

## Conditions of Entry of the Digital Art Award Jaume Graells 2017

The City Council of Igualada and the company CEINA announce the 22th Digital Art Award Jaume Graells. Conditions of entry:

1st. The award is aimed at art schools, design schools, amateur designers and graphic design enthusiasts, in order to promote and reward the artistic effort and the use of new technologies. Participation can be either individual or collective, and from any geographical origin.

2nd. Two different work categories are established:

- a) Works with dynamic images: any work, which using a digital tool, integrates elements in motion, with or without user interaction.
- b) Works with static images: any work, which using a digital tool, does not show any kind of motion.

In any case, the artistic result will be most highly valued than the elaboration process, which in all cases shall be exclusively digital.

3rd. The subject and the applications used are free.

The submitted works must be original and must obviously have artistic creativity. Any copy or reference to other existing works by other authors is automatically excluded.

4th. There is a maximum of three works per author. The works must be submitted digitally via e-mail to [premis@ceina.com](mailto:premis@ceina.com). If they take up too much space, the works can be recorded in a DVD or CD and then submitted in an envelope, where the name of the file, the application which has been generated and any technical information necessary to ensure the optimal display of the work (screen resolution, number of colours, etc.) should be stated. Inside the very same envelope, it is essential to include an opaque, closed envelope with information about the author (name, address, telephone and ID photocopy) in order to preserve the anonymity. The envelope should also include an explanation on what the author seeks to capture in his work. If the work is sent via e-mail, all these data should also be included.

If members of CEINA see it fit, in case of technical problems, they may request the assistance of the author so that the Jury can visualize the work without any problems.

5th. Works can be submitted until **29 September 2017**, to Avinguda Europa 7-9, 08700 Igualada, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. of Monday to Thursday.

6th. **First Prize.** The "City of Igualada" Award will be granted, as well as an original Corel licence, and a 1.800€ endowment. The award will be granted to the best work of either of the two possible categories.

**Runner-up Award.** An original Corel licence and a Diploma of Merit will be awarded. The Jury may leave the award vacant

The winners or legal representatives who do not collect their award during the ceremony will lose all their rights. The winner of each edition will not be able to enter the next one, and he or she will be invited to join the Jury the following year.

During 2018, the winner of the "City of Igualada" Award will be able to show his or her complete collection of works in one of the showrooms of the City Council.

7th. The Jury will consist on a representative from CEINA, three citizens from Igualada associated with the world of design, the former winner and a representative from the City Council and, as observers, one representative from each of the sponsoring companies. The Jury's verdict will be final.

8th. The reading of the verdict and the award ceremony will take place on Sunday **19 November 2017**, during the "City of Igualada" Awards ceremony.

9th. All the computer materials submitted for this award (CDs and other types of materials) will be returned to the contestants, if requested, and they will be able to collect them at the offices of CEINA until 30 January 2018.

10th. The submitted works will be property of CEINA for the use and promotion of actions related with the award, excluding any commercial purposes unrelated with the contest and preserving the copyright of the works. CEINA will have the right to use the awarded works as it sees fit, accepting that the payment of the prize gives the sponsors the right for using the work.

11th. The submitted works will be shown to public in a website especially designed for this purpose ([www.ceina.com/artdigital](http://www.ceina.com/artdigital)). There may be a link from the sponsoring companies to this website.

12th. Participation in this contest implies full acceptance of and agreement with these conditions. Any issue not considered in this Conditions of Entry will be dealt with the organizers.

13th. For any further enquiries about the prize conditions, contact Teresa Creus, the person in charge of the award, at CEINA, tel. 93 805 00 94, on the websites [www.igualada.cat](http://www.igualada.cat) or [www.ceina.com/artdigital](http://www.ceina.com/artdigital), or via e-mail. For questions and enquiries, you can send your e-mails to: [premis@ceina.com](mailto:premis@ceina.com)

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With the support of:



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He always showed an interest for science and technology, but especially, for the emerging world of end-user computing solutions.

In the year 1988, he founded the *Centre Informàtic de l'Anoia* (CEINA) with two more colleagues. He wanted to popularize and spread the knowledge of new technologies in Igualada and the region.

Through this company and the recognition and support of the Government of Catalonia, he set in training, educational and academic activities. He collaborated in the organization of the scientific areas in the Children's Fair and the computer systems in the Multi-sector Fair of Igualada.

He took part in different projects for the dissemination of computer music technology, computer programming, telematics, and educational conferences. He even took part in the original project to connect la Conca d'Odena area with the information highways.