF DRAMATIC EXPRESSION awarded by the Mayor of Zvolen Film: TASTES LIKE CHICKEN? (Brazil) Director: Quico Meirelles Applicant: ECA - USP

THE PRIZE FOR INNOVATIVE LOOKING FOR ANSWERS TO PRESSING QUESTIONS awarded by the Chairman of Banská Bystrica Self-Governing Region Film: SILENT SNOW (The Netherlands) Director: Jan van den Berg Applicant: drsFILM

THE PRIZE FOR SURPRISING INSIGHT INTO THE RESTRICTED ZONE IN A TV DOCUMENTARY awarded by the Director of the Radio and Television of Slovakia Film: **RADIOACTIVE WOLVES (Austria)** Director: **Klaus Feichtenberger** Applicant: **ORF, Austrian Broadcasting Corporation**

THE PRIZE FOR OVERLAPPING OF HUMBLE VIEW OF NATURE AND SPORTS PERFORMANCE awarded by the President of the Slovak Olympic Committee Film: BATTLE OF THE GIANTS FROM THE CYCLE STORIES OF THE TATRA PEAKS Director: Pavol Barabáš Country: Slovakia Applicant: RTVS, ART point s. r. o.

THE PRIZE FOR INSPIRATIONAL INSTRUCTIVE PROJECT ON FORESTS awarded by the partner of the festival the European Commission Representation Film: SILVA GABRETA Director: Ivan Stritesky, Ladislav Miko (Czech Republic) Applicant: Administration of the National Park and Protective Landscape Area of Šumava

THE PRIZE FOR A PERFECT FILM REPORT ON A DREAM THAT CAME TRUE awarded by the general partner of the festival the Hadvičák company Film: **THE WINGS OF THE SUN** Director: **Henri de Gerlache (France)** Applicant: **Gedeon Programmes**

THE PRIZE OF THE CHILDREN'S JURY Film: **SUPER ANIMALS 2 – 2. WILD KINDERGARTEN (Germany)** Director: **Georg Graffe** Applicant: **ZDF Mainz**

THE PRIZE OF THE UNION OF THE SLOVAK TELEVISION PROGRAMMES MAKERS AND LITERATURE FUND

To ALŽBETA HARRY GAVENDOVÁ for a persistent and artistically creative search of inspiration in her native region, sensitive exploring of ordinary people connected with the earth and humble to its beauty.

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