



## Jean Loup Passek Award Inaugural Poster competition

The **Jean Loup Passek Award**, promoted by **MDOC - Melgaço International Documentary Festival**, will start a **film poster contest** for the first time in 2021, in addition to the international competition for cinematographic documentaries. In the poster competition, original works created for a documentary, animated or fictional film, of short, medium or feature length, with Portuguese or Galician production and a film production date after January 1 2018, will be accepted.

The posters submitted into competition will be evaluated by a jury that, in the 2021 edition, is chaired by the designer, artist and Director of the Master in Illustration and Animation at IPCA **Paula Tavares** and also the multi-award-winning illustrator **Jorge Silva** and visual artist **Marcos Covelo**.

The **deadline** for the registration of posters is **April 30 2021** and the Jean Loup Passek Award for best film poster has a monetary value of **2,000 Euros** (two thousand Euros), attributed to the author designer of the poster.

The **Jean Loup Passek Award** was named in honour of the French writer and film critic, who chose Melgaço as a second home and donated his estate to the municipality. The **MDOC festival** is organized by AO NORTE - Association of Audiovisual Production and Animation in partnership with the Municipality of Melgaço, which intends to promote and divulge documentary film-making and reflect on identity, memory and the border. The 2021 edition of the festival will take place between the 2nd and 8th of August. All information about the award and application process can be found on the festival's website at [www.mdocfestival.pt](http://www.mdocfestival.pt).

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