



PitchNY 2019 Application

PitchNY: Filters

Help determine whether you qualify for submission.

Are you currently enrolled in or a recent graduate (class of Winter 2017 – Spring 2019) of a college or university located in New York State?

Please answer yes or no.

Do you currently reside in New York State? (If you think that you are a great candidate for this program, and you attend or attended a school in New York State but do not currently reside in New York State, please email us at pitchny@tfiny.org).

Please answer yes or no.

Are you available or can you make yourself available on Thursday, November 7th and Friday, November 8th for the PitchNY event? (Please note that the program will begin in the afternoon on Thursday, November 7th, leaving time for travel to New York City the morning of the 7th.)

Please answer yes or no.

Applicant Questions

First Name

Middle Initial (Optional)

Last Name

Preferred Name (Optional)

Preferred Pronouns (Optional)

Age

Must be 18-years of age or older to apply.

Do you have a disability (autism, chronic illness, deafness, intellectual disability, learning disability, mental health, physical disability, speech and language disorders, PTSD and/or other)? (Optional)

Are you a current or former member of the U.S. Military? (Optional)

Applicant Email

We will use this email address to contact you regarding this application. Please make sure it's correct.

Applicant Bio

Please provide a brief biography, including credits, and/or major recognition or awards, and information about relevant experience. (Max. 300 words)

Headshot

Please upload a hi-res photo of yourself that is 1200px minimum. Files must be in gif, jpg, or png format.

Filmmaker Statement

Please explain how this program would help develop your future filmmaking career. What do you hope to gain from meeting and learning from industry professionals and honing your pitch skills? (Max. 500 words)

Primary Project Logline

As part of PitchNY, we ask filmmakers to create at least two pitch ideas. Please write a longline – or brief, catchy summary – for the project you are most excited about below. Loglines are written in a complete sentence (or sentences) and provide both a summary and an emotional “hook” to stimulate interest. (Max. 120 words)

Primary Pitch Idea

Please provide an overview of your primary project/story, including descriptions of your main subjects or characters and the potential conflict or issue you want to explore. How will you translate your story visually, from the initial idea to a fleshed-out narrative? What will viewers see? Include structure, style, artistic approach, and point of view. How are you approaching this story in a personal, emotional, or philosophical way? (Max. 300 words)

Primary Project Type

Please select from the following options: Documentary, or Scripted

Primary Project Form

Please select from the following options: Feature, Series, or Short

Project #2 Logline

Please write a longline for your second project idea below. (Max. 120 words)

Project #2 Type

Please select from the following options: Documentary, or Scripted

Project #2 Form

Please select from the following options: Feature, Series, or Short

Project #3 Logline (Optional)

If you have an additional pitch idea you would like to present, please include here. (Max. 120 words)

Project #3 Type (Optional)

Please select from the following options: Documentary, or Scripted

Project #3 Form (Optional)

Please select from the following options: Feature, Series, or Short

Are you currently enrolled in or a recent graduate (classes of 2017 [winter], 2018, 2019) of a college or university located in New York State?

What is/was your graduation year?

Please write the name of the college or university in New York State you attend or attended.

In which city in New York State do you live?

In which country in New York State do you live?

Diversity & Inclusion

PitchNY is focused on promoting diversity and inclusion in the entertainment industry both by highlighting diverse content and increasing opportunity for content creators (filmmakers, producers, directors and writers) from diverse and historically excluded communities. Please describe how you and/or your pitch fits this mission. (Max. 250 words)

Applicant Demographics

To better understand our field and serve our constituents, TFI is asking all applicants to complete the following questions, which focus on demographics (gender, race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, geographical region). Responses to these questions are voluntary and will not be used as part of the applicant review or selection process.

Gender (Optional)

Please select the option(s) that most closely match(es) your gender identity. (Optional)

Please select from the following options: Male, Non-binary, Transgender, Female, Not Listed, Choose not to respond.

If your gender was not listed, please describe here. (Optional)

Sexual Orientation (Optional)

Please choose the option that most closely describes your sexual orientation.

Please select from the following options: Asexual, Bisexual, Gay, Heterosexual, Lesbian, Pansexual, Queer, Not Listed, Choose not to respond.

If your gender was not listed, please describe here. (Optional)

Race/Ethnicity (Optional)

Please select from the following options: Asian or Asian American, Black, African American, or other African Descent, Hispanic or Latinx, Indigenous Person of the Americas (including North, Central, and/or South America), Middle Eastern or North African, Multi-racial or Bi-racial, Pacific Islander or Native Hawaiian, White or Caucasian, Not Listed, Choose Not to Respond.

If you selected Multi-racial or Bi-racial, please specify all that apply. (Optional)

Were you born in the United States? (Optional)

Region of Origin (Optional)

Please select from the following options: Africa, Asia, Caribbean, Europe, Middle East, North America, Oceania, South America.

Country of Origin (Optional)

PitchNY

How did you hear about PitchNY?

Please select all that apply: Ads, Twitter, Facebook, Instagram, Website, Professor, School Group/Club, Past Participant, Other.

If other, please specify.

If you have any food allergies or sensitivities we should be aware of, please write them here.
(Optional)